



TUAM POOR LAW UNION

BOARD OF GUARDIAN MINUTES

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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.

James Anton.

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 monies 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.



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Population in 1851—57196

Present Net Annual Value, ... £ 70,433.6-6

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of July 1859

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,	1134	200												
Temporary Buildings,	300	—												
Additional Workhouse,														
Permanent Fever Hospital,	50	7												
Fever Sheds,														
Total,	1484	207												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			13	53	15	35	24	20	10	18	26	214	In Workhouse Hospital, 36 In Fever Hospital, 7 Total, 43	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 5 Total, 5
Admitted during the Week,			1	5	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	6		
TOTAL,			14	58	15	35	24	20	10	18	26	220		
Discharged during the Week,			4	2	"	"	2	1	3	1	"	13		
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"		
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	2	"	"	2	1	3	1	"	13		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			10	56	15	35	22	19	7	17	26	207		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of *un* 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.						
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 3rd day of August 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Denis Kirwan* -
 Other Guardians: *Stephen Leonard, Richard Savage, Richard Kelly, John H. Brown, Stephen Roche, Charles Blake, Henry Kirwan, Charles Grant Charles Lynch, Pat^{rs} W. Mangan, W. D. Griffith, Mr. Higgins, Mr. Gannon, Peter Blake, James Kirwan* -
 The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed
D. Brodie Poor Law Inspector -

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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 £ 19 " 16 s. 5 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 18 : 14 : 1 ✓

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - " : 1 : 6 ✓

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - " : 2 : 0 1/4 ✓

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - " : 3 : 3 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:

Week ended 30th July 1859

10 " 0 " 0 Oatmeal ✓	80 ^{lb} Beef ✓	6 th August 1859
10 " 0 " 0 Indian Meal ✓	60 Boxes Turf ✓	
80 ^{lb} Beef ✓	29 Quarts sweet milk ✓	
60 Boxes Turf ✓	2 " 10 Tea 14 ^{lb} Sugar ✓	
906 Quarts sweet milk ✓	3 Bottles Wine ✓	
2 " 10 Tea 14 ^{lb} Sugar ✓	28 ^{lb} Soap 1 ^{lb} Pepper ✓	
3 Bottles Wine ✓	4 ^{lb} Dipst & 1 1/2 Mould Candles ✓	
28 ^{lb} Soap 1 ^{lb} Pepper ✓	9 Quarters Veal ✓	
4 ^{lb} Dipst & 1 1/2 Mould Candles ✓		
9 Quarters Veal - ✓		

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.

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

2. Establishment Account.

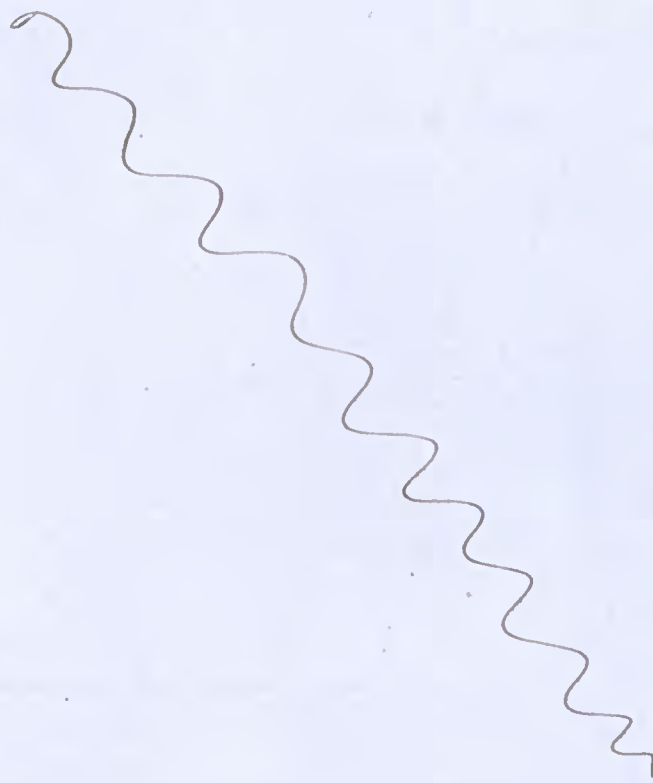
Joseph Langan Salary due him as Schoolmaster up to 30th July 1859 -

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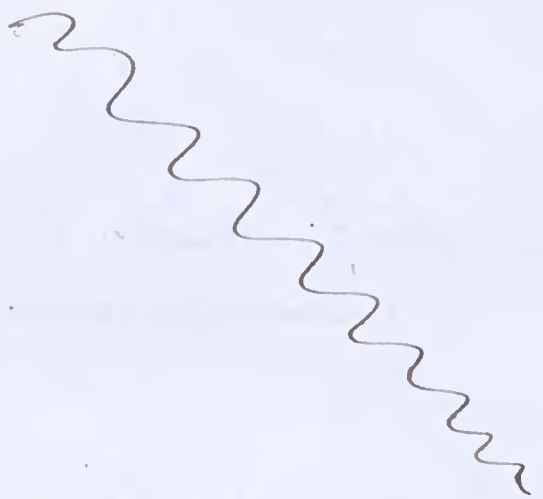
Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
			

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

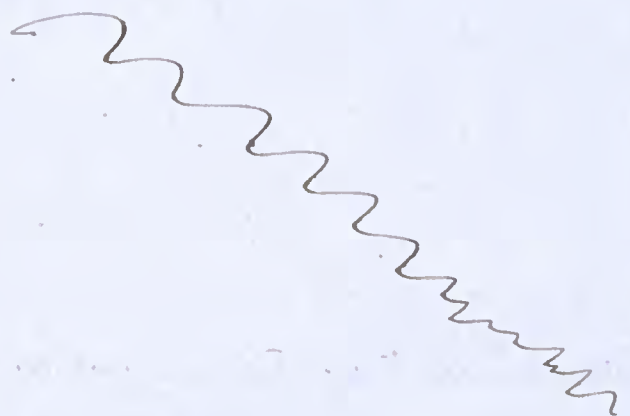
4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

	£	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 Medical Officer reported that there were not any deaths during the past week, and that 43 persons remained under treatment—

The Master reported that the alteration in the Dietary on the temporary discontinuance of potatoes as recommended by the Medical Officer was adopted in the House since Sunday the 24th Ultimo—

That in consequence of a pauper named Margot-Silk having broken some of the Windows in the Workhouse, he brought her before the Resident Magistrate, who committed her to Bridewell until next Petty Sessions Court—

The Master also reported that the recommendations of the Committee regarding the repairs of the old Clothing had been carried out, and requested the Board to inspect and

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon as follows; take stock of them, as a supply of new material was much required—

The following Guardians were appointed as a Committee to inspect and take stock of the Clothing— Charles Blake, John F. Brown, Richard Kelly, Stephen Leonard and William Gannon, three to form a Quorum—

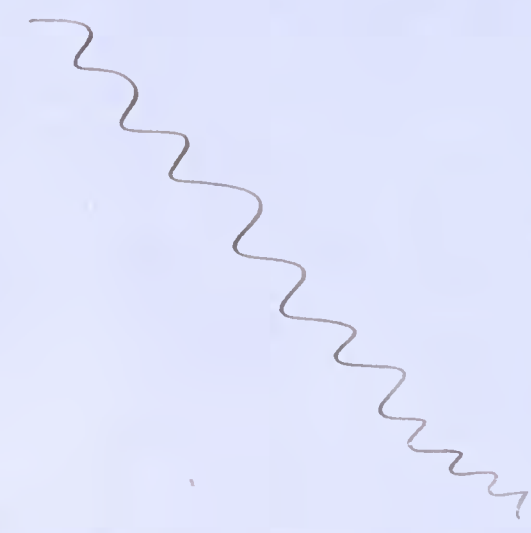
The Master laid before the Board the following requirement— 25 Mens Jackets 25 Vests and 25 Trowsers— 33 Boys Jackets 33 Vests and 33 Trowsers— Referred to the Committee appointed this day—

The following materials for Shoes were Ordered— 15^{lb} Upper and 30^{lb} Sole Leather 6^{lb} Springs 6^{lb} Hemp 1^{oz} Hair 3^{lb} Pitch & Resin 1 Quart of Oil—



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

Sealed Order from the Poor Law Commissioners declaring Joseph Sanguin Schoolmaster of the Workhouse unfit for that Office, and directing that he should at once cease from performing any of the duties belonging thereto - ✓



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, for Orders made on them respectively as follows: ✓

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners having reference to the Report of the Visiting Committee on the 13th Instant regarding the Cooking of potatoes in the Workhouse, and requesting the early attention of the Guardians to the subject - Also forwarding a Drawing of a Crane and Baskets to be used in the Kitchen - ✓

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners requesting to be furnished with a copy of the Dietary as arranged on the temporary discontinuance of potatoes - Also requesting to be furnished with a Copy of the Estimate for a new Rate when submitted to the Board - ✓

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners stating they had received the Report of D Brodie of the inquiry recently made, as to the conduct of Schoolmaster and Master of the Workhouse, as also

also circumstances affecting the Matron & Schoolmaster and that they would address the Guardians on the subject - ✓

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners on the subject of the inquiry held on the 13th Instant by D Brodie regarding the complaints of excessive severity in the part of Mr Sanguin Schoolmaster of the Workhouse towards Boys under his charge, as well as other imputations upon him and his wife, also referring to the conduct of the Master and Matron as to the circumstances, and forwarding Minutes of Evidence taken on the inquiry - ✓

The Guardians having taken into consideration the foregoing letter, and that part of it relating to the Master and Matron, both those Officers were called before the Board and strongly cautioned by the Chairman as to the circumstances affecting them - The Matron was directed to discharge Catharine Mann from her employment which she at once complied with - ✓

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners having reference to the Report of the Medical Officer on the subject of the Dietary of the Workhouse Inmates, and requesting the matter to receive the further consideration of the Board -

Referred to the Medical Officer - ✓

Circular to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners enclosing Forms to be filled respecting the Rates made and any new Rates agreed upon in the Unions - 1 August 1859 ✓

Read - Letter from Mr Joseph Sanguin Schoolmaster of the Workhouse requesting that the Board would ask the Commissioners to withdraw the Sealed Order, and allow him to resign, also to grant him a testimonial as to character &c. ✓ Mr Sanguin

M^r Saugans letter having been taken into consideration, the following Resolution was proposed by John H Brown Esq^r Seconded by Stephen J Leonard Esq^r and adopted by the Board -

Resolved -

That we request the Commissioners will be so good as to withdraw their Sealed Order of dismissal and allow M^r Saugan to resign - M^r Saugan being three years Schoolmaster in this House, and this being the first cause of complaint against him -

The Board appointed M^r Thomas Jackson to take charge of the Boys school, and act as Schoolmaster until such time as a regular appointment is made to that Office -

The Clerk was directed to summon the Board for the 24th Instant, to consider on that day the Estimate for a new Rate, and in the mean time to have 100 Copies of the

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 - 15 -

Ditto disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 9 -

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 Estimate printed, a copy to be forwarded to each member of the Board before that day -

The Clerk was directed to Summon the Finance Committee to meet on Wednesday next -

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 10th August 1859

Oliver Nixon

J Leonard

W. M. M.

Chairman
Others present

And Morris
Clerk of Union

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Thuram
UNION, on Wednesday day, the 3rd day of August 1859.
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 Thuram
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:*

Ordered

*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 _____ 18
(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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 Payments 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 _____ 18____.

_____ 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 Peate-payees 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, No. _____ 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 (OF Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

Letter to Clerk } From the Poor Law Commissioners having reference
No. 16935/1859 } to the account of Vaccination as furnished by
26 July 1859 } the Medical Officer of the Abbey Dispensary
and requesting the account in question to be
forwarded to them -

To the Board of Guardians, Tuam Union

Gentlemen

I beg to lay before you a Requisition for Medicines which are immediately requisite for the Tuam Dispensary. It was prepared for the Tuam Committee, but there having been no Meeting on last Saturday week and the Medicines absolutely necessary and indispensable, the Board will kindly order them at once as in former occasions and the copy will be laid before the Committee at their next Meeting

I am Gentlemen
Your Obedt Servant
The B. Currier

Signed

Clerk of the Union

Population in 1851—57196

Present Net Annual Value, ... £75,433.6

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of August 1859

Table with columns: 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 (Males, Fem.), Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, 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 (Number in Hospital, No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse), OBSERVATIONS.

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: 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 (Cases, Persons), 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 (Cases, Persons).

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 10th day of August 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Denis Kirwan

Other Guardians:

James Smyth, Richard Kelly, Stephen Lemack, William Gannon, Charles Blake, Patrick W. Mangan, Thomas Higgins, Charles Lynch, John J. Kirwan, Robert Botteill, Richard Savage, William D. Griffiths - 1

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.

*Between Thomas Reed of
Headford Policeman and Anne Curran of
Abbeystown Spinster -*

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1513 to No. 1517, 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, - - - - - £ 20¹¹ 2¹¹ 1¹

And that the Balance on the Account In favour of the Guardians was - £ 332¹¹ 3¹¹ 3¹

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 £ 9 16 s. 8 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 19 : 3 : 0 1/2 ✓

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - " : 1 : 7 ✓

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - " : 2 : 2 ✓

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - " : 3 : 3 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:

- 10 0 0 Flour ✓
10 0 0 Wholemeal ✓
9 1 lb Beef ✓
6 0 Baked Tuff ✓
7 3 2 Quarts sweet Milk ✓
2 10 Tea 14 lb Sugar ✓
4 Bottles Wine 1 lb Pepper ✓
28 lb Soap 4 lb Dept and ✓
1 1/2 lb Mould Candles - ✓
9 Quarters Veal - ✓

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

Table with columns for In money, In kind, and Total, showing expenditure figures.

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 for RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Check on Treasurer, By Order on Contractors, and Value. Includes rows for Nos. I to XVII and a TOTAL row.

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.

Table for Clothing Account with columns for £, s., and d., showing a large wavy scribble.

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

2. Establishment Account.

Table for Establishment Account with columns for £, s., and d., listing items like 'Jessie Lambie Postage to 5 July' and 'James Henshaw for Iron Gate'.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Michael Costelloe Flour & Wholmeul

£	s.	d.
29	8	7

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 Medical Officer reported that there were not any deaths during the past week, and that 45 persons remained under treatment.

The Medical Officer laid before the Board the following Report -

To the Board of Guardians Tuam Union.

Gentlemen, On consideration of the Commissioners letter referred to me at your last meeting, I find that in favouring the Dietary to be used in lieu of potatoes, the quantity of Vegetable Soup required by Class 3 for Dinner is less under the standard directed by the Commissioners in quantity though taking the Whitebread used along with it, the quantity of nutriment is not deficient. I would suggest that the 1/2 pint additional soup be given to that Class.

With respect to Class 6. the General Regulations

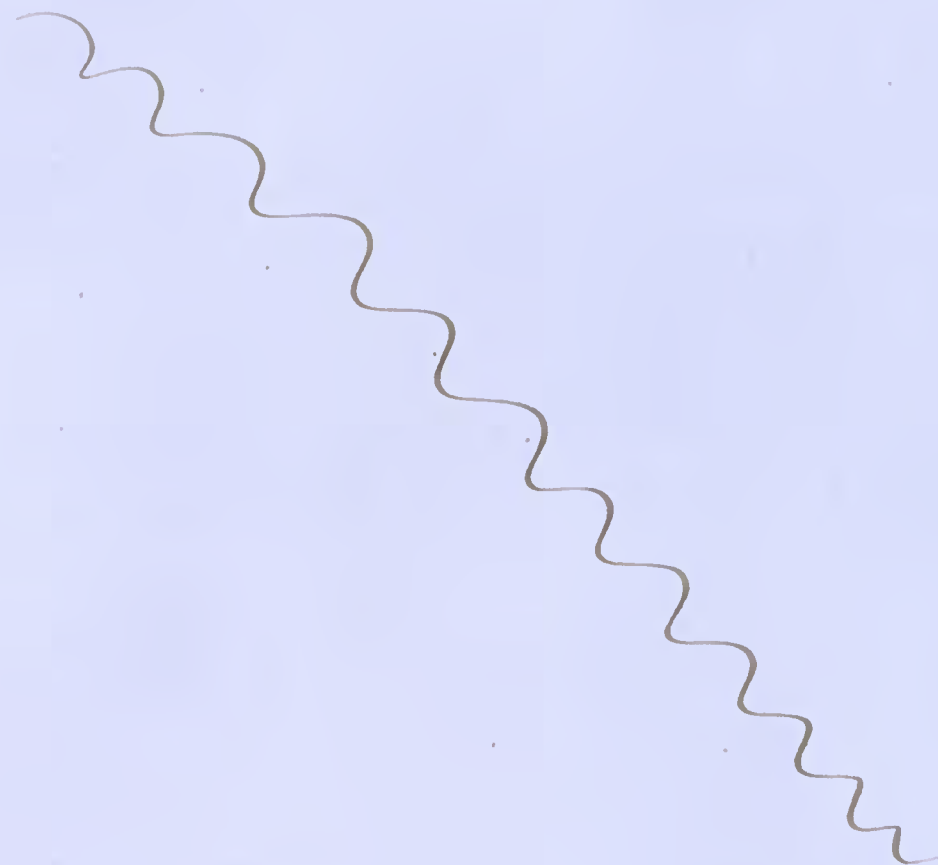
The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon as follows: require 5 OZ Brown bread for Dinner 3/4 pint Vegetable Soup and 4 OZ Brown bread (dry) for supper, I am of opinion that the Dietary now in use of 4 OZ White bread and 1/2 pint Vegetable soup for dinner with 4 OZ White bread and 1/2 pint of sweet milk for supper is equivalent in nutriment to that proposed by the Commissioners Regulations if not superior, but recommend that the Vegetable soup be increased to 3/4 pint for the purpose of increasing the quantity of fluid taken by that Class.

Thomas B Turner Medical Officer

The Master reported that Margaret Silk whose conduct he had already stated to the Board, was brought before the Magistrates at Petty Sessions on Monday last and fined 1/- and costs -

That the Court required repair and painting, and that there was required 2 Water Buckets and 2 Tin Gallons - Ordered -

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, for Orders made on them respectively as follows:

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners having reference to the case of the death of a man named Michael Conely on his way from Headford to the Workhouse, and enclosing for the information of the Guardians Dr. Little's explanation on the subject -
 N^o. 16,672 - 1859 }
 5th August 1859 }

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners referring to the Resolution of the Board of Guardians on the 3rd Instant, requesting the Commissioners to withdraw their sealed Order dismissing Mr. Sangan from his late situation and allow him to resign and stating that they could not concur with the Guardians in the matter. Also enclosing a form of Duns's respecting the person who may be appointed to that Office -
 N^o. 18047 - 1859 }
 9th August 1859 }

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners observing that the Board had not made any Order on the subject of their letter of the 22nd Ultimo regarding the mode of cooking potatoes in the Workhouse, and drawing the Guardians attention to the matter, also suggesting that as Bread has been temporarily substituted for potatoes a good opportunity is now afforded for providing against accident in the Kitchen as referred to in their letter -
 N^o. 18047 - 1859 }
 9 August 1859 }
 Order - Consideration deferred till after Harvest -

Circular to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners forwarding for the use of the Board of Guardians a copy of their Twelfth Annual Report -
 N^o. 172 No 59 }
 3rd August 1859 }

Reads - Letter from Mr. Maryam Sangan Schoolmistress of the Workhouse requesting the Board to extend her leave, and enclosing a Certificate from Dr. Woodhouse of Westport stating her to be in a delicate state of health, and recommending her stay at the Sea side for a month.
 Leave extended ✓

Reads - Letter from Mr. Charles Joly Agent to Lady Cliford stating that there is not any person residing on the Townlands of Killamina Shulegave Derrymore and Currylaw, authorized to issue Tickets for Medical Relief, that great inconvenience is felt by it, and requesting the Guardians to nominate some person in the vicinity for the purpose of issuing Tickets when required -

The Clerk was directed to inform Mr. Joly that the Guardians have not now the power to nominate a person to issue Tickets, and that when making such appointments in the month of April last, they nominated Mr. Dominick O'Flaherty and Mr. Thomas O'Flaherty of Lisdonna who live in the vicinity of those Townlands for the purpose of issuing Tickets for Medical Relief - ✓

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on
Wednesday the 17 August 1859 -

Thomas Brown	} Chairman
<u>Y. Leonard</u>	
Nick and Savage	
	} Others present

Jno Morris
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 -

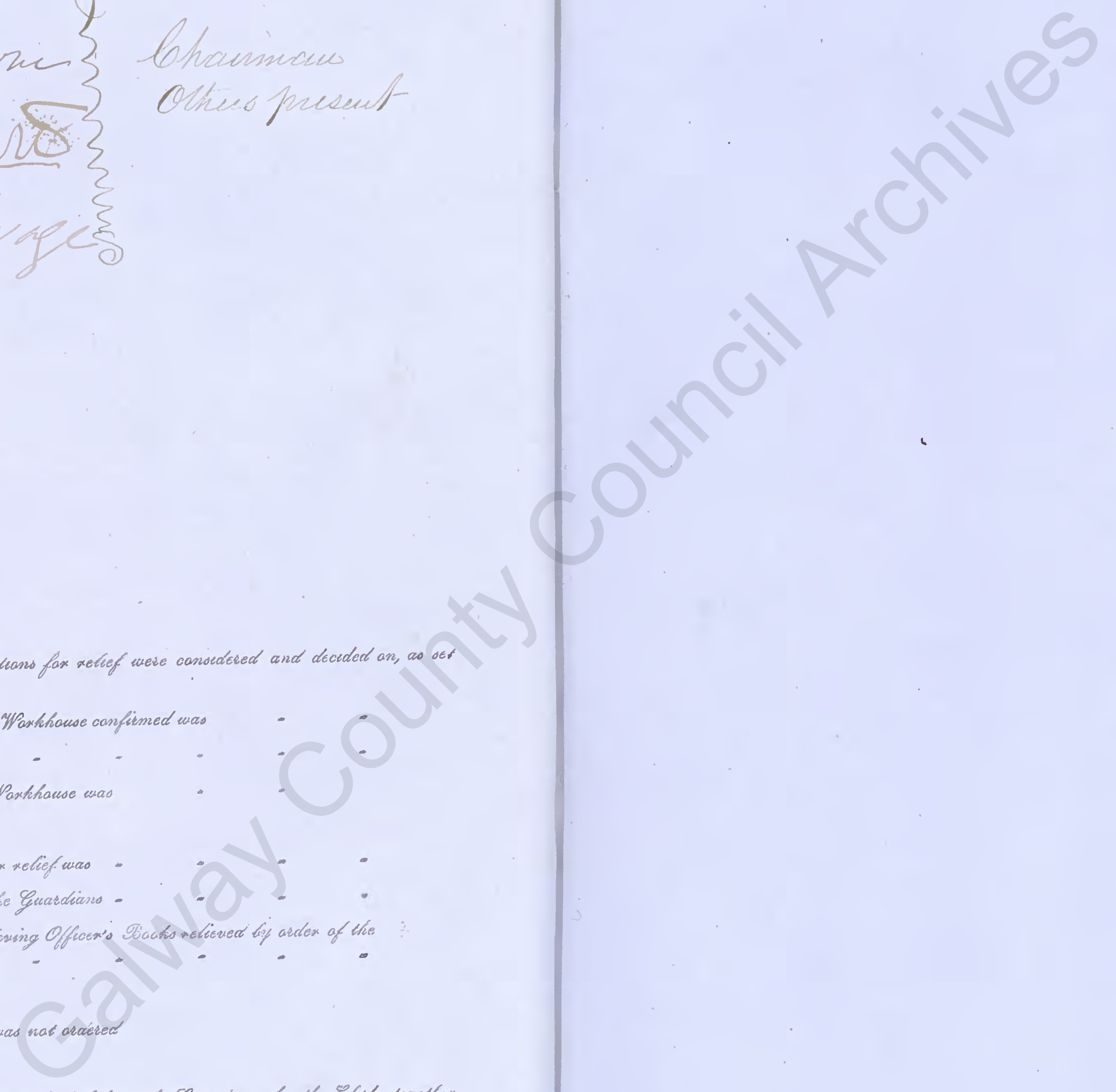
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was -

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

The number of other applicants in the 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 Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 18

(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 _____ 18

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 1855, 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 18

_____ 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 Poate-prayers 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 _____

Letter to Clerk
N^o. 17462-1859
6th August 1859

From the Poor Law Commissioners enclosing the Report of the Medical Officer of the Abbey Dispensary District under the Vaccination Act.

Read Letter from James Droyer Esq^r. One of the Medical Officers of the Tuam Dispensary District requesting leave of absence for a fortnight, and stating that D^r. Turner would perform the duties in his absence.

Leave granted ✓

Galway County

Signed ✓

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851—51196

Present Net Annual Value, ... £ 75,433-1-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of August 1859

Table with columns: 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 (Males, Fem.), Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, 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 (Number in Hospital on the above date, No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date), OBSERVATIONS.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 17th day of August 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, Thomas Browne
Other Guardians: Thomas Steggs, Pat W. Mangau, Mr. Cannon, Richard Savage, Richard Kelly, William J. Burke, Stephen J. Leonard, Frederick J. Lewis, James Morris

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.

Between Thomas Reid of
Meaford Policeman, and Anne Curran of
Abbey Town Spinster

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1511 to No. 1524, 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 Clerk reported that James Martin Esq^r Poor Law Auditor would require his attendance at Athenry Petty Sessions Court on Tuesday the 23rd Instant.

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, - - - - - ✓ £ 14. 10. 6

Paid during the week, - - - - - ✓ £ 25. 5. 6

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was ✓ £ 321. 8. 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.	
James Martin	Bunrath	"	11	1										
	Dombally	"	3	10										
	Dunmore	1	74	8										
	Kilbannon	"	3	2										
	Killeen	"	71	4										
	Miltown	"	2	3	4	3								
James Martin	Abbey East	"	16	1										
	Abbey West	"	14	4										
	Ballinapark	"	4	5										
	Cunimer	"	2											
	Dilkeaplane	6	4	2										
	Monireco	2	19	5										
	Pyne Hill	"	5	10	11	6	3							
		£	14	10	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 £ 24. 5 s. 11 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 19 : 11 : 11 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. : :

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - " : 1 : 7 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - " : 2 : 3

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - " : 3 : 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:

Cut-Leats lbs

20. 0. 0 First Flour

99 lb Beef

60 Bacon Tuf

75 7 Quarts Sweet Milk

2. 10 Tea 14 lb Sugar

5 Bottles Wine 1 lb Pepper

28 lb Soap 4 Dift and

1 1/2 lb Maudel Caudle 14 lb Hair

2 Stone Washing Soda

1 Bottle Wine Supplement order
9 Quarts Deal

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 on Out-door Relief was

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.

A Cheque was drawn for £ 2. 18. 0 to pay the following monthly accounts =

Martin Burke Tailor 4 weeks wages to the 13th inst. 1 10
Patrick Walsh Shoemaker do do 1 8

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 48 persons remained under treatment =

The Master reported that two Boys named Michael Gibbons and Peter Braunau refused to work for the Master Baker and gave him very insolence, that he gave Braunau a Slap on the mouth which cut him =

Michael Gibbons & Peter Braunau were called before the Board reprimanded for their conduct and directed to go to their work and obey the Master Baker =

The Master Baker was called before the Board and cautioned against striking in future any of the Boys in his Charge =

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, for Orders made on them respectively as follows:—

Letter to Clerk } From the Poor Law Commissioners referring to the
N^o. 18047-1859 } Guardians Minutes of the 3rd Instant and requesting
11th August-1859 } to be furnished with a copy of the Estimate for a
new Rate when it shall be approved of by the Board
of Guardians =

Letter to Clerk } From the Poor Law Commissioners having reference
N^o. 18524/1859 } to the report of the Medical Officer of the 10th
16th Aug^r-1859 } Instant on the Dietary of the Work House Inmates
during the temporary discontinuance of potatoes, and
stating that they approve the additions to the Dietary
as recommended by the Medical Officer =

Letter to Clerk } From the Poor Law Commissioners having reference
N^o. 1774-1859 } to the arrears uncollected of the Farmer Union
16th Aug^r-1859 } Rate, and requesting to be furnished with a Return
showing the present state of the Collection, and calling
for an explanation as to the cause of delay in case

the collection of the arrears has not yet been
closed =

The Clerk was directed to inform M^r. James Mantue
the Collector of the Farmer Union arrears of Rate to
hand in his warrant and lay a statement of his
Collection before the Board on Wednesday next =

Read = Letter from M^r. Charles Doby in reply to the Clerk's
Communication of the 12th Instant - stating that the
persons nominated to issue tickets for Medical Relief
in the vicinity of Lady Cliffo's Estate were unequalled
with the people and therefore unavailable to afford
Medical Aid, and hoping the Guardians would devise
some method to obviate the grievance =

The Clerk was directed to inform M^r. Doby that
M^r. Patrick W. Mougau Guardian for the Electoral
Division in which those Townlands are situated,
mentioned this day to the Board that he lived within
a 1/2 miles of the Townland in question, that he
frequently issued tickets to the people resident there,
and that he would be at all times prepared to issue
tickets to them whenever applied for =

Also that M^r. Doby ^{letter} would receive every attention
from the Guardians when enquiring their appointments
in March next =

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on
Wednesday the 24 August 1859

<u>Y. Heon</u>	}	Chairman
F. B. M.		
W. J. S.		

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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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____

UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 18 _____

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 _____ 18 _____

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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 _____ 18

_____ 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 _____

Population in 1851—51196

Present Net Annual Value, ... £75,433.60

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 20th day of August 1859

Table with columns for accommodation, age groups, and return of sick and lunatics. Includes rows for Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, and various age categories.

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, and Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Includes rows for No. I to No. XIX and a TOTAL row.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 24th day of August 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, Stephen Leonard - Charles Blake. Other Guardians: Robert Bottinill, Richard Savage, William Gannon, Francis Blake, Thomas Bodkin, Patrick W. Mangum, Francis Wade, Martin M. Donnell, Stephen M. Donogh, Henry Kirwan Thomas Browne, Charles Grant, Richard Tully, John J. Kirwan, Robert Bodkin, Peter Blake, John Gunning, Richard Sheidow. 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. 1524 to No. 1530, 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. 1 to No. 1, 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, - - - - - £ 11 11 11

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 32 6 7 ✓

And that the Balance on the Account In favor of the Guardians was - £ 289 11 8 ✓

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. 15 s. 6 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 19 : 6 : 7

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - " : 1 : 7 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - " : 2 : 14

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - " : 3 : 7 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:

- 92 lb Beef
60 Boxes Lard
431 Quarts Sweet-milk
2, 10 Tea 14 lb Sugar
5 Bottles Wine 1 Pepper
28 lb Soap 4 lb Dist and
1 1/2 lb Mould Candles
9 Quarters Veal

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

Table with columns for In money, In kind, and Total, with sub-columns for £, s., and d.

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 for RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Check on Treasurer, By Order on Contractors, and Value. Rows include No. I to No. XVII and Car. forwd.

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:

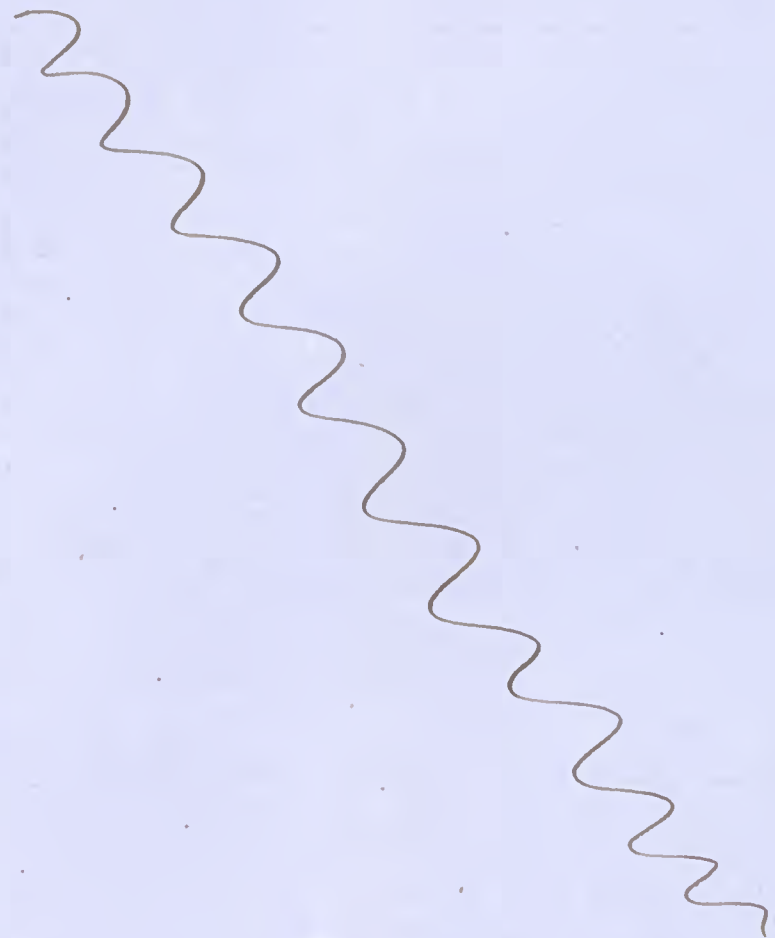
1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

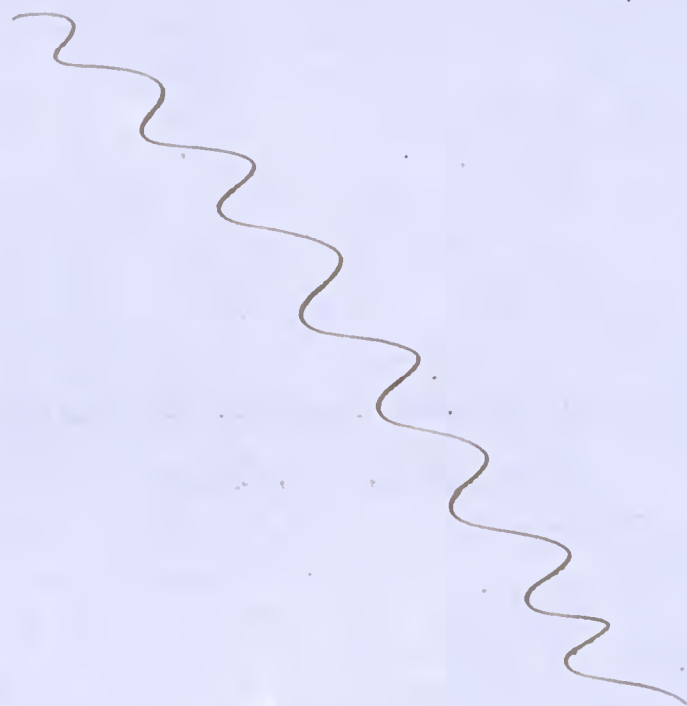
Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

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.

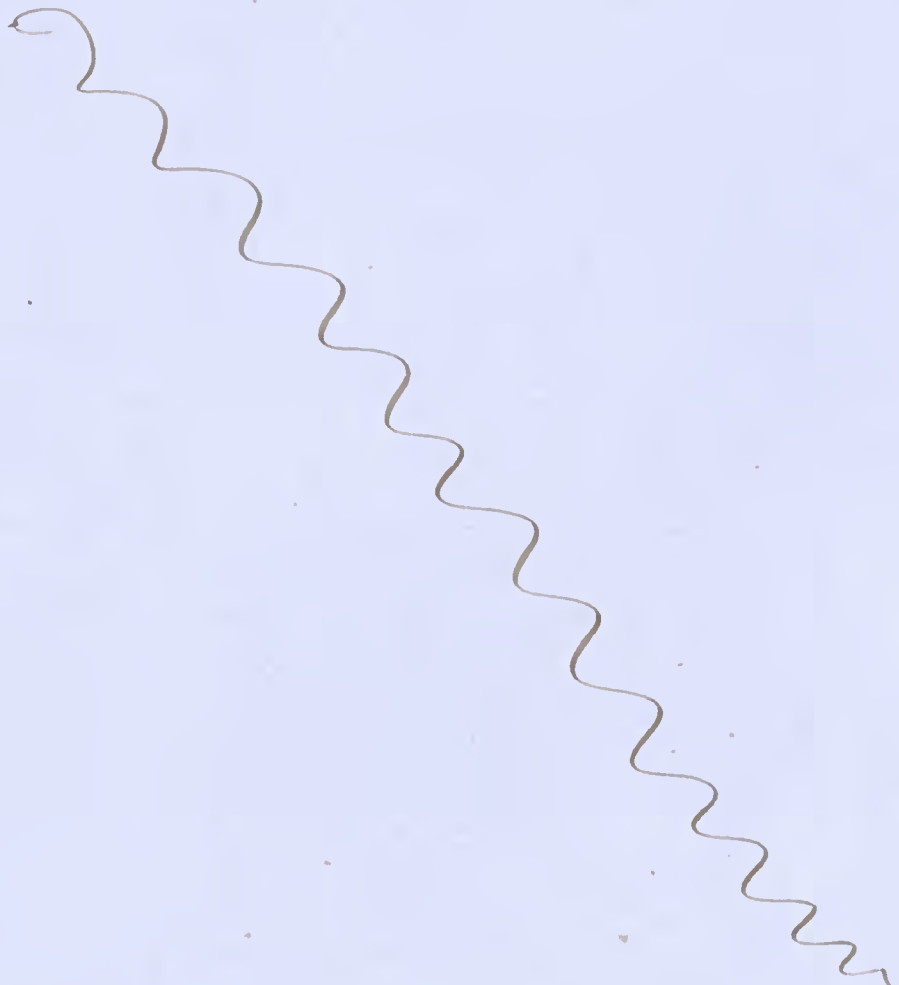
The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first meeting in every month.)—
Number of successful cases,

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

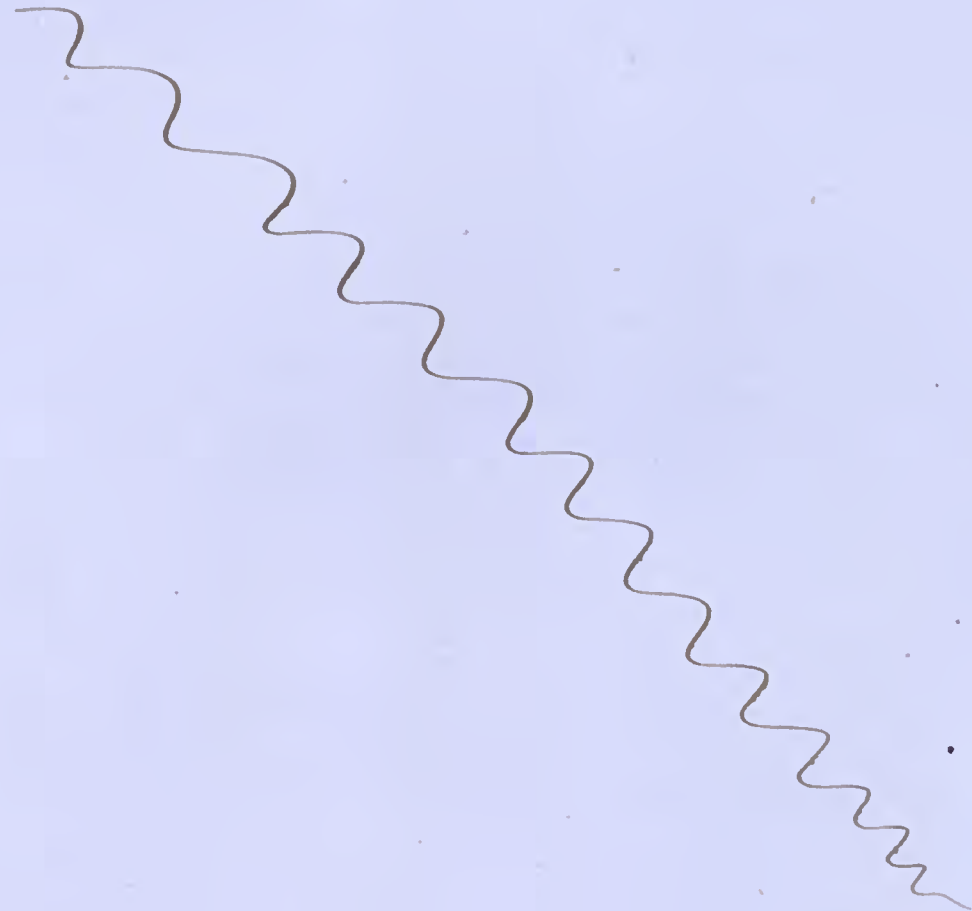


The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon as follows:

The Medical Officer reported that there were three deaths during the past week, and that 43 persons remained under treatment.



The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given therein, 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, for Orders made on them respectively as follows:

Circular to Clerks - From the Poor Law Commissioners stating that their attention had been drawn to a Circular letter signed Robert McChamney apprising Clerks of Unions of his intention to allow them 10 per Cent for Advertisements published in the Advertising Gazette - And in order to prevent at once any misunderstanding stating that it would be highly improper in any Union Clerk to receive any sum of money or any gift or advantage by way of Commission or reward for the performance of any part of the duties of his Office -

Read - The following letter from Mr. James Martyn Collector of the Arrears of the Farnham Union Rate, in reply to Clerk's communication of the 19th Inst. addressed to the Collector on that subject -

Circular Road
August 22nd 1859

Dear Sir,

As regards the Old Arrears, I have collected £8,500, and I would have collected the balance of £14,122¹/₂ due on Janet Kelly's property in Ballydothy, but I find Mr. Kelly has a Deceit against the land for same and I could not distrain on that account. Mr. Kelly told me Mr. Charles Blake gave him time to pay it by instalments and I have applied to him several times for it, and it is all to no effect.

As regards the balance of the arrears it is irrecoverable for I had several of them summoned and could not succeed in making them pay. I am out of pocket £4 on Mr. Figgis' account, returning people in the Warrant who had paid before, I had several journeys to this place called Kilgill, Old Village, and I nearly got myself in a hobble by them, and when I came to Mr. Figgis in a month afterwards it was then he struck ^{them} off as paid, you will see them marked in red ink, I send you the Warrant -

James Martyn

Mr. John Morris

The Clerk having laid before the Board the Estimate for a new Rate, and the Chairman having called for its considerations -

The following resolution was proposed by Stephen Leonard Esq^r and seconded by Charles Grant Esq^r -

I will move that the consideration of the Estimate be postponed until this day month -

The following Amendment was then proposed by William Gunn Esq^r -

William Gunn Esq^{re} and Seconded by Patrick W Mangau Esq^{re} -

That the Estimate for ^{the ensuing} ~~the~~ ~~year~~ ~~to~~ ~~be~~ ~~considered~~ on this day fortnight -

The Chairman having put the Amendment and Resolution to the Meeting - declared the Amendment carried -

The Clerk was directed to Summon the Board for this day fortnight for the purpose of taking into consideration the Estimate as prepared by him for a New Rate -

The Clerk was also directed to Advertise for a competent person to fill the Office of Schoolmaster of the Workhouse, proposals to be considered on this day fortnight -

Michael Monahan's Tender for making & furnishing a pair of Wheels, also for repairing and ^{the} ~~preparing~~ ~~the~~

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 - 6 -

Ditto disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 4 -

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 Mules Cart, for the sum of £4.10.0 was accepted -

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 31st August 1859

W. Gunn }
P. Mangau }
J. Leonard }
P. Mangau }

Chairman
Others present

J. Morris
Clerk of Union

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____

UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 18 _____

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 _____ 18 _____

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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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 _____ 18____.

_____ 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

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners having reference to the Guardians Minutes of the 10th Instant and to a reply made to a letter from Mr Charles Doly, and desiring to inform the Guardians that they have the power to appoint Wardens under the 50th Section of the Irish Poor Law Act 1st of 2nd Vic. Cap 56 -

The Clerk was directed to state that the Guardians are aware that they have the power under the above Act, to appoint Wardens within One month from the 25th March in each year, but that they have not now at this period of the year the power to appoint any person to that Office -

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of August 1859

Table with columns for Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided, Able-bodied, Aged and Infirm persons, Boys and Girls, 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, and OBSERVATIONS.

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., 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.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 31st day of August 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, William Gannon. Other Guardians: Stephen Leonard, Patrick W. Mangans, Richard Kelly, Francis Wade.

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 £ 9 19 s. 4 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 18 : 12 : 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 : 3 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - " : 3 : 6 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:

- 10 0 0 Wholmeal
10 0 0 Indian meal
10 0 0 Oatmeal
9 2 0 Beef
60 Boxes Beef
6 7 8 Quarts Sweet Milk
2 10 0 Tea 14 0 0 Sugar
5 Bottles Mustard 1 0 0 Pepper
28 0 0 Soap 1 0 0 Starch 2 0 0
4 Blue 4 0 0 Dye 1 1/2 Mould

Candles
9 Quarters Veal

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 on Out-door Relief was

Table with columns for monetary amounts: In money, In rna., 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.

Table for Clothing Account with columns for monetary amounts.

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

2. Establishment Account.

Table for Establishment Account with columns for monetary amounts.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

[Wavy scribble]

£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

[Wavy scribble]

£	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:

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[Wavy scribble]

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

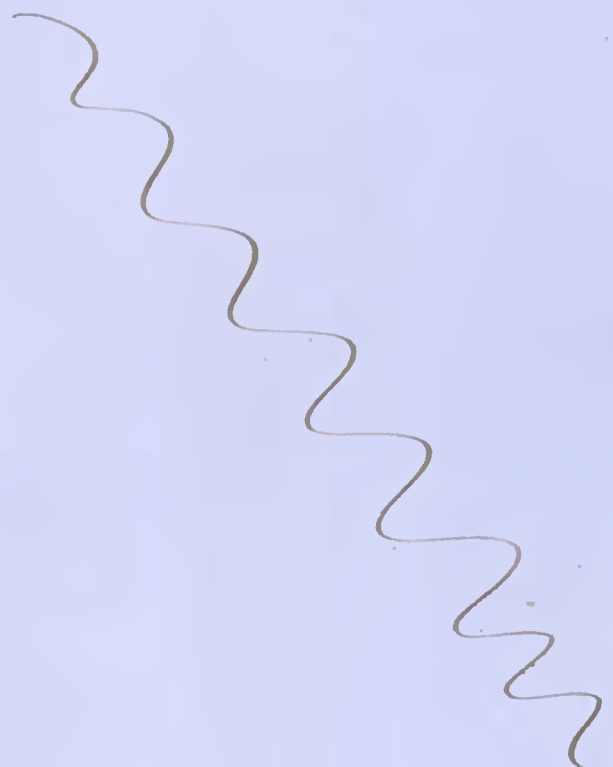
The Medical Officer reported that there were two deaths during the past week, and that 39 persons remained under treatment —

The Master reported that two panels and the moulding of the front gate were broken by the Irish Contractors last, that he had not yet repaired it, although he promised to do so —

The Requirements on the Masters Report were ordered — Namely — 12 Dozen Brooms, 3000 Shoe Nails & White Wash Brushes —

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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:

Read - Letter from the Secretaries of the National Board of Education forwarding the following extracts from the Inspectors Report of the 29th Ult^o. on the Workhouse Schools -

"The course of literary instruction is suitable and the proficiency attained by the pupils is of a fair degree, and affords evidence of the diligence and ability of the teachers. - The School is progressing"

Read - Letter from Mr. James Martyn Contractor for Bread Stuffs requesting payment of his account -

Referred to Finance Committee -

The following Resolution proposed by Patrick W. Mangau Esq^o and Seconded by Francis Wade Esq^o was adopted by the Board -

We recommend that the Relieving Officers when practicable (in order to save expense) send for the Workhouse Male & Out for the purpose of conveying to the Workhouse any sick persons who may require relief -

The Master having brought before the Board two paupers named Bridget Maley and Mary Kelly for riotous and disorderly conduct -

Proposed by Patrick W. Mangau Esq^o Seconded by Stephen Leonard Esq^o and adopted by the Board. Mr. Richard Kelly dissenting -

That the Master be directed to prosecute Bridget Maley and Mary Kelly for their disorderly conduct as complained of by him this day -

The Master was accordingly directed to Summon the above named parties before the Magistrates at Petty Sessions on Monday next -

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 2nd of September 1859 -

J. Wm Francis Munnell Chairman
Richard Lavoff Others present
W. Munnell

Geo Morris
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 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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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____

UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 18 ____

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 _____ 18

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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 18

_____ 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 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

Letter to Blatto - From the Poor Law Commissioners having reference to a Minute of the Board of the 24th Instant N^o. 19415-1859 respecting the Appointment of Wardens in the Union, and desiring to state that there is no Provision in the 50th Section of the Act 1842 Vic. Cap 56. prohibiting the appointment of Wardens after the lapse of One Month, when the appointments have not been made in regular course -

Galway County

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851—57196

Present Net Annual Value, ... £75433.6.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of September 1859

Table with columns for accommodation types (Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, etc.), age groups (Able-bodied, Aged and Infirm, etc.), and return of sick and lunatics. Includes sub-tables for 'In Hospital' and 'In separate Wards'.

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, and Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Includes rows for districts I through IX and a total row.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 7th day of September 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, John F. Browne, Thomas Barone & Blatto -

Other Guardians: Stephen J. Semard, Richard Savage, William Ronaldson, Richard Kelly, Francis Wade, Dominick Tully, Thomas J. Poalthin, Patrick W. Mangan, Edmund J. Kelly, Charles Lynch, William Gannon, Stephen Roche, Stephen J. Mc Donogh, Thomas O'Donovan, Arthur W. Blake, Charles Grant William D. Griffiths -

Doctor David Pow Law Inspector -

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 £ 25, 19 s. 0 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 18 : 4 : 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - " : 1 : 8 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - " : 2 : 5

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - " : 3 : 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:

- 90 lb Beef
60 Boxes Inf
668 Quarts stout milk
2x10 Tea 14 lb Sugar
5 Bottles Wine 1 lb Pepper
28 lb Soap 4 lb Dept and
1 1/2 lb Mould Candles
9 Quarters Meal

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 on Out-door Relief was

Table with columns for In money, s. d., and Total. Includes handwritten entries and a wavy signature.

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 for RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Check on Treasurer, By Order on Contractors, and Value. Includes rows for No. I to IX and a TOTAL row.

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:

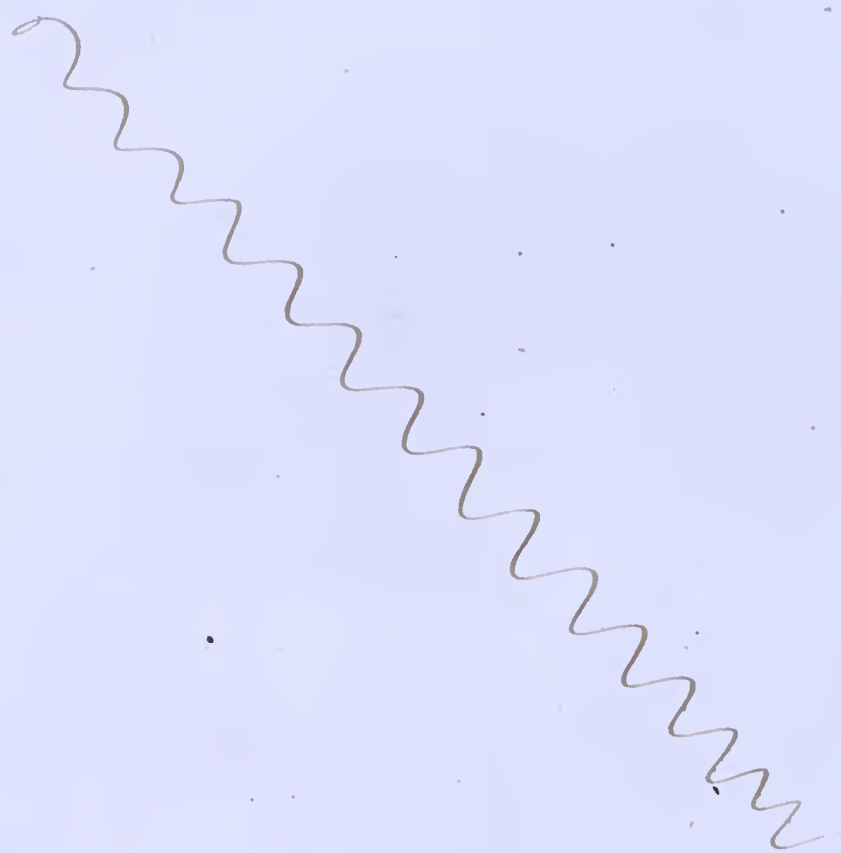
1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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, for Orders made on them respectively as follows: /

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners, having reference to No. 19415/1859 } that portion of Mr. James Martyn's letter respecting 1st Sept. 1859 } his inability to detain for Rates of the Farm Union of Tuam due on the property of Mr. Ganit Kelly, owing to a Decree for these Rates being held by Mr. Kelly Solicitor, and desiring to state that the Board should at once call on Mr. Kelly to explain why he has not recovered under the Decree - also requesting the Guardians to take immediate steps for the final closing of the old Union accounts - ✓

Circular to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners enclosing No. 185 M 59 } Forms to be filled respecting the Rates made 1st Sept 1859 } and any new Rates agreed upon in the Union - ✓

The Clerk was directed to call on Mr. Kelly for an explanation regarding the Decree against Mr. Ganit Kelly - ✓

The Guardians having taken into consideration the tenders from the following persons (and their several Testimonials and competency for the Office of Schoolmaster of the Workhouse) namely Walter Hacket, John Anbro, and Thomas Jackson - ✓

Proposed by Edmund J. Kelly Esq^r and Seconded by Charles Lyons Esq^r ✓

Resolved - That Mr. Walter Hacket be appointed Schoolmaster - ✓

Proposed by John F. Browne Esq^r and Seconded by Richard Savage Esq^r ✓

Resolved - That Mr. Thomas Jackson be appointed to the Office of Schoolmaster - ✓

A poll having been taken there appeared 8 Votes for Mr. Hacket, 8 Votes for Mr. Jackson and 1 Vote for Mr. Anbro - ✓

A second poll having been taken there appeared 9 Votes for Mr. Hacket and 8 Votes for Mr. Jackson - ✓

The Chairman declared Mr. Walter Hacket elected Schoolmaster of the Workhouse - ✓

Read - Circular from the Royal Dublin Society transmitting Agricultural Journals for Answers to be considered by the Board - ✓

The Clerk having laid before the Board the Estimate for a new Rate, and the Guardians having taken it into consideration - ✓

Proposed by John F. Browne Esq^r and Seconded by Pat. W. Mengin Esq^r ✓

Resolved - That the Estimate now submitted to the Board be adopted, the fractions to be struck off the poundage Rate now agreed on - ✓

The Chairman having put the Resolution to the Board declared it carried, and adopted the Estimate striking off savings, when they occur in the poundage Rate on each Electoral Division - ✓

Proposed by John F Barrow Esq^{re} and Seconded by Calvert W Mangau Esq^{re} and adopted by the Board -

That Collectors be advertised for on the terms of last year viz - 6 per £ and 9 per £ provided the collection be complete in or before the 1st April next -

Proposed by Stephen Roche Esq^{re} seconded by William Ronaldson Esq^{re} and adopted -

That the recommendation of the Visiting Committee to prepare a separate Board for immoral females be adopted - ✓

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. /

Read the following Protest -

We protest against the adoption of this Estimate in as much as tho' the number of paupers has decreased nearly one third, the sum estimated for a very nearly as high as in the past years -

Signed

- Thos O'Donelan
- Stephen Leonard
- Charles Grant
- S. J. M. Dwyer
- Charles Lynch

The Clerk was directed to advertise for Dead Stocks Groceries Meat & up to 25th Decmber next - Tenders to be considered on this day fortnight -

Also to advertise for persons to collect the new Rate on the terms of the Resolution passed this day - proposals to be considered on this day fortnight -

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 14th September 1859

John Blah
 Wm Thomas Brown
 Dick and Larage

Chairman
 Others present

Jno Morris
Clerk of 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 _____ 18 ____
continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and
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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:*

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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 _____ 18 ____

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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 _____ 18

_____ District,	£
_____ District,	£

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The Board elected the following Post-prayers 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

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners referring to their No. 19902-1859 } letter of the 30th Ult. and to the Minutes of the 5th Sept. 1859 } 31st Ult. respecting the appointment of Wardens and stating that it does not appear from the Minutes that the Guardians made any order on the subject -

The Clerk was directed to state that the Board made no order on the matter, the Guardians finding that in the locality mentioned there was sufficient accommodation for providing tickets for Medical Relief -

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10 day of September 1859

Table with columns for Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided, No. that can be accommodated in each building, Total No. in each building, Able-bodied, Aged and Infirm persons, Boys and Girls, 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, and OBSERVATIONS.

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., 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.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 14th day of September 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

No Meeting of Guardians this day -

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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 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, for Orders made on them respectively as follows: /



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

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

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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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[No. 27.]

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE _____
UNION, ON _____ DAY, THE _____ DAY OF _____ 18 ____
continued.

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Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

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day of _____ 18 ____

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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:)

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Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

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An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 1855, 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 _____ 18

_____ 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 Peate-prayers 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—51196

Present Net Annual Value, ... £75433-6-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of September 1859

Table with columns for accommodation types (Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, etc.), age groups (Able-bodied, Aged and Infirm, etc.), and return of sick and lunatics. Includes sub-tables for hospital admissions and discharges.

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, and Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Includes rows for districts No. I to No. IX and a Total row.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 21st day of September 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, Charles Blake, Denis Kirwan, & Charles P. M.

Other Guardians: Dominick B Leonard, Thomas Browne, William Gunnion, Richard Savage, Patrick W Mangaw, John F Browne, Stephen J Leonard, Francis Wade, Richard Kelly, Tho. O'Donovan, Robert Piddkin, Wm. Ronaldson, Stephen Roche, Stephen McDonogh, & M. McDonnell

(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 £ 25 14 s. 2 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 16 : 13 : 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 : 6 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - " : 2 : 7

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

Table with two columns of handwritten entries for various goods like Wholemeal, Beef, Butter, Tea, Sugar, Soap, etc., with quantities and prices.

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

Table with columns for 'In money' and 'In kind' and a 'Total' row.

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 for RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Check on Treasurer, and By Order on Contractors (Article and quantity, Value).

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.

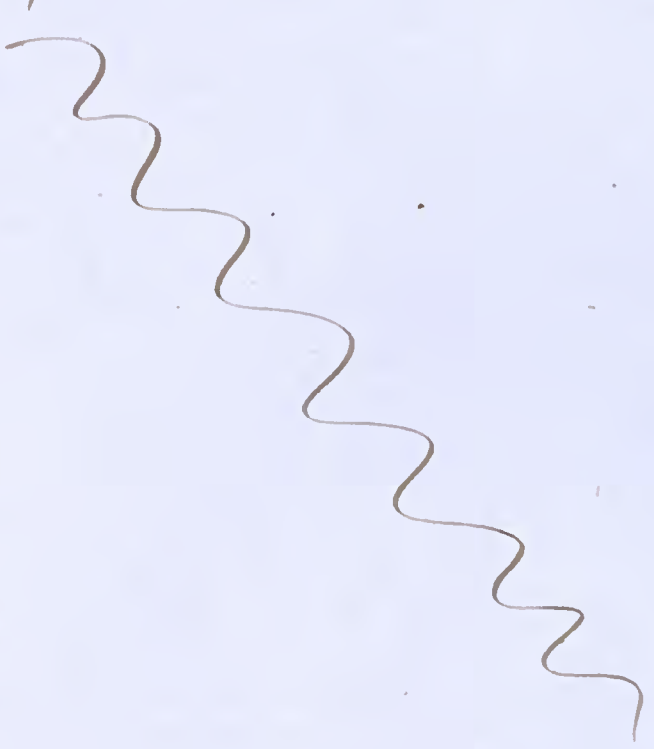
2. Establishment Account.

Alcheque was drawn for £ 4 11 0 to pay the following Tradesmens accounts -

Table listing tradesmen accounts: Martin Burke Tailor 4 Weeks Wages to 10 Instant, Patrick Walsh Shoemaker, Patrick Egan Carpenter 16 Days Wages, Maryann Saugan Salary to 29 Instant, Clerk for Petty Cash.


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.

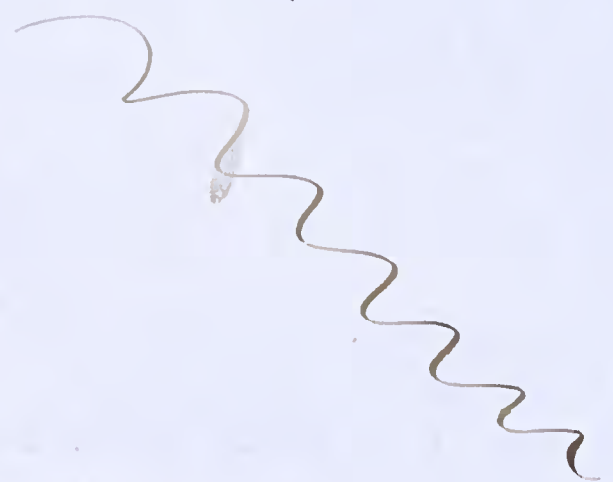
4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

	£	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:

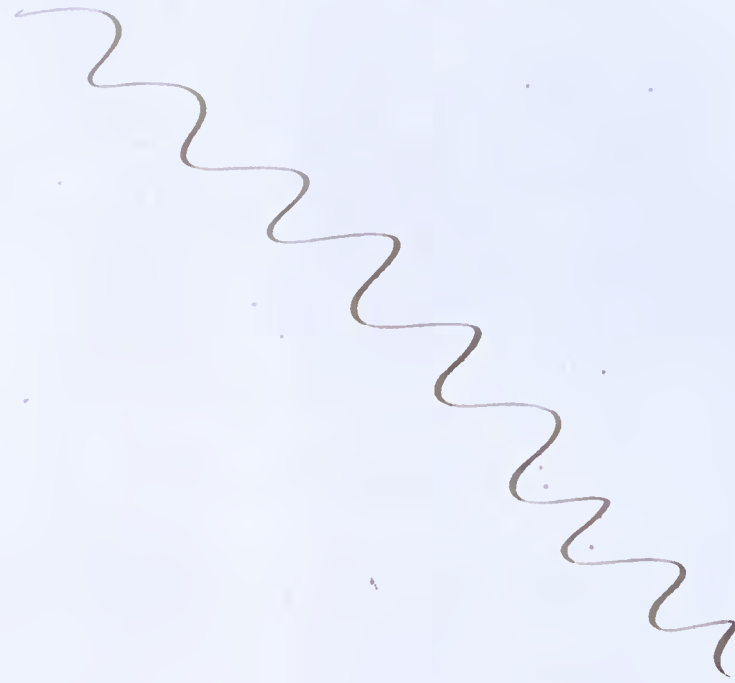
The Medical Officer reported, that there were not any deaths during the past week, and that 36 persons remained under treatment.

The Master reported that he received an Estimate for preparing the separate Ward for females, which he begged to lay before the Board, the amount required for making the necessary alterations being One pound, the estimate was accepted.

The following Requisitions on the Master's Report were Ordered— 1 Bottle Alter Wine, 3 Dozen Thumb
500 Needles, 12 Dozen Pins, 2000 Nails, 1 Kettle Tea-pot,
1 Gallon Oil, ^{1/2} lb Whitelead, 2 ^{lb} Lampblack.



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, for Orders made on them respectively as follows:

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners enclosing Forms of questions to be answered by him and the persons who may be appointed to collect the Rate now about to be made in the Unions -
N^o. 20,368/1859
13th Sept 1859

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners transmitting for the information of the Guardians a copy of a letter which they had received from Mr. W. Marshall Day relative to his right to act as an Ex Officio Guardian of the Union together with a copy of their reply -
N^o. 20,862/1859
14th Sept 1859

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners respecting the appointment of Mr. Walter Hackett to the Office of Schoolmaster of the Workhouse, and stating that they had referred to the circumstances under which Mr. Hackett resigned the Office of Assistant Schoolmaster of the Inam Workhouse, and of Schoolmaster of the Clifden Workhouse, also stating that under the circumstances, they could
N^o. 20,976/1859
20th Sept 1859

could not approve of the appointment of Mr. Hackett as Schoolmaster, and requesting the Guardians to have the goodness to Advertise again for a person to fill that Office -

The Clerk was directed to Advertise for a person to fill the Office of Schoolmaster. Tenders to be considered on this day month -

Office Inam 14th Sept. 1859

Gentlemen,

In reply to the letter of the Poor Law Commissioners of the 1st Inst. directed to Mr. Morris your Clerk, on the subject of the Civil Bill Decree for Poor Rates obtained by me at your suit against Mr. Garret Kelly, which he submitted to me - And as the Commissioners appear to think the Decree remains in my hands, I beg to state that this Decree has been filed and registered as a Judgment in one of the Superior Courts, pursuant to the provisions of the 12th & 13th Vic. Cap 104. Sec 17. And I have no doubt, if you direct me to apply to Mr. Kelly that he will pay the balance now due on foot of this Decree -

I have the honor to be
The Board of Guardians
Inam Unions.
Jeremiah Kelly
S^{er}g^t

The Chairman marked Mr. Kelly's letter read without making any Order -

Read. Letter from W. Marshall Day Esq^r declaring his willingness to act as an Ex Officio Guardian of the Union and requesting the Clerk to place his name on the list -

Read. Letter from Mrs. Mary Ann Saugan resigning her situation as Schoolmistress of the Workhouse, and requesting a testimonial of character, also to be paid the amount of salary due her -

M^{rs}. Saugan

M^r. Saugans resignation was accepted, and a cheque drawn for £5 being the amount of Salary due her up to the 29th Instant.

The Matron was directed to take charge of the Girls the Sisters of Mercy attending each day to their instruction in the School.

The Guardians having taken into consideration the several Tenders for Bread Stuffs, Groceries Meat &c.

Resolved. That the Tender of M^r. Martin Cluan for supplying for three months from the 25th Instant (carriage free) best First Flour at £14.15.0 per Ton, best Wholemeal at £9.14.0 per Ton, and best Indian Meal at £8.17.6 per Ton be accepted.

That the Tender of M^r. James Martyn for supplying for three months from the 25th Instant carriage free best Oatmeal at £12.0.0 per Ton 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 11

Ditto disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 16

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.)

That the Tender of M^r. Martin Owens for supplying for three months from the 25th Instant, best Black Tea at 3.14 per lb, Brown Sugar at 5 per lb, Whole Pepper at 1/2 per lb, best Port Wine at 29/- per Dozen, best White Soap at 38/- per cwt and Washing Soda at 10/- per cwt be accepted.

That the Tender of M^r. Joseph Kilgariff for supplying for three months from the 25th Instant, best Dip. Candles at 62 per lb and best mould Candles at 7 per lb be accepted.

That the Tender of M^r. Mathew Connor for supplying for three months from the 25th Instant best Beef (the part required for Hospital use to be free of bone) at 4 1/2 per lb be accepted.

The Guardians next proceeded to the appointment of persons to collect the Rate about to be made, and then having appeared two Tenders, One from M^r. Denis Kirwan of Tuam the other from M^r. James Martyn of Tuam.

Resolved. That the Tender of M^r. Denis Kirwan to collect the Rates about to be made on the several Electoral Divisions comprised in the Tuam Collecting District at 9 Nine pence in the pound provided the Collection be complete on or before the 1st April next. Otherwise to be paid only Six pence in the pound on his collection be accepted.

That the Tender of M^r. James Martyn to collect the Rates about to be made on the several Electoral Divisions comprised in the Dunmore and Abbey Collecting Districts at Nine pence in the pound provided the Collection in the complete on or before the 1st April next. Otherwise to be paid only Six pence in the pound on his collection be accepted.

There being no Tenders before the Board for the collection of the Rates in the Headford District, the Clerk was directed to continue the Advertisement for a Collector for that District, Tenders to be considered on next Board day - ✓

Read. Letter from the Agent of the Sun Fire Office calling the Guardians attention to the premium of Insurance falling due on the 29th Instant Amount £1,100. ✓

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 28th September 1859 -

Chas Blake } Chairman
Henry Finlay }
Michael Savage } Others present

Jno Morris
Clerk of Union

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 18 _____

(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 _____
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_____ District	£
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The Board elected the following Peate-keepers 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,)

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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— 51196

Present Net Annual Value, ... £75,433.60

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of September 1859

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,	1134	167												
Temporary Buildings,	300	2												
Additional Workhouse,														
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	50	11												
Total,	1484	178												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			9	30	14	33	20	20	5	14	20	165	In Work-house Hospital, 28 In Fever Hospital, 11	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, 5
Admitted during the Week,			"	9	1	"	1	"	2	1	6	20	Total, 39	Total, 5
TOTAL,			9	39	15	33	21	20	7	15	26	185		
Discharged during the Week,			"	4	"	"	"	"	"	"	3	7		
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"		
Total Discharged and Dead,			"	4	"	"	"	"	"	"	3	7		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			9	35	15	33	21	20	7	15	23	178		

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. forwd.						
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 28th day of September 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, Charles Blake.

Other Guardians:

Richard Savage, William Gannon, Robert Botteill, Henry Kirwan, Patrick W. Mangau, Thomas Higgins, Francis Wade, Thomas Brown, John J. Gunning

(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 £ 14 ¹¹/₁₀ s. 10 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 16 : 14 : 9 ✓

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

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - : 2 : 9

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:

81^{lb} Beef
 596 Quarts Sweet Milk
 660 Boxes Lard
 2.10 Tea 14^{lb} Sugar
 1^{lb} Pepper 3 Bottles Olive
 4^{lb} Lard and 1^{lb} Mould
 Candles 9 Quarters Veal

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 on 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 } From the Poor Law Commissioners forwarding questions
No. 21224 1859 } for answers to be signed by him and the person
27th Sept 1859 } who may be appointed to the Office of Schoolmaster -

Letter to Clerk } From the Poor Law Commissioners having reference
No. 21224 1859 } to the resignation of Mr. Sangan Schoolmaster
27th Sept 1859 } of the Workhouse, and to the direction given that
the Matron take charge of the School, and stating
that having regard to the various duties which the
Matron has to perform with regard to her own Office
the employment of a Schoolmaster appears necessary
also requesting the Guardians to reconsider the subject
with a view to the appointment of a competent Teacher
for the children in the Workhouse -

Consideration deferred.

Reads Letter from C Bayley Esq. Chairman of the Rathfriland Union calling attention to the number of Females with illegitimate children in the Workhouses in Ireland with a view of ascertaining the Guardians opinions, and cooperation on the subject, and suggesting if Petitions were presented to Parliament next Session, some plan might be devised to remedy the growing evil -

The Guardians having taken into consideration the appointment of a person to collect the Rates about to be made in the several Electoral Divisions comprised in the Headford District -

Resolved - That the Tender of Mr. Peter Quany proposing to collect the Rates about to be made in the several Electoral Divisions in the Headford Collecting District, at Nine pence in the pound provided the Collection be completed on or before the 1st day of April next, otherwise to be paid only Six pence in the pound, be accepted -

Reads Letter from Mr. Martin Burke Master Tailor of the Workhouse requesting leave of absence for one week -

Refused, clothes being required -

The following Guardians were appointed as a Visiting Committee at the Board of the 21st Inst (which the Clerk omitted to place in the Minutes of that day) namely - Richard Kelly, John F. Browne, Richard Savage, William Gunnen, and Thomas O. Donlan -

The Clerk was directed to summon the Finance Committee to meet on Wednesday the 12th October next -

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
 UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 18 ____
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 _____ 18 ____

(Signed) _____
 Clerk of the Union.

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

At a Meeting of the Headford Dispensary Committee held at the Dispensary House, 27th September 1859 -

Members present - William D. Burke (Chairman), Captain Court John J. Gunning, Michael Roche, Patrick Hackett, Jeremiah Petty, Tobias Laffy, Robert Botteill.

In consequence of the death of Francis E. Little Esq^r late Medical Officer of this District -

Resolved - That Simon Little Esq^r be appointed to act temporarily and that the thanks of this meeting be tendered him for his kindly undertaking that Office -

Resolved - That an Extraordinary Meeting of this Committee be held on Monday the 10th Oct. next, to appoint a Medical Officer for this District, and that in the interim an Advertisement for a duly qualified person be inserted in the following Newspapers - The General Advertiser, Daily Express, Freeman, Freeman Herald, Galway Express and Galway Vindicator - Salary £100 per Annum -

Resolved - That this Committee sensible of the loss sustained by the Headford Dispensary District in the death of the late Medical Officer Francis E. Little cannot separate without expressing the sincere regret they feel, and the sense of the ability and zeal with which during nine years he performed the arduous duties of his Office -

The foregoing proceedings having been read, the following Resolution was proposed by Patrick W. Mangin Esq^r and seconded by William Gannon Esq^r -

Resolved - That the salary of the Medical Officer of the Headford Dispensary be advertised for at £120 per Annum, and that the Advertisement be inserted in the Connaught Patriot in addition to those Newspapers recommended by the Committee - The Resolution having been put, and a poll being taken, there appeared 3 for and 5 votes against the Resolution -

The Secretary was requested to insert the Advertisement in the Connaught Patriot in addition to the Papers recommended by the Committee -

Signed,

Charles Blake Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851 - 51196

Present Net Annual Value, ... £ 75433.6

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of October 1859

Table with columns: Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided, No. that can be accommodated in each building, Total No. in each building, Able-bodied (Males, Fem.), Aged and Infirm persons, Boys and Girls, Children above 5 and under 9, Children above 2 and under 5, Infants under 2 years of age, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS (Number in Hospital, No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse), OBSERVATIONS.

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: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. (Number of cases, Number of Persons), Total relieved out of the Workhouse (Cases, Persons), RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. (Number of cases, Number of Persons), Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. (Number of cases, Number of Persons), Total relieved out of the Workhouse (Cases, Persons).

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 12th day of October 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, Charles Blake

Other Guardians: William Gannon, Richard Kelly, Richard Savage,

John F. Browne, Robert Bodkin, Stephen Leonard, Stephen Roche, John S. Kerwin, Stephen J. M. Donagh, Henry Kerwin, Dominick B. Leonard, James Kerwin, Francis Wade, David Rutledge, Thomas Brannan, Martin M. Donnell.

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. 6 s. 8 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 16 : 17 : 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 : 3

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - : 2 : 8 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:

Handwritten list of provisions: cut 9rs lbs 20.0.0 Oatmeal, 84 lbs Beef, 16 Boxes Surf, 6 1/2 Quarts Sweet Milk, 2 lbs 6 3/4 Tea 12 1/2 Sugar, 4 Bottles wine 1 lb Pepper, 21 lbs Soap 4 lbs Dipt, and 1 1/2 lb Mould Candles, 9 Quarters Deal.

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

Table with columns for In money, In kind, and Total, with handwritten entries.

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 for RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Check on Treasurer, and By Order on Contractors. Includes rows for Nos. I to IX and a TOTAL row.

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.

Handwritten scribbles in the Clothing Account section.

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

2. Establishment Account.

Table listing names and salaries: Rev. Eugene Coppe Salary 15.0.0, Neal Brownie Salary 3.15, Mr. B. Turner do 27.10.0, Patrick Monahan 5, Mrs. Morris do 22.10.0, Thomas Jackson Salary 3.10, Mrs. Hopkins do 10.0.0, Clerk to pay small claims 9.8, Eliza Coen do 6.5.0, Clerk for Petty Cash 5, Robert Delap do 4.5.0, Agnes Burke do 3.10.0, Mary B. Bourne do 3.0.0, J. W. Fore do 5.0.0, Patrick Kelly do 3.15.0, Peter Courran do 3.15.0.

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 Visiting Committee reported the House to be in good order. The apartments for immoral females ready, and recommended that street-girls and such as have left little hopes of reformation be lodged in that department and should any require medical treatment that they be attended there, and not brought to Hospital, also that the Mangle's gown on the ground be sold by Auction

and that the potatoes be dug out of ground, The Committee also recommend that a return of Clothing issued to persons since the 25th March last be furnished this day week, showing the number of suits issued, how many of the persons who got them returned to the House, and how many suits of this description have been reissued, or are now in store.

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 42 persons remained under treatment -

That the Potatoes being now ripe he suggested the return to that Aetary -

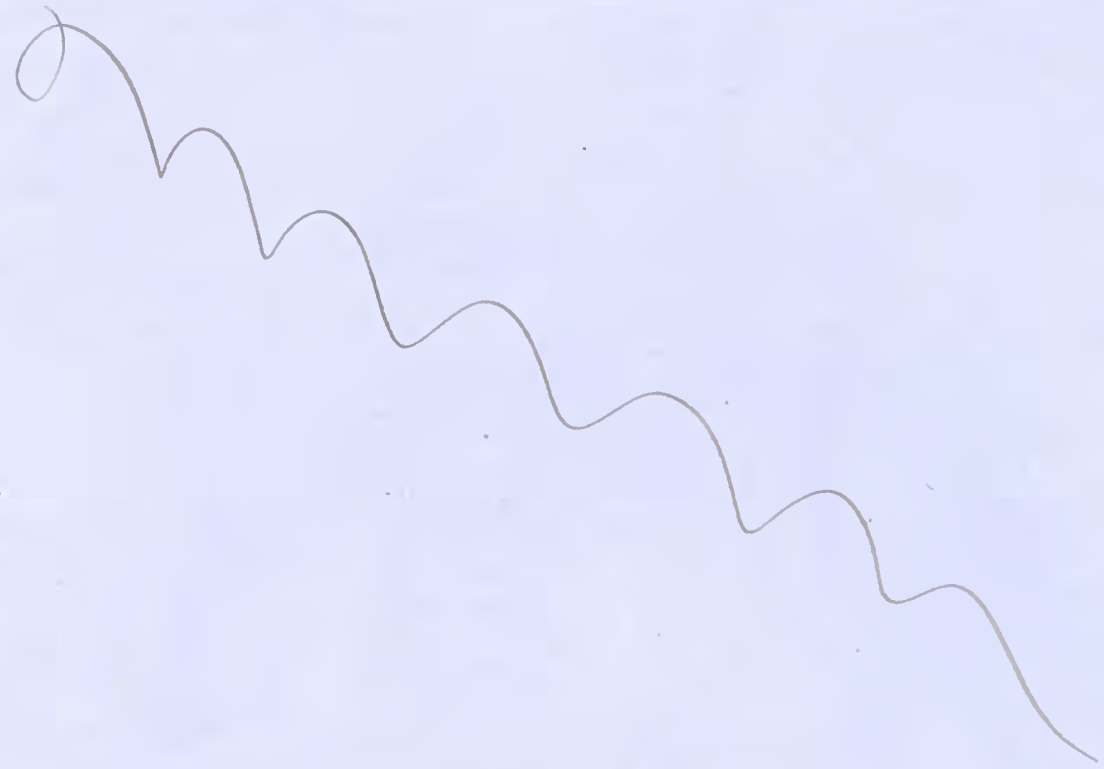
Also that some Pack's Hombs were required in the Infirmary -

Ordered - That the Potatoes in ground be dug & consumed -

The Master reported that a pauper named John Heggins refused to work and was insolent to the Matron that on his taking him to the Refractory Ward he became most violent, and kicked and dragged him, so much so that he was obliged to call on the Porter, to assist him in placing Heggins in the Refractory Ward -

John Heggins having being brought before the Board and the Guardians being satisfied as to his Conduct - Ordered - The Master to bring him before the Magistrates at next Petty Sessions -

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 } From the Poor Law Commissioners transmitting Forms
N^o. 204. M 59 } for the Annual Return of Officers including the
30th Sept 1859 } Return of Ex-Office Guardians for the ensuing year =

Letter to Clerk } From the Poor Law Commissioners having reference to
N^o. 21224-1859 } the Report of the Workhouse Master respecting the
4th Oct 1859 } agreement he received for the preparation of a
separate ward for females of immoral Character and
requesting to be furnished with a copy of the agreement
referred to =

Letter to Clerk } From the Poor Law Commissioners having reference
N^o. 21658-1859 } to their letter of the 27th Ult^o on the subject of the
4th Oct 1859 } appointment of a Teacher for the Female School
being post-poned without any definite period being named
for that purpose, and drawing the Guardians attention to the
matter with a view to an early day for the consideration
of the appointment of a successor to the late Schoolmistress
considerations deferred until next Board day =

Letter to Clerk } From the Poor Law Commissioners transmitting Form
N^o. 208. M 59 } to be filled showing the number of Children under
15 years of age in the Workhouse on the 8th Oct 1859 =

Letter to Clerk } From the Poor Law Commissioners acknowledging
N^o. 22266 1859 } the receipt of replies to their enquiries respecting the
11 Oct 1859 } appointment of Mess^{rs}. James Mouton, Peter Greaney
and Denis Scriver as Collectors of Poor Rates =

Read - Letter from J. Ball Green Esq^r calling the Clerk's attention
to the Provisions of the Act 17 Vic Cap 8, Sec 4 and 5 requiring
that the Lists of Tenements requiring Revision should be
transmitted to the Valuation Office on or before the 27th
Nov^r next =

Read - Letter from the Ladies of the Convent of Mercy expressing
their desire to continue to instruct & educate the children
of the Workhouse, and if considered necessary to prolong the
time but declining to have anything to do with their
education if the Master has charge of them ^{and} suggesting
that the Matrons could have care of the Children in
their absence =

The Clerk was directed to inform the Sisters of Mercy that
the Master would not interfere with the Children, that the
Matrons would take charge of them as she has hitherto done =

Read - Letter from M^r. Joseph Leugan late Schoolmaster of
the Workhouse stating that while acting in that capacity
he had been 8 months employed in measuring Turf in the
Workhouse - Also stating that while acting Schoolmaster
in the Westport Workhouse in 1856 the Guardians of that
Union paid him £4 for two months extra duty, and hoping
the Guardians would grant him a proportionate sum
for the extra duties performed by him in the Swan
Workhouse =

Order made = Refused

The Clerk having laid before the Board a list of irrecoverable arrears of Rate furnished him by Mr. Denis Kirwin Per Rate Collector for the Tuam District, and Mr. Kirwin not being in attendance the consideration of the list was deferred until next Board day when the Collector was ordered to be in attendance = ✓

Mr. Peter Greaney Collector for the Headford District laid before the Board the following arrears which were ordered to be struck off as irrecoverable =

Kelleaney Electoral Division 11/5 arrears due since 1850, - Ballinduff Electoral Division 13/4 Arrears vacant and Headford Division 10/- old arrears brought forward in Error = ✓

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 - 12 -

Do. do. disallowed - - - - - 1 -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - - 1 -

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 on 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.)

Finance Committee Report

12th October 1859

Present Robert Badkin Chairman
Stephen Roche, Richard Kelly, John J. Bourne
and James Kirwin = ✓

Your Committee have had the Treasurers account before them, and there being but £265.12- to the credit of the Union, they are unable to recommend payment to any but the Officers of the Workhouse, and the Medical Officers amounting to £263.18- of this sum there is £26.7.7 due to the late D^r Little for which a Cheque has been filled, but not to be issued till the Board is satisfied as to the party entitled to receive it =

Robert Badkin Chairman

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 19th October 1859

John J. Kelly } Chairmen
Richard Kelly }
Stephen Roche }
James Kirwin }
John J. Bourne }
Others present

John Morris
Clerk of Union

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Swan
UNION, on ~~Wednesday~~ day, the 12th day of October 1859.—
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 Shelley
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:*

Ordered

*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 _____ 18 _____

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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):

The following accts for Salaries were paid - Dispensary District

Account of Mr.	£	s	d
Thomas B. Tunn Salary	25	0	0
Janus Purser do	22	10	0
Mellius Kelly do	3	15	0
William E. Donnellan Salary	25	0	0
Patrick M. Donogh do	2	0	0
Rept. D. Little do	26	7	7
Martin Connors do	2	0	0
Digby French Salary	22	10	0
Pat Glynn do	1	5	0

The following accts referred to the Finance Committee

for	Amount £	s	d
Francis Corbett Treasr	2	1	6
J. Rooney Rent	10	0	0
J. Mullay do	1	0	0
Newham Depot	4	0	0
J. Flannigan Surf	1	16	0
Abney Dispensary			
Michael Coffey Surf	1	6	0

Referred to the Finance Committee

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 18

[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

Galway County Council Archives

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

Letter to Clerk from the Poor Law Commissioners having reference to the Resolution adopted by the Board on the 21st Ult^o regarding the Salary to be paid to the Medical Officer of the Headford Dispensary, and desiring to inform the Guardians that the Salary fixed by them, and approved of by the Commissioners is £120 per annum, but should the Board deem it advisable to reduce the Salary to £100 per annum, it will be necessary to give notice of such reduction in accordance with article 13 of the General Regulations—

Signed

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851—51196

Present Net Annual Value, ... £ 75,433.6.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of October 1859

Table with columns: 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, Boys and Girls, Children above 9 and under 15 years of age, Children above 5 and under 9 years of age, Infants under 2 years of age, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS.

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

Table with columns: 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.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday—the 19th day of October 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, Charles Blake
Other Guardians: Mrs. Gamon, Thos. Higgins, Richd. Savage, John J. Bourne, Stephen Leonard, Thos. D. C. Donelan, Patrick W. Maugan, Charles Lynch, Mrs. M. Day, Festus A. Kelly, Dominick B. Leonard, Richd. Kelly, Chas. Grant, Francis Wade, Robert Battisill, Arthur N. Blake, Thos. Bourne, Mrs. D. Griffiths, D. Brodie P.S.E.
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 £ 20. 15 s. 6 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 16 : 5 : 11 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. : :

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - : 1 : 7 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - : 2 : 2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - : 2 : 7

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:

- cut. 9^{lb} lbs
- 10 " 0 " 0 Whole Mace
- 7 1/2^{lb} Beef
- 75 Boxes Tuff
- 2. 1/2^{lb} Tea 12 1/2^{lb} Sugar
- 1^{lb} Pepper 4 Bottles Wine
- 21^{lb} Soap
- 4^{lb} Dipt- and 1 1/2^{lb} Mault
- Sandles =
- 9 Quartes Veal

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, - - - -

Satur. -

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 were two deaths during the past week, and that 33 persons remained under treatment = ✓

The Master reported that in obedience to the directions of the Board he brought John Higgins before the Petty Sessions Court on Monday last, and that the Magistrates on hearing the case, sent him to Galway Gaol for one month and hard labour = ✓

That the potatoes on the Workhouse ground were dug, and suggested the necessity of a machine being constructed in the kitchen for the purpose of cooking in order to the safety of persons attending there = ✓

Ordered = That a windmill be advertised for according to the Poor Law Commissioners Plan = ✓

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, for Orders made on them respectively as follows:!

Letter to Clerk } From the Poor Law Commissioners acknowledging
N^o. 22385/1859 } the receipt of a copy of the Estimate for repairs
13 Oct 1859 } of the separate Ward for females provided at the
Workhouse =

Letter to Clerk } From the Poor Law Commissioners forwarding to
N^o. 22984/1859 } the Board of Guardians a copy of a Letter they
18 Oct 1859 } had received from a pauper inmate of the Workhouse
named John Heggins preferring Charges against the
Master of the Workhouse =

Consideration deferred until Heggins returns from Gaol

The Guardians having taken into consideration
Tenders for the Office of Schoolmaster from the following
persons namely, John F. Brennan, Peter Douelan, John
Auster, Thomas Jackson and Anthony Kenehan, and
their certificates of Character and Competency having been
read -

Proposed by Tho^s. O. C. Douelan Esq^r Seconded by Dominick B. Leonard Esq^r

Resolved - That John F. Brennan be appointed to the Office of
Schoolmaster =

Proposed by Tho^s. Heggins, Seconded by Rich^d. Savage Esq^r

Resolved - That Tho^s. Jackson be appointed Schoolmaster of
the Workhouse =

There being no other candidate
proposed and a poll having been taken, there appeared
10 votes for Tho^s. Jackson and 9 votes for John F. Brennan
Thomas Jackson was declared elected Schoolmaster of the
Workhouse subject to the Certificate of the Inspector of
National Schools before whom he is to be examined =

Doctor Bradie Poor Law Inspector having brought
under consideration of the Board the Commissioners letter
14th Instant with reference to the appointment of a
Schoolmistress of the Workhouse and the Guardians being
discussed the Subject =

Proposed by Tho^s. O. C. Douelan Esq^r Seconded by Dominick B. Leonard Esq^r

Resolved - That we advertise for a Schoolmistress

Proposed by Tho^s. Heggins Esq^r Seconded by John F. Brennan Esq^r

Resolved - That the Sisters of Mercy take Charge of the
education of the Girls =

A poll having been taken there appeared 5 votes for advertising for a Schoolmistress and 13 votes against

The Guardians having next considered the lists of Incommensurable areas of Rate as laid before the Board by Messrs. Denis Keenan and James Martin

Ordered - The following to be struck off

Suam Division		L. S. C.	
136	Nicholas Haunou	0.0.9	Incommensurable
142	Mary Haunou	0.0.8	do
	Patrick Wardle	0.0.7	do
	Charles Blake	1.1.9	House vacant
	John Moran	0.0.5	Incommensurable
	Bridget Foley	0.1.1	do
	Patrick Lyons	0.0.9	do
	William Minahan	0.0.9	do

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 41
- 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.)

Tham E. Division

Tham E. Division		L. S. C.	
	Mary Timony	0.0.9	Incommensurable
	Sabina Cahill	0.0.9	do
	Bridget Finnigan	0.0.9	do
	Vacant	0.3.4	Vacant
	Anne Murphy	0.0.9	Incommensurable
	John S. Diggins	0.13.6	Vacant
	Jalio & Customs	35.0.0	The collector sued the Toll Farmer by Civil Bill case Dismissed
	Catherine Hession	0.12.0	House vacant
	M ^{rs} Fullerton	0.1.2	do
	J. J. Bannan	0.17.0	do
	Henry Murphy	0.18.5	do

Hillsbrook E. Division

Hillsbrook E. Division		L. S. C.	
	William S. Keating	0.13.8	Vacant

Dunmore E. Division

Dunmore E. Division		L. S. C.	
	M. Lowry	0.0.3	add amount carried in for several years
	Patience Bannan	0.4.2	do

Miltown E. Division

Miltown E. Division		L. S. C.	
	Michael Callaghan	0.9.4 1/2	Paid to the former Collector

Addergable E. Division

Addergable E. Division		L. S. C.	
	Thos. Callaghan	6.13.13 1/2	Due since 1850 by several small Tolls

Commerragh E. Division

Commerragh E. Division		L. S. C.	
	James Malley	0.5.0	
	Pat Keeney	0.5.10	
	Bridget Comer	0.0.10	
	Thos. Kelly	0.0.4	
	Pat Hynds	0.6.10	

Mounse E. Division

Mounse E. Division		L. S. C.	
	James Dancy	0.4.2	Vacant

Rye Hill E. Division

Rye Hill E. Division		L. S. C.	
	Martin Colman	2.7.9	Due for several years

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on
Wednesday the 26th October 1859

<i>John Moran</i>	Chairman
<i>Robert Savage</i>	Other present
<i>Richard Kelly</i>	
<i>John Morris</i>	
<i>Ed. Keefe</i>	

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 18

(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 _____ 18 ____
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,	£

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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 _____

Population in 1851—51196

Present Net Annual Value, ... £ 75,433.6.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 22nd day of October 1859

Table with columns for accommodation, age groups, and return of sick and lunatics. Includes rows for Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, and Total. Also includes a section for 'RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS' with sub-columns for hospital and lunatic counts.

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, and Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Includes rows for No. I through No. XVII and a Total row.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, Charles Blake
Other Guardians: William Gannon, Richard Savage, Thomas Higgins, Richard Kelly, Patrick W. Mangan

(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 £ 13. 14 s. 6 d. ✓

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 16 : 3 : 11 ✓

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. : :

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - : 1 : 7 1/8

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

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - : 3 : 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:

- cut-grs. lbs
- 10.0.0 Just Flour
- 74^{lb} Beef
- 75 Boxes Surf
- 5⁷/₅ Quarts Sweet Milk
- 2.6. Tea 12^{lb} Sugar
- 1^{lb} Pepper 3 Bottles Wine
- 21^{lb} Soap 4^{lb} Lipt and
- 1¹/₂ lb Mould Candles
- 9 Quarts Beer

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. forw'd.					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.

e. 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, for Orders made on them respectively as follows:

Letter to Clerk } From the Poor Law Commissioners having reference
N^o. 23587. 1859 } to a Resolution passed by the Board on the 19th
25th Oct. 1859 } instant, to the effect that the Ladies of the Convent
of Mercy should take charge of the education of the
Girls in the Workhouse - And requesting the Guardians
to reconsider the Resolution with a view to the appointment
of a fit person to the Office of Schoolmistress =

Consideration deferred till Wednesday the 16th
November next =

Read - Letter from James Martin Esq^r Poor Law Auditor
stating that he would attend at the Board Room on Thursday
the 10th November next for the purpose of auditing the
accounts of the Union up to 29th September last = ✓

Read - Letter from Peter Turner stating that being obliged
to go to Dublin he requested M^r. Dwyer to undertake his
duties in his absence, and requesting the Guardians Sanction
to his continuing to do so for a few days more = ✓

Sanctioned

The Schoolmaster laid before the Board a list
of School Requisites amounting to 8/1 which were ordered =

The following Sums were struck off the arrears
of Rate being clerical errors brought forward for several
years =

Quam Electoral Division	30/6
Clare Town " "	2/10
Hillsbrook " "	24/1 ✓

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on
Wednesday the 2nd November 1859

Chas^r Blaher } Chairman
Richard Savage }
W^m Marshall Day } Others present

Geo Morris
Clerk of Union

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Swan
UNION, on Wednesday day, the 26th day of Oct 1859.—
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:*

*24 yards Colles, 3 1/2 " Soap, 1 " Candles,
6 Dozen Steel Pens, 2000 Tickets, 80 Vaccination Notices,
100 Vaccination Returns, 1 order Book—*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 18 _____

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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 Payments 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 _____ 18____

_____ 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 Postum 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

Report from the Committee of Management of the Quam Dispensary

Leave of absence granted to Doct^r Turner for a few days on urgent business = Doct^r Purser having undertaken to discharge his duties in his absence =

Richard Kelly
John F. Browne
Richard Savage
Secy

Galway County

Signed

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851— 57196

Present Net Annual Value, ... £75433.6

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

29th day of October 1859

Table with columns: 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 (Males, Fem.), Aged and Infirm persons, Boys and Girls, 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 (Number in Hospital, No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse), OBSERVATIONS.

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: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1, Number of cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her, Total relieved out of the Workhouse, Cases, Persons, RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1, Number of cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her, Total relieved out of the Workhouse, Cases, Persons.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the

2nd day of November 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, Charles Blake
Other Guardians: Richard Savage, William Gunnin, W. M. Day, David Rutledge, Richard Kelly, Thomas Higgins

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

W. P. [unclear]

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Ballinaduff	9 19 14
Ammaeue	10 8 8
Ballinaduff	10 0 1
Kilrover	19 3 1
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At 24 Mar	£ 55 0 10

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341-14-6

1578-5-6

1049-0-8

529-4-10

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55.0.10

2386.1.15

1063-17-2

514-8-10

1578-6-0

529-4-10

1049-1.2

604-13.2

55.0.10

549-12-4

515-15-5

265-12-2

49-15-2

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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 £ 16 11 s. 5 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 16 : 6 : 8 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - : 1 : 7 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - : 1 : 10 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - : 2 : 10 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:

- 73 lb Beef
75 Boxes Lard
60 Quarts Sweet Milk
2 1/2 Tea 12 1/2 Sugar
1 lb Pepper 3 Bottles Wine
21 lb Soap 2 Stone Soda
6 lb Dye 3 lb Mould
Lauds -
10 Quarts Meal

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, for Orders made on them respectively as follows: /

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners enclosing N^o. 234 N^o. 1859 } Forms to be filled showing the Number of persons admitted to the Workhouse during 1st Nov. 1859 } the Year ended 29th September 1859, distinguishing the number who were sick at the time of their Admission also the Number of Births and Deaths during the Year. ✓

Read - Letter from the Secretaries of the National Board of Education transmitting the following extracts from the Inspectors Report of the 14th Ult^o on the Workhouse Schools -
"The course of literary instruction is sustainable and the proficiency in Reading Writing and Geography is fair, but in Grammar and Arithmetic ✓

Arithmetic it is moderate - The Male School since the former Teacher left, is not progressing satisfactorily as heretofore, the progress in the Girls School is uniform and steady."

"The appointment of the Male Teacher has not as yet been confirmed either by the local Board of Guardians, or by the Board of Poor Law Commissioners, and the fact of the Teacher declining to submit to be examined disposes me to form a poor opinion of his literary acquirements!" ✓

The Clerk was directed to inform Mr. W. Swamy Inspector of National Schools, that the Board of Guardians have appointed Thomas Jackson as Schoolmaster of the Workhouse, and request he will have the goodness on an early day to examine Mr. Jackson as to his fitness for that office - ✓

There being but one Fund before the Board for the purchase of a Blindless Gun with the Ketcher, and the sum demanded (Ten pounds) considered excessive the further consideration of it was deferred - ✓

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 9th November 1859 -

Chas. Blah } Chairman
B. Amey }
Pat. W. Manyan } Others present

Jno Morris
Clerk of the 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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MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 18 _____
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
Procurement 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 _____ 18 _____

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

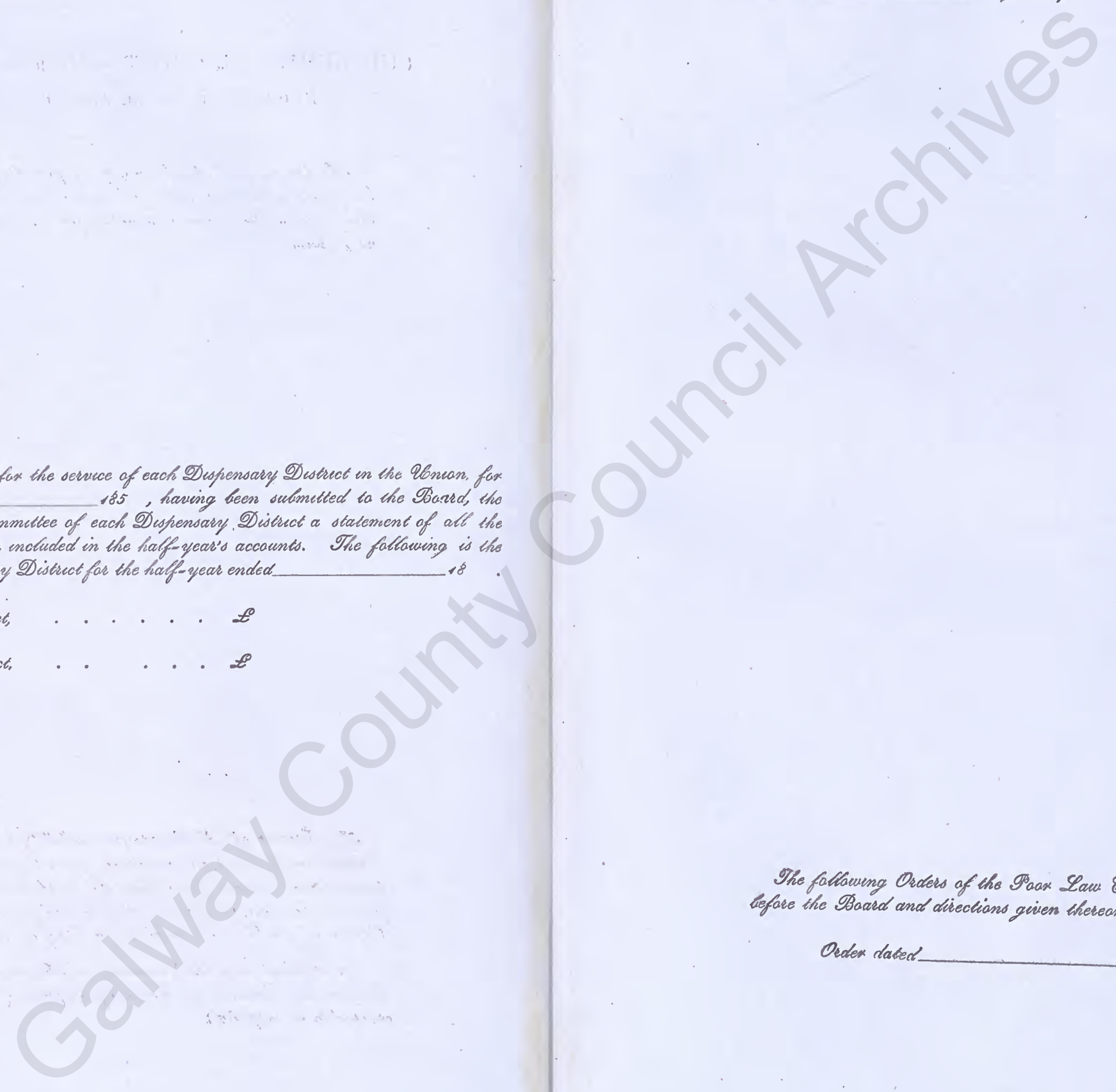
The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries due as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

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 1855, 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 18

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 _____

Population in 1851—57196

Present Net Annual Value...£75,433.6.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of November 1859

Table with columns: 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 (Males, Fem.), Aged and Infirm persons, 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 (Number in Hospital on the above date, No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date), OBSERVATIONS.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 9th day of November 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, William Gunnon - Charles Blake -
Other Guardians: Robert Botterill, Patrick W. Mangaw, Thomas Higgins, Charles Lynch, W. Marshall Day, James Kirwan, Stephen J. Leonard, Richard Kelly, Richard Savage, Peter Blake, ✓

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 6¹¹ 2¹¹ 6 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 £ 8¹¹ 18⁰ 0¹2^d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 16 : 12 : 10¹2 ✓

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. : :

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - : 1 : 7 ✓

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - : 1 : 10¹4 ✓

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - : 2 : 8³4 ✓

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:

- Cut up of
- 10⁰ 0⁰ 0 First Flour ✓
- 70⁰ Beef ✓
- 80 Boxes Tinf ✓
- 60¹4 Quarts sweet milk ✓
- 2¹ 6 Tea 12¹2 Sugar ✓
- 3 Bottles Wine 1¹ Pepper ✓
- 21⁰ Soap ✓
- 6⁰ Dipt & 3⁰ Mould Candy
- 10 Quarters Veal ✓

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 on 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.

A Cheque was drawn in favour of the Clerk for Petty Cash amounting to - 5¹¹ 11⁰ ✓

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, for Orders made on them respectively as follows:

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners enclosing Nos. 233 No 59 1st Nov 1859 } Forms to be filled respecting the Rates made and any new Rates agreed upon in the Unions.

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners enclosing Nos. 235 No 59 1st Nov 1859 } Forms to be filled, showing the number of persons vaccinated in the Workhouse during the year ended 30th September 1859 - ✓

Read - The following letter from Mr. J. M. Sweeney Inspector of National Schools - ✓

Yours

Yours 16th November 1859

Sir,

In reply to yours of the 4th Instant I beg leave to state that Mr. Jackson the Schoolmaster of your Workhouse, declined to subject himself to an examination on the occasion of my visit to the Schools on the 14th Ultimo. I shall be leaving home on tomorrow for a fortnight, and if Mr. Jackson present himself at my residence on the 29th Instant, I shall be happy to give my opinion of his literary qualifications -

I am Sir
Your Obedt Servant
J. M. Sweeney ✓

Mr. John Morris
Chairman P. L. U.

The Clerk laid before the Board the Collecting Warrants of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union, which were signed by the Guardians - ✓

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 16th November 1859 -

Richard Lawless } Chairman
W. Marshall Day } Others present
J. Healy }

J. M. Morris
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 - 4 -

Ditto disallowed - - - - - " -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 8 -

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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MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
 UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 18 ____
 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 _____ 18 ____

(Signed) _____
 Clerk of the Union.

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 _____ 18

_____ 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 _____

Headford 8th Nov 1859

Sir,

I beg to say that according to appointment with the Committee of the Headford Dispensary I came here to day to receive the Commissioners sanction preparatory to sending in my resignation to the Secretary of the Louisborough Dispensary, and taking charge of my late appointment as Medical Officer of the Headford Dispensary. As I find that the Commissioners have not notified their sanction to the Secretary of the Headford Dispensary, I will return to my duties at Louisborough where I request you will forward to me any Order of the Commissioners or Board of Guardians of the Union -

I have the honor to be
Richard Irwin

M.D.

The Clerk of the Board of Guardians
Union

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851—51196

Present Net Annual Value, ... £75433.6.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of November 1859

Table with columns: 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 (Males, Fem.), Aged and Infirm persons, Boys and Girls, 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 (Number in Hospital, No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse), OBSERVATIONS.

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: 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 (Cases, Persons), 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 (Cases, Persons).

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 16th day of November 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Richard Savage

Other Guardians:

W Marshall Day, Richard Kelly, William Gannon, Stephen Seinaud, Patrick W Mangum, Stephen Roche, James Kirwan, Charles Blatter.

Doct^r Brodie P.S.D.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ u u u 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 £ 19 " 4 s. 10 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 18 : 14 : 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. : :

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - " : 1 : 7/4

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

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:

- Out-go for
- 10 " 0 " 0 Indian meal
- 10 " 0 " 0 Wholmeal
- 70 lb Beef
- 80 Pigeon Turf
- 780 Quarts sweet milk
- 2 1/2 c Tea 12 1/2 Sugar
- 3 Bottles Wine & Pepperc
- 2 1/2 Soap 6 " Dipt and
- 3 1/2 Mould Candles -
- 10 Quarts Veal -

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 on 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.

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, for Orders made on them respectively as follows: /

No communications from the Poor Law Compt^{rs} this week.

Reads - Letter addressed to the Chairman from Mr. Samuel Tamey soliciting subscriptions towards a National Testimonial to Captain Mr. Pride of Belfast for his exertions in behalf of the destitute poor of this County who have been deported from Scotland and England and enclosing copy of a Resolution adopted by the Committee respecting the conduct of the Newry Board of Guardians.

Reads Letter from Mr. Patrick Kelly Relieving Officer stating that on the 16th Instant he had been served with notice of the eviction of one family from the townland of Dummoo, the property of Sir George Shea Bart^{le}.

Reads - Letter from Mr. Peter Curran Relieving Officer stating that a quantity of Stones broken in the year 1844 by persons then in the receipt of Out door Relief on the line of Road from the Church of Donaghpatrick to Clonwinnogue remain there still, and the Contractor being now engaged in making the Road requesting to be informed of what directions the Board would give him regarding them -

Ordered - The Relieving Officer to ascertain the value of the stones with a view of disposing of them, and report next Board day -

Doctor Brodie Poor Law Inspector having stated that he visited the Workhouse on Saturday last for the purpose of ascertaining Mr. Jackson's qualifications to fill the Office of Schoolmaster, that on the occasion Mr. Jackson stated he would resign the situation -

Mr. Jackson having been called before the Board expressed his intention to resign the Office of Schoolmaster having made up his mind to emigrate to America -

The Clerk was directed to Advertise for a Schoolmaster Tenders to be considered on Wednesday the 17th December next, Mr. Jackson consenting to do the duty until a new appointment -

The Guardians having taken into consideration the Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 25th Ultimo, with reference to the appointment of a Schoolmistress, and having discussed the subject, it was resolved to adjourn the matter till Wednesday the 30th Instant, and the Clerk was directed to summon the entire Board for that day to consider the subject -

Next Meeting of Guardians, to be held on Wednesday
the 23rd November 1859 -

Mr Thomas Brown	} Chairman
Andrew Savage	
<u>William</u>	
	} Others present

Ino Morris
Clerk of Union

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - 5 -

Ditto disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 6 -

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 Passport thereon, as follows: / thus on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year. /

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____

UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 18 ____

*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 _____ 18 ____

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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 _____ 18____.

_____ 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 Peato-prayers 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—57196

Present Net Annual Value, ... £75433.6.10

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of November 1859

Table with columns: 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, 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.

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: 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.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 23rd day of November 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair,

John J. Browne

Other Guardians:

Stephens Leonard, Richard Savage, William Gannon, Patrick W. Mangau, Richard Kelly, W. Marshall Day, Dominick B. Leonard

Doctor Prodie Poor Law Inspector

Signed

Clerk of the Union

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 4 " 7 " 4 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 £ 18 " 10 s. 6 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 17 : 12 : 1

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. : :

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - " : 1 : 6 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - " : 2 : 1 3/4

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - " : 2 : 8 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:

- 10 " 0 " 0 Salt Flour
- 73 " Beef
- 90 Boxes Lard
- 6 1/2 " Lard
- 2 " 6 Tea 12 1/2 " Sugar
- 4 Bottles Must. 1 Peppr
- 28 " Soap of " Dept
- 3 " Mould Candles
- 10 Quarters Beal

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 on Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	-	£	0.	0.
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.

A Cheque was drawn in favour of the Clerk for Petty Cash. Amount £ 5 " "

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 44 persons remained under treatment - ✓

The Master reported that the potatoes grown on the Workhouse ground were consumed -

That the Station made during the Week 6 Bed Stulls and Repaired 28 Shifts and 8 Favelts -

The Tailor made 8 Pair of Trowsers

The Shoemaker made 3 Pair of Shoes & Repaired 4 Pairs ✓

The following Requirements on the Master's Report were Ordered - 1 Flask of Oil 3^{lb} Leather for repairing the Pump, 2^{lb} Whitelead, 2 Sets of Shoe Brushes and one Shilling worth of Blasting - ✓

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 - from the Poor Law Commissioners stating that N^o 25469/1859 } they had received a Report from Dr Brodie 21st Nov^r 1859 } Poor Law Inspector that John Higgins (who had forwarded to them while a pauper inmate of the Workhouse a letter containing certain charges against the Master) was discharged from Quol, and had since been admitted to the Workhouse. Also that while Higgins was before the Board of Guardians, he informed Dr Brodie that he was in a position to substantiate the charges preferred against the Master. And requesting to be furnished with the observations of the Guardians on the allegations referred to -

The

The Guardians having considered the subject of the foregoing letter from the Poor Law Commissioners, and having before them the Master Shoemaker who was examined with reference to the allegation of misappropriation of Leather belonging to the Union, were satisfied that the charges preferred by John Higgins were groundless -

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 30th November 1859 -

John Blake } Chairman
Henry Kimion } Others present

Geo Morris
Clerk of Union
W Marshall Day

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 _____ 18

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
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MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE _____

UNION, ON _____ DAY, THE _____ DAY OF _____ 18 _____

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
Procurement 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 _____ 18____.

_____ 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)

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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

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners approving No. 24518/59 of the appointment of Mr Richard Irvine as Medical Officer of the Headford Dispensary District at the Salary of £120 per Annum and enclosing copy of a Letter which they had addressed to the Secretary of the Headford Dispensary to that effect -

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners having reference to the Report of the Medical Officer of the Dummoo Dispensary regarding 22 Cases of Vaccination 3 of which were unsuccessful, and calling attention to paragraphs 6 & 7 of their Circular of the 15 January 1858 in which it is pointed out that the Medical Officer is not entitled to remuneration for any number of cases of Vaccination under 25 -

(Signed)

Jno Morris
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851—5196

Present Net Annual Value, ... £75433.60

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of November 1859

Table with columns: Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided, No. that can be accommodated in each building, Total No. in each building, Able-bodied (Males, Fem.), Aged and Infirm persons, Boys and Girls, 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 (Number in Hospital, No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse), OBSERVATIONS.

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: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. (Number of cases, Number of Persons), Total relieved out of the Workhouse (Cases, Persons), RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. (Number of cases, Number of Persons), Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. (Number of cases, Number of Persons), Total relieved out of the Workhouse (Cases, Persons).

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 30th day of November 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, Charles Blake -
Other Guardians: Stephen Leonard, William Gannon, Henry Kirwan, W. Marshall Day, Dominick Tully, Richard Kelly, Stephen Roche, Robert Bodkin, John F. Broome, James Kirwan, Wm. Rinaldon, Richard Savage, Robert Henry, Pat. W. Mangin.
D. Brodie P. Secy.
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 £ 17 18s. 7 1/2d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 18 : 13 : 10

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 : 3 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - : 3 : 10 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:

74 lbs of Beef
90 Boxes Soap
680 Quarts Sweet Milk
2 lbs 6 oz Tea 12 1/2 lbs Sugar
4 Bottles Wine 1 lb Pepper
28 lbs Soap 7 lbs Oil and
3 lbs Mince Bundles
10 Quarts Veal
6 Bottles wine Supplemental
Order for week ended Decr 18 1859

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 on Out-door Relief was

Table with columns for £, s., d. and rows for 'In money', 'In kind', and '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 for RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Check on Treasurer, By Order on Contractors, and Value.

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.

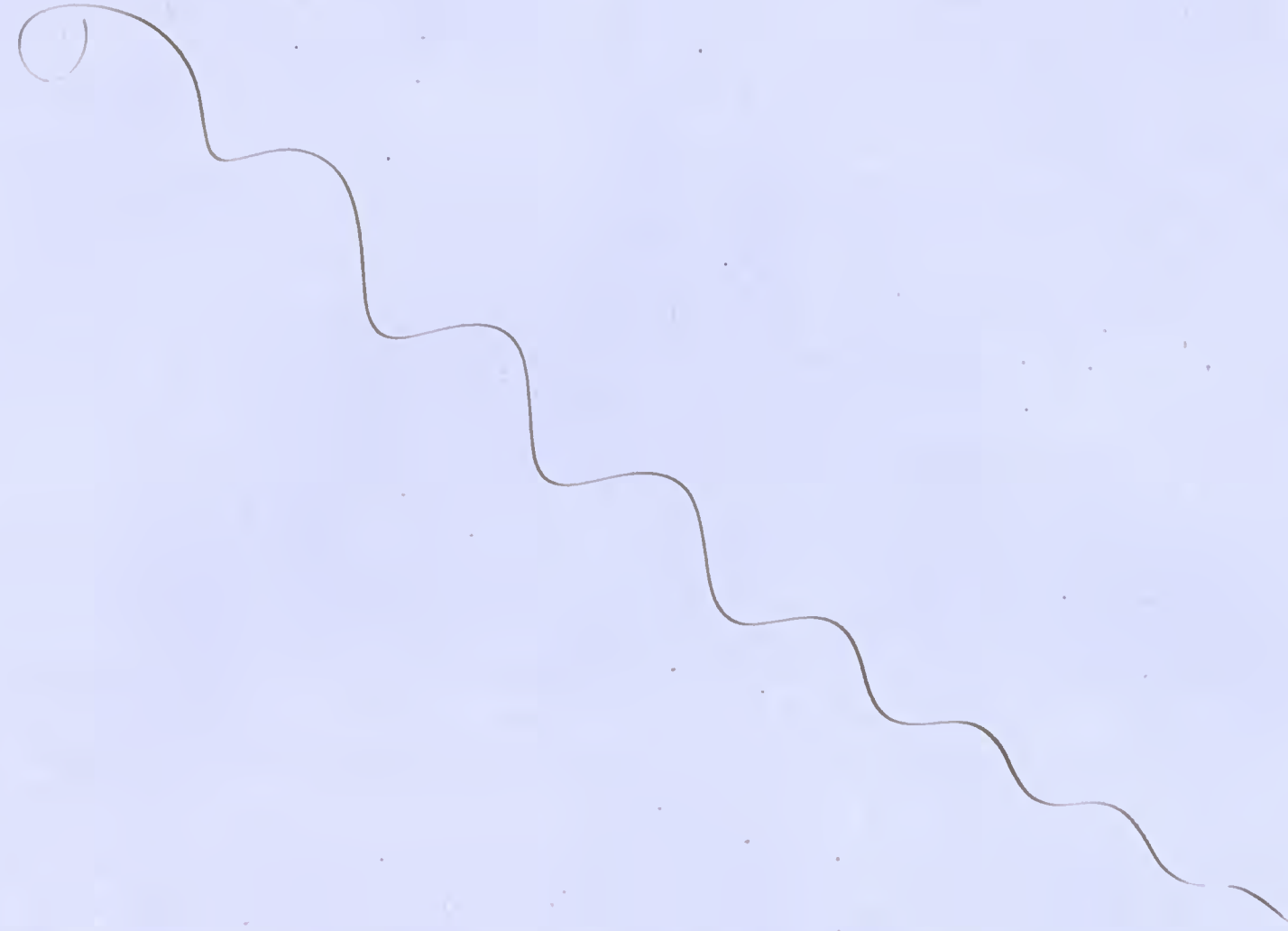
£ s. d.

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, for Orders made on them respectively as follows:—

Letter to Clerk } From the Poor Law Commissioners transmitting
N^o. 25, 619-1859 } questions for answers to be signed by him and the
22 Nov^r. 1859 } person who may be appointed to the Office of
Schoolmaster of the Workhouse = ✓

Circular to Clerk } From the Poor Law Commissioners enclosing
N^o. 247 M. 59 } Forms A & B showing the expenditure of the Union
23 Nov^r. 1859 } up to the 29th Sept 1859, distinguishing under the
heads specified the expenditure for each of the half years
ended 25th March and 29th September 1859 respectively = ✓

Reads = Letter from J. Ball Green Esq^r Superintendent of
Valuation acknowledging the Clerk's communication of
the 26th Inst^o, enclosing lists of Tenements to be revised
in the Union, and stating that arrangements would be
made to revise the same accordingly = ✓

The Guardians having taken into consideration
the Subject of the Poor Law Commissioners letter of the 25th
ultimo with reference to the appointment of a Schoolmistress

The following Resolution was proposed by Stephen
Rochi Esq. and seconded by W. Marshall Day Esq. =

Resolved = That this Board ^{do} advertise for a
Schoolmistress =

The Chairman having put the Resolution, and
a poll having been taken there appeared 10 votes for the
Resolution and 3 votes against it = ✓

The Clerk was directed to advertise for a
Schoolmistress Salary to be £15 per annum with Rations
and Apartments = Proposals to be considered on this
day fortnight = ✓

Next meeting of Guardians to be held on
Wednesday the 7th December 1859.

Chas. Blundy } Chairman
W. Marshall Day } Othus present
Nicholas Day

Jno Morris
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 - 2 -

Ditto disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 3 -

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.)



Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 18

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Quarry
UNION, on Wednes-day, the 30th day of Nov. 1859.—
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 Headford
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:

Ordered =

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 Quarry
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were
ordered to be supplied:

2000 Tickets and 1 Prescription Book

Ordered =

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 £

Report of the Medical Officer of the General Dispensary into particulars of 22 successful and 5 unsuccessful cases of vaccination performed by him =
Referred to the Finance Committee

[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 _____ 18

_____ 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 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.

Population in 1851—51196

Present Net Annual Value, ... £75,433.6.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of December 1859

Table with columns for accommodation types (Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, etc.), age groups (Able-bodied, Aged and Infirm, etc.), and return of sick and lunatics. Includes sub-tables for hospital and lunatic counts.

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, Total relieved out of the Workhouse, and Relief District. Includes a 'Car. forward' row and a 'TOTAL' row.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the _____ day of December 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, Charles Blatte - Other Guardians: Robert Botterill, William Gannon, Richard Kelly, Dominick Pully, Thomas O'Donovan, Charles Lynch, W. McDoy, Richard Savage, Stephen Leonard, Henry Hurwin, William D. Burke, Charles Grant, John F. Brown, Michael Nolan, William Ronaldson -

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. 1641 to No. 1647, 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, - - - - - £ 62⁹/₁₁

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

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 92¹³/₁₁

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.

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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.	
Peter Greany	Headford	10	4	4										
	Killursa	25	19	9										
	Killany	10	7	3										
	Annadrum	5	2	3										
	Donoghpatrick	8	13	11										
	Kilcomra	2	3	1				62	9	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 £ 10 1 s. 1 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 19 : 3 : 3

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

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - " : 2 : 8 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:

- 10 0 0 First Flour
- 10 0 0 Wholemeal
- 2 10 0 Beef
- 9 0 Boxes Lard
- 6 5 5 Quarts sweet milk
- 2 1 6 Tea 1 1/2 Sugar
- 4 Bottles Wine 1 Pepper
- 28 1/2 Soap 7 1/2 Dipt and
- 3 1/2 Mould Candles
- 10 Quarts Veal

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.

A Cheque was drawn to pay the following Tradesmen's Accounts -

Martin Burke Tailor & Weaver's wages to 3 rd Inst ⁿ	3	"	"
Pat ^h Walsh Shoemaker do do	2	16	"
Pat ^h Egan Carpenter 20 days wages @ 2/-	2	"	"
Chick for Petty Cash	3	"	"
Amount of Cheque £	10	16	"

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, for Orders made on them respectively as follows:

Circular to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners enclosing
N^o. 253 M 59 } Forms to be filled respecting the Rates made
1st Dec^r. 1859 } and any new Rates agreed upon in the
Union -

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners transmitting
N^o. 26624-1859 } questions for answers to be signed by
16 Dec^r. 1859 } him and the person who may be appointed
to the Office of Schoolmistress of the Work-
house -

Reads - Letter from Mr. Patrick Kelly Relieving
Officer stating that on the 1st Instant he had been
served with Notice of the eviction of six families
from the Townland of Dillonbrook the property of Mr.
William Garvey, in the Electoral Division of Milltown -

The Guardians having proceeded to the appoint-
ment of Schoolmaster, and having read proposals
and certificates of Character and Competency from
the following Candidates, namely - Mr. John Ansbu
Mr. John J Brennan and Mr. Peter Donlan -

Proposed by Thomas O'Donlan Esq^r
Seconded by Charles Grant Esq^r

Resolved - That Mr. John J Brennan be appointed
to the Office of Schoolmaster -

Proposed by Richard Savage Esq^r
Seconded by Robert Potterill Esq^r

Resolved - That Mr. John Ansbu be appointed
Schoolmaster of the Workhouse -

The third Candidate Mr. Peter Donlan was
proposed by John J Browne Esq^r

A poll having been taken there appeared for
John J Brennan 10 Votes for John Ansbu 3 Votes
and for Peter Donlan 1 Vote -

A second poll having been taken there appeared
for John J Brennan 10 Votes and for John Ansbu 3 Votes.

Mr Brennan was declared elected Schoolmaster
of the Workhouse, to take charge of the School on the
26th December Instant -

The Clerk was directed to summon the Finance
Committee to meet on Wednesday the 21st Instant -

Also to Advertise for Contractors to supply Bread stuff
Groceries Meat &c for three months from the 25th Instant -
Tenders to be considered on this day fortnight -

The Board Ordered the usual meat dinner to be supplied the pauper inmates on our Xmas day -

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 14th December 1859

John Blah } Chairman
- Benjamin Brown } Others present
Charles Lynch }

Geo Morris
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 11
Ditto disallowed " "
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 14

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 Poorlaw 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 _____ 18

(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 _____ 18 ____
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,	£

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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 Poets-prayers 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 & 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 10th day of Decr 1859

Table with columns: Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided, No. that can be accommodated, Total No. in each building, Able-bodied (Males, Fem.), Aged and infirm persons, Boys and Girls, Children above 5 and under 9, Children above 2 and under 5, Infants under 2 years of age, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS (Number in Hospital, No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse), OBSERVATIONS.

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: 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 (Cases, Persons), 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 (Cases, Persons).

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 14th day of December 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, Charles Blake - Other Guardians: Charles Lynch, William Gurnea, Patrick W. Mangan, John A. Byrne, Francis Wade, James Clarke, Thomas Brown, Stephen J. Leonard, Robert Bodkin, Richard Kelly, James J. Clarke, Festus J. O'Sullivan, Thomas O'Donovan, William J. Burke, Stephen J. M'Donogh, Martin M'Donnell.

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. 167 to No. 1682, 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, - - - - - £ 125, 15, 11

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 10, 16, 0

And that the Balance on the Account In Favour of the Guardians was - £ 207, 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.

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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>D. Mrs. Kirwan</i>	<i>Belleclaw</i>	14	5	4									
	<i>Beaghmore</i>	9	6	4									
	<i>Clare Duam</i>	22	7	6									
	<i>Fushall</i>	14	8	7									
	<i>Hillbrook</i>	17	17	0									
	<i>Killerin</i>	8	6	1									
	<i>Kilshanny</i>	3	14	2									
	<i>Sevally</i>	9	5	3									
	<i>Swan</i>	26	5	8	125	7	57						

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 £ 2/11 18 s. 11 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 18 : 10 : 10 ✓

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 : 3

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:

- 10, 0, 0 Indmeal
- 20, 0, 0 Oatmeal
- 76^{lb} Beef
- 95 Boxes Lard
- 653 Quarts Sweet Milk
- 21, 6 Tea 12^{lb} Sugar
- 4 Bottles Wine 1^{lb} Coffee
- 28^{lb} Soap 8^{lb} Dept. and
- 3^{lb} Mould Candles 14 Rasm
- 10 Quarts Veal.

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.

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 was one death during the past week, and that persons remained under treatment—

The following Requirements on the Master's Report were Ordered
^{24s} 43 Laundry 24 ^{1s} Appa 36 ^{1s} Sole Leather 5 ^{1s} Hemp 5 ^{1s} Springs 3 ^{1s} Patch & ^{1s} Hair
1 ^{1s} Hair 72 ^{1s} Paper Tapes, 2 ^{1s} Ropes 2 ^{1s} Buck Stems 1 ^{1s} quart Oil 1/2 ^{1s} Straw

The Matron reported that the material received for the girls had been made up, that the women required a supply of new clothing, and begged to lay before the Board the following Requirements—
namely—50 Women's Wrappings, 20 Petticoats, 60 Shifts, 80 Aprons, 80 Handkerchiefs, for women and 30 Handkerchiefs for girls—

Ordered— The Matron to state when and how much of those articles were got before—

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 }
N^o. 26923/1857 }
13th Dec^r. 1857 }
From the Poor Law Commissioners, stating they had received a Report from D^o. Brodie Poor Law Inspector that a supply of material for undervestments was required for the Adult paupers of the Workhouse, and requesting the Board of Guardians to take the subject into consideration with a view of procuring the requisite supply of clothing for the inmates referred to - ✓

The Board having considered the Commission, letter referred making any Order for clothing for a week. The Motion was directed to lay a statement before the Guardians showing when she received a supply of clothing for the classes above referred to - ✓

Read - Letter from the Secretary of the Deaf & Dumb Institution at Caber requesting payment of the Half years maintenance of Budget Hynes amount £5.0.0

Referred to the Finance Committee ✓

Read - Letter from W^o Donnelly Esq^r transmitting Returns of the Land and Crops, & Live Stock in Ireland for the year 1857

Read - Letter from M^r. Samuel Whiting of Belfast calling the Guardians attention to his former communication on the subject of the "Captain W^o Braid Testimonial Fund", and stating that the Committee wished the Fund closed this month if possible ✓

The Guardians having proceeded to the appointment of a Schoolmistress, there being two Tenders before the Board for the Office, and the Advertisement having been read -

The following Resolution was proposed by John F^r. Braine Esq^r and seconded by Richards Kelly Esq^r - ✓

Resolved - That the Tenders now before the Board be opened and read -

The Chairman having put the Resolution and several Guardians objecting to the Tenders being opened, a poll was taken, there appeared 6 Votes for and 11 Votes against the Resolution - ✓

Proposed by Thomas O^r. Donelan Esq^r - Seconded by Stephen Leonard Esq^r and passed unanimously - ✓

Resolved - That the best Thanks of this Board be due and kindly tendered to the Sisters of Mercy for the valuable services they have given in educating the poor children in this Workhouse and we respectfully beg of them to continue their attendance, and that a copy of this Resolution be forwarded to them ✓

Proposed by Thomas O'Donoghue Esq
Seconded by Patrick W. Mangum Esq ✓

Resolved - That we advertise for an Industrial female Teacher, to be appointed this day three weeks, at a salary of Ten pounds per Annum with Rations - ✓

The Resolution having been put, and a poll taken there appeared 11 Votes for and 5 Votes against the Resolution - ✓

The Clerk was directed to advertise for an Industrial female Teacher on the terms of the foregoing Resolution, proposals to be considered on this day three weeks - ✓

An able bodied man named Thomas Butte with his wife and one child, having come before the Board for admission to

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 - 1 -
Ditto disallowed - - - - - " -
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 5 -

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.)

to the Workhouse, several of the Guardians considering that he could procure employment in the line of Railway now making near the Town objected to his being admitted -

A division having taken place there appeared 2 Votes for and 6 Votes against his admission Thomas Butte was accordingly rejected - ✓

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 21st December 1859 -

Chas. Mahon } Chairman
A. M. Brown } Others present

Richd. Kelly
J. J. Kelly

Geo. Morris
Clerk of Union

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE _____
UNION, ON _____ DAY, THE _____ DAY OF _____ 18 ____
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
Procurement 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 _____ 18 ____

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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 1855, 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 1855.

_____ 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 Peate-prayers 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)

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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

380

Population in 1851—51196

Present Net Annual Value...£ 75,433..6..0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17 day of December 18 59

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,	1134	187													
Temporary Buildings,	300														
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital,	50	12													
Fever Sheds,															
Total,	1484	199													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			7	44	19	39	21	19	8	15	23	198	In Work-house Hospital, } 26 In Fever Hospital } 12	In separate Wards, } In Wards with other Inmates, } 4	
Admitted during the Week,			3	4	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	8			
TOTAL,			10	48	19	40	21	19	8	15	23	203	Total, } 38	Total, } 4	
Discharged during the Week,			2	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	4			
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"			
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	4			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			8	48	18	39	21	19	8	15	23	199			

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. forwd.						
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 21 day of December 18 59

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Charles Blake*
 Other Guardians: *Robert Badkin, Richard Kelly, John F. Browne, James Kirwin, Patrick W. Mangam, Stephen Roche, Thomas Higgins, William Gannon*

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 £ 26 .. 9 s. 3/2.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 19 : 12 : 6 1/2 ✓

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, - - - - - : : :

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - : : :

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:

- cut 9 1/2 lbs
- 10 .. 0 .. 0 First Flour
- 78 lbs Beef
- 100 Boxes Surf
- 66 1/2 Quarts sweet Milk
- 2 .. 6 .. 3 Tea 12 1/2 " Sugar
- 5 Bottles wine 1 lb Pepper
- 28 lbs Soap 9 " dipst & 3 lbs
- mixed Candles
- 2 Stone Washing Soda ✓

- 10 Quarters Decid
- 110 lbs Beef for Christmas Dinner

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:

i. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

Michael Daly Calico &c.	28	6	2
Patrick Jordan Leather	7	10	2
Thomas Roche Straw	4	3	✓

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

Rev. Eugene Caspe Salary to 25 th Dec. 15.0.0.	Establishment Account, to 29 th Dec. 2	4	7
Thomas B. Tamm do	John Burke Omnibus	2	6
John Morris do	John Burke Omnibus	2	6
do Parly. votes Act	John Burke Omnibus	2	6
John Hopkins Salary	John Burke Omnibus	2	6
Aliza Coen do	John Burke Omnibus	2	6
Valent Delap. do	John Burke Omnibus	2	6
Agnis Burke do	John Burke Omnibus	2	6
Mary ⁿ . Bourne do	John Burke Omnibus	2	6
Thomas Jackson do	John Burke Omnibus	2	6
J. W. Fore do	John Burke Omnibus	2	6
Pat Kelly do	John Burke Omnibus	2	6
Peter Canane do	John Burke Omnibus	2	6
Val. Bourne do	John Burke Omnibus	2	6
Clark for small claims	John Burke Omnibus	2	6
John Morris Petty Cash	John Burke Omnibus	2	6

Establishment Accounts and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
James Martin Flour Wholmesul	to 29 th Sept	120	10	"
Pat Bird Milk	do	50	2	3
do Potatoes	do	11	14	5
Aliza Moran & Son Groceries	do	9	2	10
Mathew Owens Wine Soap &c.	do	15	5	2
Edmund Higgins Surf	do	21	10	"
Mathew Connor Meat	do	25	7	"
Joseph Kilgarriff Candles	do	2	8	7

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 38 persons, remained under treatment — ✓

The Master reported that the Master Tailor made 12 Baroque Vests, 1 pair of Trussers, to pair Trussers repaired ✓

The Shumaker 2 pair of Shoes, to pair repaired ✓

The following requirements were ordered —
one Bottle of altar wine, 2 lbs. Wax Candles — ✓

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

Letter to Clerk } From the Poor Law Commissioners ^{requesting} ~~quoting~~ him to forward a Return Form B, showing the expenditure of the Union under the Medical Charities Act to 29th Sept last = The Clerk stated that he had forwarded the Form to the Commissioners = ✓

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, for Orders made on them respectively as follows: /

Letter to Clerk } From the Poor Law Commissioners having reference to the Guardians Minutes of the 14th Inst, and the Resolution passed to advertise for an Industrial Female Teacher, at a Salary of £10 and desiring to point out that the 25th Article of the General Regulations requires the Board of Guardians to appoint a fit person to the Office of Schoolmistress, and stating that they must insist on the appointment of a responsible Officer to teach the female Children in accordance with the Regulations, also requesting the Guardians to reconsider the Resolutions of the 14th Inst, and make the appointment of a fit person to the Office of Schoolmistress = ✓

The foregoing letter having been read and considered by the Board, the following Resolution was proposed by Robert Bodkin Esq and seconded by John F. Bannire Esq = ✓

Resolved = That we advertise for a Schoolmistress at a Salary of £15 per Annum with Rations Tenders for same to be considered on this day three weeks = ✓

The question having been put to the Board, 5 Guardians voted for, and 4 against the Resolution = ✓

The Clerk was directed to advertise for a schoolmistress on the terms of the Resolution, Tenders to be considered on this day three weeks = ✓

Letter to Clerk } From the Poor Law Commissioners forwarding a communication they had received signed Agnes Martin containing a statement of several irregularities alleged to exist in the arrangement of the Workhouse, also a Report from Doctor Brodie on his inspection of the Workhouse at 9 o'clock P.M. on the 16th Inst, and on the 17th Inst, at 10 o'clock A.M. and stating from the nature of the report, the circumstances require further investigation and that they have instructed Doctor Brodie accordingly = ✓

The Guardians having considered the several Tenders for Bread stuffs Groceries, Meat &c. = ✓

Resolved = That the Tender of M^r. Martin Glen ^{for} supplying best First Flour at £16. 5. 0 per ton and best Wholemeal at £11. 4. 0 per ton for three months from the 25th Inst, carriage free be accepted = ✓

That the Tender of M^r. James Martin for supplying best Indian Meal at £9. 0. 0 per ton Carriage free be accepted = ✓

That the Tender of M^r. Michael Costello for supplying best Oatmeal at £12. 9. 6 per ton for three months from the 25th Inst, carriage free be accepted = ✓

That the Tender of *Aliza Macaul* for supplying
best Black Tea at 3/3² per lb., best Brown Sugar at 5 per lb.
best Black Whole Pepper at 1/2 per lb., best port Wine at 28/9
per Gallon and best White Saepe at 37/6 per cut, for three months
from the 25th Inst., Carriage free be Accepted = ✓

That the Tender of *M^r. Mathew Connor* for supplying
best Beef the part required for Hospital use to be free of bone
at 5 per lb. for three months from the 25th Inst., be accepted =

That the Tender of *M^r. Joseph Killyvariff* for supplying
best Dift Candles at 6¹/₂ per lb and best mowed Candles at 7¹/₂
per lb for three months from the 25th Inst., be accepted = ✓

Finance Committee Report

Present = *Robert Bodkin* in the Chair
Others = *John F. Binn, Stephen Roche, James Kinn,
Michael Kelly, Charles Blake* = ✓

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.

Your Committee having examined the accounts
and the Vouchers connected therewith, recommend payment
of all the liabilities of the Union to the 29th September
amounting to 794 - with the exception of Messrs Lales
demand =

Robert Bodkin
Chairman

Recd., Letter from *James B. Martin* Per Rate Collector
stating that before Saturday next he would lodge with
the Treasurer a sum of £200 = ✓

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on Wednesday
the 28th Decr 1859

John Mahon Chairman
Charles Lynch Others
Richd Kelly

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____

UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 18 _____

*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 _____ 18 _____

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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:)

Union Dispensary District, Account of Mr. _____ for Headford District

	£	s.	d.	
Thomas B. Sumner Salary to 25 Dec ^r	25	0	0	London Little acting all. Officer
James Dwyer do do	22	10	0	from 27 Sept to 19 Nov ^r
Thos. B. Sumner Rent	10	0	0	Matthw. Curran Salary £ 2-11-0
Wm. Kelly Salary	3	15	0	R. J. M. St. George Rent 5-11-0
John Flanagan Rent Frohull	4	0	0	Pat Greeney Rent Cahunilp 2-11-0
Thomas Corbett Treacle	2	1	6	<u>Dunmore Dispensary</u>
<u>Abbeey District</u>				Wm. E. Donelan Salary 25 Dec ^r £ 25
Digby French Salary to 25 Dec ^r	22	10	0	do Rent £ 5
do Vaccination acct.	1	0	0	do Vaccination acct £ 2
Robert French Rent	2	10	0	Pat M ^c . Donogh Salary £ 2

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 1855, 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 1855.

[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 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

Letter to Clerk from the Poor Law Commissioners stating at No. 27279-1859 they had received a Report from the Medical Inspector Doctor Geary relating to the Headford Dispensary District, that in referring to the Invoies of Medicines and Medical Appliances a large and unusual supply had been for since September last, and requesting that the Invoice of the 3rd Inst. be forwarded to them, together with a list of the Instruments at the Dispensary at the time of the death of the late Medical Officer

At a Meeting of the Headford Dispensary Committee held for the purpose of fixing the sum to be paid Doctor L. Little while performing the duties of Medical Officer in the District - Members present William J. Burke in the Chair Officers - G. S. L. Staunton, Andrew Kane, James Petty Tobias Laffey, Robert Bottrell =

Resolved - That Doctor L. Little's Salary for two months be in proportion to that paid our Medical Officer Annually

William J. Burke Chairman

Signed

Clerk of the Union

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of Decr. 1859

Table with columns: 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 (Males, Fem.), Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working (Males, Fem.), Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age (Boys, Girls), 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 (Number in Hospital on the above date, No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date), OBSERVATIONS. Rows include: Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, Total, Remaining on previous Saturday, Admitted during the Week, Discharged during the Week, Died, Total Discharged and Dead, REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.

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: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 (Number of cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her), Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1 (Number of cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her), Total relieved out of the Workhouse (Cases, Persons), RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 (Number of cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her), Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1 (Number of cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her), Total relieved out of the Workhouse (Cases, Persons). Rows include: No. I, No. II, No. III, No. IV, No. V, No. VI, No. VII, No. VIII, No. IX, Car. forward, TOTAL.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 24th day of December 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Charles Blake -

Other Guardians:

William J. Burke, Charles Lynch, William Mc Day, William Gannon, Henry Rowan, Richard Kelly, Thomas Higgins, John F. Broome.

D. Burke Poor Law Inspector

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. 1090 to No. 1102, 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, - - - - - £ 295.5.5

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 404.16.5

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 308.14.6

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.
James Mantyn	Addigoole	11	4	4									
	Carradough	3	15	6									
	Clonburke	4	16	1									
	Dombully	18	19	11									
	Drumnote	9	19	2									
	Stilleen	6	14	1									
	Tullannan	11	18	3									
	Mulltown	43	16	6	100	4	1						
Denis Furman	Bellclass	24	18	4									
	Beaghmore	22	9	1									
	Clanchuan	21	18	10									
	Foxhall	29	2	11									
	Hillobrook	7	16	8									
	Kilshanny	7	4	6									
	Killerum	3	19	5									
	Lwally	7	5	6									
	Tuam	20	11	1	145	5	5						

Mr. Mantyn lodged £150, but has not checked his accounts for that sum -

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 s. 11 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 18 : 17 : 11

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 : 7

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - " : 2 : 4 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:

- 10 0 0 First Flour
40 lb Beef
100 Bones of Beef
6 1/4 Dozents Sweet Milk
4 Bottles Venice Peppercorn
9 lb Dipt and 3 lb Mustard
Cucumbers 28 lb Soap
10 Quarters Ordeal

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

Table with columns for In money, In kind, and 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 for RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Check on Treasurer, By Order on Contractors, and Value.

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, for Orders made on them respectively as follows: /

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners having reference to the Return of Expenditure under the Medical Charities Act, Form B and stating that the Return had been duly received at the Office. ✓

Reads - Letter from the Clerk of the Dunmow Union, transmitting copy of a Resolution passed by the Board of Guardians of that Union, and requesting the consideration of the Board on the subject. ✓

Dr Brodie Poor Law Inspector stated that he would attend at the Board Room on Thursday the 5th January next for the purpose of holding an enquiry into circumstances connected with the Officers of the Workhouse - ✓

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 4th January 1850

Chapman
Others present
Mr Marshall Day
Richard Large

J. Morris
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 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 _____ 18 ____

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 _____ 18 ____

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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 £

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:—

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.)

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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—57196.

Present Net Annual Value, ...£ 75433,6-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 31st day of Dec^r, 1859

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.						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, . . .	1134	184															
Temporary Buildings, . . .	300	"															
Additional Workhouse, . . .																	
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .	50	12															
Fever Sheds, . . .																	
Total, . . .	1484	199															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			8	50	19	36	20	19	8	16	24	200	In Workhouse Hospital, 24	In separate Wards, 4			
Admitted during the Week, . . .			3	3	2	"	1	"	"	"	"	9	In Hospital, 12	In Wards with other inmates, 4			
TOTAL, . . .			11	53	21	36	21	19	8	16	24	209	Total, 36	Total, 4			
Discharged during the Week, . . .			3	3	1	1	1	"	"	"	"	9					
Died, . . .			4	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	1					
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			3	3	1	2	1	"	"	"	"	10					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			8	50	20	34	20	19	8	16	24	199					

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. forwd.						
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 January 1860

PRESENT: In the Chair, Charles Blake - Denis Kirwan 1 O'Clock P.M.

Other Guardians: Stephen J Leonard, William Mc Dwy, Richard Kelly, William J Burke, Patrick W Mangum, William Gurnon, Richard Savage, James Kirwan, Charles Lynch Stephen J M. Donoghue

(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 and 3 rows.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1702 to No. 1711 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, - - - - - £ 119. 2. 3

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 147. 14. 7

And that the Balance on the Account In-favour of the Guardians was - £ 280. 2. 8

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.	
Peter Greene	Annadown	1	1	6										
	Ballinluff	2	15	11										
	Dunghpatrick	11	1	8										
	Headford	20	8	3										
	Killeany	5	13	1										
	Kilroona	2	6	1										
	Killursa	25	7	6										
	Killower	11	8	4										
								69	2	3				

James Mastyn lodged £50, but has not yet attended to check his Books

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 9 3/4

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 21 : 9 : 3/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. : :

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - " : 1 : 10 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - : 2 : 4

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - : 2 : 8 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:

- 10 0 0 Wholmeal
- 109 1/2 Beef
- 100 Boxes Lard
- 10 3 Quarts sweet milk
- 2 1/2 Tea 12 1/2 Sugar
- 28 1/2 Soap, 9 1/2 Dipt and
- 3 1/2 Mould Candles
- 10 Quarts Oil

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 on 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. fwd.					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.

A Cheque was drawn in favour of the Clerk to pay the following Tradesmen accounts

Martin Burke 4 Weeks Wages to 31 st Dec: 1859	1	10	"
Patrick Walsh do do	1	8	"
Patrick Egan 8 days Wages do	"	16	"
	3	14	"

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, for Orders made on them respectively as follows: /

Letter to Clerk } From the Poor Law Commissioners acknowledging the receipt of
No. 27305 1859 } replies to their enquiries respecting the appointment of
30th Dec: 1859 } John J Brennan as Schoolmaster of the Workhouse, and
} approving of his appointment on the terms specified.

Letter to Clerk: } From the Poor Law Commissioners enclosing Forms to be
No. 1 - No 10 } filled respecting the Rates made, and any new Rates
2nd Jan'y 1860 } agreed upon in the Unions.

Read - Letter from the Clerk of the Tipperary Union stating the Guardians had adopted a Petition to Parliament praying that the Fathers of illegitimate children might be compelled to support them, and that portions of the salaries of Clerks of Unions Medical Officers &c be paid out of the Consolidated Funds. and requesting the cooperation of the Board on the subject.

The

The following Guardians were named as a Committee to prepare a Petition to Parliament with reference to the Letter received from the Tipperary Union - namely William J Burke, William Gumm, and Thomas Browne -

Read - Memorandum from the National Bank Thruam referring to the sum of £49.15.4 Interest disallowed by the Auditor, and stating that as the Bank now allows Interest on the Credit balances of the Union, the Board might direct them to retain the balances until the amount reaches the discrepancy referred to by the Auditor -

Ordered

Read - Letter from Mr. Patrick Wade of Cregg Mills requesting to be paid a sum of £5.5.3 balance of account due since the year 1852 - Referred to the Finance Committee.

The Guardians having taken into consideration the appointment of an Industrial Female Teacher, there being two Tenders for the Office before the Board, and several Guardians having spoken on the subject, the further consideration of the appointment was adjourned until next Board day -

The Clerk was directed to continue the Advertisement until the 11th Instant, and to return the Tenders now before the Board if called for -

The Clerk was directed to write to the following Unions for information respecting the amalgamation of the Offices of Schoolmaster and Schoolmistress - namely - Ballinrobe, Clauronia, Castlereagh, Glinamuddy and Mount Bellin -

Next

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on
Wednesday the 11th January 1860 -

<i>John Blake</i>	}	Chairman
<i>Wm. Douglas</i>		Others
<i>John Kelly</i>		

John Morris
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 - 8 -

Ditto disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 3 -

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 Poorlaw 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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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____

UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 18 ____

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 _____ 18 ____

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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,	£

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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 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

Letter to Clerk from the Poor Law Commissioners referring to a Resolution of the Bradford Dispensary Committee recommending that Dr. Little to be paid for his temporary services at the rate of salary as paid to the Medical Officer of the District.

The Commissioners letter was referred to the Leeds and Committee, they having recommended payment of Dr. Little's salary for two ^{months} ~~years~~ and his appointment having taken place only on the 27th September last, the Opinion of the Committee was requested on the subject.

Recd - Letter from Thomas P. Turner Esq. Medical Officer of the Truam Dispensary directed to the Secy Secretary stating that owing to indisposition Mr. Dwyer was acting for him at the Dispensary, and would continue to do so until he would be able to resume his duties.

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of January 1860

Table with columns for Number of Inmates, Aged and Infirm persons, Boys and Girls, Children, and RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS. Includes rows for Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, and totals.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11th day of January 1860

Table with columns for RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, and Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Includes rows for various districts and a total row.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 11th day of January 1860

PRESENT: In the Chair, Charles Blake - Other Guardians: Robert Bottrill, John H. Brown, Arthur M. Blatte, William M. Day, Stephen Leonard, Thomas Higgins, Henry Sturman, Michael Nolan, James Clarke, Cornelius J. O'Kelly, Charles Lynch, William Gunnory, Richard Kelly, Edmund J. Kelly, Francis Wade, James Sturman, Stephen McDonogh, John T. Sturman, William Ronaldson, Thomas Brown, Dominick P. Leonard, James G. Clarke, Thomas O'Donelan, Stephen Roche, Patrick W. Mangan, Robert Bodkin, William Bunker, Richard Savage, Robert Henry William Griffiths, Richard Shaidan.

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. 1711 to No. 1721, 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, - - - - - £ 122, 2, 0

And that the Balance on the Account *In favour of the Guardians* was - £ 158, 0, 8

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.
James Martyn	Addergole	18	9	8									
	Curranebegh	7	12	4									
	Cloonbyme	20	3	7									
	Dombally	31	"	2									
	Dummore	50	14	1									
	Tilbarnau	23	2	11									
	Tilleen	28	17	9									
	Mulltown	19	10	9	199	11	3						
James Martyn	Abbey East	9	15	6									
	Abbey West	13	11	9									
	Ballinderry	9	7	2									
	Ballinaphull	19	"	1									
	Crumme	9	9	4									
	Tilmoylan	12	"	"									
	Moyné	18	13	6									
	Morruia	18	3	"									
Ryehill	21	15	8	131	16	7							
					331								

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 £ 5 " 5 " 1 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 " 5 " 6 1/2 d. ✓

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 18 : 14 : 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 : 3 3/4

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - " : 2 : 9 ✓

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:

Out with of
 10 " 0 " 0 First Stew
 40 lb Beef
 100 Boxes Lard
 668 Quarts Sweet Milk
 2 1/2 Sea 12 1/2 Sugar
 3 Bottles Wine 1st Pepper
 28^{lb} Soap, of 1st Dept 8th
 3^{lb} Mould Candles
 40 Quarts Meal

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.

A Cheque was drawn in favour of the Clerk for Petty Cash, amount - - - 5 " "

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, for Orders made on them respectively as follows: /

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners referring to N^o. 12 / 60 } a Report which they received from M^r. Martin of the 1st Jan^y. 1860 } An Audit stating that the Clerk was unable to close the former Union account in consequence of the Guardians declining to declare the Collection on foot of former Union Rate closed, and requesting the Guardians to take the matter into consideration it being desirable that the account should be closed, also observing that a Decree had been obtained for a sum due by M^r. Garrett Kelly in respect of the Rate in question, and that the Solicitor had stated that M^r. Kelly would pay the amount if applied to for it - ✓

Ordered - The Clerk to write to M^r. Kelly to say, that previous to the Board taking any further proceedings, they request him to pay, as M^r. Kelly promised he would on application being made - ✓

Read - Letter from the Clerk of the Ballinacorney Union in reply to the Clerk's communication of the 6th Instant, stating that the Offices of Schoolmaster & Schoolmistress have not been amalgamated in the Union - ✓

Read - Letter from the Clerk of the Clonmore Union stating that the number of Boys in the Workhouse School was 13 and Girls 17 - The Salary of the Schoolmistress is £15 with Bread and Milk Rations, and £5 in lieu of Tea & Meat, and that the amalgamation of the Offices of Schoolmaster & Schoolmistress under one Teacher has given satisfaction to the Union. The number of paupers, of all classes in the House being 133 - ✓

Read - Letter from the Clerk of the Mount Pellet Union, stating there were 13 Boys and 14 Girls in attendance at the School in charge of a female Teacher, Salary £18 - The Master a trained Teacher assisting the Schoolmistress in the instruction of the Boys, on which understanding the Commissioners sanctioned the amalgamation, an arrangement with which the Guardians after two years experience are satisfied - Number in the House of all classes 96 - ✓

Read - Letter from Denis Kirwan Esq^r. Chairman of the Board, regretting his inability to attend the Meeting to day, and stating that he was in favour of appointing a Schoolmistress in accordance with the Commissioners letter, but considered it may be possible shortly to make some amalgamation of the duties of some of the Officials so as to be able to reduce the number - ✓

The Guardians having taken into consideration the appointment of a Schoolmistress and a Female Industrial Teacher for the Workhouse, there being three Tenders ✓

Minutes for the Offices before the Board, and the subject having been discussed, the following Resolution was proposed by Thomas O'Donovan Esq^r and seconded by Dominick B. Leonard Esq^r ✓

Resolved - That the Board proceed to the question whether, an Industrial Female Teacher or a Schoolmistress be appointed -

The Resolution having been put, and a poll taken, there appeared 21 Votes for appointing a Schoolmistress, and 8 Votes for appointing an Industrial Female Teacher - ✓

The appointment of a Schoolmistress having been then proceeded with, and the Certificates of Character and competency of the Candidates having been read, the following Resolution was proposed by James Sturvan Esq^r and seconded by Arthur M. Blake Esq^r ✓

Resolved

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 - 6 -
Ditto disallowed - - - - - 4 -
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 14 -

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 Prolonging 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 M^{rs} Bridget Monahan be appointed to the Office of Schoolmistress - ✓

Proposed by John F. Browne Esq^r and seconded by William Mc Day Esq^r ✓

Resolved - That Miss Mary Ann Browne be appointed to the Office of Schoolmistress of the Workhouse - ✓

The Chairman having put the question, and a poll taken, there appeared 16 Votes for Miss Browne and 11 Votes for M^{rs} Monahan - Miss Browne was accordingly declared elected Schoolmistress of the Workhouse - ✓

Take Notice that I will on this day fortnight move that the chargeability of Lawrence Leonard be changed from Swan to the Union at Large - ✓

William Gannon

The Rags in store being the condemned old clothing were ordered to be sold, the Matron first selecting from them whatever quantity of old linen could be made useful for Hospital purposes ✓

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 18th January 1860

Ch^r Blake } Chairman
W. Gannon } Others present
Rich^d Kelly }
C. O. }
Geo Morris }
Blair }
W. M. }
C. O. }

Geo Morris
Blair

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____

UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 18 ____

continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and
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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 _____ 18 ____

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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 Payments 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 Peate-prayers 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—57196

Present Net Annual Value, ... £75433.6.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of January 1860

Table with columns for accommodation types (Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, etc.), age groups (Able-bodied, Boys and Girls, etc.), and RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS. Includes sub-tables for hospital admissions and discharges.

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. and not comprised in Sec. 1.), Total relieved out of the Workhouse, and RELIEF DISTRICT details.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 18th day of January 1860

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

Charles Blake, Tobias Saffy, William Gunn, Thomas Higgins, Stephen J. Leonard, Richard Kelly

(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. 1721 to No. 1731 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, fitted 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, - - - - - £ 196 17 11

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 46 4 6

And that the Balance on the Account *In favour of the Guardians* was - £ 307 19 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.	
<i>Peter Greaney</i>	Annadrum	1	17	4										
	Ballinoduff	6	17	8										
	Droughpatrick	18	17	7										
	Headford	22	18	10										
	Kilcorna	3	8	10										
	Killeary	2	19	4										
	Killuragh	12	1	8										
	Willow	2	4	1				66	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 £ 18 " 9 s. 2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 18 : 14 : 1 ✓

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 : 4 1/2 ✓

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - " : 3 : 5 ✓

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:

- 20 " 0 " 0 Indiar Meal ✓
- 79 " Beef ✓
- 110 Boxes Lard ✓
- 646 Quarts Sweet Milk ✓
- 2 " 6 Tea 1 1/2 Sugar ✓
- 3 Bottles Olive ✓
- 28 " Soap ✓
- 9 " Dept & 3 " Mould Candles ✓
- 10 Quarts Deal ✓

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 on 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.

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, for Orders made on them respectively as follows: /

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners, transmitting copy N^o 770 1860 } Minutes of Evidence taken before D^o Pradie Poor Law Inspector on the 5th Instant, in respect to 17 Jan'y 1860 } certain alleged irregularities in the Workhouse and observing it to be satisfactory that several of the allegations made were not out upon investigation, but that there is ample reason to caution both the Master & Matron to be more careful in the discharge of their duties, also requesting the attention of the Visiting Committee to the crowding of the Girls Dormitory and the supply of Fuel to the Day rooms, and the residence of unauthorised persons in the Workhouse - ✓

The Commissioners letter having been read, the Guardians stated they were glad to find the Commissioners took the same view of the subject and investigation as they the Guardians did, and directed the Clerk to hand a copy of the Commissioners letter to the Master and Matron - ✓

Letter - From the Clerk of the Custred Union stating there were 33 Boys and 14 Girls in the School Salary of the Teacher (Female) £12 and Second Class Rates, that the Guardians are satisfied with the amalgamation of the Schools, and that the number of all classes in the Workhouse is 150 - ✓

Reads - Letter from the Clerk of Glencmaddy Union stating there were 12 Boys and 11 Girls in the School, Salary of the Teacher (who performs the duties of Master & Teacher) £20 a year, that the Guardians are satisfied with the present arrangements, the number of all classes in the House 102 - ✓

The Tender of Edmund Corpe for the Old Rags was accepted at the following prices Viz - White Rags 18/- per Cwt., Blue do. 12/- per Cwt., White Wollen 15/- per Cwt., Corduroy and coarse Rags 10/- per Cwt. - ✓

The Board Ordered 1/2th White Bread and One pint of Sweet milk, to be allowed the pauper man in charge of the front entrance gate, in consideration of extra duty and the severity of the Weather -

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 25th January 1860

John Morris }
W Marshall Day } Chairman
Richard Savage } Others present

John Morris
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-law 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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MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____

UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 18 ____

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 _____ 18 ____

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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 _____ 18

_____ 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.)

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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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Signed

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851—51196

Present Net Annual Value, ... £75433.6-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of January 1860

Table with columns for accommodation types (Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, etc.), age and sex groups (Able-bodied, Males, Fem., Boys, Girls, etc.), and RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS (Number in Hospital, No. of Lunatics, etc.).

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, Total relieved out of the Workhouse, and RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1, Total relieved out of the Workhouse.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 25th day of January 1860

PRESENT: In the Chair, Charles Blake, Denis Kiwan, & Robert P.M.

Other Guardians: Richard Savage, Stephen & Leonard James

Leahke, William Gannon, Thomas Brown, William M. Day,

Thomas Higgins, William J. Burke, James Kiwan

James G. Blake

D. Public P.S.O. - ✓

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. 1731 to No. 1743 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 Clerk reported that Mr. Denis Kirwan Collector for the Inman District had not attended to check his accounts since the 23rd December last-

Also that Mr. James Montagu Collector for the Abbey and Dumin Districts had not attended this week to check his accounts - ✓

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, - - - - - £ 30. 9. 6

And that the Balance on the Account In favour of the Guardians was - £ 277. 19. 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.

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.
The following sums were this day lodged with the Treasurer & not checked													
Denis Kirwan		124	7	"									
James Montagu		100	"	"									

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 £ 19 " 6 s. 2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 19 : 10 : 7 1/2

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 : 6

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - " : 3 : 3

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:

- cut up to of
10 " 0 " 0 First Flour
10 " 0 " 0 Wholmeal
of Beef
110 Pounds Beef
660 Quarts sweet milk
2 lb Tea 12 1/2 " Sugar
4 Bottles Wine 1 " Pepper
28 " Soap, 9 " Dipst and 3 "
Mould Candles
10 Quarters Wood

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 on Out-door Relief was

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:

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Check on Treasurer, By Order on Contractors, and sub-columns for Article and quantity, Value. Includes rows No. I to No. XVII and a TOTAL row.

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 Medical Officer reported that there were not any deaths during the past week, and that 38 persons remained under treatment— ✓

The Medical Officer handed in a list of Medicines required for the Hospital, also 2 Hand Brushes, 2 Sweeping Brushes, 2 Scouring Brushes, 12 Chimneys, 16 Towels and some fine and coarse Combs— ✓

Ordered

Reported also that the Hospital Yard Gate was blown down and that the Pump required repair

Ordered to be repaired— ✓

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

The Master reported that during the storm of Friday night last, the Gate of the men's Yard was blown down and broken, and that a new half Gate would be required, also that the frame of the Gate at the Hospital required repair. That several Tiles and Slates were blown off different parts of the Building, and that he called the attention of the Contractor to it, who has promised with the least possible delay to make good the damage ✓

The Master also reported the dangerous state of a Chimney stack over the Sunday, and suggested the propriety of its being taken down, as it is now useless, and that he called the attention of the Visiting Committee to it— ✓

Ordered— That a Contract be taken to repair

the Gates, and that a proper man be employed to take down the Chimney—

The Tailor made during the week, 1 Jacket, 4 Trowsers & 10 Vests—

The Shoemaker made 2 Pair of Shoes and repaired 6 Pairs—

The following Requisitions were Ordered— 4 Fine Buckets, 16 Bass Brushes and 4th Threads— ✓

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, for Orders made on them respectively as follows:

Letter to Col. G. C. }
 No. 23 M. 60 }
 24 Inst. 1860 }
 From the Poor Law Commissioners stating their objection had been drawn to a statement which appears to have been made at a Meeting of Workhouse Medical Officers held at Dublin on the 17th Inst. to the following effect -

"It is not the Poor Law as such, that Paupers who were affected with diseases which require Hospital attendance, could not be admitted into the Workhouse Infirmary, unless they took in the whole of the family with them" trusting that no such misapprehension as to the true state of the Law as that which appears in the above passage, exists on the part of the Board of Guardians, they nevertheless think it right to endeavour to prevent any such erroneous opinion on the subject gaining ground - ✓

Read - Letter from William Donnelly Esq^r. Registrar General requesting the Returns showing the estimated average produce per Acre of the Crops grown in 1859 in each Electoral Division in the Union to be sent him as soon as possible - ✓

Edward Corpe who on last Board day was declared purchaser of the Rags, having refused to take them at the prices specified in his Tender, the Board cancelled his contract, and declared Martin Egan the purchaser in his stead, at the following prices, namely -

White Rags 17/- per cwt., Cord do. 9/- per cwt., Blue do. 9/- per cwt., White Woolen do. 16/- per cwt., and for the lot of Black Rags 5/- ✓

The Clerk was directed to summon the Finance Committee to meet on Wednesday next - ✓

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 1st February 1860.

John Blum } Chairman
 W Marshall Day } Thus present
 Richard Lowry } W Marshall Day

J. J. Morris
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 Poorhouse 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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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____

UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 18 _____

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 _____ 18 _____

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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 _____ 1855, 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 _____ 18

_____ 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.)

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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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Population in 1851—

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 18

Table with columns for accommodation types (Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, etc.), age groups (Able-bodied, Aged and Infirm, etc.), and health status (SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS).

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 and not comprised in Sec. 1), Total relieved out of the Workhouse, and RELIEF DISTRICT details.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 18

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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 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: /

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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 -

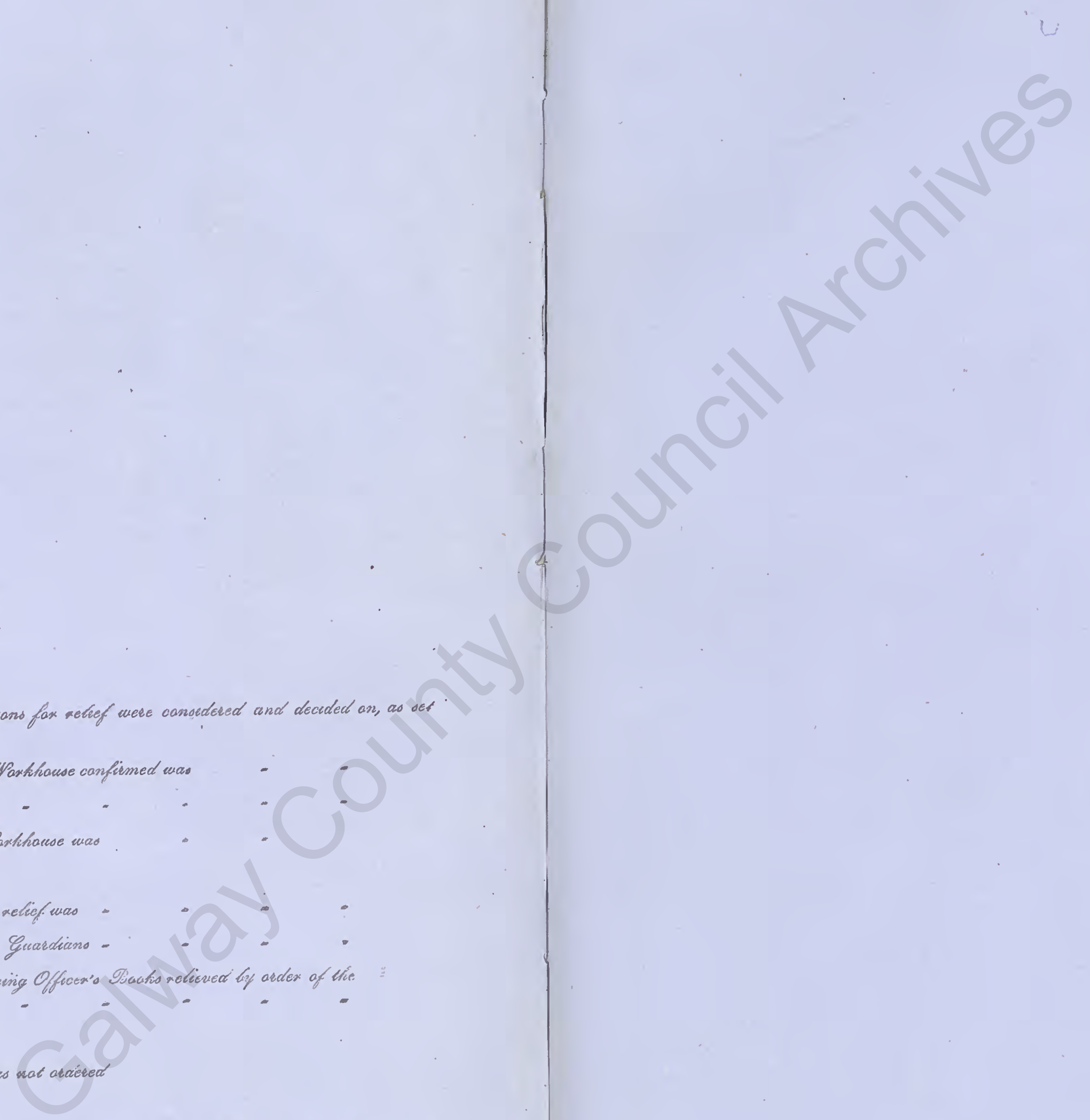
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was -

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 _____ 18 ____
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 _____ 18 ____

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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 _____ 18____.

_____ 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 Peate-prayers 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)

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