



TUAM POOR LAW UNION

BOARD OF GUARDIAN MINUTES

GPL5/14

7 JANUARY – 8 JULY 1857

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1 & 2 Vic., Cap. 56; 10 & 11 Vic., Cap. 31; 10 & 11 Vic., Cap. 90; and
12 & 13 Vic., Cap. 104.

MINUTE BOOK.

Union.

THE MINUTE BOOK, in which shall be entered the statistical information laid before the Board of Guardians relating to the inmates of the Workhouse, the collection of the Rates, and the state of the Finances of the Union; Minutes of all orders received from the Commissioners for administering the Laws for Relief of the Poor in Ireland, and of all Letters received from the Commissioners or other Parties relating to the business of the Union, and of all directions given by the Board of Guardians thereon; Minutes of the production and examination of the Register, and all other Books and Accounts which are required to be periodically produced, examined, and signed; Minutes of the Reports of the Visiting and Finance Committees, and of the Clerk, the Master, and other Officers of the Workhouse, and of all directions given by the Board thereon; Minutes of all moneys received and paid, all orders and checks given, all accounts examined and allowed, and all salaries ordered to be paid; a statement of the number of cases of provisional relief, and of applications for relief, brought before the Board and considered and decided on by them; as well as all other business, proceedings, and transactions of the Board of Guardians, at any of their Meetings.

Order of the Poor Law Commissioners.



DUBLIN:

ALEXANDER THOM & SONS, PRINTERS AND PUBLISHERS, 87, & 88, ABBEY-STREET,
OF WHOM MAY BE HAD
THE BOOKS AND FORMS REQUIRED BY THE IRISH POOR RELIEF AND MEDICAL CHARITIES ACTS.

Population in 1851, *51194*

Present Net Annual Value, £ *58076*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *3* day of *January* 185*7*.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . .	<i>1184</i>	<i>230</i>												
Temporary Buildings, . . .	<i>350</i>													
Additional Workhouse, . . .	<i>50</i>	<i>16</i>												
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .														
Fever Sheds, . . .														
Total, . . .	<i>1484</i>	<i>246</i>												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			<i>11</i>	<i>40</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>34</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>35</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>240</i>	In Workhouse Hospital, <i>41</i>	In separate Wards, <i>16</i>
Admitted during the Week, . . .			<i>4</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>16</i>	In Hospital, <i>16</i>	In Wards with other Inmates, <i>16</i>
TOTAL,			<i>15</i>	<i>46</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>35</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>36</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>256</i>	Total, <i>76</i>	Total,
Discharged during the Week, . . .			<i>1</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>5</i>		
Died,			<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>5</i>		
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			<i>1</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>10</i>		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			<i>14</i>	<i>42</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>35</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>36</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>246</i>		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
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Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Wednesday* the *7* day of *January* 185*7*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *B. Blake & Curran Esq*
 Other Guardians: *the Chairman, entered the room at 20 Minutes to Two o'clock & took the Chair -*
R. Savage, J. Higgins, Mrs. Gannon, R. Bortus, Jas. Curran, Jas. Clarke,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4924 to No. 4939, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. _____ to No. _____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ - - - -

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ - - - -

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 737. 16. 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Denis Kinnane	Bell Hill	}											
	Beaumont												
	Clare Street												
	Foxhall												
	Hilly Street												
	St. Michael's												
	Leavelly												
Leavelly													
Jas. Higgins	Addigoole	}											
	Jamieson												
	Clonbeane												
	Doonally												
	Quinn												
	St. Michael's												
	Miltown												
Peter Greaney	Shannon	}											
	Ballynabuff												
	Donaghadee												
	Headford												
	St. Michael's												
	St. Michael's												
	St. Michael's												
Jas B Martyn	Abbey East	}											
	Abbey West												
	Ballynabuff												
	Ballynabuff												
	Quinn												
	St. Michael's												
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NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 23 6 s. 5 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 24 . 1 . 9 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/8 3/4

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2/3

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - 2/8 ✓

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1 cwt 1 qr Oat Meal
- 3 " 3 " Indian Meal
- 5 " 2 " First Flour
- 5 " 3 " Whole Meal
- 4 1/4 lb Beef
- 9 5 Boxes Lard
- 9 3 3 Quarts Milk
- 2 3/4 lb Tea, 14 lb Sugar
- 1 1/4 lb Pepper, 7 Bott Wine
- 9 lb Dipst Candles
- 3 lb Mould do 28 lb Soap

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	-
In kind,	-	-	-
Total,	-	-	-

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
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No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Immigration Act Phely Corduroy	14	8	4
Manlygan, 3. 10. 11 M. Mahony Calicoes	22	8	9
Corcoran Straw	3	13	2

2. J. Browne Insurance of 1000 Horse to 25 Decr 1837 7 2 "

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Figgis Salary 25 Decr 1836	25	"	"
Murphy do do	17	10	"
Irwin do do	27	10	"
Red Bourne do do	15	"	"
Edwin do do	6	5	"
Mary Ann Farne do do	5	"	"
Joseph Luingan do do	6	5	"
Eleanor Bell do do	4	"	"
Mary Browne do do	3	"	"
J. Delap do do	4	5	"
J. Brennan Master Baker 3 Decr 57	6	5	"
M. Burke Tailor do do	3	10	"

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

	£	s.	d.	
1 Council Balance 45.2.4	3	3	6	19
7 Moran process 15.0.11	7	4	9	12
Joseph Kilgariff	40	"	"	13
Carfales - 9.5.11	90	11	2	14
Collectors	19	1	8	2
8 Denis Murray fees 19.19.7	18	12	"	3
Epoucaunum "	10	"	"	14
9 Jas Higgins "	17	18	8	4
10 W Wolfe "	92	5	7	5
Electors Law	50	"	"	16
Belief for Minutes } 5-0-0	88	3	11	6
of Budget Expenses.				

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

Establishment

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.	
1 Kelly Rent 14.0.0	3	"	"	
Burke Soap 3.7.0	3	15	"	
W Daniel Tins 5.13.0	3	15	"	
Jas Subbrath Rent 10.1.11	3	15	"	
1 Moran on Laundry 5.2.6	10	"	"	1 kept Bill
2 Mumpetty Cash 5.0.0	6	19	11	
3 Baker Tins 2.10.0	28	3	"	
4 Higgins Soap 21.2.8	3	"	"	
Lequane Nails	3	9	7	

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read - (this on the first meeting in every month.) - Number of successful cases.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows.

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon as follows:

The Medical Officer reported that there had been five deaths during the past week, and that 77 persons remained under treatment; Of the five persons whose deaths are recorded, three of the parties were brought into Hospital in a dying state from outside the Home, and did not survive three days.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them, respectively, to the following effect, or Orders made on them respectively as follows:

Circular No 1-9/57
2nd Jan'y 57
Requesting to be furnished with a statement of any New Rates Made, or any Rates agreed to in the Union during the month of Decr 1856.

The following Extracts from the Report of the Inspector of National Schools, on the Union Poor Law National Schools, was read.

The course of instruction is suitable, and the proficiency is about the minimum degree required by the school Programme. The course of Industrial Training is such as is best calculated to fit the children for simple employment. The School tho diminishing very much in numbers is progressing in their daily literary studies.

The Clerk reported he had written to Mr Baker of Ashfield, respecting the examination of the repairs done to the Cupolas by Mr...

Mr Tierney; That both Mr Baker and Mr Tierney attended at the Work House on Monday when the repairs were inspected. The following report as to the result of his examination was received from Mr Baker.

Having examined the work done by Mr Tierney at the four Union Work House - they to say the Iron Cupolas over the Chair Cases in the Main Building have not been repaired according to Contract.

The Specification and Estimate both state that the Bad Timbers were to be replaced by new, which has been partially done.

There have been some new Beams put in, but I find there are other, namely the Upright Angle Framing which are essentially requisite together with the Horizontal pieces under Lashes, also some of the Baulking under weather Slating, Studs, Casings &c that have not been put in new.

The Cupolas in the first instance were badly executed, and allowed the rain water to get in particularly at the angles, and the result has been that the Joistings (the Mortices & Tenons) have taken the rot and are rotten; When these are made good, the Lashes should be bedded in white Lead, to make all draught and water tight, being omitted in the first instance was the cause of so much damage.

The Lower Windows require to be adjusted. It is a great hardship on Mr Tierney the Contractor, his not having examined more minutely how far the Timbers were decayed, as he appears to me to be under the impression that there were no new Timbers required but those that he has put in, which have been well done.

The greater part of the defects were not exposed to view without taking

cutting off some of the ceilings, which Mr. Tivney in the first instance neglected doing. The Repairing of the Down & Dock Frames are very well. Also the new fittings for the Wash Frames. Since the number of New Sills stated in the estimate have not been supplied, and I have pointed out to Mr. Tivney the different places that he has not repaired, according to the meaning of the word 'vamping'.

The Cook further to front of front Building require to be acquainted with proper full & down pipes, this has not been done.

The Clerk was directed to forward a copy of this Report to Mr. Tivney.

Read a Letter from Mr. Baker enclosing his acct. amounting to £2.10.0 and making some suggestions regarding the Cupolas. Read.

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

Resolved that a cheque be drawn in favour of Mr. Baker for the amount of his account viz £2.10.0

Read a Letter from Mrs. John the Mission, requesting leave of absence for two days to see a friend who is dangerously ill. Granted.

The following Report of the Finance Committee was read.

Your Committee have to Report that the external liabilities of the Union to the date amount to £1640. From the funds available they are unable to discharge all demands, but propose to pay all claims to the 29th Sept. and a large proportion of the debts incurred since that period viz all amounting to £1100.

The Balance of £540. appearing still due, your Committee hope to discharge on a future but early day.

The Report having been adopted the Cheques recommended by the Finance Committee were signed.

Next Meeting of the Board to be held on Wednesday the 14th July 1857

Chas Blake } Signed
 Chairman
 Richard Savage }
 Andrew Baird } other
 Guardians
 Present

J. Figgis
 Clerk
 14 July 1857

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185 .

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68 }
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Tram
UNION, on Monday day, the 7th day of July 1857.—
continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a
Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon
as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to
forward the same, OR reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the _____
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were
ordered to be supplied:*

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The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries and as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

Union	Dispensary District,	Account of Mr.	for	Amount £
		James Greaves	Salary	£ 30. 0. 0
		W. Kelly	do	3. 15. 0
		L.B. Turner	Rent	0. 0. 0
		Quinn's Dispensary		
		W. Bonnellan	Salary	18. 15. 0
		do	Rent	10. 0. 0
		Headford Dispensary		
		F. Edittle	Salary	21. 0. 0
		St George	do	5. 0. 0
		Abney Dispensary		
		Robt French	Rent	7. 10. 0
		Dicky French	Salary	17. 10. 0

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 185, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 185

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

District	£
District	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Poate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Poeturn accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to give the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees: namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

Linn UNION.

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10 day of *July* 1857.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number In Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,															
Temporary Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital,															
Fever Sheds,															
Total,															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			14	42	28	28	35	29	36	12	22	24			
Admitted during the Week,			3	3	"	1	"	"	1	"	1	9			
TOTAL,			17	45	28	29	35	29	37	12	23	25			
Discharged during the Week,			1	"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	2			
Died,															
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	2			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			16	45	28	29	34	29	37	12	23	25			

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COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Monday* the *14th* day of *July* 1857.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *B. Blake*

Other Guardians:

Phuaga, Snow Haier

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 49100 to No. 49118, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. _____ to No. _____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £

Paid during the week, - - - - - £

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was - £

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>James Curran</i>	<i>Bell Class</i>												
	<i>Beugh Run</i>												
	<i>Class Tuam</i>												
	<i>Foxhall</i>												
	<i>Killy Brosh</i>												
	<i>Kilshanny</i>												
	<i>Killicore</i>												
<i>James Higgins</i>	<i>Anderspole</i>												
	<i>Carrowbeg</i>												
	<i>Clombecule</i>												
	<i>Doonally</i>												
	<i>Doonmol</i>												
	<i>Intracum</i>												
	<i>Killicore</i>												
<i>Peter Greany</i>	<i>Annadown</i>	4	11	8 ³ / ₄									
	<i>Ballinacuff</i>	8	17	1									
	<i>Donapatrik</i>	12	18	3									
	<i>Keupon</i>	33	6	3									
	<i>Kilcorum</i>	15	2	2									
	<i>Killeary</i>	5	11	2 ¹ / ₂									
	<i>Killineen</i>	19	0	1 ¹ / ₂									
<i>Killover</i>	6	4	4 ¹ / ₄				105	10					
<i>James Masterson</i>	<i>Abbey East</i>												
	<i>Abbey West</i>												
	<i>Ballinacuff</i>												
	<i>Ballinacuff</i>												
	<i>Keupon</i>												
	<i>Kilcorum</i>												
							105	10					

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 23 . 17 s. 2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 24 . 2 . 11 3/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/8 3/4

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 2/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 2/4 1/2

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1 cwt 1 qn Oat Meal
- 3 " 3/4 " Indian Meal
- 5 " 2 " Just Flour
- 5 " 3 " whole Meal
- 73 lb Beef
- 95 Boxes Turf
- 957 lb Milk
- 2 3/4 cwt Tea, 14 Sugar
- 1 1/4 Peppercorn, 1 Blotch Wine
- 28 Soap 90 Apts
- 34 Mould Candles

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - - £ s. d.

In kind, - - - - -

Total, - - - - -

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.						Bt. forward					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forwd.						TOTAL,					

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account*

£	s.	d.

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read — (this on the first meeting in every month.) — Number of successful cases.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows.

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon as follows:

The Medical Officer reported that there had not been any deaths during the week and that 82 persons required Snow Treatment.

The Master reported that the Old Bed Ticks, Rugs, & Quilts, were sold by Auction on the 8th Inst, the proceeds of which, amounted to £3.3.3. of which £30 — was lodged, the remainder shall be lodged as soon as collected.

The Bedding for the Corn Mill, not amounting to the price laid on by the Board of Guardians. The Master would not allow it to be sold.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, or Orders made on them respectively as follows:—

Circular to be published calling attention to the Election Return Officer's Order of 26 July 57, particularly No 20 M/57 } to certain articles of that Order also signed 10 July 57 } the date upon which the several proceedings in the ensuing Election are to be taken

Read a letter dated 13 July 57 from the Comptroller of Valuations stating that Mr Doyle of the Valuation Office had been directed to proceed to Enam to correct any changes of occupancy &c. that may have taken place since the transmission of the Lists of changes to that Office.

Read a letter from the Clerk of the Old Castle Board of Guardians, relative to a meeting proposed to be held in Dublin on the 30th July, with a view to the adoption of measures to reduce the establishment charges, by the amalgamation of Unions adjourned.

Read a letter from Mr Henry Curran, Revisor, explaining to the Board of Guardians the cause of the increase in the value of the holding of Tenements in the Townland of Louisa which was considered by the Board as satisfactory

Notice of Motion

Take Notice that I will on this day fortnight 28 July move that the chargeability of Mary Donohoe and Child be changed from Head for ED. to the team at large

Lynia Andrew Haic

14 July 1857

The Guardians having considered the Tender to purchase Old Rags &c

Resolved that the Tender of Mr M. Egan of Terence agreeing to give for
White Rags 20f lb
Blue do 9f "
Trash do 7f " be accepted

Next Meeting of the Board to be held on the 21st Inst

Signed
Mr Thomas Brown Chairman
Mr Higgins Clerk
Michael Parry Guardian, Present

Ed Higgins
Clerk

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - -

 Ditto disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - -

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185 .

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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[No. 27.] }

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____

UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185 .—

continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a
Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon
as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to
forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the _____
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were
ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries due as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

_____ Dispensary District,
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____

_____ District,	. . . . .	£
_____ District,	. . . . .	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee].

The Board elected the following Peate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms B 1 and B 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *17* day of *January* 185*7*

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in such building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idlots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse,														
Temporary Buildings,														
Additional Workhouse,														
Permanent Fever Hospital,														
Fever Sheds,														
Total,														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			10	48	28	29	34	29	37	12	23	253	In Workhouse Hospital, 162 In Fever Hospital, 28	In separate Wards, with other Inmates, 25
Admitted during the Week,			3	5	1	2	"	"	"	2	1	14		
TOTAL,			19	50	29	31	34	29	37	14	24	267		
Discharged during the Week,			8	4	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	10		8 Fever Cases
Died,			"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	1		4 dysentery
Total Discharged and Dead,			5	4	"	2	"	"	"	"	"	11		13 others
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			14	46	29	29	34	29	37	14	24	256		25

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the _____ day of _____ authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.							Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Wednesday* the _____ day of *January* 185*7*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *J. Browne*

Other Guardians:

R. Swan, J. Higgins, J. Roche, Charles Blake, Jas. Wofford, R. Bodkin, Denis Kerrigan at a 1/4 to 1/2 of 12 o'clock.

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4910 to No. 4942, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. _____ to No. _____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

* Including a sum of £30 = lodged by the master =

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ 203. 3. 8

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 64. 3. 8

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 254. 6. 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Denis Kerran	Bellshane	21	4	1									
	Beagh More	17	11	9									
	Clare Strand	7	5	9									
	Fortball	4	17	10 1/2									
	Hillstrath	9	11	7 1/2									
	St. John's	7	11	3									
	Killerevin	32	8	9									
	Levalley	13	16	1									
	<i>Sum</i>	67	2	8	181	9	10						
Sus. Higgins	Adingrath	10	19	3									
	Carraheen	4	8	8 1/2									
	Flonbuice	10	9	4									
	Doonbally	11	1	4 1/2									
	Dunmore	15	16	10 1/2									
	Inchacum	1	6	1 1/2									
	Killacee	5	17	11 1/4									
	Killoran	1	12	9	51	13	10						
Peter Gleavy	Amadown												
	Ballinruff.												
	Donaghadee												
	Headford												
	Kilcoona												
	Killeaney												
	Killunee												
Killower													
Jas B. Mastyn	Abbey East												
	Abbey West												
	Ballinacorney												
	Ballinacorney												
	Coyne												
	St. Mary's												
	Moyness												
	Keel												
	<i>Sum</i>				233	3	8						

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 23 14 s. 2 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - ✓ 24 " 2 " 1/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/8 ✓

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 2 1/4 ✓

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 2/2 ✓

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- ✓ 1 " 1 " 11 Oat meal
- ✓ 4 " 1 " 1 Indian Meal
- ✓ 1 " 1 " 11 Just Flour
- ✓ 6 3/4 Cwt whole Meal
- ✓ 7 " 10 Beef
- ✓ 10 " Bacon Lard
- ✓ 9 1/2 Milk, 2 3/4 Tea
- ✓ 14 Sugar, 1 1/4 Pepper
- ✓ 5 Bott Wine, 28 Soap
- ✓ 9 1/2 Dipht Candles
- ✓ 3 1/2 Moulds

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	£	s.	d.
In kind,	-	-	-			
Total,	-	-	-			

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.	
		£ s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£ s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first meeting in every month.)—
Number of successful cases.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon as follows:

The Medical Officer reported that there had been one death during the week and that 87 persons remained under treatment

On the recommendation of the Medical Officer, a Wooden Leg was ordered to be procured for Martin Dinegan whose leg had been amputated some time since —

No Report from the Master —

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, or Orders made on them respectively as follows:

Letter to Clerk Requesting to be furnished with a copy No 1069 } of the letter received from Mr. Baker
17 Jan'y 57 } making some suggestions relative to the Cupolas

The Clerk stated he sent a copy of the letter on Monday the 19th Inst.

Letter to Clerk Requesting to be furnished with a copy No 25th 57 } of the state of the Old Union Rate,
19 Jan'y 57 } and a similar Return once a fortnight until the collection is closed

The Clerk stated that there had not been any lodgements on acct. of the Old Union since the date of the last Return

A Petition was read from the Board of Guardians of the Bandon Union, Ireland, to Parliament Praying, that enquiry would be made into the state of Pauperism in Ireland, with a view

to the reduction of the expenditure under the head of Establishment Charges.

The letter from the Old Castle Board of Guardians relative to a Meeting to be held in Dublin on the 30th Inst. was considered

Resolved that our Chairman Denis Sturran Esq. who expects to be in Dublin about that time, be requested to attend the Meeting to be held at Morrisons Hotel on the 30th Inst., to take into consideration the practicability of amalgamating the existing Unions in Ireland, with a view of reducing the Establishment Charges, without impairing the efficient working of the Poor Law Act.

The Clerk reported that he had on the 20th Inst. taken up the Vouchers from the Treasurer and signed his A/c up to the 27th Decr 1856, and that the Balance at that date, as compared with our Book was correct, Bal^{ce} on the 27 Decr 1856 £657. 16. 9

Med^{al} Charities

Letter to Clerk Calling attention to the Copy No 1122 } letter of the 12th Inst. relating
20 Jan'y 57 } to the supply of Notices Form D. for posting in Abbey District

Resolved that the Poor Law Commissioners be informed, that as the period for which the existing Committees were formed has now nearly expired, the Board of Guardians are of opinion that it would be more advisable to wait until the 25 March next, when the Notices adverted to shall be posted in each Dispensary District in the Union =

Next

Next Meeting of the Board to be held on
Wednesday the 28 Jan'y 1857

Mumford } Signed
 } Chairman

 } Other
Nelson & Sons }
 } Present
 }
 } Present

D. J. J. J.
Clerk Meeting Jan'y 28. 1857

The cases of provisionat relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisionat admisions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - -

Ditto disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -

The number of cases of provisionat Out-door relief was - - -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - -

The number of other applicants in the Poorrelieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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day of _____ 185 .

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the _____
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were
ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

_____ Dispensary District
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

Union

UNION.

29

Population in 1851, 51194

Present Net Annual Value, £ 58076

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of Jan^y 1857

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,															
Temporary Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital,															
Fever Sheds,															
Total,															
Remainng on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			14	46	29	29	34	29	37	14	24	258	In Workhouse Hospital, 61	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 24	
Admitted during the Week,			1	6	1	"	"	"	1	"	3	12			
TOTAL,			15	52	30	29	34	29	38	14	27	268			
Discharged during the Week,			1	2	1	"	"	"	1	3	"	9			
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"			
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	2	1	"	"	"	1	3	"	9			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			14	50	29	29	34	28	35	14	26	259			

5 Fever Cases,
6 Dysentery
13 Other Cases
24

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the _____ day of _____ authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.							Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 28 day of Jan^y 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, Charles Blake, at 1/2 past one,
Other Guardians: McDonnell,
Thos Higgins, Wm Garrison, R. Savage
& Tully Roche, J Laffey, Elbroune

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4964 to No. 4974 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. _____ to No. _____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - £ 254.4.4

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 34.18.3

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was - £ 473.12.4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Dennis Timinall	Bell Close	21	13	4									
	Binghnam		11	"									
	Clare Tuam	6	7	3									
	Forkhill	32	10	3/4									
	Glenties	5	2	1/2									
	Kilshavney		12	4									
	Kilberwin	17	9	"									
	Levalley Tuam	33	2	1/2	120	1	7						
James Higgins	Collection												
Peter Freaney	Annadown	5	5	1/2									
	Ballinacuff	5	3	"									
	Donapatrik	14	15	3									
	Madford	42	5	1/2									
	Milcoone	2	1	1/2									
	Mulleauy	4	10	"									
	Mulluragh	7	6	2									
	Nilrover	37	11	3/4	92	13	9						
Jas B Martyn	Abby East	63	8	3/4									
	Abby West	14	12	6									
	Balshodan	19	14	1/2									
	Balshodan	34	4	1/4									
	Bunowen	3	17	"									
	Kilmorelan	6	12	1/2									
	Moynock	15	5	7/8									
	Monowid	3	5	7/8									
	Rye Hill	5	10	1/2	161	10	7						
					£ 374 5 11								

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 25. 2 s. 0 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 24. 8. 3 1/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/8

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2/1

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - 2/1

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1 1/4 Cwt Oatmeal
- 4 Cwt Indian Meal
- 6 Cwt Fine Flour
- 1/2 " Whole Meal
- 19 lb Beef
- 100 Boxes Lard
- 998 Quarts Milk
- 2 3/4 " Tea, 14 " Sugar
- 1 1/4 " Pepper, 4 Boxes Wine
- 28 " Soap 1 Do Wash Balls
- 9 " Candles 3 " Mould Candles

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

£ s. d.

In money, - - - -

In kind, - - - -

Total.

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.						Bt. forward					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forwd.						TOTAL,					

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 25. 2 s. 0 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 24. 8. 3 1/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/8

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2/1

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - 2/1

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1 1/4 Cwt Oatmeal
- 4 Cwt Indian Meal
- 6 Cwt Fine Flour
- 6 1/2 " Whole Meal
- 69 lb Beef
- 100 Bones, Tuf
- 998 Quarts Milk
- 2 3/4 lb Tea, 14 lb Sugar
- 1 1/4 lb Pepper, 4 Bott Wine
- 28 lb Soap 1 Do Wash Soda
- 9 lb Apts 3 lb Mould Candles

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - £ s. d.
 In kind, - - - -

Total, -

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first meeting in every month.)—
Number of successful cases.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon as follows:

The Medical Officer reported that there had not been any deaths during the past week and that 85 persons remained under treatment.

A supply of Cow Pock Infection was ordered to be procured.

The Master reported that on Saturday & Sunday last, the Contractors not having supplied a sufficient quantity of Milk, he was obliged to purchase Milk, fatless from Mr. Conner at 10^o per gal. That on yesterday the quantity of the Milk being bad he rejected 120 gals, & being again deficient he purchased 5 gals at 10^o per gal.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, or Orders made on them respectively as follows:

Letter to Clerk Relative to the letter received from the Board of Guardians from Mr Baker No 1955 26 Jan'y 57 } respecting the cupolas, and stating that in any alteration the guardians may contemplate in the cupolas, either now or hereafter, the necessity for both light and ventilation should be borne in mind =

Read a Letter from the Secretary of the Lunatic Asylums Commission, Ireland, accompanying "heads of inquiry" prepared with a view to assisting the people of support of the investigation which the Commissioners are engaged in making, in reference to the State of the various Institutions for the Custody or treatment of the Insane

Read a Petition from the Guardians of the Wexford Union to Parliament relating to the Law of Removal from England to Ireland, of Destitute persons -

Read a Circular from Mr Donnelly Esq Registrar General, accompanying Returns of the Estimated Average produce by the English and Irish Acre, in each Electoral Division of the Union during the year 1856, and requesting the guardians opinion as to whether the average produce as obtained by the Enumeration fairly represents the yield of crops =

Read a Letter from Mr Jas Tenny of Duncannon relative to his Claim for repairing the cupolas and requesting a payment of £40. on account until the works contracted for had been perfected to the satisfaction of the guardians Refused by Finance Committee =

Valentine Browne Relieving Officer reported that he had been served with notice ~~that~~ that at the expiration of 48 hours this Riggis Esq would proceed to execute a writ of ~~injunction~~ in the Cause of Jeremiah Duncannon v. James D. Conroy and take possession of the sum of £1000 in Ballinacorney Eds

The Master has directed to have a poor woman named Bridget Carroll, admitted this day, a Lunatic very violent removed to the Lunatic Asylum, as soon as possible

Next Meeting of the Board to be held on Monday the 4 Feb'y 1857

Chas Blah signor Chairman
Edward Brown other
J. O'Keely, Guardian, Present

J. Duggis Clerk Monday 4 Feb'y 1857

Population in 1851, 57194

Present Net Annual Value, £ 58076

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 31 day of *January* 1857

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse,														
Temporary Buildings,														
Additional Workhouse,														
Permanent Fever Hospital,														
Fever Sheds,														
Total,														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			14	50	29	29	34	28	35	14	26	259	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital, Total,	In separate Wards, In Fever with other Inmates, Total,
Admitted during the Week,			2	4	1	"	1	1	"	"	"	9		
TOTAL,			16	54	30	29	35	29	35	14	26	268		
Discharged during the Week,			"	2	"	"	2	"	"	"	1	5		
Died,			"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	1	2		
Total Discharged and Dead,			"	2	"	1	2	"	"	"	2	7		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			16	52	30	28	33	29	35	14	24	261		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.							Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Wednesday* the 4th day of *February* 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Charles Blake*

Other Guardians:

D. J. W. Gannon, E. Browne, A. Haire, R. Savan, J. J. O'Kelly, Robt. Henry, Robt. Boyle, J. Wade, D. B. Leonard, J. Higgins, J. Roche

The Chairman Denis Gannon Esq. entered the room at a 1/4 to 2 o'clock & took the Chair -

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - - -

Ditto disallowed - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - -

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered - - - -

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4978 to No. 4983, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. _____ to No. _____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

Galway County Council Archives

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ _____

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ _____

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 473.12.4 +

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>No Lodgment made during the week. Balance Outstanding to</i>													

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 24 . 19 s. 11 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 24 . 12 . 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/8 1/4

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - 2/1 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - 2/0 1/2

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1 1/4 Cwt Oat meal
- 4 " Bran meal
- 6 3/4 " First Flour
- 6 " Whole meal
- 70 lbs Beef
- 100 Boxes Lard
- 1013 Gals Milk
- 2 1/2 " Tea 14 " Sugar
- 1 1/4 lb Pepper, 5 Bbls Wine
- 28 " Soap
- 8 10 Cpts Candles 2 1/2 " Nails &

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

					£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	-	-			
In kind,	-	-	-	-			
Total,	-	-	-	-			

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills, having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first meeting in every month.)—
Number of successful cases.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon as follows:

The Medical Officer reported there had been two deaths during the past week, and that 93 persons remained under treatment.

The Master reported that the Milk being bad on Friday Saturday & Sunday last, he refused to receive it from the Contractor Messrs Kelly & Ryan and was obliged to purchase 29 Gals of Milk. Ordered that the Extra Cost be charged to the Contractor.

That the whole Meal supplied to the Contractor Mr Concarren being bad he refused to receive it that a second supply was sent in part of which he baked, the Bread produced being inferior he returned the remainder, a third supply was given which he refused to receive it not being equal to the quality contracted for, that in consequence of his being obliged to return the whole Meal he would be compelled to give the entire inmates White Bread for dinner this day. The Master having produced samples of the whole Meal rejected, together with the sample of whole Meal contracted for, the guardians decided that the Meal was inferior in quality to that which Mr Concarren

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

agreed to supply. Mr. Concum the Contractor attended before the Board and explained that the whole meal rejected was as good as the sample, altho, not so fair in colour as the Original sample; and produced a sample of whole meal which he asserted was equal in quality to that which the Master last rejected after a lengthened discussion, the Master was directed to receive Meal of the same quality, a sample of which was initiated by the Chairman, & the Board of it & Report the result at the next Meeting of the Board of Guardians = #

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, or Orders made on them respectively as follows:!

Circular of Clerk Requesting to be furnished with No 28 m/57 } a statement respecting the Rates 2 Feb 1857 } made and any new Rates agreed upon in the Union.

Read a letter from Messrs Guinness & Mahon requesting that the receipts sent to their agents in Sept last might be returned as a demand had been made by Mr. Curran on behalf of Mr. Pinnus, Poor Rate Collector, for Poor Rates, and they were not aware of any arrears being due.

The Clerk stated that the reason why the receipts had not been forwarded to Messrs Guinness & Mahon was, that the subject upon which he reported on the 24 Sept last, viz That parties were returned in arrears who had paid their Rates to E Browne Poor Rate &c (See Minutes of that date) was still unsettled.

The Guardians directed the Clerk to return the receipts to Messrs Guinness & Mahon, and request them to send them back to him when they are done with them =

Read a Notice from Tal Browne Relieving Officer stating that Jas. Hession of Limerick would proceed to execute a recited Civil Bill decree and take possession of the lands of Limerick in Jas. Murphys occupation that said lands are in the parish of Lachagh, Barony of Glace, E Division of Kilmoylan No of Galway -

On an application from the School Master for 1 fro of Steel Pens was ordered for the School.

Mr. John Davis moved his Notice of Motion to the effect that the chargeability of Margt Donohoe and Child be altered from Headford Electoral Division, to Union at Large

On Consideration it was decided that the chargeability should not be altered.

Medical Charities

Letter of Clerk No 2189 } Calling attention to the fact 29 July 57 } that a Notice Board has not been affixed to the Exterior of the Limerick Dispensary Depot and requesting that the Guardians would cause a Notice Board Form O to be supplied for the Dispensary Depot. Referred to the Headford Dispensary Depot.

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on the 11th of Feb, 1857

Signed
John D. Kelly Chairman
John Row Browne Clerk
John J. Kelly Janitor,
J. Brown

J. J. Kellys Clerk Min.

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - - -

Ditto disallowed - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - -

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the
day of 185 .

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68)
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____

UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185 _____

continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET :—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a
Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon
as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to
forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the _____
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were
ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries and as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

Dispensary District
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Recd Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 7 day of February 1857.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,																
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,																
Fever Sheds,																
Total,																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			16	52	30	28	33	29	35	14	24	267	In Workhouse Hospital, 61	In separate Wards, 26		
Admitted during the Week,				3				1				4	In Fever Hospital, 26	In Wards with other Inmates, 26		
TOTAL,			16	55	30	28	33	30	35	14	24	265	Total, 87	Total, 52		
Discharged during the Week,				7		1						8				
Died,						2						2				
Total Discharged and Dead,				7		2	1					10				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			16	48	28	27	33	30	35	14	24	255				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the _____ day of _____ authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
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No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the _____ day of February 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Corn. Kelly*

Other Guardians: *Wm. Gannon, J. J. Browne, J. J. Kelly, J. Higgins, Jas. M. Moran, W. Hooper*

Dr. Provier P.L.S.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

(Signed, _____
Clerk of the Union

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4984 to No. 4987, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. _____ to No. _____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ 258. 4. 1

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ _____

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 741. 16. 5

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions of year to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Dennis Kinnane	Bell Chase	8	13	1/2										
	Beaghmore	6	10	"										
	Clare Town	12	4	1/2										
	Foyhall	17	2	4										
	Melw Brook	3	18	3										
	St. Mary's	2	13	1/2										
	Sullivan's	1	5	1/2										
	Levalley	5	12	1/2										
	Town	48	26	106 2/6										

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 25 s. 2 d. 0

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 24. 6. 4 1/2 ✓

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/8 1/4 ✓

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2/6 3/4 ✓

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - 1/11 1/4 ✓

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1. 0. 21 Oatmeal ✓
- 3. 3. 14 Ind. meal ✓
- 6 Cwt. First Flour ✓
- 5 1/4 Whole meal ✓
- 71 lb of Beef ✓
- 100 Boxes of Turf ✓
- 973 lbs Milk ✓
- 2 1/2 lbs of Sea Salt Sugar ✓
- 1 1/2 lbs of Pepper & White Wine ✓
- 28 lbs Soap. 8 lbs Sipt Candles ✓
- 2 1/2 lbs Mould Candles ✓

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - £ s. d.
 In kind, - - - -
 Total, - - - -

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
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No. VII.					No. XV.				
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No. IX.					No. XVII.				
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Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills, having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first meeting in every month.)—
Number of successful cases.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon as follows:

The Medical Officer reported that there has been two deaths during the past week and that 87 persons remained under treatment - The Medical Officer handed in a list of Medicines required for the Workhouse - The Clerk was directed to forward the list to the Contractor Messrs. Leslie

The Master reported that he had laded the whole meal a sample of which was produced by Mr. Conannon the Contractor - on last Board day that he found the Breaas produced from it to be inferior to that made from the whole meal supplied by him previous to the supply rejected. - Mr. Conannon explained to the Board that his miller has, when preparing the supplies used first Flour and Bran, instead of this Flour and Bran as he was instructed to do, but that the article now supplied was equal in quality to the Best whole meal.

After consideration the Master was directed to attend at the mill and see the whole meal to be supplied to the Workhouse prepared

The Master reported that in consequence of a

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

a deficiency in the supply of milk he was obliged to purchase 13 gallons at 10^d per gallon ✓

Ordered that the extra supplies be charged to the Contractors Messrs. Kelly & Ryan ✓

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, or Orders made on them respectively as follows: ✓

Letter to Clerk No. 39 M/S 57 57 Feb 57 Requesting to be furnished with a statement showing the amt. of exct. Charges included in the expenditure of the Union for the half year ended 29 Sept last. ✓

The clerk stated he had forwarded the return. ✓

Read a letter from Mr. Henshaw of Dublin containing a list of prices of Spades ✓ referred to master

Read a letter Henry Dwyer Esq. M. D. Secretary of the Cowpock Insulation requesting payment of the annual subscription amt. £3. 3. 0. for workhouse and dispensaries - ✓

Referred to Finance Committee ✓

Read a letter from Mr. Braine Relieving Officer stating that he had no applicants for Relief and requesting that the Board would excuse his attendance that day ✓

Miss Gavin the Schoolmistress applied to the Board for a testimonial as to Character and Capabilities as she intended to apply for the situation of Matron to the Longford Union Work House, at present vacant ✓

Resolved that we bear willing testimony to the efficiency with which Miss Gavin has discharged her duties both as Schoolmistress, and Acting Matron during the absence of the Matron, on several occasions. Her character during the lengthened period of her connection with the Union has been most unexceptionable, and we have no doubt she will afford the greatest satisfaction to any Board of Guardians who may employ her. ✓

Signed on behalf of the Board C. J. Kelly Chairman ✓

The Clerk called attention to the fact that the Contractors had not signed their Bonds. The Clerk was directed to write to the Contractors calling on them to sign their Bonds. ✓

Next Meeting of the Board to be held on Wednesday the 15. July 1857

Signed Dennis Purman Chairman
Wm. Thomas Browne Other
J. J. J. as a Guardian Present

J. J. J. Club Union

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - -

Ditto disallowed - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - -

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185 .

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185 .—
continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET :—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a
Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon
as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to
forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the _____
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were
ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries and as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

_____ Dispensary District,
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____

_____ District,	.....	£
_____ District,	.....	£

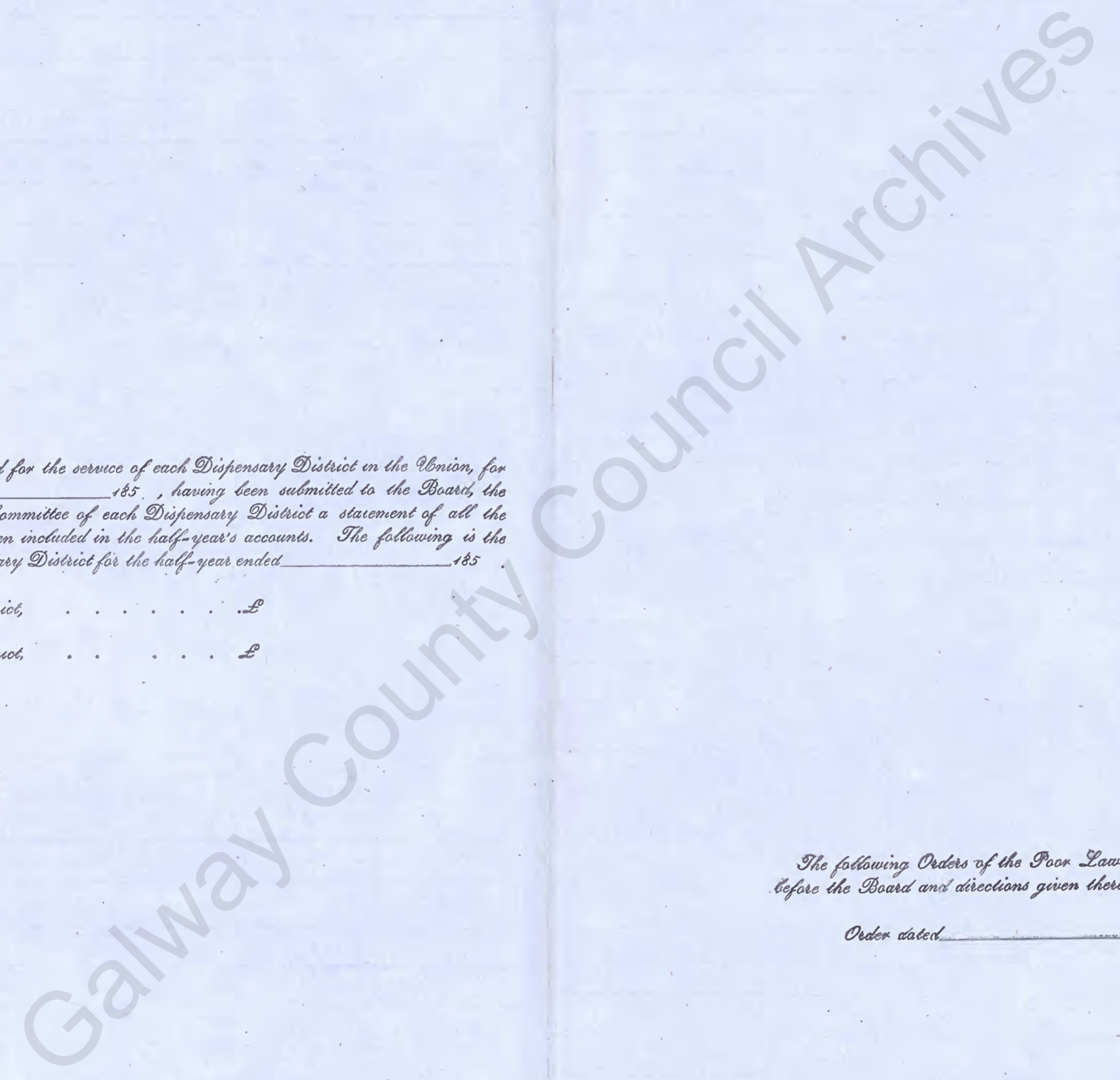
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E. 1 and E. 2) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject.)



The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

Union

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *14* day of *July* 185*7*.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Workhouse,															
Temporary Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital,															
Fever Sheds,															
Total,															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			16	48	28	27	33	30	35	14	24	253	In Workhouse Hospital, 16 In Fever Hospital, 26 Total, 92	In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital, with other Inmates,	
Admitted during the Week,			"	3	"	1	1	"	1	"	2	8			
TOTAL,			16	51	28	28	34	30	36	14	26	261			
Discharged during the Week,			"	1	"	"	"	1	"	"	"	2			
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"			
Total Discharged and Dead,			"	1	"	"	"	1	"	"	"	2			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			16	50	28	28	34	29	36	14	26	261			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the _____ day of _____ authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
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No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Monday* the *18* day of *July* 185*7*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Denis Kinnan*
 Other Guardians: *Charles Blake, J. J. Browne, M. Linnon, J. Rodkin, A. N. Blake, H. Linnon, R. Savage, C. J. Kelly, Jas. M. Kinnan, J. Roche, J. Higgins, R. Rodkin.*

(Signed,)

 Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4988 to No. 4995, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. _____ to No. _____ inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - £

Paid during the week, - - - - - £

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was - £

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>Dennis Keenan</i>	<i>No. Longmeath.</i>												
<i>Das Higgins</i>	<i>Addergool</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>1/4</i>									
	<i>Carnewagh</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>6</i>										
	<i>Clonbeue</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>7</i>										
	<i>Doonbully</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>1/2</i>									
	<i>Summure</i>	<i>48</i>	<i>17</i>										
	<i>Kilpanna</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>										
	<i>Killeen</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>5/4</i>									
	<i>Miltown</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>2/17</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>2</i>							
<i>Peter Geaney</i>	<i>Amadoran</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>8</i>										
	<i>Ballinduff</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>11</i>										
	<i>Donupathic</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>5</i>									
	<i>Headford</i>	<i>39</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>0/4</i>									
	<i>Kilsona</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>2/4</i>									
	<i>Killeany</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>10/2</i>									
	<i>Kilman</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>8/1</i>									
	<i>Kilmore</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>93</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>9</i>						
<i>Das Mortage</i>	<i>Abbey Rush</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>9</i>										
	<i>" West</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>0</i>									
	<i>Ballinapark</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>3</i>									
	<i>Cumner</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>5</i>									
	<i>Kilmoylea</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>3</i>									
	<i>Moynce</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>"</i>									
	<i>Moynce</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>1</i>									
	<i>Rye Hill</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>104</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>11</i>						
								<i>£</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>10</i>

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts layed.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 24 3 s. 9 1/4 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 24 . 1 . 8 -

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/8

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 1/11 3/4

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - 1/11 3/4

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1. 0. 21 Out Meal
- 3. 3. 14 Iron Meal
- 6 Cwt Lush Flour
- 5 3/4 " Whole Meal
- 100 Boxes Lard
- 70 lb Beef
- 987 qrs Milk
- 2 1/4 lb Tea, 12 lb Sugar
- 1 1/4 lb Pepper, 3 Bdz Mice
- 28 lb Soap 7 lb Aipt Candy
- 2 1/2 lb Mince

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	-
In kind,	-	-	-
Total,	-	-	-

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

£	s.	d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first meeting in every month.)—
Number of successful cases.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon as follows:

The Medical Officer reported that there were not any deaths during the past week, and that 92 persons remain under treatment.

The Master reported that the Milk Contractors were again deficient, and that he was obliged to purchase 24 1/4 gals of Milk at 10^{cts} per gal. The Extra Cost was ordered to be charged to the Contractor.

That he attended at Mr Concauney's Mill and received from him a supply of whole meal which has made good bread.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, or Orders made on them respectively as follows:—

Circular to Clerk stating that 200 Copies of the Notice No 43 of 57 of the Election, Form D, for this Union was forwarded. 12 July 57 ✓

Letter to Clerk again calling attention to the Balances in the Collectors hands since Sept last and requesting the guardians would require the immediate payment of the Balances in question = ✓ 13 July 57

Read a Letter from Mr Fore Relieving Officer stating that Notice of the Ejectment of John O'Lea & John O'Grady off the lands of Clare Town had been served on him

Read a Letter from Messrs James & Mathew of Dublin stating that Mr Fife would go to Limerick and endeavor to arrange the Poor Rate etc on Mrs O'Leas property. ✓ The Clerk stated

The Clerk stated that Mr Fife had been with him that morning, and requested him to inform the Board, that he had seen Mr Browne the late Collector, who had agreed to pay the Rate, stated by the Clerk to have been received by him & for which receipts were produced and had offered a Member of the Board as security for the debt.

The Clerk was directed to request the attendance of Mr Browne & Mr R. Rowan the former Collectors, also of Mr Hecis Storrison the present Collector, on Wednesday next for the purpose of having all claims against Browne finally settled ✓

The Clerk submitted a statement of claims to vote, made by E. Blake Esq out of the Union of Trickers Hill Carrowagh Electoral Division, to the Board, ✓

The Finance Committee were requested to meet on Wednesday the 25th Inst -

Next Meeting of the Board to be held on Wednesday the 25th Inst.

Edw. Murphy Secy
J. Roche Chairman
Richard Lloyd & others Present

J. F. Fife Clerk

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - -

Ditto disallowed - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - -

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185 .

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68 }
[No. 27.] }

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185 ____
continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a
Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon
as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to
forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the _____
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were
ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries due as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

_____ Dispensary District,
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185

_____ District,	.....	£
_____ District,	.....	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee].

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Proclaim accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *21* day of *Feb* 185*7*

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number In Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,																
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,																
Fever Sheds,																
Total,																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			16	57	28	28	34	29	36	14	26	211	In Work-house Hospital, In Fever Hospital	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates,		
Admitted during the Week,			3	3	"	"	1	"	"	"	1	8	Total,	Total,		
TOTAL,			19	53	28	28	35	29	36	14	27	219				
Discharged during the Week,			2	5	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	8				
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	5	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	9				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			17	48	27	28	35	29	36	14	26	210				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the _____ day of _____ authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
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No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Wednesday* the _____ day of *February* 185*7*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Charles Blake* & *Denis Kinnane*

Other Guardians:

*J J O'Kelly, E Browne, C J O'Kelly W Gannon
R Savage, T Roche, T Higgins, P H Mansfield
J J Guinness*

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

Empty lines for recording names of parties to marriages.

from No 1 to No 8 Inclusive in New Register

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4996 to No. 5000 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. _____ to No. _____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ 154. 3. 3

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 3. 11. 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 996. 15. 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

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Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
<i>Spreamy</i>	<i>Annadrum</i>			<i>17 8</i>										
	<i>Mudford</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>35</i>											
	<i>Kilcorona</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>14</i>											
	<i>Killcarny</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>18</i>											
	<i>Killower</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>3</i>								

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

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2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 24 . 0 s. 5 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 24 . 10 . 0 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/8

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - 2/10 3/4

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - 1/11 1/2

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1. 0. 21 Out meal
- 3. 3. 0 Iron Meal
- 5. 3. 0 Whole meal
- 6 cwt First Flour
- 42^{lb} Beef
- 95 Boyes Lard
- 1016 9/2 Milk
- 2 1/2^{lb} Tea, 13^{lb} Sugar
- 1 1/4^{lb} Pepper, 4 Boz Wine
- 7^{lb} of the best Candles, 2 1/2^{lb} Moulds
- 28 w soap

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	-
In kind,	-	-	-
Total,	-	-	-

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.	
		£ s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£ s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
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No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Messrs Billy J Kelly Printing	13	14	11
Ray Murray 5.11.6 Llu Jones & Leech	4	1	8
Lepla Drug 15.8.7 Ad Cyper Cropper	3	3	"
Am Darrat 5.11.6 J Lambie Poston	6	19	27
Jno Brennan Baker	4	7	1
Tigger, to pay small claims -	12	9	5

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

3. Warehouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
Kelly Ryan Invoice	32	14	4
do. Supp Bills	3	5	11
			36 0 2
Mat for minor Meat	3	12	6
do do do	3	11	3
			7 3 9
Ed Ryan Supp	10	5	11 1/2
do Supp Bills	2	15	4 1/2
			13 1 4
W. Moran Whole Meats	64	14	2
P. Kelly Indum. Meats	25	12	6
Emerau Sen -	9	15	2
J Kelly & Co. Supp	5	6	0

Debit Warehouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first meeting in every month.)—
Number of successful cases.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon as follows:

The Medical Officer reported that there was one death during the past week, and that 95 persons remained under treatment.

The Master reported that the Milk Contractors were again deficient in their supply of milk during the week, and that he was obliged to purchase Gals at a cost of 10^{cts} per Gal Orderd. That the extra cost be charged to the Contractors.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, or Orders made on them respectively as follows:

Letter to Clerk stating that in a report which the
No 4488/57 } Commissioners have received from W.
21 Feby 57 } Brodie P.H. relative to his recent inspection
of the Work House premises he states that the
Cupolas of the Work House Building admit rain
very freely; and suggesting that the Contractor
should be compelled to fulfill his agreement
without delay.
Consideration deferred until next
Board day -

Read a letter from William Donnelly Esq
Registrar General respecting the Returns
of the Average produce per Acre of the Crops
of 1856 and enquiring when it is probable
he may receive the opinion of the guardians
thereon

Read a letter from the Schoolmistress Miss Gavin
requesting leave of absence for one week, the
Miss + Mrs Brown having undertaken her duties during
her

her absence "Leave granted"

Read a letter from Mr. M Lynch of Dublin
requesting to be furnished with a Tender Form
and list of requirements for Contracts.
Ordered.

A letter was read from Mr. Concanon
requesting payment of his Acct. for Flour &
Meal supplied, referred to Finance Committee

The Clerk having called the attention of the
Board to the Balances in the hands of the
Collectors, was directed to write to them requesting
that the amount might be lodged with the
Treasurer at once

A document containing a record of the
proceedings of deputations from Boards of
Guardians in Ireland relative to measures
for effecting Poor Law Reform was laid
before the Board.

The Clerk reported that he had written to
Messrs. Heron, Roche & Browne the present
and former Collectors for the Division
of Bellclare requesting their attendance
this day

They having appeared before the
Board, and the Guardians having enquired
into the several cases of Arrear at present
due on the Townlands of Boudam
Mullagh & Hollacornig; also into the
several cases of Arrear for which Browne's
receipts were produced

Resolved that having
investigated the arrears due by Pat Lardner in
the Townland of Boudam amtg to £ 0. 10. 6³/₄
John Lyons of Mullagh " " 1 " 8 " 0
& Mrs O'Dea as immediate depu - " 7 " 4 " 2
all in Bellclare & amtg to ————— 9 " 2 " 8³/₄

Ordered That Mr. Edw^d Browne the former Collector be called upon to lodge same to the credit of the Union.

Mr. Browne was also Ordered to lodge the sum of £10.19.9^{1/2} with the Treasurer being the Balance of Monies appearing to be on hand and paid by the Rules of his former Collection, as detailed on the Guardian's Minutes of the 24th Sept. 51

Next Meeting of the Board, to be held on Monday the 11th March 1857

Signed

John Blahm Chairman
Wm James Brown Others
Thomas Brown Guardians
Present

W. J. G. J. Clerk

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - -

Ditto disallowed - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - -

The number of other applicants in the Poor-relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185 .

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 63 }
 [No. 27.] }

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
 UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185 .—
 continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and
 NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____
 Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a
 Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon
 as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____
 Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
 having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to
 forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical
 Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the _____
 Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were
 ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries and as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

_____ Dispensary District,
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____.

_____ District,	. . . . .	£
_____ District,	. . . . .	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee].

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees: namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 28 day of Febry 1857.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,																
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,																
Fever Sheds,																
Total,																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			17	48	27	28	35	29	36	14	26	260	In Workhouse Hospital, 63	In separate Wards, 28		
Admitted during the Week,			8	4	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	12				
TOTAL,			25	52	27	28	35	29	36	14	26	272				
Discharged during the Week,			6	2	"	1	1	1	1	"	1	13				
Died,			"	1	"	1	"	"	"	"	1	3				
Total Discharged and Dead,			6	3	"	2	1	1	1	"	2	16				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			19	49	27	26	34	28	35	14	24	256				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the _____ day of _____ authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.							Et. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Wednesday* the 4 day of *March* 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Charles Blake*

Other Guardians: *J. Brown, Thos Browne, J. Higgins, P. Roche, W. Jannou, Jas. Kerrigan*

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

Empty table with 2 columns for names and details.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4 to No. 15, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. to No., inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - £ - - -

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 34.13.14

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 68.2.3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

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The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>Miss Murray</i>	<i>Bell Chase</i>	12	17	6									
	<i>Beaghmore</i>	1	12	17									
	<i>Clare Town</i>	3	9	11									
	<i>Foywell</i>	4	4	2									
	<i>Killereenie</i>	3	10	9									
	<i>Loyalty</i>	4	18	2 1/4									
	<i>Maude</i>	57	11	5 1/4	85	2	7						
<i>Mr Higgins</i>	<i>Barrowmore</i>	19	11	4 1/2									
	<i>Doonkally</i>	4	17	3 1/2									
	<i>Kilpanure</i>	5	15	2									
	<i>Killree</i>	1	1	3									
	<i>Mulhown</i>	4	4	4 3/4	35	2	5						
		£			123			5			0		

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

- 1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
- 2. The Provision Check Accounts.
- 3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 24 . 7 s. 9 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 24 . 3 . 2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/8

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - 2/0 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - 1/11 1/2

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1 cwt + 14 lb Oatmeal
- 3 " 2 " 14 Indian Meal
- 5 " 3 " Whole Meal
- 1/2 " First Flour
- 7 3 lb Beef
- 9 5 Boyer Lard
- 1003 qts Milk
- 2 1/2 Tea, 13 w Sugar
- 1 1/4 w Pepper, 5 Rob Wine
- 4 20 Soap, 10 w dip Candles
- 20 Moulds.

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature:

- 1. The several Clothing Accounts.
- 2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - £ s. d.

In kind, - - - -

Total, -

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first meeting in every month.)—
Number of successful cases.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon as follows:

The Medical Officer reported that there had been three deaths during the past week, and that 91 persons remained under treatment.

The Master reported that the ladies of the Convent of Mercy who generally attend the Female School had informed him that owing to the number of children being so much reduced they considered that two hours a day was sufficient for instruction instead of four hours as heretofore—



The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

Circular to Clerk Requesting a statement of any Rates No 55. m/57 } made, and any New Rates agreed upon 2nd March 57 } in the Union during the month of Feby = ✓

Circular to Keyg Officer Transmitting a Form in which the account of the Election 28 Feby 57 } which the account of the Election } Expenses are to be made out -

Read a letter from Walter Bushe Esq. of Ballinacree requesting the Board to name a day, on which he would attend, to enter on the subject of the arrears due on the House occupied by Mrs Higgins Esq. of Tralee = ✓

The Clerk reported that Contracts for supplying the Work House with Provisions Medicines &c. Establishment Matters Medicines expired on the 25 Inst. ✓

The Clerk was directed to invite

invite tenders for supplying for three months Provisions & Medicines. ✓
for six months with Clothing Establishment Matters & Stationery & for twelve months ✓
with Medicines = to be considered on the 18th Inst. ✓
Next meeting of the Board to be held on Monday the 18th March 1857 ✓

John Blake } Signed Chairman
John Thomas }
Richard Parry }
Other }
guardians Present

J. Feij's Clerk

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - - - -

Ditto disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - - -

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185 .

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68 }
[No. 27.] }

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185 .—
continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET :—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a
Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon
as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to
forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the _____
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were
ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries due as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

_____ Dispensary District,
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]
An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____.

_____ District	.....	£
_____ District	.....	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee].
The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others; were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

UNION.

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 7 day of March 1857

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,																
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,																
Fever Sheds,																
Total,																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			19	49	27	26	34	28	35	14	24	256	In Workhouse Hospital, 65	In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital with other inmates, 28		
Admitted during the Week,			2	4	"	2	1	1	"	"	"	10				
TOTAL,			21	53	27	28	35	29	35	14	24	266				
Discharged during the Week,			6	"	"	"	1	1	"	"	"	8				
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	1	"	"	"	1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			6	"	"	"	1	2	"	"	"	9				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			15	53	27	28	34	27	35	14	24	257				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the _____ day of _____ authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.							Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 11th day of March 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, *C. Blake, Denis Kirwan Esq. toone,*
 Other Guardians: *R. Savage, J. F. Browne, M. Gannon, A. Haire, Jas. M. Kirwan, J. Ward, P. Hanly, C. K. Blake, Stephen Roche, J. Higgins, R. Bodkin, D. B. Leonard.*

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

Blank lines for recording names and details of marriages.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. _____ to No. 16, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Poor Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 175 to No. _____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - £

Paid during the week, - - - - £

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was - £

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Jas Martyn	St. Key East	11	7	3/4									
	" West	29	10	"									
	Ballyvaughan	11	4	1/2									
	Ballyvaughan	14	6	11									
	Clayton	35	10	9									
	Clayton	21	9	5									
	Harbour	29	7	1/2									
	Harbour	7	4	1/2									
	River Hill	1	2	9 3/4	145	7	11						

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 24 s. 3 d. 872

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 24. 5. 2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/8

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - 2/6 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - 2/-

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

1. 1. 14 Oatmeal
3. 2. 14. Indiv. Meal
5. 3. 0 Whole Meal
6. . . . First Flour
7. 6. 0 Beet
9. 6. Boxes of Duff
9. 5. 7 lbs Milk
- 2 1/2 Tons 13 lbs Sugar
- 14 lbs Pepper - 5 Bottles Wine
- 28 lbs Soap 1 No Soda
- 6 lbs Scent Candles and
- 2 " of mould

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - £ s. d.

In kind, - - - -

Total, - - - -

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first meeting in every month.)—
Number of successful cases.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon as follows:

The Medical officer reported that there has been one death during the week and that 93 persons remained under treatment ✓

The Master reports that the Milk Contractors were again deficient and that he has to purchase 30 gals. at 1/- per gallon ✓

That the Schoolmistress has not yet returned and that he has received a letter from her mother stating she was ill and requesting a few days leave additional ✓

Resolved that Miss Gavin be allowed a weeks additional leave of absence ✓

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

Circular to clerks No 60 m/57 7 March 57 Requesting to be furnished with a Return of the number of persons admitted into the Workhouse during the year 29 Sept 56 distinguishing the number of sick at the time of their admission

Circular to Clerks R.O. No. 5672/57 7 March 57 Relative to the right of Immediate Lessors to vote at Elections of Guardians Under the provisions of the 104 Sec of Vic. Cap. 92 and containing Cases and opinions on the

Letter to Clerks R.O. No 6087/57 10 March 57 Stating in reply to the Clerks letter of the 9th Inst. the Commissioners will not object to the employment of assistance in the preparation of the lists of Voters for Polong as is absolutely necessary

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, or Orders made on them respectively, as follows: 1

Letter to Clerk No 5863 10 March 57 Relative to the report on the 23rd Inst to the effect that 2 1/2 hours a day instead of four is proposed to be assigned to the instruction of the Female children in the Workhouse and calling attention to 23 Clause of the general W.H. Regulations

Ordered that the P.L.C. be informed that the Schoolmistress is to teach the Female children in the W.H. school when the Ladies of the Convent of Mercy leave

The Finance Committee were requested to meet on the 25th Inst.

Letter was read from Mr Tierney of Dunmore relative to his ap the clerk was directed to write to him respecting his attendance on the 25th Inst.

Resolved that the business which were to be considered on the 18th Inst. be postponed to the 25th Inst. in consequence of the assizes at Galway

The clerk reports that he requires a Ream of note paper 1 Sealing wax 1 Finance Book

Ordered

Chas Blake J. Ignace Chairman of the Guardians James Moran

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - -

Ditto disallowed - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - -

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185 .

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68;
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185 .—
continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a
Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon
as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to
forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the _____
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were
ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries and as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

_____ Dispensary District,
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____.

_____ District	.....	£
_____ District	.....	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee].

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

Union UNION.

Population in 1851, 57194

Present Net Annual Value, £35076

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14 day of *March* 1857.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,																
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,																
Fever Sheds,																
Total,																
Remainng on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			15	53	27	28	34	27	35	14	24	267	In Workhouse Hospital, 73	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, 26		
Admitted during the Week,			8	8	"	2	"	3	1	"	5	27				
TOTAL,			23	61	27	30	34	30	36	14	29	284	Total, 99	Total,		
Discharged during the Week,			5	8	1	1	1	2	2	"	2	22				
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			5	8	1	1	1	2	2	"	3	23				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			18	53	26	29	33	28	34	14	26	261				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of _____ authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.							Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Wednesday* the 18 day of *March* 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Charles Blake*

Other Guardians:

James Murray, Thos Browne R. Luong

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 26 to No. 52, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. _____ to No. _____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ _____

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ _____

And that the Balance on the Account *in favour* the Guardians was - £ 824, 15. 10

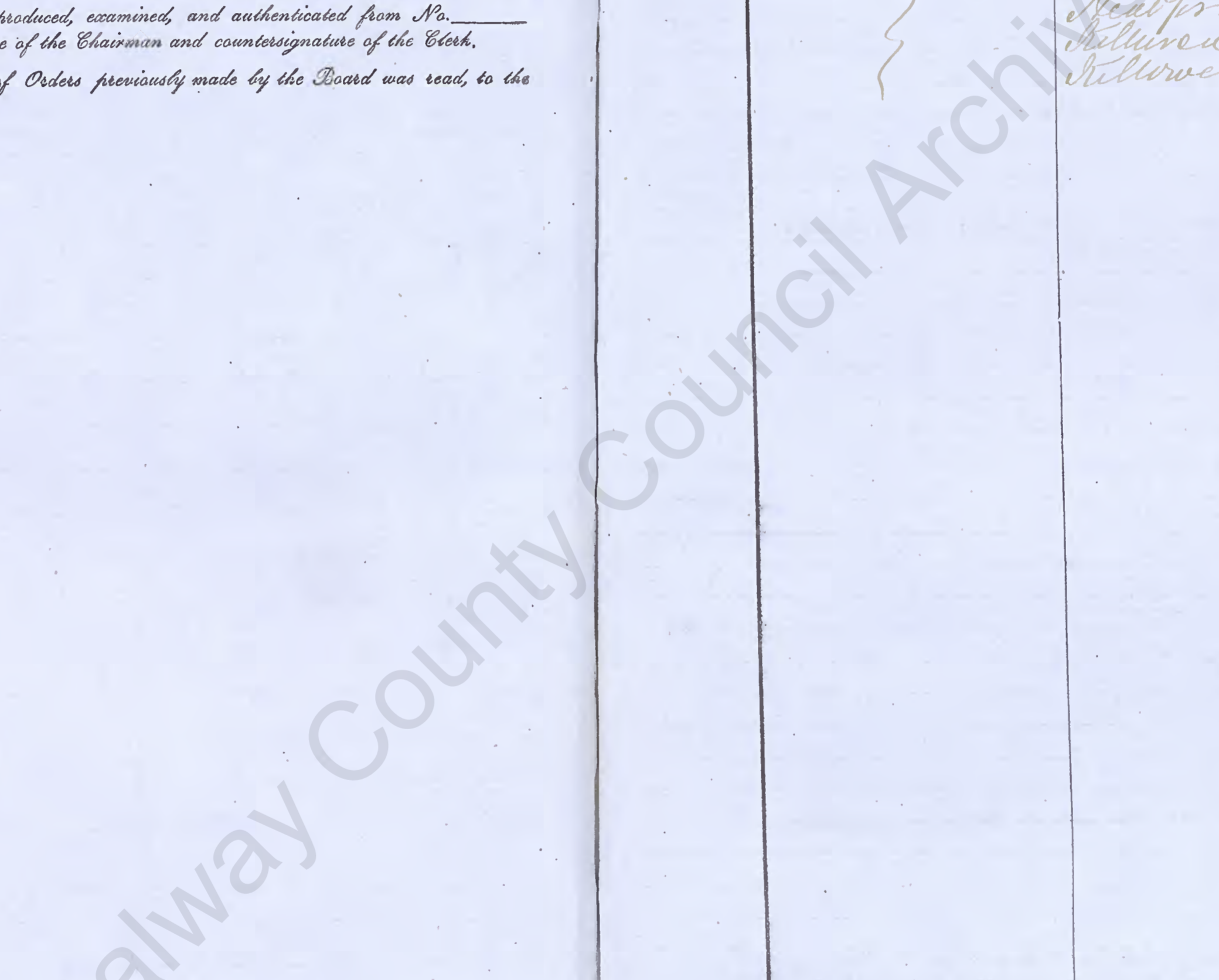
The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>Greany</i>	<i>Annadrum</i>		8	5	4								
	<i>Rathduff</i>	1	14	11									
	<i>Dunpatric</i>	14	7	4									
	<i>Keelyst</i>	13	2	8									
	<i>Kellura</i>	3	8	3									
	<i>Killower</i>	12	7	2	45	10	0						
					45	10	0						

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.



The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 24. 7 s. 9 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 24. 17. 5 ✓

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/8

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2/0 3/4

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - 2/-

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1. 0. 21 Oatmeal
- 3. 2. 14 Indian Meal
- 5. 3. 0 Whole Meal
- 6. 1. 0 First Flour.
- 45 lb Beef
- 90 Boxes Turf
- 10 45 Quarts Milk
- 2 1/2 lb Tea, 13 lb Sugar
- 1 1/4 lb Pepper, 1 Bottle Wine
- 5 lb Cloths, 210 Mould Candles ✓

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - £ s. d.

In kind, - - - - -

Total - - - -

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first meeting in every month.)—
Number of successful cases.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon as follows:

The Medical Officer reported that there had been one death during the week and that 99 persons remained under treatment.

The Master reported that during the storm of Saturday last a quantity of Slates Tiles &c had been blown off the Workhouse, and Floor Hospital, that part of the Roof of the Shed was taken off, and the gate of the manure yard broken also that the Shed covering the force pump was entirely knocked down.

That the Milk Contractors were again deficient and that he had to purchase 26 Gals at 1/- per Gal.

That the School mistress had returned one quarter-day.

Ordered That the Master get the Workhouse &c examined by a competent person & report next Board day.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, or Orders made on them respectively as follows:—

Letter to Clerk No 5825/57 } 14 Mar 57 } Stating that the Poor Law Commissioners had been informed by the Medical Officer of the Inam Dispensary District, that no increase had taken place in the amount of Vaccination performed at the Dispensary during the Quarter ended the 31st Decr last, owing to the preference given by the people to inoculation with Variolous Matter practised by "Itinerant Quacks," and the Commissioners request the guardians will use every means in their power with a view to the detection and punishment of the persons pursuing this illegal & injurious practice ✓

Letter to Clerk No 65 A 57 } 16 March 57 } Requesting to be furnished without delay with the Return of the number of persons admitted into the Workhouse during the Year ended 29 Sept 56, distinguishing the number of sick at the time of their admission ✓

Read a Letter from Val Provoe Relieving Officer stating that he had been served with notice of the Ejectment in the Case of Pebles, Hall Carroll & other, against Thomas Graham of Carronevagh, and that the Receiver John Hampson of Galway would proceed to take possession of said lands - ✓

The Master reported that the Clerk had been served with a summons, in the Case of the Lord Bishop of Tuam agst Parrenty & other, and that he was obliged to attend at the Assizes in Galway ✓

Next Meeting of the Board to be held on Wednesday the 25th March 1857

John Blah } Signed
Arthur D. M. Blah } Chairman
Richard Savage } Others Present

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - -

Ditto disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - -

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185 .

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68 }
[No. 27.] }

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185 .—
continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a
Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon
as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to
forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the _____
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were
ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

_____ Dispensary District
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

_____ District,	£
_____ District,	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee].

The Board elected the following Poate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Poeturn accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject?)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

Union UNION.

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *21* day of *March* 185*7*.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,																
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,																
Fever Sheds,																
Total,																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			18	53	26	29	33	28	34	14	26	261	In Work-house Hospital, 66	In separate Wards, 26		
Admitted during the Week,			4	5	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	11	In Fever Hospital, 26	In Wards with other inmates, 26		
TOTAL,			22	58	28	29	33	28	34	14	26	272	Total, 92	Total, 52		
Discharged during the Week,			2	7	"	"	3	2	2	"	"	16				
Died,			"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	2				
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	7	1	"	3	2	2	"	"	18				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			20	51	27	29	30	26	32	14	25	253				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the _____ day of _____ authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.							Bt. forward						
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No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Wednesday* the *25* day of *March* 185*7*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Charles Blake*

Other Guardians:

Mr Gammon, Mr Blake, Rich Savage, Robt Roddick, J. Browne, C. J. Kelly, P. W. Mansart, J. J. Gunning.

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 53 to No. 63, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. _____ to No. _____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

That he was engaged with the Auditor on the 13 & 14 Inst

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ - - - -

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ - - - -

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 824.15.10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

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The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Denis Kirwan	Bell Lane	12	17	4									
	Clare Juan	4	6	10									
	Spinkall	2	5	4									
	Millsbrook	2	17	6									
	Millsview		18	6									
	Levally Quinn	1	17	3	18	14	2	99	0	1			
Jas Higgins	Doonbally	14	15	9									
	Quinnmore	24	3	6	38	18	3						
J Freaney	Amadorin	1	14	7									
	Balsanduff		6	7									
	Donpatrick	8	10	4									
	Measford		14	5									
	Mulleauy	3	6	10									
	Mulleauy Mullower	2	2	7	1	3	4	17	10	0			
					£ 155 8 4								

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

- 1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
- 2. The Provision Check Accounts.
- 3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 24. 12 s. 0 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 24. 8. 5 1/2 ✓

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/8

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - 2/14

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - 2/11

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1. 0. 14 Oatmeal
- 3. 2. 0 Indian Meal
- 5. 2. 0 Whole Meal
- 6. 1. 0 First Flour
- 1/6 lb Beef
- 90 Boxes Lard
- 10 35 Quarts Milk
- 2 1/2 lb Tea, 13 lb Sugar
- 1 1/4 lb Pepper, 6 Bots Wine
- 35 lb Soap, 2 Moulds
- 5 lb Clips Gaudes ✓

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

- 1. The several Clothing Accounts.
- 2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	-
In kind,	-	-	-
Total,	-	-	-

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills, having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first meeting in every month.)—
Number of successful cases.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

On the recommendation of the Committee
Tender was invited for erecting a Shed over
the Pump in the Women's Yard, Tender to be
considered next Board day.

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon as follows:

The Medical Officer reported that there had been no deaths during the week, and that 9 persons remained under treatment. That he was unable to attend the Workhouse since the 23rd Inst being confined to his Bed from illness and that Dr. Hanagan had attended to the duties for him, and would continue to do so until he was well.

The Master reported that he had to purchase 27 Gals of Milk at 4 per gal. The Contractor being deficient.

That the repairs necessary in consequence of the late storm would cost about seven Pounds. Ordered that Tender, be invited to be considered next Board day.

That on Thursday last the Matron heard that her sister was at the point of death, and that having obtained the leave of three Guardians, was absent herself from her duties, she left on Friday and returned on Tuesday & that Miss Gavin the School mistress had acted in her stead.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, or Orders made on them respectively as follows:—

Letter to Chairman Calling attention to the fact that one No 6680 } of the sureties of the Clerk of the Union
21 March 54 } was dead, and pointing out that by the 39 Article of the General Regulations the Clerk (as well as other Officers named in the Regulation), shall be required to supply a fresh surety in place of any surety who may die

The Clerk stated he would get another surety and submit his name for approval.

Circular to Clerk Transmitting a Copy of the No 71 of 57 } Commissions Circular of the 22 Mar 54
23 Mar 54 } relating to the appointment of Qualified Rate Payers to complete the Commissions of Management of Dispensary Districts &c

Circular to Clerk Calling the attention of the No 6670/57 } Clerk to his duties under 16 & 17 Vic
23 March 54 } Cap 94, with regard to the preparation of True Copies of the Cash Rates made by the Guardians, and which may be in operation on

the 5 of April next, for the purposes of the Income Tax Act.

Read a Letter from Miss Bell Matron of the Fever Hospital on the 17th Avenue regarding tendering her resignation of that Office.

Resolved that same be accepted. It was determined not to take any steps with regard to a New appointment, until Dr Turner was able to attend the Board.

The Board next proceeded to consider the Tenders for supplying Provisions & Necessaries, Clothing, Establishment Matters &c.

The Tenders for supplying 1st Flour, whole Meal & Indian Meal were rejected. The Guardians considering the prices asked excessive. The Clerk was directed to invite fresh proposals. Tenders to be considered on the 1st April

Resolved That the Tender of Mrs Alicia Blake to supply for three Months, Best Quality Cat Meat, at £11.17.6 per Ton. Carriage free be accepted.

Resolved That the Tender of Matt^o Connor of Linn to supply Best Beef, that to the Hospital to be free from Bone, at 5² per lb for three Months Carriage free be accepted

Resolved That the Tender of Messrs Elmore & Son to supply for three Months Carriage free

Best Black Tea at 3/3. Best Soft Sugar at 6 pence
Best Whole Blk Pepper at 1/2 Best Port Wine at 28/-
Best White Lead at 34/- Cwt. Yellow Ochre at 3⁴/₄
" Brown Ochre at 3⁴/₄. Lamp Black at 5⁴/₄
" Rape Oil at 4/6 Gal. Prepared Oil at 4/6 Gal
be accepted.

Resolved that the Tender of Martin St O'Leary to supply Best Quality White Soap at 33/- Cwt Carriage free for three Months be accepted

Resolved that the Tender of Joseph Kilgallon to supply for three Months Carriage free
Dipt Candles at 4^c per lb
Mould do " 8^c per lb
Wax Candles " 2/- to be accepted

Resolved that the Tender of Bedelia Byrne to supply for twelve Months Carriage free the following viz

- Best Soft Cap Paper at 4/- a Ream
- " Note Paper at 4/- "
- " Envelopes at 10^c per 100
- Black Lead Pencils at 1/6 per doz
- Steel Pens at 1/4 for
- Salting Wax at 3/- lb
- Sweeping Brushes at 2/6 Ea
- White Wash do at 1/6 Ea. Iron Spoons at 1/4 for

be accepted.

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Do. do. disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

Resolved that the Tender of Michael Tuohy to supply for twelve Months, Carriage free

- Steeze as per Sample No 3. at 2/- per lb
- Hammell " No 6 " 1/- "
- Imery Druzyet No 7 " 1 1/2 "
- Grey Galico No 10 " 4^c "
- Adronny No 21 " 1/- "
- Barragon No 22 " 8 1/2 "
- Shredding No 24 " 1 7/8 "
- Jape No 26 " 1/2 doz pieces
- Bone Fines per great pop " 4/6
- Thread at 1/4 per lb to be accepted

Resolved that the Tender of Mr Fox Kelly of Tuam to supply for 26 Sept next

- Bengal Stripes at 5 1/2^c per yard
- Black Calico at 4^c per yard
- Printed Calico at 4^c per yard
- Carriage free be accepted.

Resolved that the Tender of John Mapon of Tuam to supply for one year

- Tin Plates at 8^c each
- Tin Pails at 4^c each
- be accepted.

Resolved that the Tender of John Burke of Tuam to repair the Locks Stringer Keys &c together with the Shoeing of the Mules for the sum of Four Pounds per Annum be accepted.

Resolved that the Tender of Charles Leslie of Dublin to supply for twelve Months Carriage free, or any other best whatever the Work House & several Dispensaries of the Union with Medicines & Surgical Instruments and other Requisites of the best Quality be accepted

The following Report of the Finance Committee
was read

In the Chair Robt Bodkin

Others Present: C. J. Kelly, J. J. Browne, J. H. Blake

Your Committee have examined the Accts of
the Quarter ending 25 March Inst. and
recommended the payment of all the liabilities
of the Union to the date with the exception
of £150. still owing to Messrs. Leake. These
with the salaries of Officers amount to £195
which leaves a Balance in favour of Treasurer
of £278

Signed Robt Bodkin
Chairman

The Report having been adopted the
Club was directed to draw the cheques

Edw. Mahon Signed
Chairman
Wm. J. Blake Other
Thomas Brown Guardians Present

St. Ignace's Club Union

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185 .

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68 }
[No. 27.] }

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____

UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185 _____

continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a
Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon
as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to
forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the _____
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were
ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries and as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

Dispensary District
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____

District £
District £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee].

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

Population in 1851, 51194

Present Net Annual Value, £58076

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 28 day of March 1857

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,															
Temporary Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital,															
Fever Sheds,															
Total,															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			20	51	27	29	30	26	32	14	25	254	In Workhouse Hospital, 61	In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital, 22	
Admitted during the Week,			5	5	"	1	"	"	1	3	1	16			
TOTAL,			25	56	27	30	30	26	33	17	26	270	Total, 83	Total,	
Discharged during the Week,			9	6	"	"	"	2	1	3	4	25			
Died,			1	1	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	4			
Total Discharged and Dead,			10	7	1	1	"	2	1	3	4	29			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			15	49	26	29	30	24	32	14	22	241			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of _____ authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.							Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 1 day of April 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, Charles Blake

Other Guardians:

J. Higgins, Tom Browne, H. Browne, Rich Kelly, Mrs Gannon, Roche, A. Blake, Jas. Kerran, Francis Wade, Jas. McKerran, D. Leonard, R. Botteill, Mrs Rowlandson, J. O'Kelly, W. Griffiths, Robt. Henry

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 14 to No. 79, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. to No. inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

Prior to the taking of the Chair the Clerk laid the Copy of the Return of Guardians, for the year ending 25 March 1858 before the Board.

The list having been read

It was Proposed By Stephen Roche
Seconded By Mr Gannon
That Denis Kirwan Esq. Our late Chairman be requested to act, as Chairman of this Board of Guardians during the ensuing year.

Passed Unanimously

Proposed By Thos Higgins
Seconded By C. J. O'Kelly
That Charles Blake Esq. Our late Vice Chairman be Vice Chairman during the ensuing year

Passed Unanimously

Proposed By Edw Browne
Seconded By A. N. Blake
That Thos Browne Esq. be Deputy Vice Chairman during the ensuing year

Passed Unanimously

The Chair was taken by

Charles Blake Esq

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - £

Paid during the week, - - - - £

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was - £

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 21. 5 s. 3 1/2 d.

Mar 28 - 3. 0. 2

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. *Mar 26. 13. 16. 1/2 ✓*
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - *28. 10. 7. 11 1/2 ✓*
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - *1/8 5/8*
 Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - *2/3*
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - *2/3 1/2*

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1. 0. 7. Oat Meal
- 1 Ton Indian Meal
- 1 Ton Whole Meal
- 1 Ton Best Flour
- 4 1/2 Beef
- 85 Boys Turf
- 58 20/15 Milk + 439 9/15 Milk
- 2. 20 Tea, 11 Sugar
- 1 1/4 Pepper, 6 Bobs Wine
- 35 10 Soap 4 10 Aft Candles
- + 1 10 Mould Candles ✓

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	-	£	s.	d.
In kind,	-	-	-	-			
Total							

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, or Orders made on them respectively as follows:

Letter to Chairman calling attention to the Comps
 No 6051 } Circular of the 21 Oct last, relative
 27 Mar 51 } to the making all Cheques drawn
 by the Board of Guardians payable to Order
 and stating that they had been informed
 by the Auditor Mr Martin that the
 Guardians of the Inam Union had only
 followed this suggestion so far, only, as
 relates to Cheques payable to parties
 residing at a distance from the Work House
 and again suggesting that the plan
 adopted by the Board of Guardians
 with reference to one class of Cheques
 should be extended to all, inasmuch
 as it affords a complete security that the
 Cheques shall be applied to the specific
 purpose for which they were intended
 Referred to Finance Committee

Letter to Clerk Requesting that the Abstracts
 No 7840 } of the Accts to the 29 Sept last
 30 Mar 57 } might be forwarded
 The Clerk presented the Abstracts of Accts to
 the 29 Sept last for signature, which were
 signed

Read a Letter from Denis Korman Esq Poor Rate
 Collector, requesting that the Clerk might be
 directed to attend at Galway with the Rate
 & Collecting Books of the Bill Clause Division
 since 1857, to give evidence in the case of
 the Guardians against E. P. Lynch Esq for
 the recovery of Rate & Arrears due by him as
 Immediate Lessor
 The Clerk was directed to
 attend.

Read a Circular from Es Hyde Esq General
 Superintendent Income Tax Office relative
 to the preparation of Copies of the Current Rate
 Books

The Guardians having considered Proposals
 for supplying the Work House with
 Best Quality First Flour
 " " whole Meal
 " " Broken Meal (Yellow)

Resolved that the tender of Mr Jas Martin of
 Galway to supply for three months, Carriage
 free Best First Flour at £ 18.10.0 per Ton
 be accepted -

Resolved that the tender of Messrs Bush & Palmer
 of Galway to supply for three months, Carriage
 free Best Yellow Broken Meal at £ 9.14.0
 per Ton be accepted.

Resolved that the Tender of Edm Concaunon of Tunn to supply for three Months Cornish Free Best White Meal at £ 14.4.0 per Ton be accepted.

The Clerk reported that he had not received any tenders for the repairs of the Workhouse premises, also that the contracts for turf was about to expire.

The Clerk was directed to invite fresh Proposals, tenders to be considered next Board day -

The Board of Guardians next proceeded to the formation of committees for receiving applications for Relief under the 6 Sec 100 Act Cap 31

Resolved that the following Guardians be Committee for receiving Applications for Relief at Dromon J. J. Borkin, W. D. Griffiths, W. J. J. J. C. N. Blake Rich Kelly - Charles Blake, & M. M. H. H. H.

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Delts disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

At Headford - Ed Hunt, Lt Lynch, D. Kirran, Thos O'Hallerty, D. J. Gummy, R. Sheridan, Robt Botterill Tobias Luffay

At Moina - Stephen Roche, Robt French Jas Kenny David Rutledge Robt Bodkin, M. Browne Peter Blake & Francis Wade,

Proposed By Ed Browne Seconded By Jas Kirran

Resolved that the Finance Committee consist of the same members as last year viz

Chairman Robt Bodkin.

Other Members, J. Roche, J. J. Browne, Jas Kirran, C. J. Kelly, Robt Kenny, Thos Higgins Denis Kirran, Charles Blake, Thos Browne and that three members form a Quorum

Resolved that the Visiting Committee do consist of the following Guardians, for one month viz AN Binke Rich Kelly & William Gamm Esq

Resolved that the Collectors Accounts Committee do consist of the entire Board

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on the 8th April 1857

Chas Blake signed Chairman W. Gamm other Present

J. Higgins. Clerk Miron

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185 .

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68,
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____

UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185 _____

continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET :—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a
Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon
as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to
forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the _____
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were
ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries due as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

_____ Dispensary District,
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____

_____ District,	. . . . .	£
_____ District,	. . . . .	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee].

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 4 day of April 1857

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,																
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,																
Fever Sheds,																
Total,																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			15	49	26	29	30	24	32	14	22	241	In Work-house Hospital, In Fever Hospital	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates,		
Admitted during the Week,			3	4	"	2	1	1	"	"	2	13				
Total,			18	53	26	31	31	25	32	14	24	254	Total,	Total,		
Discharged during the Week,			3	6	"	"	2	"	1	"	1	13				
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	6	"	"	2	"	1	"	2	14				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			15	47	26	31	29	25	31	14	22	240				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the _____ day of _____ authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.							Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 8 day of April 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, Deuis Kirwan

Other Guardians: C. Blake

R. Kelly, W. Fairman, J. Wade, A. M. Blake
C. A. Blake, J. F. Browne, R. Bodkin, R. A. Kirwan

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 80 to No. 92, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. _____ to No. _____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - £ - - - -

Paid during the week, - - - - £ 153. 15. 2

And that the Balance on the Account In favor of the Guardians was - £ 349. 10. 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £55 11 s. 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 23.12.9 1/4 ✓

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/9 ✓

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2 1/4 ✓

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - 2 1/4 ✓

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1 Cwt Oatmeal ✓
- 76 lb Beef ✓
- 85 Boxes Soap ✓
- 982 Lbs Milk ✓
- 20 Lbs Tea 11 Sugars ✓
- 10 Pepper 7 Bk Milk ✓
- 40 Lbs 1st Mould ✓
- 1 Bot Muc Suppl Medial ✓
- 185 lb Beef for 7 Mas Dinner ✓
- 350 Lbs ✓

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of : whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - £ s. d.
 In kind, - - - -
 Total, - - - -

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, or Orders made on them respectively as follows:—

Circular to Clerk Requesting to be furnished with a statement of any Rates made or agreed to in the Union during the month of March -

Read a letter from Mr Val Brown Relieving Officer stating that notice of the Ejection of Martin Rooney from off the lands of Ummam more by Robert Henry Esq of Tobermore had been served on him.

Read a letter from Rich Kelly Esq of Tuam stating that as he was returned guardian for the Electoral Divisions of Ummam and Kilskenney, he would resign the representation of the latter division =

The Clerk reported that he attended at the Quarter sessions held at Galway on Thursday last with the Rate of collecting Books of Bell Class Division and that a decree in full for Rate & Arrears was obtained subject to the award of the

Chairman of the Board.

Proposed By Charles Blake
Seconded By J Watt
Resolved That the Pauper, inmates, do get a Meat Dinner on Easter Sunday
Passed Unanimously

The Guardians having considered the only two Tenders received for supplying the Work House with Turf

Resolved that the Turf be taken for Twelve Months.

Resolved that the Tender of John Luke Ryan of Clonacraugh to supply Turf of the Best Quality at 5^d per Impl. But for Twelve Months be accepted.

Resolved that the proposal of Michl Staque to supply Lime at 11 per Barrel for three months lamp free be accepted.

Resolved that the proposal of Mr Stane of Tuam to erect a shed over the Pump in the Women's yard according to Tender for the sum of Three Pounds Ten Shillings be accepted -

Resolved that the Proposal of Patrick Manning of Tuam to keep the Stairing and Tilting of the Work House in repair & free from leakage during all Materials for Twelve Months from 25 Mar last to 25 March 1858 for the sum of Ten Pounds be accepted.

Resolved that the Proposal of John Daly of Tuam to purchase the Measure which may accumulate in the Lep Roll to the 25 Mar 58 for

for a sum of Six Pounds be accepted ✓

4 Relieving Officers Receipts by person
Books 1 Box Street News + 2nd Cheques
Books payable to order, were ordered ✓

Next Meeting to be held on Wednesday
the 18 April 1857

Signed

Oliver Hillier - Chairman
→ Mr Francis Brown & Other
Chas Blake Secy

J. Higgins
Clerk

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - -

Ditto disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - -

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185 .

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Inam
UNION, on Wednesday day, the 8 day of April 1857.—
continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Abbey
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a
Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon
as follows:*

*To be forwarded to Messrs Leslie of
Dublin.*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to
forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were
ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

Dispensary District
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

District, £
District, £

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee]. The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ of _____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of
Lewis James Carragh creek
Wm Mollon of Carragh
Thos Bodmin " Killeen
Edw Blake " Kilkenny
M J Lynch " Rockwell
Dunmore District
John Bermingham Mill Brook
Mat Jennings Straw Berry Hill
John Dunn of Sunnyside
Miche Bermingham Dalquin
Headford District
C J Grainger Caher Murrig
Capt Carter Moyne Hill
Jermiah Petty Headford
John McKelley Mop Fort
McRoche Carraghmore
Wm Burke Owen
Awd Stace Headford
Pat Hucker Headford

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject)
Abbey District
Douch Lully Mt Lully
Walter Blake Carragh
John Coy Caher Murrig
John Sheehy Abbey

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

Population in 1851,

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 11 day of April 1857.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,															
Temporary Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital,															
Fever Sheds,															
Total,															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			15	47	26	31	29	25	31	14	22	240	In Workhouse Hospital } 64 In Fever Hospital } 20	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, }	
Admitted during the Week,			3	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	5	Total,	Total,	
TOTAL,			18	48	27	31	29	25	31	14	22	245			
Discharged during the Week,															
Died,			2	3											
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	3											
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			16	45	27	31	29	25	31	14	21	239			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the _____ day of _____ authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.							Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on _____ the 15 day of April 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, *D. Kirwan*

Other Guardians: *J. F. Browne. J. Higgins. J. Blake
W. Gannon R. Healy R. Bodkin & Healy
Ch. Blake*

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 93 to No. 97, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. _____ to No. _____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £

Paid during the week, - - - - - £

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was - £

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 15 s. 4 d. (12

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 23.16.0 1/4 ✓

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/9

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2/3 1/4

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - 2/1 1/4

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1 Cut Oatmeal
- 2.. First Flour
- 7 1/2 lb BEEF
- 85 Pounds Lard
- 992 lbs Milk
- 2 lb, 2 oz Tea & 1 lb Sugar
- 1 lb pepper & 1 lb Vine
- 35.. Soap
- 4.. Dipt Candles 1st moved
- 7.. Hops 1 Cut

120.. Salt

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

				£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	-	-	-	-
In kind,	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total,	-	-	-	-	-	-

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

Circular to clerks No. 94 of 57
11 Apr. 1857
Requesting to be furnished with a Return of the number of persons assisted to emigrate by the Board of Guardians during the year ended 31st March 1857

Proposed by R. Bodkin
Seconded by G. Blake
Resolved that R. Kelly esp. be appointed a member of the Duam Committee

The clerk was directed to write to the collectors informing them that the four months allowed for the collection of the Rates have expired and that the Guardians expect they will close their collection at an early date - also to request their attendance with their collecting books

The clerk was directed to write to Mr. Burke of Dedmore Broomfield and request his attendance on Wednesday next relating to the arrears due on premises in Duam for which he is the Agent.

Next Meeting of the Board to be held on Wednesday the 22nd Inst

Edw Blake } signed
Wm Mason } Chairman
Rich Kelly } Other
 } Guardians
 } Present
J. Higgins } Clerk of Union

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - -

Ditto disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - -

The number of other applicants in the Poor-relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185 .

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68,
[No. 27.]

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185 _____
continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a
Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon
as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to
forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the _____
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were
ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries and as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

_____ Dispensary District,
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1863.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185

_____ District,	. . . . .	£
_____ District,	. . . . .	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee].

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to give the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms C 1 and C 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

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UNION.

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *18* day of *April* 185*7*.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,																
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,																
Fever Sheds,																
Total,																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			11	48	27	31	29	25	31	14	21	239	In Work-house Hospital, In Fever Hospital	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates,		
Admitted during the Week,			4	6	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	1	12			
TOTAL,			20	61	27	32	29	25	31	14	22	252	Total.	Total,		
Discharged during the Week,			4	3	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	7				
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	3	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	7				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			11	48	27	32	29	25	31	14	22	245				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the _____ day of _____ authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.							Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Wednesday* the *22* day of *April* 185*7*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Dennis Stinman*

Other Guardians:

Charles Blake, Wm. J. J. J., Jas. Smyth, R. Kelly, D. J. J., J. Roche, J. Higgins, J. Brodie P.S.

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 98 to No. 110, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. _____ to No. _____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £

Paid during the week, - - - - - £

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was - £

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
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NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.
Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 17 12 s. 3 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 24 . 8 . 8 3/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/9 1/4

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2/4

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - 2/4

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1 cwt Oat meal
- 1 Ton Flour
- 40 lb Beef
- 80 Boxes Lard
- 976 Quarts Milk
- 2 lb Lard, 11 lb Sugar
- 1 lb Pepper, 6 Bot Wine
- 35 lb Soap
- 1 lb Starch 1/4 lb Blue
- 4 lb Dipt-furrows
- 1 lb Moulds -

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - £ s. d.
In kind, - - - -

Total, -

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first meeting in every month.)—
Number of successful cases.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon as follows:

The Medical Officer reported that there had not been any deaths during the past week and that 49 persons remained under treatment.

The Master reported that he was obliged to purchase 44 Gals of Milk, the Contractor not having given a sufficient supply.

That the Wine supplied by the Contractor being pronounced by the Medical Officer, inferior, it was returned since then a better quality was given a sample of which was laid before the Board.

That a supply of Shirts & Shifts was required, those in use being a good deal worn.

Material for making 90 Shirts,
60 Shirts + 30 Pair of Trowsers,
was Ordered,

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were read before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

Letter to Clerk No 9723 17 April 57 } Stating in reply to a letter from the Clerk of the Union; That the Guardians had not the power to expend the Union funds in payment of an Apprenticeship fee as proposed ✓

Circular to Clerk No 9442 18 April 57 } Relative to the prepayment of letters addressed to the Poor Law Commissioners. The Clerk stated he always prepaid the letters to the P.L.C. ✓

Letter to Clerk No 9496 20 April 57 } Transmitting a Form in which (Should Mr Kelly adhere to his intention) his resignation as Guardian for the Kildareway Electoral Division should be tendered to the Poor Law Commissioners. Mr Kelly having read this letter filled up & signed the Form, which the Clerk was directed to forward to the Poor Law Commissioners ✓

Letter to Clerk No 9496 20 April 57 } Requesting that when his securities should have been completed that he would report the fact ✓
The Clerk stated he had written to his Brother in Law requesting him to become his security, but that having recently become a Partner in the Firm of Hodges & Smith, the deed of partnership precluded his doing so. That he had written to two other persons but had not yet received their reply, and that he would report the fact of his Bond being perfected immediately on its being signed. ✓

Letter to Clerk No 103 20 April 57 } Requesting that the Weekly Abstract of Rate Collected Hodges might be forwarded ✓
The Clerk stated that they would be forwarded by Friday Post. ✓

Letter to Clerk No 102 20 April 57 } Requesting that the Return of the Number of persons applied to Emigrate might be forwarded. ✓
The Clerk stated that the Return would be sent by Thursday Post - ✓

Letter to Clerk No 10676 21 April 57 } Forwarding the Descriptive Lists of the Area relating to the Immigration of Honor & Catherine Burke and Mary Ryan ✓

Read a Letter from Val Browne Relieving Officer requesting that the Board would excuse his attendance that day, and stating that he had no applicants for Relief. ✓

The several Collectors attended before the Board with their Collecting Books, as directed on the 15th Inst. ✓

The Collecting Books having been examined the Board were of opinion that a fair collection, up to the present, had been made £ 300, being outstanding =

The Clerk was directed to issue 30 days Notices to the Collectors, He was also directed to write to Mr Lynch of Ballycurnin Castle informing him that the Board would proceed against him by Civil Bill for the Rates due by him, as Immediate Lessor, on the Island of Inchiquin, in the event of their not being paid at once - ✓

The Collectors were directed to attend with lists of arrears on Wednesday the 13th May = ✓

A Petition to Both Houses of Parliament in favor of a line of Railway, promoted by the Great Southern & Western Railway Co, from Tullamore to Athlone was laid before the Board ✓

Resolved That same be adopted, and that they be signed by the Chairman ✓

✓ Denis

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - -

Detto disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - - -

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

Denis Turman Esq on behalf of the Board ✓

No ratifications for Judgement on the Bond of Mr Con Youcaumon, late Poor Rate collector for part of the Rates of 1849, were laid before the Board; and were signed by the Chairman on behalf of the Board, releasing Jas Youcaumon from his security on the Bonds on which Judgement was ~~entered~~ entered by the late Vice Guardians ✓

Next Meeting of the Board to be held on Monday the 29 April 1857

Edw Blah Secyrd Chairman

Other Guardians Present
Wm. Donelan

J. Figgis Clerk
29 April 1857

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185 .

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68,
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185 .—
continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a
Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon
as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to
forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the _____
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were
ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

_____ Dispensary District,
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185

_____ District,	.....	£
_____ District,	.....	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee].

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Recd Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

Tuan UNION.

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 25 day of April 1857.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,															
Temporary Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital,															
Fever Sheds,															
Total,															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			16	48	27	32	29	25	31	14	23	24	57	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, } Total, 73	
Admitted during the Week,			4	5	"	1	2	"	"	"	1	13	17		
TOTAL,			20	53	27	33	31	25	31	14	24	25			
Discharged during the Week,			7	5	"	"	"	2	3	"	1	18			
Died,			1	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	3			
Total Discharged and Dead,			8	6	"	"	"	2	3	"	2	21			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			12	47	27	33	31	23	28	14	22	23			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the _____ day of _____ authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
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No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 29 day of April 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, W Blake

Other Guardians:

20 of Donnellan, W Jamison, W Blake, J of Flaherty, R Kelly, & J Seonawey

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

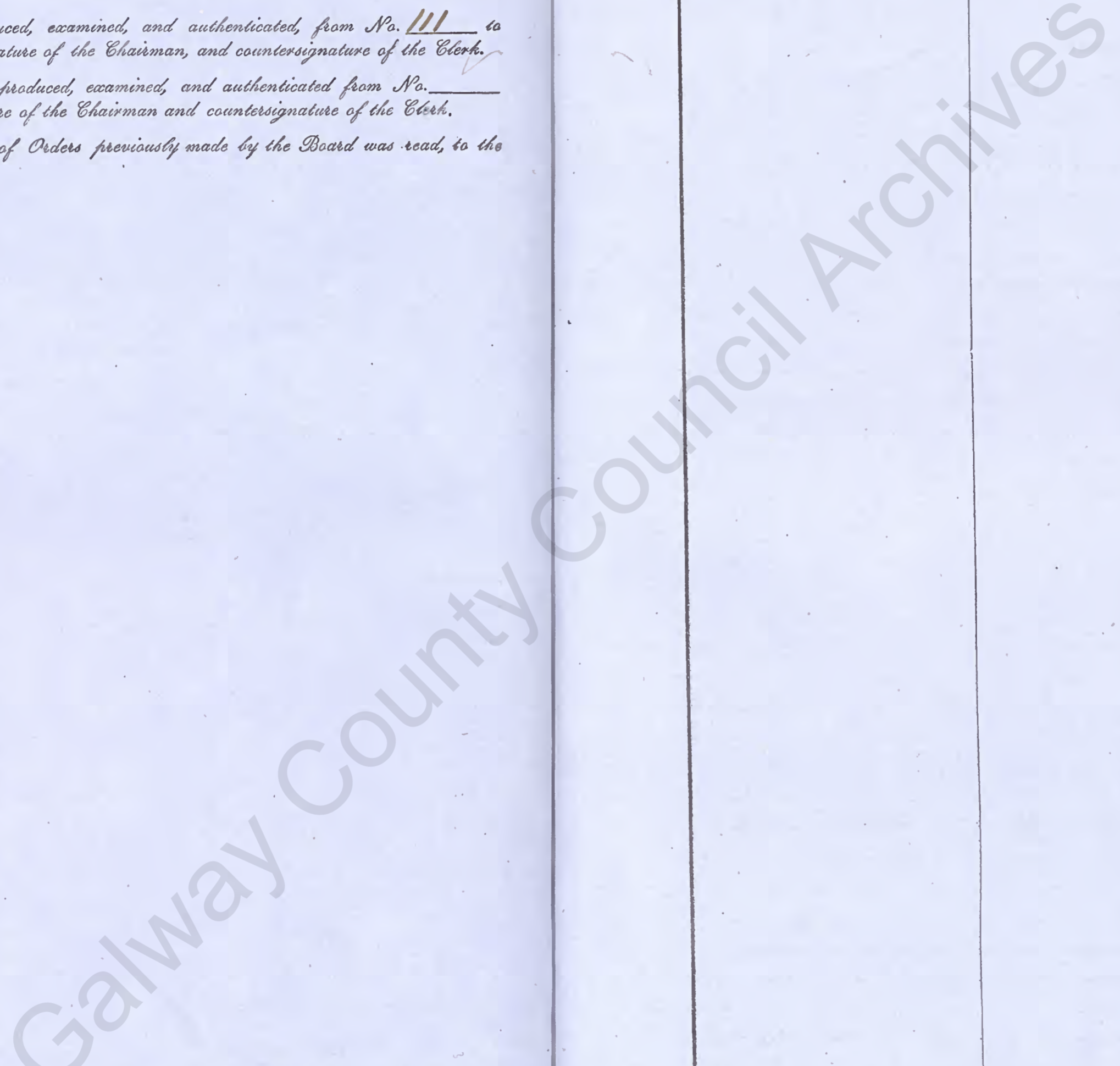
The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 111 to No. 123, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. _____ to No. _____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:



The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ 133. 18. 1

Paid during the week, - - - - - £

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* the Guardians was - £ 551. 5. 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

- 1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
- 2. The Provision Check Accounts.
- 3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £31 " 8 s. 3 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 23 " 17 " 1/4 ✓

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/9 1/4 ✓

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2/4 ✓

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - 2/4 1/4 ✓

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1. 0.7 Oat meal ✓
- 6 1/2 lbs Beef ✓
- 80 Boxes Turf ✓
- 9 1/2 lbs But. Milk ✓
- 2 1/2 lbs Tea, 12 1/2 Sugar ✓
- 1 1/2 Pepper 1/2 Bot. Muir ✓
- 2 8lb Soap 1 1/2 Soda ✓
- 5 1/2 Oust fowdles ✓
- 1 1/2 Moulds ✓

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

- 1. The several Clothing Accounts.
- 2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	-	£	s.	d.
In kind,	-	-	-	-			
Total,	-	-	-	-			

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.						Bt. forward					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forwd.						TOTAL,					

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills, having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

£	s.	d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first meeting in every month.)—
Number of successful cases.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon as follows:

The Medical Officer reported that there had been three deaths during the week, and that of 3 persons remained under treatment ✓

The Medical Officer reported that he had not been able to avail himself of the leave granted him three weeks ago, and begged of the Board to postpone it for awhile ✓

The Medical Officer called the attention of the Board to the fact of a Matron for the Fever Hospital being much required ✓

The Guardians having considered this report, directed the Clerk to advertise for a Matron for the Fever Hospital at a salary of £14.0.0 per Annum with First Class Rations & Apartments. Tender, to be considered on the 13th May. ✓

The Master reported that in consequence of the Contractor for Straw not having supplied that article, he called on to do so, he was obliged to purchase at his expense 23 cwt at 2/6 per cwt. That he had to purchase 25 gal of Milk at 1/- per gal. That the Master Tailor still

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

Continues very ill and unable to attend to his duties ✓

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, or Orders made on them respectively as follows:—

Circular to Clerk Requesting to be furnished with a statement showing the total expenditure of the Union, for the half year ended 25 March last ✓

Letter to Clerk No 11240/57 27 April Stating that the Commissioners had received a communication from the Commissioners of Valuation, to the effect that the finally revised & amended Valuation Lists of the Inam Union were transmitted on the 24th inst & informing the Board that in accordance with the 32^d Sec of 15 & 16th Vic Cap 63 the next Rate should be made on said Lists ✓

Letter to Clerk No 11085 28 April Stating that the Commissioners had accepted Mr Richard Kelly's resignation of the Office of Guardian for the Electoral Division of St. John's in this Union. ✓

Letter

Letter to Clerk No 11085 27 April From the Commissioners of Valuation intimating that the revised & amended Valuation Lists of the Inam Union had been forwarded, and informing the Board that any Rate made thirty days from the receipt of said Lists shall be made upon the same & shall be liable thereon according to the Valuation comprised in the Lists signed & transmitted by said Commissioners of Valuation ✓

Read a Letter from Messrs Croft & Kelly of Dublin informing the Board that the Comptrol^r of Education have opened a Depository for the Sale of School Apparatus to the National Schools of Ireland ✓

Proposed By J. J. Donnellan
Seconded By J. J. Leonard

Resolved That the Porter be allowed 4^d per 1/2th Cigar weekly
Passed Unanimously ✓

Mr M. Owens of Inam was approved of as security for the Clerk in the room of Mr Murray deceased = ✓

Next Meeting to be held on Wednesday the 6 May

Is J. J. Kelly's Clerk Union
Chairman
Other Guardians Present
Honorary Secretary
J. J. Kelly

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - -

Ditto disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - -

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185 .

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68;
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185 ____—
continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a
Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon
as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to
forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the _____
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were
ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries due as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

_____ Dispensary District,
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____.

_____ District	.....	£
_____ District	.....	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee].

The Board elected the following Poate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Poeturn accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to give the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees: namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

Irish UNION.

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *2* day of *May* 185*7*.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,															
Temporary Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital,															
Fever Sheds,															
Total,															
Remainning on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			12	47	27	33	31	23	28	14	22	237	In Work-house Hospital, 48	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, 17	
Admitted during the Week,			3	5	"	"	4	"	"	2	1	15			
TOTAL,			15	52	27	33	34	23	28	16	238				
Discharged during the Week,			6	2	2	1	1	"	4	"	1	17			
Died,			"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1			
Total Discharged and Dead,			6	3	2	1	1	"	4	"	1	18			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			9	49	25	32	34	23	24	16	22	234			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week Saturday, the _____ day of _____ authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.							Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Wednesday* the *6* day of *May* 185*7*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Deus Kirwan*

Other Guardians:

Charles Blake, J. Higgins, Robt Botterill, Robt Bodwin, C. J. Kelly, Rich Kelly, Wm Gammon, W. Griffiths,

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1214 to No. 138, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. _____ to No. _____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ _____

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ _____

And that the Balance on the Account *In favour* the Guardians was - £ 551. 5. 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

- 1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
- 2. The Provision Check Accounts.
- 3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 12 13 s. 10 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 23. 10. 1 3/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/9

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - 2/4 3/4

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - 2/6

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1. 10. 7 Oatmeal
- 1 Low whole meal
- 6 1/4 lb Beef
- 40 Boxes Lard
- 9 1/2 Lbs Milk
- 2 lb 1/2 Tea 12 1/2 Sugar
- 1 lb Pepper 7 Bob Wine
- 35 lb Soap 5 lb Oil
- 1 lb Mouldy

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

- 1. The several Clothing Accounts.
- 2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

				£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	-			
In kind,	-	-	-			
Total,	-	-	-			

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and Signed, namely:

- 1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

- 2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

L	s.	d.

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

L	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first meeting in every month.)—
Number of successful cases.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon as follows:

The Medical Officer reported that there had been one death during the week and that 15 persons remained under treatment.

The Master reported that the Contractors had not supplied sufficient Milk during the week, and that he had to purchase 35 gal at 4/- per gal.

That the Master Sailor still continued very ill. The Master was ordered to have the Machinery of the Force Pump cleaned & oiled.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

Sealed Order } Authorizing a supplemental ^{Election} ~~Order~~
dated 21 April } for Guardians, to supply vacancies
in the Electoral Divisions of
Glouce Town, Ballinacorney
Donapatrick & Abbey East.

Sealed Order
No 11085. Authorizing a supplemental Election
for Milskenney

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, or Orders made on them respectively as follows:

Circular to Clerk Accompanying the Sealed Order
No 114 m } for the supplemental Election
29 April 57 } of Guardians

Letter to Clerk Transmitting a Sealed Order
No 11085 } Authorizing a supplemental
1 May 57 } Election for Milskenney

Circular to Clerk Requesting to be furnished with
No 109 m/57 } a statement of the Rates made
1 May 57 } and any new Rates agreed to in the
Union.

Circular to Clerk Stating that 100 Copies of
No 127 m } the Notice of Election would be
4 May } forwarded.

Letter to Clerk Forwarding Queries to be answered
No 12009 } by the person who may be appointed
5 May 57 } Master of the Fever Hospital

Read a Letter from Mr Val Browne P.O.
stating that he was ill, and unable to attend
the Board to day =

Medical Charities

An Estimate for Medicines from the
Dunmore Dispensary was laid before the
Board.

Order to be forwarded to Messrs Decker

1000 of Dispensary Tickets were ordered.

The Expenses of the following Dispensaries
for the Half Year Ending 25 March last
were for

Tuam	£ 119. 14. 10
Abbey	£ 58. 11. 7 1/2
Dunmore	£ 60. 19. 5 1/2
Headford	£ 58. 3. 10

a Circular forwarding 2 Copies of the
Fifth Annual Report was sent

Next Meeting of the Board to be held
on Wednesday the 13 May

Wm Blum	} Signed Chairman
Thomas Brown	
Charles Grant	} Other Guardians Present

J. J. Figgis
Clerk Union

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - -

Ditto disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - -

The number of other applicants in the Peeling Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185 .

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68 }
[No. 27.] }

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185 .—
continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a
Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon
as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to
forward the same, OR reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the _____
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were
ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries due as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

Dispensary District, _____
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____.

_____ District	.....	£
_____ District	.....	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee].

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to give the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Union UNION.

Population in 1851, 51196

Present Net Annual Value, £58029

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9 day of May 1857.

Table with columns for accommodation types (Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, etc.), age groups (Able-bodied, Aged and Infirm, Boys and Girls, etc.), and RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS (Number in Hospital, No. of Lunatics, etc.). Includes rows for 'Remaining on previous Saturday', 'Admitted during the Week', 'Discharged during the Week', 'Died', and 'Total Discharged and Dead'.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the _____ day of _____ authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns for RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1; not comprised in Sec. 1), Total relieved out of the Workhouse (Cases, Persons), and RELIEF DISTRICT (Number of cases, etc.). Includes rows for No. I through No. XVII and a 'Car. forward' row.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 13 day of May 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, Denis Kinnane

Other Guardians:

B. Blake, J. Browne, W. Gunnon, J. Higgins, R. Kelly, J. Wade, G. Grant, J. J. Kennedy, J. O'Kelly, R. Bookin, J. O'Donnell, J. Leonard, D. B. Leonard, A. W. Blake, J. M. Kinnane, J. Roche, W. Botterill, E. L. Hunt.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 139 to No. 147, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. _____ to No. _____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £

Paid during the week, - - - - - £

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was - £

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 26 11 s. 3 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 22 . 14 . 6

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/8 3/4

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - 2/4 1/4

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - 2/6

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1 Ton India Meal
- 119 lb Oat Meal
- 5 lb Beef
- 40 Boxes Lard
- 895 Quarts Milk
- 20 lb Tea, 12 1/2 lb Sugar
- 1 lb Pepper
- 8 Box Wine
- 35 lb Soap
- 5 lb Apts Gaudles
- 1 lb Mould do

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

				£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	-			
In kind,	-	-	-			
Total,	-	-	-			

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first meeting in every month.)—
Number of successful cases.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon as follows:

The Medical Officer reported that there had been 3 no deaths during the week, and that 10 Persons remained under treatment.

The Master reported that he was obliged to purchase 18 gals of Milk at 1/- per gal the Contractors not being able to give a sufficient supply.

That the Master Tailor is better, but not sufficiently recovered to return to his duty.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, or Orders made on them respectively as follows:

Circular of the 12th May 57 Requesting to be furnished with the particulars of the Ratings of the several Fisheries rated to the Poor Rate in Ireland.

Letter of the 21st Feb. 57 Adverting to the Commissioners Letter of the 21st Feb. 57 respecting the Cupolas and again calling the attention of the Board to the subject, and requesting to be informed if the Contractor who undertook the Repair of the Ventitators had been required to fulfil that part of his agreement which Mr Baker reported to the Board had not been done. Also stating that if the Board are of opinion that they cannot fairly call upon the contractor to do all that Mr Baker reported to be necessary they should make a new agreement for the purpose. Resolved that the Poor Law Commissioners be informed that from the state of the Cupolas the Guardians felt they could not compel the

Contractor to perform the work Mr Baker reported to be necessary, and that a deduction of £12.0.0 was taken off the Contractors Acct. It appearing that the leakage, adverted to, might now be staunched with white Lead, the Master was directed to employ Manion the Slater for that purpose.

Read a Letter from Pat Cleary Clerk of Works at the Jail of Galway, agreeing to take the Hair Rope at the Rate of £15.0.0 per Ton Carriage free. The Master was directed to employ a Carrier to forward the Rope.

Read a Letter from Mr Val Browne Relieving Officer requesting leave of absence and that Mr Browne would act for him. Consideration deferred until next week.

The Board of Guardians next proceeded to elect a Matron to the Fever Hospital on the Workhouse Grounds - The two candidates appeared before the Guardians. It was Proposed By C Blake Seconded By Tho Browne Resolved That Mrs Agnes Burke be appointed to the Office of Matron to the Fever Hospital Proposed By J O'Donnellau Seconded By C Blake Resolved That Mrs M. Sandford be appointed Matron of the Fever Hospital a Poll being taken there appeared for Mrs Burke 12 Votes Mrs Sandford 2 do Majority 10 Votes in favour of Mrs Burke

Mr Burke was declared duly elected Master of the Fever Hospital at a salary of £14.0.0 per Annum with First Class Rations & Apartments

The Clerk reported that the contract for supplying Straw had expired. The Master was directed to purchase Straw for the present.

The several collectors attended before the Board with lists of Arrears, the Guardians considered the collection satisfactory. Mr Freaney handed in two of his Collecting Books, the entire amount in them having been collected. Mr Dennis Sturman also had two Books in which the entire amount had been collected.

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

 Do. do. disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

The Clerk stated that he had written to Mr Lynch of Ballycotton Castle and furnished him with a statement of the Rates due by him as Immediate Lessee in the Island of Inchiquin and informed him that the Board of Guardians would proceed against him by Civil Bill for recovery of same unless the amount was paid forthwith.

Collectors Greaney handed in 12.30 Day Notices which were signed by the Chairman and two Guardians - and countersigned by the Clerk.

Next Meeting of the Board to be held on Wednesday the 20th May 1857

Mr Donelan } Signed
 } Chairman
 } Other
 } Guardians Present

Wm Higgins Clerk Minn

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68 }
[No. 27.] }

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185 .—
continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET :—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a
Procquisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon
as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to
forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the _____
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were
ordered to be supplied:*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185 .

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries and as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

Dispensary District
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____.

District £
District £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee].

The Board elected the following Poate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:

Order acted _____ /state subject?

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 16 day of May 1857

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,																
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,																
Fever Sheds,																
Total,																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			9	49	25	32	34	23	24	16	22	234	In Work-house Hospital,	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates,		
Admitted during the Week,			4	4	2	"	2	1	"	1	1	15				
TOTAL,			13	53	27	32	36	24	24	17	23	249	Total,	Total,		
Discharged during the Week,			4	5	1	"	3	1	3	1	3	21				
Died,			"	1	"	"	"	"	1	"	"	2				
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	6	1	"	3	1	4	1	3	23				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			9	47	26	32	33	23	20	16	20	226				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the _____ day of _____ authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.							Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 20th day of May 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, J. O'Donnellan

Other Guardians:

S. Leonard, R. Bookin, W. J.annon, R. Kelly, W. Wade, W. D. Griffiths, J. J. Guinness

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 21 . 11 s. 1 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 22 . 10 . 8 3/4 ✓

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/8 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2/5

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - 2/4 ✓

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

1. 0. 14 Oat Meal
- 1 Ton Irish Flour
- 6 1/4 to Beef
- 6 5 Boxes Lard
- 8 6 9 Lbs Milk
- 2 10 10 of Tea, 14 10 Sugar
- 1 1/2 Peppercorn, 5 Pots Wine
- 3 5 1/2 Soap
- 5 1/2 Oil: + 1 1/2 Moulds ✓

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

		£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	-	-
In kind,	-	-	-	-
Total,	-	-	-	-

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, or Orders made on them respectively as follows:!

The Clerk stated that he had not received any letters from the Commissioners ✓

Mr. Val Browne Relieving Officer again applies for leave of absence

Proposed By J. Wade
Seconded By J. Seaward

Resolved that Mr. Val Browne Relieving Officer be granted a fortnight's leave of absence and that Mr. B. Browne be appointed to act for him during the time Mr. V. Browne is absent on leave. ✓

The Clerk laid a copy of a Petition to Parliament adopted at a Meeting of Poor Law Guardians held in Dublin on the 23rd ultimo before the Board ✓

Consideration deferred until next Board Day. ✓

The Clerk laid the list of candidates nominated before the Board for the year ending 25th March 1858. for the Divisions of
Abbey East, Ballinacorney, Clare Town, Coumshingaun and Tilsborough
It appeared that there was a contest for the Clare Town Division = ✓

The Guardians having had under consideration the finally Revised & Amended Valuation Lists received from the Office of the Comptroller of Valuation ✓

Proposed By W. Gannon
Seconded By Rich Kelly,

Resolved that inasmuch as there are in the Valuation Lists received from the Comptroller of Valuation many mistakes and inaccuracies as regards holdings, caused by changes of tenancy since the revision of the Primary list, the Guardians, with a view to being obliged by the Poor Law Commissioners, to inform them what steps are to be taken so as that the necessary corrections may be made. ✓

Next Meeting of the Board to be held on the 27 May 1859

Signed
John Blah, Chairman
Richard Savage, Clerk
W. Gannon, Guardian
Present

J. F. Figgis
Clerk

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - -

Ditto disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - -

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68 }
[No. 27.] }

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185 .—
continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET :—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a
Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon
as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to
forward the same, OR reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the _____
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were
ordered to be supplied:*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185 .

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries are as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

_____ Dispensary District,
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee].

The Board elected the following Pate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to give the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 23 day of May 1857.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number In Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse,														
Temporary Buildings,														
Additional Workhouse,														
Permanent Fever Hospital,														
Fever Sheds,														
Total,														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			9	47	26	32	33	23	20	16	20	22	In Workhouse Hospital, 143 In Fever Hospital, 15 Total, 158	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, } Total, }
Admitted during the Week,			5	7	"	1	9	"	1	1	3	27		
TOTAL,			14	54	26	33	42	23	21	17	23	253		
Discharged during the Week,			2	5	"	"	2	"	6	"	3	18		
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	1		
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	5	"	"	2	"	6	"	4	19		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			12	49	26	33	40	23	15	14	19	234		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of _____ authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.							Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 27 day of May 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, Denis Kerran

Other Guardians: Charles Blake

R Savage, R Kelly, Hy Kerran, W Haun
 J. D Flaherty, Jas M Kerran, J Higgins, Jas Kerran
 P. J. Maughan, P. J. Burke, J Roche, R Boote
 Charles Grant

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

- 1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
- 2. The Provision Check Accounts.
- 3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 30. 7 s. 0 1/4 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 22. 11. 7 1/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/8 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - 2/4 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - 2/1

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1. 10. 14 Oatmeal
- 1 Low whole Meal
- 1/4 to Beef
- 65 Boxes Lard
- 8/9 Quarts Milk
- 2 10 10 Tea, 14 Sugar
- 1 10 Pepper
- 4 Bolls Muir
- 35 10 Soap
- 5 10 Oils, 1 10 Mould
- Candles

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

- 1. The several Clothing Accounts.
- 2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	-
In kind,	-	-	-
Total,	-	-	-

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and Signed, namely:

- 1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

- 2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, or Orders made on them respectively, as follows: /

Letter to Clerk Requesting that the weekly Returns
No 138 of Rate Collected & Lodged might
20 May 57 be forwarded =
The Clerk stated that the Returns had been sent =

Letter to Clerk Relative to a Resolution on the Guardians
No 14096 Minutes of the 20th Inst respecting
22 May 57 the inaccuracies in the Primary Valuation Lists and referring the Guardians to the 27th Sec of 15 & 16 Vic Cap 63 which states that it is in the power of the Board of Guardians to alter the name of any Occupier or Immediate Lessor in the final Valuation Lists in case of any change of abode or possession, or of any Error or Omission in the name of such Lessor or Occupier; Also suggesting that the Guardians should communicate with Mr Giffitts on the subject ✓

Mr. Fournon appeared before the Board and proposed to purchase the Capstan Mill which was offered for sale some time since. It appeared that a sum of seven Pounds was offered for it. Mr. Fournon offered eight Pounds. Resolved that Mr Fournon's proposal be accepted. ✓

On the examination of the Chaplain's Book, the following Report entered on the Report Book used by the Protestant Clergy was read ✓

A Pauper named Margt Silk having accused me of neglect in discharge of my duties, gave as her reason that she requested the Matron to send for me early last week. I beg to state that I received no message from the Matron or Matron to that effect nor did I know she was an inmate of the Work House until last Saturday. ✓

Being a healthy Pauper I respectfully refer to the Order made in compliance with my request dated 9 of March last viz That all able Bodied Healthy Paupers, professing the Protestant Faith be sent to attend Divine Service to the Cathedral on Sundays, which in this case has not been carried out. ✓

The Guardians having sent for Margt Silk it appeared that she had on Thursday the 21st Inst requested the Matron to send for Mr Seymour for the purpose of getting better clothing. ✓

The Matron has also sent for, and it appears she expressed a wish to see Mr Seymour for the purpose of getting a better description of ✓

of clothing than what she had, and not for any religious purpose, and that she did not send for Mr Seymour, as she did not think it her duty to send for a Clergyman for any such purpose, but that if she expressed a wish to see Mr Seymour for any religious purpose she would at once have sent -

The Master stated that the Order of the 9 March had been carried out as long as Mary Silk remained in the Work House but having left on the 19th March did not return until the 21st April last when she claimed to be Registered as a Presbyterian, as she no longer belonged to the Established Church and that since her last admission she had not asked to go to Church, and that there was no other Protestant place of worship in Linn.

The Board considered the explanation in both cases satisfactory.

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - - - -
 Ditto disallowed - - - - -
 The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - -
 Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - - -
 The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

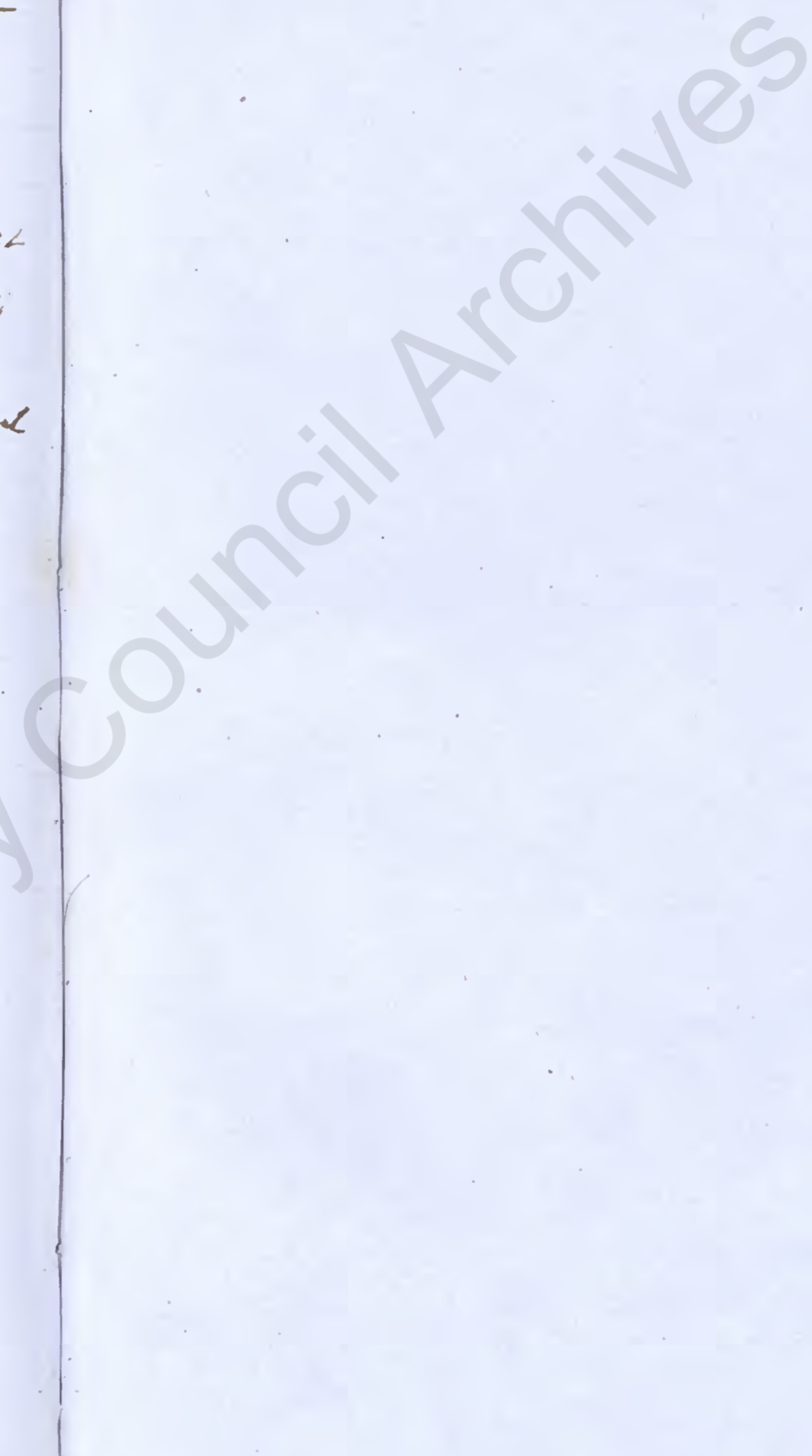
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

Next Meeting of the Board to be held
 on Wednesday the 3 June 1857

Jas Channay Clerk
 of the Board.

Thos Brown
 Alderman & Justice



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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185 .

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68 }
[No. 27.] }

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE _____

UNION, ON _____ DAY, THE _____ DAY OF _____ 185 .—

continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a
Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon
as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to
forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the _____
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were
ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries and as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

_____ Dispensary District
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____.

_____ District,	£
_____ District,	£

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E. 1 and E. 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject:)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

Union.

Population in 1851, 51196

Present Net Annual Value, £ 58029

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 6 day of June 1857.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,																
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,																
Fever Sheds,																
Total,																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			15	53	26	35	39	23	16	17	18	242	In Workhouse Hospital, 57	In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital, 18		
Admitted during the Week,			3	5	4	4	1	1	1	1	1	10				
TOTAL,			18	58	30	39	40	24	17	18	19	252				
Discharged during the Week,			4	8	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8				
Died,			1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	8				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			14	55	29	38	39	23	15	16	17	244				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the _____ day of _____ authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.							Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 10 day of June 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, Charles Blake.

Other Guardians:

R Savage, J. Higgins, A. Blake
 J. Brown, Robt Boshill, R Kelly, W. Cannon
 Robt Boshill

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 12 . 4 s . 7/4

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 23 . 8 . 7/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/8 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - 2/1 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - 2/2

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

For 6 June	For 13 June
1. 0. 14 Oat Meal ✓	1. 0. 14 Oat meal ✓
1/4 lb Beef ✓	1 Ton First Flour ✓
1/5 Boxes Tuff ✓	1/5 lb Beef ✓
9 20 Quarts Milk ✓	1/5 Boxes Tuff ✓
2 ^{lb} 10 of Tea, 14 Sugar ✓	9 35 Dub. Milk ✓
5 Bott. Wine 1 ^{lb} Pepper ✓	2 ^{lb} 10 of Tea, 14 Sugar ✓
35 ^{lb} Soap 5 ^{lb} Clipp ✓	1 ^{lb} Pepper. 4 Bott. Wine ✓
1 ^{lb} Mould (Candle) ✓	35 ^{lb} Soap ✓
	5 ^{lb} Aipt sand ✓
	1 ^{lb} Mould do ✓

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	-
In kind,	-	-	-
Total,	-	-	-

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.	
		£ s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.	
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first meeting in every month.)—
Number of successful cases.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon as follows:

The Medical Officer reported that there were not any deaths during the past week and that 45 persons remained under treatment.

The Master was directed to call on Mr Brady to repair the clock in the Fever Hospital.

The Master reported that the cost of staunching the Cypolus would amount to £17.0.0 as the base of all the Sashes through which the water comes would require to be lined with Sheet Lead, otherwise they would not be staunch.

That a supply of material was required to make men & Boys Clothing, also for girls & Women's Petticoats & some neck handkerchiefs.

Defined until next Board day.

That the Master Sailor had resumed his duties this week.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, or Orders made on them respectively as follows:

Letter of Mr. Sanctioning the appointment
No 13147 } of Mrs. Aquino Burke as Matron
29 May 57 } of the Fever Hospital on the
terms specified =

Letter of Mr. Stating that the Commissioners
No 14593 } had received a communication from
30 May 57 } Mr. Griffith form^r of Valuations relative
to the alleged errors in the finally revised Valuation
in which he expresses his surprise at the existence
of the errors adverted to in the Guards Minutes
of the 20th inst & stating that if the Board of
Guards will cause a list of inaccuracies to be
forwarded to him he will have the necessary
corrections made

Letter of Mr. Transmitting a copy of a letter
31 May } which the Com^r had received from Mr.
No 65463/57 } A.N. Blake, enclosing a copy of a letter
from a person named Ceila Burke complaining
of the conduct of Mr. Fore Relieving Officer

together with a copy of a letter which the Com^rs
addressed to Mr. Blake communicating to him
the explanation which they have obtained
from Mr. Fore in reference to the conduct
imputed to him.

The Guardians having considered
the letter, several Members of the Board
informed Mr. Blake, that they had seen very
lately, Ceila Burke in a state of intoxication
and that they did not consider her an object
worthy of relief or credit; they also gave it as
their opinion that she had imposed on Mr.
Blake =

Mr. Blake stated to the Board that having
read Mr. Fore's explanation, and heard the
statements made by the gentlemen present
he considered it so far satisfactory; but he
thought it would be desirable to have Mr. Fore
questioned by the Board on the matter;

Mr. Fore then stated to the Board what
had taken place, and that he refused to give
relief on the grounds mentioned in his letter
to the Commissioners, & distinctly denied having
said anything calculated to offend Mr. Blake
or of having any intention to treat him with
disrespect.

Mr. Blake professed himself quite
satisfied with Mr. Fore's explanation.

Letter of Mr. Calling attention to the Balances
No 14590 } in the hands of the Collectors & requesting
3 June 57 } to be informed why they had not
been required to lodge the accounts.

The Clerk stated Mr. Stegging
had lodged money for his Balance last week
& that the other Balances remained due by
Messrs. Roach, Curran, Ryan & Brown
on the Balancing of their Books, that Mr. Fore
was not at home that he had appointed Saturday

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185 .

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68 }
[No. 27.] }

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____

UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185 .—

continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a
Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon
as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to
forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the _____
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were
ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries and as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

_____ Dispensary District,
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee].

The Board elected the following Poate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Poeturn accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ /state subject.

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

Tuam UNION.

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *13* day of *June* 185*7*.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse,														
Temporary Buildings,														
Additional Workhouse,														
Permanent Fever Hospital,														
Fever Sheds,														
Total,														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			15	53	26	35	39	23	11	17	19	244	In Work-house Hospital, In Fever Hospital	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates,
Admitted during the Week,			3	5	4	"	3	2	"	"	"	6	23	Total,
TOTAL,			18	60	30	35	42	25	16	17	25	252	67	Total,
Discharged during the Week,			2	2	1	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Died,			2	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	3	"
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	3	1	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	9	"
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			14	57	29	35	41	25	16	17	25	258	76	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of _____ authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.							Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Wednesday* the *17* day of *June* 185*7*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Thomas Browne*

Other Guardians:

J. J. Browne, A. Blake, R. O'Connell, M. O'Connell, Rich Kelly, P. J. Burke, Higgins

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

- 1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
- 2. The Provision Check Accounts.
- 3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 31 10 s. 2 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 24 10 5 1/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/8 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2/11

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - 2/11 3/4

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1 cwt. 0. 14 lb Oatmeal
- 1 Ton Indian Meal
- 1/4 cwt Beef
- 45 Boxes Lard
- 10 2/7 Quarts Milk
- 2 lb 10 oz Tea, 14 lb Sugar
- 1 lb Pepper, 4 Bbls Wine
- 35 lb Soap
- 1 Sp Soda
- 5 lb Candles
- 1 lb Mould do

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

- 1. The several Clothing Accounts.
- 2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	-
In kind,	-	-	-
Total,	-	-	-

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, or Orders made on them respectively as follows:

Circular to Clerk Requesting to be furnished with
No 15656 } a state ment of the number of Paupers,
11 June 57 } in the work house on the 25 March
last, the Accommodation, together with
the Establishments Expenses for the year
ending 25 March last =

A Letter was received by Dr Freaves One of the
Medical Officers of the Tuam Dispensary
requesting payment of £1.11.2, due the
estate of Francis Corbett a Bankrupt,
was referred to Finance Committee.

Mr Jos Martyn Poor Rate collector attended
before the Board and informed the
Guardians that he had on Friday the
12th Inst made a distress for Poor Rates
on the farm of Mober in the Moyne Electoral
Division & that he had put the horse which
he had seized in Pound. That he went on
Monday last to sell the horse when he
found that the Pound Keeper had given

up the Distress on a forged Order =
The Pound Keeper attended before the Board &
presented the Order which was given when when
on examination it appeared that the horse
which was seized, belonged to the Post Master at
Dungan, and that the Order was written at the
Post Office Dangan and had the Post Mark
of Dangan on the Back of the Letter, although
sent by a messenger into Tuam -
The Clerk was directed to keep the Order hand-
-ed in by the Pound Keeper, and transmit it
to the Secretary at the G.P.O. Dublin, acquaint-
-ing him with the facts, and request that an
investigation may be ordered by the Office
authorities, into the case. ✓

Mr Martyn was directed to proceed against
the Pound Keeper by Civil Bill in the
event of the amount of the Rate not being
paid by him, the receipt of the Pound
Keeper for the horse was returned to Mr
Martyn, ✓

The Clerk presented 22 Thirty Day Notices from
Mr Jos Martyn Poor Rate collector & seven
from Mr Denis Korman for signature
they were signed by the Chairman and
two Guardians & countersigned by the Clerk,

The Clerk applied for instructions to prepare
an Estimate for a New Rate, deferred
until next Board Day =

Chas Blake } Signed
Wm Francis Moran } Chairman
Richard Savage } other
Guardians
Present

J. J. J. J.

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - - - -

Ditto disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - - -

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185 .

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68 }
[No. 27.] }

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185 .—
continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET :—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a
Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon
as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to
forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the _____
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were
ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries and as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

_____ Dispensary District,
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee].

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

Union

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *24th* day of *June* 185*7*.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idlots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse,														
Temporary Buildings,														
Additional Workhouse,														
Permanent Fever Hospital,														
Fever Sheds,														
Total,														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			13	57	29	35	41	25	16	17	25	25	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates,
Admitted during the Week,			2	2	0	1	"	"	2	2	2	11	Total,	Total,
TOTAL,			15	59	29	36	41	25	18	19	27	26		
Discharged during the Week,														
Died,				4	"	"	1	1	1	"	1	7		
Total Discharged and Dead,				4	"	"	1	1	1	"	1	8		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			15	55	29	36	40	24	17	19	26	26		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of _____ authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.							Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Wednesday* the *24th* day of *June* 185*7*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Charles Blake*

Other Guardians:

*R Savage Wm Gannon J F Brown W Gannon
P J Burke P W Mangau A N Blake
R Bodkin*

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 22 17 s. 1 3/4

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 24 . 15 . 11

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/8 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2/11

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - 2 1/2 1/2

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1. c. 14 Oatmeal
- 1 Ton whole Meal
- 65 lb Beef
- 65 Boxes Turf
- 1070 Quarts Milk
- 2 lb 10 oz Tea 14 lb Sugar
- 1 lb pepper 35 lbs soap
- 4 lb dipt candles
- 1 lb Mould do

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

				£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	-	-	-	-
In kind,	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total,	-	-	-	-	-	-

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

£	s.	d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first meeting in every month.)—
Number of successful cases.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon as follows:

The medical officers reported that there had been one death during the past week and that 73 persons remained under treatment—
A list of medicines required for the Fever Hospital and infirmary were ordered

The Master reported that the milk being deficient in quantity & part of the supply not being sweet he was obliged to purchase 33½ Gals at 1/6 per gal. That in consequence of the great heat of the weather the tires of the wheels of the cart had fallen off & that he was obliged to get them reshod—

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or Orders made on them respectively as follows:)

The clerk reported that he had not received any letters during the week -

That he written to the Secretary of the Post office relative to the Complaint of Mr. Martyn Jobb Rate Collector against the Postmaster of Dangan for obtaining a horse which the collector had seized and put in Pound, by a Forged order the Clerk stated he had sent to the Secretary

The clerk was directed to write to the Finance Committee requesting them to meet on Wednesday Next

The Guardians having under consideration the propriety of preparing an estimate of a New Rate

Resolved on deferring to Wednesday the 1st July when they hoped to have a fuller attendance

The Board next proceeded to consider the Tenders for supplying the work house with Bread stuff Groceries, Beef, Soap, Candles & milk

Resolved that the Tenders for supplying Bread stuff, Meat & Groceries be taken for 3 months & Milk for Twelve Months

Resolved that the Tender of Mr Jos Mayhew of Galway to supply for three months

- Best First Flour at £20.10.0 per Ton ✓
- Wholemeal at 14.0.0 " ✓
- Oatmeal at 14.0.0 " ✓
- Yellow Indian Meal at 10.0.0 " ✓

Carrriage Fee be accepted his securities Mr Jos Perse & Mr Jos Harrison of Galway be accepted

Resolved that the tender of Messrs E Moran & Son to supply for three months carriage free

- Best Black Tea at 3.2 per lb ✓
 - Jamaica Sugar at 5.7 " ✓
 - Port wine at 28 " per dozen ✓
 - Black pepper at 1/2 per lb ✓
- be accepted

Resolved that the Tender of Mr Jos Kilgarriff to supply

- Best dipht candles at 7 per lb ✓
- " mould do at 8 " ✓
- " white soap at 38 per cent ✓

for three months carriage fee be accepted

Resolved that the Tender of John Gilmore of Tuam to supply pure milk at 6 1/2 " per gal for twelve months be accepted

Edw. Mahony, Secy of the Guardians
Wm James Brown, Clerk
Nicholas Savage, Prent

J. J. J. Clerk

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - - - -

Ditto disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - - -

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185 .

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68 }
[No. 27.] }

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185 .—
continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET :—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a
Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon
as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to
forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the _____
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were
ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries and as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

_____ Dispensary District,
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

_____ District,	.....	£
_____ District,	.....	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee].

The Board elected the following Poole-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *27* day of *June* 185*7*

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building in each above date.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,															
Temporary Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital,															
Fever Sheds,															
Total,															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			16	55	29	36	40	24	17	19	26	261	In Work-house Hospital, 56	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, 15	
Admitted during the Week,			2	5	"	"	"	"	"	"	2	9			
TOTAL,			17	60	29	36	40	24	17	19	28	270	Total, 71	Total, 15	
Discharged during the Week,			3	4	1	1	"	1	"	1	1	12			
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1			
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	4	1	1	"	1	"	1	2	13			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			14	56	28	35	40	23	17	18	26	257			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the _____ day of _____ authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
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No. II.							No. X.						
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No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
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COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Wednesday* the *1* day of *July* 185*7*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Deus, Kirran* at a *past one* of *clock*
 Other Guardians:
C Blake, R Savage, Robt Bollerill J Browne
W O Griffithe Peter Blake, R Bodkin,

(Signed) _____
 Clerk of the Union.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

- 1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 24 " 10 s. 4 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 24 " 19 . 1

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/8 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2/3 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - 2/3 1/2

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

- 1 Ton Oat meal
1 Ton Flour
1/4 to Beef
60 Boxes Lard
1085 Quarts Milk
2 1/2 10 lb Tea, 14 lb Sugar
1 lb Pepper, 3 Bbls Milk
3 lb Aiph candles
1 1/2 lb Mould candles
35 lb Soap

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

- 1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of : whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - £ s. d.
In kind, - - - -
Total, -

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Check on Treasurer, By Order on Contractors, Article and quantity, Value. £ s. d.

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, or Orders made on them respectively as follows:

Letter to Clerk Requesting that the weekly Returns of No 1524 Rate Collected & lodged might be forwarded 26 June 57 The Clerk stated that the Returns should be forwarded by the end of the week;

Read a Letter from Mr Joseph Langan the School-Master requesting leave of absence for three weeks as he was in a delicate state of health. granted

Michael Ryan a Pauper Innmate, competent to discharge the duties, to take charge during Mr Langans absence.

Read a Letter from Mr Val Browne Relieving Officer requesting that the Board would excuse his attendance until next Board day

The Clerk reported that the forged Order which was sent to the Post Office Authority and on which Mr Jarron the Post Master at

at Pangar had obtained his horse from the Pound Keeper at Deerden, had been returned, and that the Post Office surveyor had requested to be informed of the result of the Civil Bill against the Pound Keeper

The Clerk reported that Mr Jarron the Post Master had paid the Rate and the fee to the collector =

Resolved That the Tender of Pat Rowland to supply Best Beef that to the Hospital to be free from Bone at 6 pwt lb for three months Carriage free be accepted

The guardians, having taken into consideration the necessity of preparing for a New Rate

Resolved that the Estimate be made from the 1st July 1857 to the 29 Sept 1858

That the Calculations for Maintenance and Clothing be made on the average numbers relieved on each Electoral Division during the past year, adding one Pauper on each Division on which no pauper was relieved during the year

The Clerk was directed to make his Calculations at the present average cost, and to have the Estimate ready by this day fortnight

The Report of the Finance Committee was read

In the Chair

Robt Booth

Other Members Present

Deans Surman, J Browne, O Blake, Your Committee have examined all the Accounts and compared them with the Boards Order, & find them correct The

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The liabilities of the Union to the 29 victims amount to £953 = which with the exception of £213 to Messrs Leslie and a few minor items your four matters become paid should be now discharged amounting to £740.

Signed Robt Boothby
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Board to be held on Wednesday the 8 July 1857

Chas Blake Signed Chairman
Wm P. Morrison
Baker

J. J. Juggis
Clerk

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

 Ditto disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____ UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185 ____ continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____ Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon as follows:

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On application of the Committee of Management of the _____ Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries are as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

Dispensary District, _____
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185 .

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee].

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject?)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

UNION.

Population in 1851, 51196

Present Net Annual Value, £ 58029

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 4 day of July 1857.

Table with columns for accommodation types (Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, etc.), age groups (Able-bodied, Boys and Girls, Children, Infants), and return of sick and lunatics (Number in Hospital, No. of Lunatics, etc.). Includes a sub-table for hospital returns.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the _____ day of _____ authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns for Relief District, Number of cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, Total relieved out of the Workhouse (Cases, Persons), and specific district numbers (No. I to No. XVII).

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 8 day of July 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, A. Blake

Other Guardians:

A. M. Blake W. J. Sumner, J. O. Haberty.

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting, were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 251 to No. 274, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. _____ to No. _____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders, previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ 10. 10. 0

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 563. 0. 6

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* the Guardians was - £ 85. 13. 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 47 11 s. 2 1/4 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 25. 17. 7 ✓

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1/9

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2/3

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - 2/11

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

40th Beef
 6th Boxes Lard
 10 gals Quarts Milk
 2^{lb} 10 oz Tea, 14 Sugar
 1^{lb} Pepper, 4 Bolls Wine
 2^{lb} Dept candles
 1 1/2^{lb} Mould do
 35th Soup

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

£ s. d.

In money, - - - -
 In kind, - - - -

Total, -

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, or Orders made on them respectively as follows:

Circular to flesh stating that 4 copies of the No 157 m/s } Sixth Annual Report had
30 June 57 } been forwarded ✓

Circular to flesh Requesting to be furnished with No 156 m/s } ~~any~~ statements of any Rates made
1 July 57 } or agreed to in the Union ✓

Letter to flesh Requesting that a copy of the Estimate No 17608 } for a New Rate to meet the expenses of
7 July 57 } the Union up to the 29 Sept 57 might be
forwarded when ready ✓

Letter to flesh Relative to the leave of absence granted No 17608 } to the Work House Schoolmaster for three
7 July 57 } weeks, and observing with regard to
the proposal to place a Pauper Orphan named Mike Ryan in charge of the School that the Commissioners consider this arrangement to be objectionable, and that if the Master of the Work House cannot in the meantime superintend the instruction of

the Boys the Commissioners would not object to a reasonable sum being paid, to a fit person to superintend the School during the absence of the Schoolmaster ✓
Ready

The following Extract from the Report of the Inspector under the National Board, was read

³ July 1857 ✓
The Teachers are classed 2nd, and they conduct the School with fair efficiency.

The Course in the literary department is suitable, and the proficiency of the Pupils in the Male School, in the case of classes 2nd and 3rd, is above the standard required by the Programme and reflects much credit on the Master as a Teacher.

In the Female Department the School is but a nominal one, there being but 13 Pupils of very tender age where there were 49 in July last ✓

The Course of Industrial Training is suitable to the wants of the children, but I did not examine the skill of those employed ✓

The Master requested leave of absence for one day which was granted ✓

A Petition to the House of Lords, praying that a Bill now pending in the House of Lords, intitled an Act to enable the Great Southern and Western Railway Company to make a Railway from Tullamore to Athlone, and for other purposes, might be passed into a law, was laid before the Board, and was signed on behalf of the Board of Guardians by Charles Blake Esq Chairman

M. J. M. & A. H. Blake Esq,
It was countersigned by the Clerk who was directed to send it to Messrs Barrington of Dublin =

The Clerk reported that he required a Rough & Fair Minute Book, 1 Chaplain's Book and 1 doz. Pencils = "Orders" ✓

The Relieving Officer for the Inam District brought before the Board the case of Mary Noone, who had been a resident at Warrington, in England for the last six years

On investigation it appeared that she was engaged at a Bleaching Mill in Warrington, where she contracted sore Eyes, and was brought to Inam by the Relieving Officer of Warrington who left her in Inam; She was admitted by the Relieving Officer to the Work House but was unable to appear before the Board, being confined to Bed ✓

Edwd. Blah Signed Chairman
Mr. James Mown Other
Wm. M. Guardian Present

J. Figgis Clerk officiating

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - - - -

Ditto disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - -

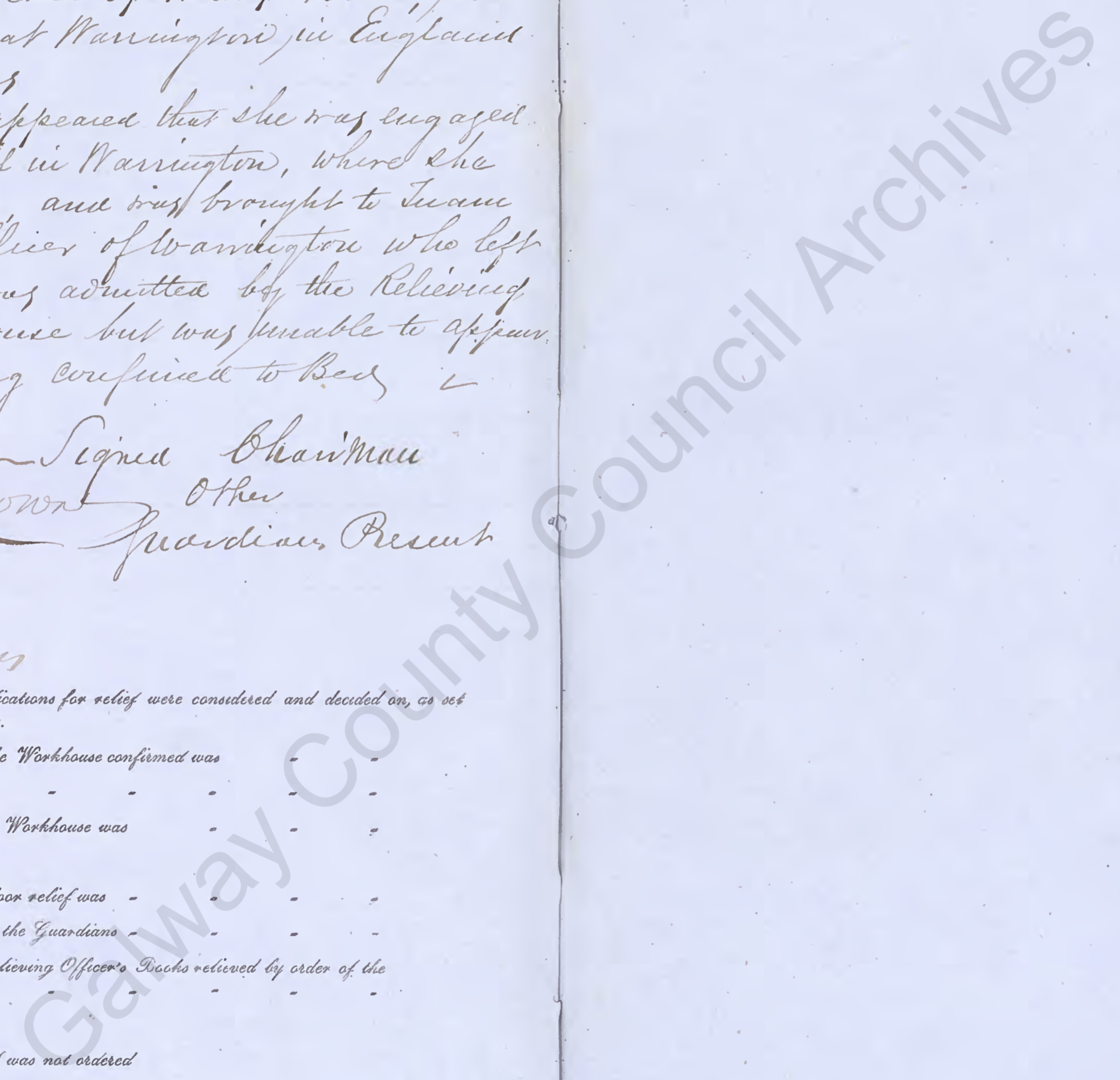
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - - -

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)



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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185 .

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68 }
[No. 27.] }

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____

UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185 .—

continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a
Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon
as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to
forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the _____
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were
ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries and as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

_____ Dispensary District,
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185

_____ District,	.....	£
_____ District,	.....	£

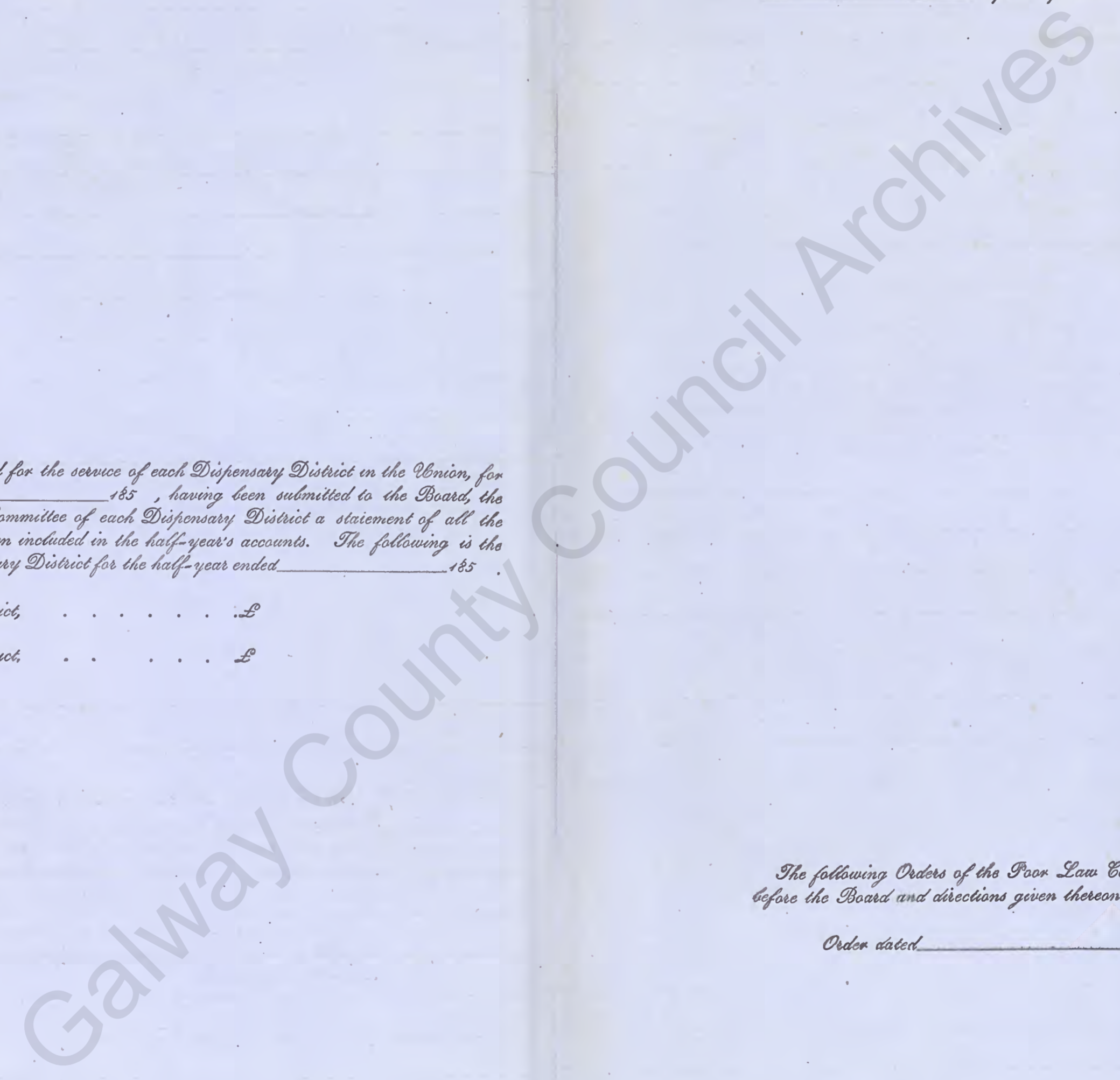
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3 of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated _____ (state subject.)



The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

