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# **TUAM POOR LAW UNION**

## **BOARD OF GUARDIAN MINUTES**

**GPL5/34**

**7 AUGUST 1867 - 5 FEBRUARY 1868**





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# MINUTE BOOK

OF THE

*Duam* UNION.

*The Minute Book*, in which shall be entered all Letters received from, or written to, the Poor Law Commissioners, Minutes of all Moneys received or paid, all Orders or Cheques given, all Accounts examined and allowed, all Salaries ordered to be paid, as well as all other business, proceedings, and transactions of the Board of Guardians, at any of their Meetings. The entries of Money transactions shall be afterwards posted in the Leger, and a note of reference made in the margin of the page in the Minute Book, to the folio in the Leger, to which they are so carried.

*Order of Poor Law Commissioners.*



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### **GPL5 COLLECTION**

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Population in 1861, 44441

Present Net Annual Value, £75,848,19,0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of August 1867

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 6 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	694															
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	123															
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	48															
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
TOTAL, . . . . .	865															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			16	81	51	59	27	24	28	24	33	343	In Work-house Hospital, In Fever Hospital, Total, 10	Inseparate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, Total, 10		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			0	2	10	4	"	1	"	"	1	18				
TOTAL, . . . . .			16	83	61	63	27	25	28	24	34	361				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			"	2	12	6	"	1	2	1	1	25				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	"	2	"	"	"	"	"	2				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			"	2	12	8	"	1	2	1	1	27				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			16	81	49	55	27	24	26	23	33	334				
													1866-306	35.52		
													1865-331	43.58		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of August 1867 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	
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No. I.	21	52					Bt. forward,						
No. II.	16	14					No. X.						
No. III.	35	43					No. XI.						
No. IV.	2	5					No. XII.						
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Car. forward	74	147					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 7<sup>th</sup> day of August 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Denis Kirwan Esq<sup>r</sup>

Other Guardians:

Charles Blake, Thomas J. Bodkin, Arthur N. Blake, Stephen J. M<sup>r</sup> Donogh, William Gammon, James O'Kelly, Thos. S. Kirwan, Denis S. Kirwan, Robert Botterill, Patrick O'Connor, Wm. J. Burke, Robert Bodkin, and Robert Blake Esq<sup>r</sup>, also Doctor Brodie



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4199 to No. 4217, 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, - - - - - £ 9 : 19 : 6

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £ 265 : 12 : 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.											
Totals,																								

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 £ 37 s. 19 d. 10 1/2

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 44 s. 9 d. 4  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,  
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ 2 s. 5 d. 1/2  
 Average cost in Infirmary, £ 3 s. 10  
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, £ 4 s. 0 d. 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:

10,000 Cut Oatmeal	190 lbs Beef
14,000 Cut Flour	50 Baked Turnips
1,000 Cut Bran	10 lbs Dipt & 1/2 lbs Mould Oatmeal
1554 Lts Sweet Milk	
5 1/2 lbs Tea	
25 lbs Sugar	
1 1/2 lb Pepper	
18 Bottles Wine	
56 lbs Rice	
70 lbs Soap	
14 lbs Soda	

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 Believing 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 1866 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, -	£	s.	d.
In Kind, -			
Total	£		

Credit each Believing Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Believing Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	J. W. Store	5, 0, 0	-		Bt. forward		21, 0, 0		
No. II.	Thos. Donnelly	4, 0, 0	-		No. X.				
No. III.	Peter Courtau	12, 0, 0	-		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.		21, 0, 0			TOTAL,		21, 0, 0		

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Believing Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:—

1. Clothing Account.

Patrick Coughlan Linen	£	s.	d.
	2	15	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

Martin Burke (Tailor Wages to 3 <sup>rd</sup> August)	1	17	6
Patrick Walsh (Shoemaker do)	1	15	0
Patrick Fagan (Carpenter do)	2	6	0
John Kebue (Mason to 1 <sup>st</sup> August)	"	10	0
James Sheehaw (Smith Work to 3 <sup>rd</sup> August)	"	14	4
Myles Butler (Cooperage to do)	"	8	0
John Spiggins (Nails to do)	1	1	0
Morish Fagan (Lime to do)	"	12	6
Walter Scullican (Rent of Vaccination Station)	"	7	6
Blank (Election Expenses)	6	4	6
Secretary Blind Asylum for Michael Hyne	5	0	0
Michael Corcoran Malt & Hops to 4 <sup>th</sup> August	2	2	6

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

Balance £ 7. 5. 10 Clerk Petty Cash 8. 0. 0



3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

J. W. Fox	Relief Expenses	£	s.	d.
Thomas Henley	do	5	0	0
Peter Curran	do	4	0	0
Clerk	Petty Cash	12	0	0
		8	0	0

*See page 5 for these sums*

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 requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
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No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Chr. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques 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.

£	s.	d.

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:

Letter Clerk  
N<sup>o</sup> 93 / 67 } From Poor Law Commissioners for the information of  
23 July 1867 } the Board of Guardians that in consequence of the pressure upon  
their finances through the unusual distress the Lords of the  
Treasury have assented to an advance from the Parliamentary grant  
to Unions in Ireland for Medical and Educational purposes,  
The Commissioners forward a form of Certificate requesting  
it may be filled up signed by the presiding Chairman and  
countersigned by Clerk and returned,

Letter to Clerk  
N<sup>o</sup> 19012/1867 } From Poor Law Commissioners forwarding a copy  
25<sup>th</sup> July 1867 } of a Letter which they have addressed to Doctor French  
communicating the particulars of a report which they  
received from Dr. Roughan of his recent inspection of the  
dispensary and calling the Guardians attention to the  
several matters therein,

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<sup>o</sup> 18758, 1864 } From Poor Law Commissioners sanctioning the proposed  
27 July 1864 } increase of the Salaries of the four Hospital Nurse and the  
Infirmary Nurse respectively to Sixteen Pounds per Annum,

Letter to Clerk  
N<sup>o</sup> 96 / 67 } From Poor Law Commissioners enclosing Forms  
1<sup>st</sup> August 67 } to be filled respecting the Rates made and any new Rates  
agreed upon in the Union,

Letter to Clerk  
N<sup>o</sup> 19861/1867 } From Poor Law Commissioners forwarding a copy  
1<sup>st</sup> August 67 } of a Letter they received from the Rev. P. Conway respecting  
the sickness and destitution of parties in the Headford District  
and requesting that Mr. Curran may be afforded an opportunity  
of giving an explanation in regard to the cases,

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

Letter to Clerk  
N<sup>o</sup> 97 / 67 } From Poor Law Commissioners acquainting the Board that  
1<sup>st</sup> August 67 } they will be enabled to make a remittance to the Medical Treasurer for  
Medical and Educational purposes after the close of current half year,

Letter to Clerk  
N<sup>o</sup> 19121/1867 } From Poor Law Commissioners stating that Dr. Brodie in  
3 August 67 } his report of his recent inspection of the Workhouse refers to the painting  
of the Building, and enclosing a specification for painting,

Letter to Clerk  
N<sup>o</sup> 20214/1867 } From Poor Law Commissioners forwarding for the  
6 August 67 } information of the Board of Guardians a copy of a Letter they  
received from Dr. French Medical Officer of the Headford District  
relative to the case of Bridget Meally referred to by the Rev. P. Conway  
in his letter of the 31<sup>st</sup> July to the Commissioners,



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

Notice of Motion made, Wm. J. Burke to compensate Mr. Peter Curran for extra duties, it was proposed by Wm. J. Burke Esq. and seconded by Robert Bodkin Esq. that Mr. Curran Relieving Officer of the Headford District get a sum of £15.0.0 for extra duties which was carried unanimously and the Board require the Commissioners sanction thereto, -

The Board having considered the Commissioners Letter No. 19, 126, 67, 23 July 1867. Resolved that Mr. May be paid a sum of twenty pounds for closing all the Workhouse accounts to the 25<sup>th</sup> March last and prepare the estimate for the current year, -

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):

An application having been made by a person named Winny Mealey for three pounds the Commissioners are requested to sanction that sum to be charged to the Electoral division of Headford, -

The Tenders for Painting being considered too high they were adjourned for one Week for further consideration, -

The consideration of Tenders for Clothing &c. was adjourned until next Board day, -

The number of provisions Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 18  
Do " do in which relief was continued by the Guardians 74

The following report from the Roman Catholic Chaplain was read, I administered the last rites of the Church to Bridget Clarke shortly after her admission to the Workhouse, she came from Cummer this Morning on a common Cart and such a mode of conveyance I consider unfit for a person in so weak a state as to require an hour after her arrival the Sacraments of the dying, There was no bed in the Cart, nor even straw, for such an extreme Case; I trust the Guardians will provide a more suitable conveyance and would suggest with every due respect that the Workhouse Spring Car be made available for that purpose, -

Mr. Kelly the Relieving Officer of the Cummer E. Division being called upon for an explanation stated that he could not get another conveyance nor yet was there any straw near the place, The Board ordered that in future he must send to the Workhouse for a proper conveyance, -

Wm. J. Burke  
Robert Bodkin  
Alvin Skinnon



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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday the  
14 day of August 1867  
(Signed) [Signature]

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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186  
*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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The following Accounts of expenses (or statement of Salaries 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £  
\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District, Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

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

Order dated \_\_\_\_\_ (state subject,)



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

Read Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ stating that

(Signed)



Clerk of the Union.

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TOTAL, . . . . .			17	84	55	58	28	24	26	24	35	351				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			"	1	9	7	2	"	2	"	"	21				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
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Car. forward	55	72					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 14<sup>th</sup> day of August 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Charles Blake Esq.*

Other Guardians: *Thomas J. Crowe, William Gamon, Thomas J. Bodkin, Edward Conannon, Denis J. Kirwan, Martin M. Donnell Esq.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.







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

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - " - 3 " 10 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 Cwts Indian Meal  
 14 Cwts Flour  
 1 Cwt Bran  
 15 1/4 Dts Milk  
 5 1/4 lbs Tea  
 2 5 lbs Sugar  
 1 1/2 lb Pepper  
 18 Bottles Wine  
 70 lbs Soap  
 200 lbs Beef  
 50 Boys Turf

10 lbs Salt & 1/2 lb, Mould Candles

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 186

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, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque 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.	Thomas Healy	5.0.0				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.		5.0.0				TOTAL,					

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques 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.

Clerk for Petty Cash 3 0 0

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:

Letter to Clerk  
N<sup>o</sup> 98 M/67  
9<sup>th</sup> August 67  
From Poor Law Commissioners forwarding a printed Form in which the particulars required in regard to the proposed Emigration of Henry Mically should be stated and the Form duly filled up with Certificate from Medical Officer,

Circular to Clerk  
N<sup>o</sup> 98. M/67  
9<sup>th</sup> August 67  
From Poor Law Commissioners forwarding a Form for a statement of the amount of such Expenses for the Half year ending 29<sup>th</sup> September next to be filled as soon after the close of the half year as such Expenses shall have been accurately ascertained, also that credit must be given to the Electoral Divisions for their share of that part of the commitment which relates to the Workhouse in proportion to the Net Annual Value of each,

Circular to Clerk  
N<sup>o</sup> 20076/67  
8 August 1867  
From Poor Law Commissioners calling for a return of the Number of Persons receiving relief during the Quarter ended 31<sup>st</sup> March last and the cost of Out door relief,

Letter to Clerk  
N<sup>o</sup> 20534/1167  
13<sup>th</sup> August 1867  
From Poor Law Commissioners sanctioning the proposal that Mr. Cunaw Relieving Officer of the Headford District be allowed a sum of £15. for extra duty performed by him,

Letter to Clerk  
N<sup>o</sup> 20534 1867  
13<sup>th</sup> August 1867  
From Poor Law Commissioners expressing their sanction of the proposal that Mr. May be allowed the sum of £20. for closing the Union accounts to the 25<sup>th</sup> March last and preparing the Estimate for the Current Year,

Letter to Clerk  
N<sup>o</sup> 20534 1867  
13<sup>th</sup> August 67  
From Poor Law Commissioners respecting the report from the Roman Catholic Chaplain relative to a Woman named Bridget Clarke who was removed in a Common Cart to the Workhouse and calling upon the Relieving Officer Mr. Kelly to explain his failure to make use of the Workhouse Ambulance in the case,

Mr. Kelly in reply to the foregoing letter states that he could not get a Horse in the Country to go with the Ambulance it being so heavy and further that the people have a decided objection to be carried in or approach at all near it as they can see it is solely used for conveying Fever patients, and adds that it has always been the practice to have such persons conveyed in common carts in summer,

Notice of Motion  
That I will on this day fortnight the 28<sup>th</sup> Instant move that an increase of Salary be given to the Medical Officer for the Abbey Dispensary District in consequence of the additional duty in attending one day in every week at the Depot at Abbey Wat,  
Signed  
Thomas J. Crowe,



The Guardians having taken into consideration the several Tenders for Clothing &c. for fever Hospital,

Resolved, that the Tender of Mr. Michael Juby for supplying at the Workhouse carriage free for 6 Months, Blue Flannel at 17/3 per yard Slippers 30 Pairs @ 1/8 per Pair in 3 Sizes, Socks at 6/ per Pair, and Socks at 8/

Also that Mr. James Mr. Donnell's Tender to supply at the Workhouse carriage free, Red Flannel at 17/4 per yard, Slippers 20 Pair at 1/7 1/2 per Pair in 2 Sizes and Grey Stockings at 6/ per Pair be accepted,

The Tenders for Painting were again adjourned for another Week,

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	-	13

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-
Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	55
The number of other applicants in the Believing 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.)

Wm. Blake  
John Birmingham  
Thomas Bootman

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 21 day of August 1867  
(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

Clerk of the Union.

By Authority—JOHN FALCONER, Printer and Binder to Her Majesty's Stationery Office,  
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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68. }  
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Innis  
UNION, on Wednesday day, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of August 1867  
*continued.*

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

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

*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:*

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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):

Alley Dispensary District.  
Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_: Amount £

Report from Dr. Trunch of the Alley Dispensary District  
of 49 successful cases of Vaccination,

[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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ 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 B 1 and B 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees, namely:—

\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District, Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

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

Order dated \_\_\_\_\_ (state subject,)



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

Read Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ stating that \_\_\_\_\_

At a special Meeting of the Abbey Dispensary Committee held this day, the following Members attended,  
Thomas A. Roche, Esq. in the Chair,  
Other Members, John Blakely, James Clarke, James Brown, Patrick Hanly, John Gilmore, John Cogg & Tho. J. Crowe Esq. Es.

It was unanimously resolved that a Depot be opened at Abbey West at which the Medical Officer is to attend one day in each week and that he do proceed at once to procure a proper place and report to the Committee thereon,

Resolved that the additional duties placed upon the Medical Officer be taken into consideration with a view of giving him such remuneration as will compensate him fairly for such additional duty, and which we recommend should not be less than thirty Pounds per Annum,

Signed  
Thomas A. Roche,  
Chairman

12<sup>th</sup> August 1864,

Also  
Resolved unanimously that the floor of the Waiting room be Boarded,

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Union.



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# Union.

Population in 1861,

Present Net Annual Value, £ 75,848. 19.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of August 1867

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	69															
Temporary Buildings,	1123															
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	48															
Fever Sheds,																
<b>TOTAL,</b>	<b>865</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			17	83	46	51	26	24	24	24	35	330	In Work-house Hospital, In Fever Hospital,	57	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates,	
Admitted during the Week,			1	3	5	7	2	1	1	2	"	22	Total,	75	Total,	
<b>TOTAL,</b>			<b>18</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>51</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>352</b>				
Discharged during the Week,			2	2	13	6	2	2	2	1	1	31				
Died,			"	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	2				
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	2	14	7	2	2	2	1	1	33	1866-298			C P 35-51
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			16	84	37	51	26	23	23	25	34	319	1865-323			38-48

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS, relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17 day of August 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.	16	34					Bt. forward,						
No. II.	15	17					No. X.						
No. III.	19	22					No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	1					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	51	74					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 21<sup>st</sup> day of August 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair, Charles Blatte Esq<sup>r</sup>

Other Guardians: Robert Bottenice, John Birmingham, Denis J. Mirwan, James J. Biddis, Martin M. Donnell, Stephen J. Mc Donagh and William Gannon Esq<sup>r</sup>,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4234 to No. 4255, 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, - - - - - £ 198 : 17 : 7

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 8 : 0 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was - £ 401 : 16 : 0

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>Totals,</i>																								

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



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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 42 s. 11 d. 10 1/2

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - ✓ 43 9 1/2  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,  
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - " - 2 - 5 1/2  
 Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - " - 4 - 0  
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - " 3 - 11 1/2

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

1505 Quarts Milk	10 lbs Dip & 1 1/2 lb Mould Candles
5 1/2 lbs Tea	
25 lbs Sugar	
56 lbs Rice	
1 1/2 lb Pepper	
70 lbs Soap	
14 lbs Soda	
18 Bottles Wine	
14 0 0 cwt Flour	
200 lbs Beef	
50 Boxes Tury	

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 186 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, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	J. W. Fore	5 0 0	✓		Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.	Peter Curran	5 0 0	✓		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 Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques 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.

Clerk for Petty Cash ✓ 6 0 0

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  
N<sup>o</sup> 21090/1867 }  
20<sup>th</sup> August 67 } June Poor Law Commissioners enclosing a Cheque for £98<sup>..</sup> 17<sup>..</sup> 7 in aid of the Medical and Educational Expenses of the Union for the half year ending 29<sup>th</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup> next and requesting a receipt for the amount, The Board signed the Receipt and ordered to be forwarded at once.

The Guardians having taken into consideration the several Tenders for Painting the House,

Resolved, That the Tender of M<sup>r</sup> John Burke to paint the Woodwork, Sashes, Presses &c according to specifications for the sum of £45.15.0 be accepted

M<sup>r</sup> Morris Clerk of the Union owing to continued ill health applied for a further extension of One Month which was granted.

Resolved That the Estimate of the new Rate be laid before the Board on Wednesday the 4<sup>th</sup> proximo, and that a printed copy of it be prepared by the Acting Clerk to each Guardian of the Union, with an intimation that it will be considered on that day,

That in the preparation of the Estimate M<sup>r</sup> May be instructed as follows:—

1<sup>st</sup> To estimate for 313 Paupers as likely to be shown in the Workhouse for the Year commencing the 30<sup>th</sup> of September next, the number to each Division, to be calculated according to the average number actually chargeable for the Year ended 25<sup>th</sup> March last — and where no paupers have been chargeable to a Division, provision to be made for the Maintenance of one Pauper,

2<sup>nd</sup> That 2/9 per head, per Week, be estimated as the Cost of Maintenance and Clothing,

3<sup>rd</sup> That £755. 8. 4 be estimated as the expenditure likely to be incurred for Out door Relief.



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	-	-	20
Ditto, disallowed -	-	-	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	2

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	-
Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	51
The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	-

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

*Clerk*  
*James G. Clarke*  
*James Clarke*

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the 28 day of August 1867  
(Signed) [Signature]

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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186  
*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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The following Accounts of expenses (or statement of Salaries 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ 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,)







# UNION.

Population in 1861, 44441

Present Net Annual Value, £ 75,848,19.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24<sup>th</sup> day of August 1867

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 4 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	694															
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	123															
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	48															
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>865</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			16	84	37	51	26	23	23	25	34	319	In Workhouse Hospital, 51 In Fever Hospital, 21	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 10		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			"	2	2	3	1	"	"	1	1	10				
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>16</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>329</b>	<b>Total, 72</b>	<b>Total, 10</b>		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			"	1	4	5	1	"	"	"	2	13				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			"	1	4	5	1	"	"	"	2	13	1866, 301	37. 51		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			16	85	35	49	26	23	23	26	33	316	1865, 312	40. 51		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24<sup>th</sup> day of August 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.	16	34					Bt. forward,						
No. II.	15	17					No. X.						
No. III.	19	21					No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	1					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	51	73					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 28<sup>th</sup> day of August 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Charles Blake Esq.

Other Guardians:

James Clarke, James G. Clarke, Thomas Kirwan Esq. Junr, Thomas J. Bodkin, Charles Gant, Henry Kirwan, John Gilmore, and Edmond Conboy Esqs.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4256 to No. 4265, 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, - - - - - £ 16 : 0 : 0

Baid during the week, - - - - - £ 16 : 0 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £ 385 : 16 : 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
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Totals,													

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 £ 37 s. 4 d. 4 1/2

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 42 " 3 " 1 1/2  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,  
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - " - 9 " 5 1/2  
 Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - " - 3 " 11 1/2  
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - " - 3 " 9 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 n. 0	Quits	Indian Meal	10 diph 1/2 Mould Candles
14 n. 0	Quits	Flour	
1 n. 0	Quits	Bran	
14 60	Qts	Milk	
5 1/2	lbs	Tea	
25	lbs	Sugar	
1 1/2	lb	Pepper	
12	Bottles	Wine	
40	lbs	Soap	
180	lbs	But	
50	Boxes	Turf	

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 Believing 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 186

whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

£ s. d.

In Money, - - - - -  
 In Kind, - - - - -  
 Total - - - - - £

Credit each Believing Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Believing Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque 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.	J. Healy	4. 0. 9			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.		4. 0. 0			TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Believing Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:—

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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







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

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

The Clerk acknowledges receipt of a sealed order from Poor Law Commissioners consenting to a sum not exceeding three Pounds being applied by the Guardians for the purpose of assisting to defray the expenses of Henry Meally to America,

Letter to Chairman  
No. 21/31/1867  
27<sup>th</sup> August 1867  
From Poor Law Commissioners relative to leave of absence of the Clerk in consequence of continued ill health and requesting to be informed what steps are being taken to have the Accounts from the 25<sup>th</sup> March last to the present date written up, The Acting Clerk was desired to inform the Commissioners that Mr. Morris has a person employed in writing up the Accounts,

Mr. Crowe's Motion of Motion to increase the Salary of Mr. French Medical Officer of the Abbey District was adjourned until the 5<sup>th</sup> Proximo,

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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	-	-	5
Ditto. disallowed	-	-	1
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	-	-	55
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	-

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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*Edw. Blake*  
*Thomas M. Venn*  


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*Wm. Hill Venn*



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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the  
5<sup>th</sup> day of April 1867  
(Signed) J. W. Fox pr

Clerk of the Union.



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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Maam  
UNION, on Wednes day, the 28<sup>th</sup> day of August 1867  
*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 Quinn  
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 Alley  
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 Clerk informs the Board that he forwarded a copy  
of the Invoice to the Medical Officer of the Alley district,*



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):

Albey Dispensary District.  
Account of Mr Peck for Medicines: Amount £ 30.4.9.

Ordered

To be paid until next finance day,

[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 1856, 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 1856

\_\_\_\_\_ 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):

Recd Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_  
stating that

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(Signed)

*[Handwritten Signature]*

Clerk of the Union.



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UNION.

Population in 1861,

Present Net Annual Value, £ 75, 848.19.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 31<sup>st</sup> day of August 1867

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	694															
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	123															
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	48															
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>865</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			16	85	35	49	26	23	23	26	33	316	In Work-house Hospital, In Fever Hospital,	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates,		
Admitted during the Week,			"	5	9	3	3	"	1	2	3	26	Total,	Total,		
<b>TOTAL,</b>			<b>16</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>342</b>				
Discharged during the Week,			"	6	9	3	3	2	1	1	4	29				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1			Out door	
Total Discharged and Dead,			"	6	9	3	3	2	1	2	4	30	1866-300	37-53		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			16	84	35	49	26	21	23	26	32	312	1865-309	43-57		

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.	13	30					Bt. forward,	45	65				
No. II.	14	15					No. X.						
No. III.	17	19					No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	1					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	45	65					TOTAL,	45	65				

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday the 5<sup>th</sup> day of September 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair, Charles Blatte Esq<sup>r</sup>

Other Guardians: Patrick O'Connor, Thomas J. Crowe, Dominick Tully, Thomas O'Connell, Cornelius O'Sullivan, Thomas J. Roddick, Henry Niwau, Thomas Niwau, Charles Grant, Denis J. Niwau, Arthur M. Blake, John Gilmore, Festus O'Sullivan, Peter Blake, David Rutledge Esq<sup>r</sup>, Richard Golding, William Gannon, John Golding, Edward Conaunon, Stephen M. Donagh, Robert Henry, Robert Roddick, Robert Blatte, William Blatte, John Birmingham, James G. Blatte, Robert Botterill, Bro die,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 426 to No. 427, 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, - - - - - £ 4 : 0 : 0  
 And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £ 381 : 16 : 0  
 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>Totals,</i>																								

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



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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 45 s. 3 - d. 10 1/2

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 41 " 14 " 9 1/2 -  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,  
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - -  
 Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - " - - - 2 " 5 3/4  
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - " - - - 3 " 9 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:

1458 Quarts Milk	50 Bars Tury
5 1/2 lbs Tea	10 lbs sift'd & 1/2 lbs Mould'd Quindles
25 lbs Sugar	
56 lbs Rice	
1 1/2 lbs Pepper	
70 lbs Soap	
14 lbs Soda	
18 Bottles Wine	
14 1/2 O. O Cuts Flour	
1 1/2 O. O Cut Bran	
1 86 lbs Ruf	

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 1866

£ 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, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	J. W. Jew	5. 0. 0	✓		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 Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:—

1. Clothing Account.

Patrick Coughlan Shiner	£	s.	d.
	3	5	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

Chark for Petty Cash	5	0	0
Giles Sawlitt, County Cys	"	9	3
Martin Buntle, Sailor to 31 <sup>st</sup> August	1	10	0
Patrick Egan, Carpenter	1	14	0
Patrick Walsh, Shoemaker	1	8	0
James Menaghau, Smith	"	"	8
Thomas M'ly, Travelling Expenses	1	10	0

Amount of Cheque small claims £5. 9. 0

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



3. Warehouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month) —  
Number of successful cases, 213 Dummore & 49 Abbey

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

The Clerk reported to the Board that there were 213 successful cases of Vaccination in the Dummore District and 49 in the Abbey District.

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

Requirements

The following requirements were ordered  
From Contractors 550 Yards of Twilled Calico for Sheets  
and 12 large sized Coffins, —

The Master reported that the Flour sent by the Contractor was not equal, some of the Bags being of a better quality than the others,  
Ordered

That the Contractor get notice to send a better Article, —

The Master also reported that a Pauper named Peter Brennan had been caught committing an indecent act, on being brought before the Board, he was ordered to be discharged, —

The Medical Officer reported that there had been one death during the past week and that twenty seven remained under treatment,

The Master was granted two days leave of absence the Schoolmistress to take charge during her absence, —



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

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

Letter to Clerk  
No 21731/1867  
2nd Sept 67 } From Poor Law Commissioners suggesting to the Guardians the propriety of making some arrangement for seeing that the Poor Law be properly done,

Letter to Clerk  
No 21731/1867  
28th August 67 } From Poor Law Commissioners requesting to be furnished with a copy of the Estimate of the proposed new Rates when approved by the Guardians,

Circular to Clerk  
No 100 MW/67  
2nd Sept 67 } From Poor Law Commissioners enclosing a Form to be filled up respecting the Rates made and any new Rates agreed upon in the Union,

The Clerk informs the Board that he has been served with a Notice by the Toll Farmer that he intends to Appeal against the Rating of the Tolls and Customs at the next Quarter Sessions of the Peace of the County of Galway,

Proposed by Robert Henry Esq  
seconded by Robert Bodkin Esq

Resolved, That having considered the Estimate of a new Rate as prepared by Mr. May, Clerk of Ballinacole Union, The Board approve of same as the basis of the Rates, but having ascertained from Mr. May, that credit has not been given in the Estimate for a sum of £198<sup>11</sup>/<sub>100</sub>, recently received in aid of the Expenses for Medical and Educational purposes, and that moreover, Credit has not been given for a sum of £482, estimated as likely to be received from the Parliamentary Grant for the Year 1868, this Board deems it but reasonable that a reduction to the extent of £680<sup>11</sup>/<sub>100</sub> should be made in the requirements of the Union as shown in Column 18 of the Estimate, and as the duty now devolves upon the Board of imposing a tax upon the Ratepayers for relief of the Poor for the ensuing Year, the Board is also of opinion, that the requirements of the Divisions whose charge for Maintenance is comparatively high, should be further reduced, and the Board has arrived at this opinion from the fact, that the present harvest is an abundant one, with every probability of a considerable diminution in the cost price of provisions of the poorer classes, and a consequent tendency to a lower rate of pauperism than what has hitherto prevailed,

It is therefore Resolved, That the following poundage Rates be now agreed upon, as the Rates to make in each District Division of the Union to provide for its requirements for the Year ending 29th September 1868,



Abbey East Electoral Division, a Rate of 9 in the Pound

Abbey West	do	2	2	"
Adlongool	do	1	2	"
Amhaghdown	do	1	0	"
Balkinderry	do	"	9	"
Ballinacuff	do	1	3	"
Ballinacross	do	1	4	"
Beaghmore	do	"	10	"
Bellebar	do	1	8	"
Carrowreagh	do	"	10	"
Clontarf	do	1	0	"
Clontarf	do	1	3	"
Cummin	do	1	4	"
Donaghpatrick	do	1	0	"
Dombally	do	1	1	"
Dunmore	do	1	3	"
Freshall	do	"	11	"
Henford	do	1	7	"
Hillsbrook	do	1	8	"
Kilbarnon	do	"	9	"
Kilcorra	do	"	10	"
Killeary	do	"	11	"
Kilnew	do	1	9	"

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 - 20 -

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - 1 -

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 - - - - - 45

The number of other applicants in the Deceiving 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.)

Killmain Electoral Division, a Rate of 10 in the Pound

Killower	do	"	9	"
Killursa	do	1	9	"
Kilmoylan	do	"	9	"
Kilshanny	do	2	0	"
Leally	do	1	5	"
Milltown	do	"	11	"
Monica	do	1	0	"
Moyn	do	1	0	"
Myhill	do	1	3	"
Quane	do	3	6	"

Proposed by Robert Bodkin Esq<sup>r</sup>  
 Seconded by Robert Henry Esq<sup>r</sup>

Resolved Unanimously, That we express our satisfaction at the manner in which Mr May has prepared the Estimate, displaying as it does great care and ability,

Proposed by Dominick Sully Esq<sup>r</sup>  
 Seconded by Edward Concanon Esq<sup>r</sup>

Resolved, That Mr May be paid a sum of Thirty Shillings for his travelling expenses and attending the Board this day,

Carried Unanimously,



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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 11 day of April 1867  
(Signed) [Signature]

Clerk of the Union.



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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Shanl  
UNION, on Thurs day, the 5<sup>th</sup> day of September 1867  
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:*

*Proposed by Robert Bodkin Esq.  
Seconded by Peter Blake Esq.*

*That we request the Abbey Dispensary Committee to  
reconsider their resolution of the 12<sup>th</sup> August last with a view  
to making better Arrangements for the Administration of the  
Medical duties of that District,*

*Carried by a Majority of Twelve to Two,*

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

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

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The following Accounts of expenses (or statement of Salaries 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ 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 Beate-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

Chas Blake  
Thomas Portman  
Robt Waker

(Signed)

*[Signature]*

Clerk of the Union.

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*Maun* UNION.

Population in 1861,

Present Net Annual Value, £ 75, 848.19.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *4<sup>th</sup>* day of *September* 186*7*

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	<i>694</i>															
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	<i>123</i>															
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds, . . . . .	<i>48</i>															
TOTAL, . . . . .	<i>865</i>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			<i>16</i>	<i>84</i>	<i>35</i>	<i>49</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>32</i>	<i>312</i>				
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			"	<i>2</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>3</i>	"	"	"	"	<i>3</i>	<i>18</i>				
TOTAL, . . . . .			<i>16</i>	<i>86</i>	<i>45</i>	<i>52</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>35</i>	<i>330</i>				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			<i>1</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>2</i>	"	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	"	<i>2</i>	<i>21</i>				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			<i>1</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>2</i>	"	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	"	<i>2</i>	<i>21</i>				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			<i>15</i>	<i>81</i>	<i>36</i>	<i>50</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>33</i>	<i>309</i>				

*Out days*  
 1866 - 279 ✓ 37.53 ✓  
 1865 - 306 ✓ 38.48 ✓

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *4<sup>th</sup>* day of *September* 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.	<i>11</i>	<i>24</i>					Bt. forward,						
No. II.	<i>14</i>	<i>15</i>					No. X.						
No. III.	<i>17</i>	<i>19</i>					No. XI.						
No. IV.	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>					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 *11<sup>th</sup>* day of *September* 186*7*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Charles Blake Esq.*  
 Other Guardians: *William Gunnor, Thomas J. Bodkin, Robert Blake & Thomas Murray,*



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4292 to No. 4309, 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, - - - - - £ 20 : 4 : 0 ✓

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £ 361 : 12 : 0 ✓

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.										
Totals,																							

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 £ 37 s. 0 d. 10 1/2

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - 41 14 1 ✓

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - " 2 5 3/4 ✓

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - " 3 10 1/2 ✓

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - " 4 0 ✓

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:

1444 Quarts Sweet Milk	✓	50 Boxes	July	✓
10 0 0 Quarts Oat Meal	✓	10 lb. Cinnamon	✓	✓
10 0 0 Quarts Indian Meal	✓	1/2 Mould Candles	✓	✓
14 0 0 Quarts First Flour	✓			
1 0 0 Quarts Best Bran	✓			
" " 5 1/4 lbs Tea	✓			
25 lbs Sugar	✓			
1 1/2 lb Pepper	✓			
70 lbs Soap	✓			
18 Bottles Wine	✓			
686 lbs Beef	✓			

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 186 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, - - - - -			
In Kind, - - - - -			
Total - - - - -	£	s.	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, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque 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.	P. Curran	5. 0. 0 ✓			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 Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques 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:

Necessaries Required  
300 Yards of Calico & one Pair Brush, ✓

The Master reports that the Flour sent by the Contractor is much better than that of last week. ✓

The Medical Officer reports that there were no deaths during the past week and also that Eighty persons remained under treatment, ✓



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

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

Circular to Clerk  
N<sup>o</sup> 102, m/ 67  
5<sup>th</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup> 1867  
From Poor Law Commissioners enclosing a copy of the Act (30 & 31 Vic C, 146) for regulating the hours of labor for Children, Young persons, and Women employed in Mill Shops, ✓

Letter to Clerk  
N<sup>o</sup> 22967, 1867  
10<sup>th</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup> 1867  
From Poor Law Commissioners respecting a Minute proposing that the Abbey Dispensary Committee be requested to reconsider their resolution of the 12<sup>th</sup> ultimo in it having appeared in what particulars the proposed arrangements might be attended with Advantage, ✓

The Clerk laid before the Board and got signed by the Chairman Forms 5a and 5b, also 4a and 4b, (Special), Abstracts of Union accounts for the half Year ended 25<sup>th</sup> March 1867, ✓

The Clerk was ordered to Advantise for the following Articles, To be supplied, Carriage fee for a period of three Months from 29<sup>th</sup> Sept next viz, Best first Flour per ton, Long Bran per do, Oat Meal per do, Indian Meal per do, Beef (that for Hospital to be free from Bone), &c. &c. also for Soap with the same date, Best Black Sea per lb, Brown Sugar per do, Port Wine per doz, Black Whole Pepper per lb, Rice per Cwt White Soap per lb, Washing Soda per Cwt, Tilt and Mould Candles per lb, ✓

The Clerk was Ordered to get notice of Rates having been made published and posted for the information of the Public, ✓

Referring to Commissioners letter N<sup>o</sup> 22967, 10<sup>th</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup> 1867, the resolution was proposed by a Member of the Committee and adjourned on his representing that a more beneficial change would be made, ✓

The Clerk reported that Mr. Kelly Relieving Officer of the Abbey District has been served with Notices of Execution wherein Walter Martin Blahie is Plaintiff and Thomas Quinn, John Quinn, Michael Pabbitt, Michael Doughrane, and Henry Naughton are of the lands of Ardmasodden and Ballynanna, ✓



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	-	13
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 Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	43

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 Wednesday the 18<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 1867  
(Signed) [Signature]

Clerk of the Union.



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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Quinn  
UNION, on Wednes day, the 11<sup>th</sup> day of September 1867  
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 Quinn  
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 Quinn  
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of 28 August  
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 Quinn  
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were  
ordered to be supplied:

The Clerk informs the Board that he forwarded  
a copy of the Invoice to the Medical Officer of Quinn,

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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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ 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,)







UNION.

Population in 1861, 44441

Present Net Annual Value, £ 75,848.19 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of September 1867

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 6 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	694															
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	123															
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	48															
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
TOTAL, . . . . .	865															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			15	81	36	50	26	20	22	26	33	309	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital,	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates,		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			"	1	7	6	1	"	1	"	"	16	Total,	Total,		
TOTAL, . . . . .			15	82	43	56	27	20	23	26	33	325				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			"	5	9	4	"	"	1	"	1	20				
Died, . . . . .			"	5	9	4	"	"	1	"	1	20				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			"	5	9	4	"	"	1	"	1	20	1866-282	38.54		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			15	77	34	52	27	20	22	26	32	305	1865-310	37.47		

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.	12	22					Bt. forward,						
No. II.	14	15					No. X.						
No. III.	12	14					No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	1					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	39	59					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 18th day of September 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Davis Tinsman Esq<sup>r</sup>

Other Guardians:

Charles Blake, William Gammon, Stephen M. Donagh and Thomas J. Bodkin Esq<sup>s</sup>

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4310 to No. 4325, 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, - - - - - £ 4 : 0

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 5 : 0 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £ 356 : 16 : 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
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Totals,															

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 £ 50 s. 12 d. 11 1/2

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was

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:

1426 Quarts Sweet Milk	10lbs Dist and 1/2 lb Mould Candles
5 1/2 lbs Tea	20lbs Upper Leather
25 lbs Sugar	
56 lbs Rice	
1 1/2 lb Pepper	
56 lbs Soap	
18 Bottles Wine	
14 Cwts First Flour	
1 Cwt Bean	
186 lbs Beef	
50 Boxes Turf	

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 186

whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in 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, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	J. W. Fox	5 0 0	✓		Bt. forward				
No. II.	Thos. Heally	6 0 0	✓		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 Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques 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.

Clerk's Petty Cash	5	0	0
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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:

Letter to Clerk

N<sup>o</sup> 23, 106/1867  
13<sup>th</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup> 67

From Poor Law Commissioners calling the attention of the Guardians to the Outstanding arrears in some Districts of the Union with a view to their requiring the Collectors to bring the Collection of the rate to a close.

Letter to Clerk

N<sup>o</sup> 23, 189, 1867  
14<sup>th</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup> 67

From Poor Law Commissioners enclosing a Letter to be laid before the Board of Guardians, which they have received from Elmer Walcher an inmate of the Workhouse and requesting same to be returned when done with.

Letter to Acting Clerk

14<sup>th</sup> September 1867

From Mr. John Morris Clerk of the Union, stating for the information of the Board that he has a person employed to assist him in writing up the Union accounts, but that it would be useless for him to be going on unless he the Clerk was present and also that intends to be at home on Wednesday week for that purpose his health being sufficiently restored to resume his duties.

The Guardians in reference to Elmer Walcher's letter states a portion of this letter was read but their appearing nothing but abuse of persons, and all stories of things alleged to have been preferred months ago the Board determined to not to proceed further, the letter to be returned.

In reference to Commissioners Letter N<sup>o</sup> 23106/67 13<sup>th</sup> September 1867, the Clerk was directed to state for their information that all Rates which were collected have been lodged and the Books given up by the Collectors.

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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	-	-	11
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	-	-	39
The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	-

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered	-	-	-
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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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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 25 day of Sept 1867  
(Signed) [Signature]

Clerk of the Union.



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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Maam  
UNION, on Wednes day, the 18<sup>th</sup> day of September 1867  
continued.

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

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

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

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

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The following Accounts of expenses (or statement of Salaries 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ 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 vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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

\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District, Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

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

Order 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):

Local Letter from Walter Blake dated 17<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1867 stating that

Gentlemen,

In pursuance of the directions of your Chairman, I have inspected the Electoral Division of Killeen the properties of the under-mentioned Gentlemen Colonel Casey and Thomas Higgins they have their Houses and Yards Clean and White washed inside and out, I have inspected the Electoral Division of Parkera the property of Martin M. Dornell, I find on inspection that their Houses are whitewashed and their yards Clean and free from nuisance with the exception of five persons who are summoned, I have to report that there is a most offensive sewer in the Town of Dunmore sufficient to infect the people with all sorts of disease and persons travelling thro that portion of the Town are complaining of the nuisance which is intolerable, therefore I trust you will order what is to be done in the case—

Signed  
Walter Blake,

(Signed)

*M. A. pro*

Clerk of the Union.

Boardroom 18<sup>th</sup> September 1867

I beg leave to report that I inspected the Town of Headford and found it Clean with few exceptions, I served notice on such as had Nuisance at their dwellings, I also served notice on 19 persons in the Town who neglected to Whitewash their Houses, the Country people say it is impossible to get Lime and think last years Whitewashing ought to be good enough for this year, I respectfully ask to be informed whether I will now cause the Country people to Whitewash their dwellings,

Signed  
Peter Curran R.O.

*Chas Blake*  
*Wm*  
*J. M. Donogh*

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Population in 1861,

Present Net Annual Value, £75,848.19.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 21<sup>st</sup> day of September 1867

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 6 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	694															
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	123															
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds, . . . . .	48															
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>865</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			15	77	34	52	27	20	22	26	32	305	In-Work-house Hospital, 369 In Fever Hospital, 36	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 10		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			"	4	5	5	"	1	"	1	1	17	Total, 85	Total, 10		
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>15</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>322</b>				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			"	2	6	3	1	"	1	"	2	15				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .				2	6	3	1	"	1	"	2	15			1866-283 ✓ 35, 57 ✓	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			15	79	33	54	26	21	21	27	31	307			1865-299 ✓ 35, 44 ✓	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 21<sup>st</sup> day of September 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.	11	21					Bt. forward,						
No. II.	14	15					No. X.						
No. III.	13	15					No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	1					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	39	52					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 25<sup>th</sup> day of September 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair, *David Kirwan Esq.*

Other Guardians: *Charles Blake, Stephen J. Mc Donagh, William Gannon, Edward Concaunon, Thomas J. Bodkin and Robert Bodkin Esq.*



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4326 to No. 4342, 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, - - - - - £ 16 : 0 : 0 ✓

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £ 340 : 16 : 0

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.
Totals,													

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 £ 36 s. 12 d. 4 1/2

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 40 s. 11 d. 8 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ s. d. 11 - 2 - 5 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, £ s. d. 11 - 3 - 9 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, £ s. d. 11 - 4 - 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:

- 1408 Quarts Sweet Milk
5 1/2 lbs Tea
25 lbs Sugar
1 1/2 lb Pepper
56 lbs Soap
1 lb Tea
1 lb Sugar
18 Bottles Wine
186 lbs Beef
14 Cuts Flour
50 Boards Turf

10 lbs Light White Mould Candles

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 186

Table with columns for In Money, In Kind, and Total, showing expenditure details.

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, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer, and By Order on Contractors (Article and quantity, Value).

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques 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.

Table listing names and amounts for the Establishment Account, including Rev. J. M. Gue, Rev. S. Cairns, Thomas B. Turner, etc.

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



3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
Joseph M. O'Donnell Vaccination 213	10	13	0 ✓
Digby French do 49	2	9	0 ✓
Walter Blais Sanatory Officer to 29 <sup>th</sup> September	1	5	0 ✓
J. W. Fox do	1	5	0 ✓
Peter Curran do	1	5	0 ✓
Charles Kelly do	1	5	0 ✓
Henry Meally, Emigration Expenses	3	0	0 ✓
J. W. Fox Remuneration as Acting Clerk	20	0	0 ✓
Amount of cheques small claims	£9,13,0		

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:

We find the House more cleanly than on our last inspection, The Bread and Milk are of a better quality, there was no complaints from any of the inmates, ✓

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

Necessaries required by Master, y lbs Black Soap, one set of Brushes, 2 Sacks, 40 Yards Cord & 1 Pint Measure, Ordered, ✓

The Master informs the Board that the Meal sent in by the Contractor is fresh in consequence of which it takes a larger quantity than is allowed in the Dietary and states that he will be at least 2 Cwt short and trust that he will be allowed the deficiency, ✓

The Medical Officer reported that there were no deaths during the past week and also that 85 persons remained under treatment, ✓

The Master to notice the Contractor that he must send better Meal and Coarser, ✓



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 }  
20 Sept. 1867 } From Education Office for the information of the Board of Guardians, forwarding extracts from the District Inspector Report of the 24<sup>th</sup> of July last on the Juvenile Poor Law Union National School,

The general proficiency is low and contrasts unfavourably with that of any other Workhouse school in the District,

In the female department there is only one Girl so high as 3<sup>rd</sup> Class, only three in 2<sup>nd</sup> and though the Mistress has only fitted three Children for promotion during the past year so that the pupils have been for a very long time in their present Classes,

The answering was in very few cases at all up to the requirements of the programme,

In the Male department the Boys of the third and second Classes answered fairly in reading, writing, and dictation, and tolerably well in other subjects, I seemed to discern a more than usual amount of intelligence in the majority of these Boys,

The newly appointed Teacher appears an intelligent young man, whose method of conducting a class is very promising, but unless some means be found of strengthening his authority, he will hardly be able to secure the amount of discipline which is necessary for the intellectual progress of the pupils,

Fifteen of the Boys attend the Tailor for two hours of the four hours supposed to be devoted to secular instructions, It is obvious that these Children might almost as well never enter the school at all,

In reference to the last paragraph it is desirable the Boys of school age should attend school during the full time,

The Guardians having taken into consideration the Tenders for Provisions, Meat, Groceries &c Resolved that the tender of Martin Clovan to supply carriage free best First Flour @ £19<sup>0</sup> 5<sup>0</sup> 0, Indian Meal @ £10<sup>0</sup> 7<sup>0</sup> 0, Bran @ 7<sup>0</sup> 8<sup>0</sup> 0, and Oatmeal @ £14<sup>0</sup> 18<sup>0</sup> 0 be accepted,

That the tender of Mathew Connor to supply carriage free best Beef that for Hospital use to be free from Bone, @ 3 per lb be accepted,

That the tender of Thomas Burke to supply the following Articles Carriage free viz. Best black Tea 17/8 per lb, best brown Sugar @ 4 per lb, best whole Pepper @ 5, Rice 16/6 per cwt, best white soap @ 26/6 per cwt and best Port Wine @ 17/5 per doz be accepted, also Working Soda @ 6/6 per cwt,

On the Application of J. M. Fox for remuneration for services as Acting Clerk during the illness of Mr. S. Morris it was proposed by Mr. E. Conannon and seconded by Mr. Stephen Mc Donagh that he get a sum of £20<sup>0</sup> 0<sup>0</sup> which was carried unanimously,



The Clerk was ordered by the Board to advertise for competent persons to collect the Rates at a poundage of six pence in the Pound all collectable Rates to be lodged with the Treasurer before the 12<sup>th</sup> May 1868, Tenders to be considered on Wednesday 9<sup>th</sup> Oct<sup>r</sup> next,

Quintin James Keenan  
Fisher J. O'Kelly  
Walter J. O'Kelly

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - 11 ✓

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 Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - 39 ✓

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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

*Clerk of the Union.*



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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Tuam  
UNION, on Wednesday day, the 25<sup>th</sup> day of September 1867  
*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 Tuam  
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:*

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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 £

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
<i>N<sup>o</sup> 1 Tuam Dispensary</i>				<i>Staidford Dispensary</i>			
<i>Thomas B. Turner Salary to 29<sup>th</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup></i>	25	0	0	<i>Rev<sup>d</sup> French Salary 29<sup>th</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup></i>	30	0	0
<i>William Kelly do</i>	3	15	0	<i>Mr. Cammavan do</i>	2	0	0
				<i>Patrick Gray</i>	1	15	0
<i>N<sup>o</sup> 2 Tuam Dispensary</i>				<i>Rev<sup>d</sup> French Vaccination 70</i>	5	10	0
<i>J. P. Dwyer Salary to 29<sup>th</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup></i>	22	10	0				
<i>Dunmore Dispensary</i>				<i>Abbey Dispensary</i>			
<i>Joseph M<sup>o</sup> Donnell Salary to 29<sup>th</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup></i>	25	0	0	<i>Digby Church Salary 29<sup>th</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup></i>	22	10	0
<i>Pat<sup>h</sup> M<sup>o</sup> Donagh do</i>	2	10	0	<i>Wick Gym do</i>	1	5	0
<i>Joseph M<sup>o</sup> Donnell Vaccination</i>	10	15	0	<i>Digby Church Vaccination</i>	2	9	0

[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 \_\_\_\_\_ 1856, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 1856

\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £  
\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £

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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

Minutes of a Meeting of Union Dispensary Committee held on Saturday 21<sup>st</sup> September 1867,  
In the Chair Charles Blakel Esq,  
Other Guardians, Thomas S. Bodkin, Walter A. Kelly, and Henry Norwau Esq,  
The Minutes of last meeting were read and signed,  
The Medical Officer sent a list of Medicines required for the use of the Dispensary, - Ordered,

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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*Swan* UNION.

Population in 1861,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *28<sup>th</sup>* day of *September* 1867

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	694	295														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	123															
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	48	16														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>865</b>	<b>311</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			15	79	33	54	26	21	21	27	31	307	In Workhouse (Hospital, In Fever Hospital, } 57	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, } 10		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			"	1	12	3	"	1	"	"	"	17	Total, } 75	Total, } 10		
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			15	80	45	57	26	22	21	27	31	324				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			"	"	9	3	"	"	"	1	"	13				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			"	"	9	3	"	"	"	1	"	13	1866 = 283			<i>Out of</i>
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			15	80	36	54	26	22	21	26	31	311	1865 = 302			33, 49

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *28<sup>th</sup>* day of *September* 1867 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.	11	21	"	7	11	21	Bt. forward,	40	53	"	"	40	53
No. II.	14	15	"	1	14	15	No. X.						
No. III.	14	16	"	1	14	16	No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	1	"	1	1	1	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	40	53	"	"	40	53	TOTAL,	40	53	"	"	40	53

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Wednesday* the *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *October* 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Denis Swan*

Other Guardians: *Charles Blake, William Gorman, James J. O'Kelly, Walter J. O'Kelly, Thomas J. Swan, William D. Gaffney, Henry Swan (Clerk)*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4342 to No. 4357 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, - - - - - £ 4 : 7 : 11

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 218 : 8 : 2

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £ 122 : 8 : 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.										
Totals,																							

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 £ 36<sup>s</sup> 8<sup>d</sup>.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	£ 41 9 8
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	" 2 5 7
Average cost in Infirmary,	" 3 11
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	" 4 0

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:

- 140 0 0 Fat Flour
- 10 0 0 Oatmeal
- 1 0 0 Bacon
- 18 6 4 Beef
- 50 Buns Soap
- 14 3 4 Suet milk
- 5 2 4 Tea
- 26 4 Sugar
- 12 4 Pepper
- 18 Bells Wine
- 5 6 4 Soap

10<sup>th</sup> Dept & 1/2 Month Credit

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 ... 186...

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, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque 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.	Charles Kelly	2	0			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 Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Patrick Loghlan Linen	2	16	8

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

2. Establishment Account.

Mentor Burke Tins 4 weeks wages 29 Sept	1	10	"
Patrick Walsh Shoemaker do do	1	8	"
Patrick Egan Carpenter 13 days do	1	6	"
Myler Batta Cooper of Mr. Keegan's 13/9	1	1	9
John Sturtwell by laying £1.4.3, Sign Board 8/6	1	12	9
John Murphy Gas tax 6/2, The Healy Cartage 7/6		13	8
Amount of Cheque	7	12	2
The B. Bureau Registry fees 30 <sup>th</sup> Sept 1867	4	14	0
John Morris Salary as Retiring Officer	2	10	"
Patrick Egan Coffins	3	6	"
Chalk for Petty Cash	5	11	"

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 following report from the Visiting Committee was read -

We have inspected the House and found it in better order than last day. The prisoners were good, except the miller which was but quite so good -

Dennis Kiernan  
Charles Blake

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 prisoners remained under treatment -

That the wooden leg ordered arrived but not fitting he sent it back for exchange, meantime the patient leaves the Hospital and returns home

The Master reported that the Boilers in the Kitchen require to be taken up, and the flues repaired; that on this morning a fire was lighted under them at 1/2 past 5 o'clock and the water did not boil until after 8 o'clock -

Ordered - The Master to get an estimate from Dunleavy, for setting the Boilers -



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 transmitting Forms of Returns for the Annual Return of Union Officers including the Ex Officio Guardians for the ensuing year -  
N<sup>o</sup>. 109 N<sup>o</sup>. 167  
28 Sept 1867

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners having reference to the "Grant for Medical and Educational purposes" and to the items which should be included in the Returns that accompanied their Circular of the 9<sup>th</sup> N<sup>o</sup>.  
N<sup>o</sup>. 113 N<sup>o</sup>. 167  
28 Sept 1867

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners, expressing their sanction of the payment of Twenty pounds to Mr. Fox, in respect of his services as temporary substitute for the Clerk of the Union  
N<sup>o</sup>. 24460-1867  
1 Oct 1867

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners enclosing Forms to be filled respecting the Rates made and any new Rates agreed upon in the Union -  
N<sup>o</sup>. 114 N<sup>o</sup>. 167  
1 Oct 1867

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners transmitting questions for answers to be signed by him and the persons who may be appointed Collectors of Poor Rates in the Union -  
N<sup>o</sup>. 24460/1867  
1 Oct 1867

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 drawing the Guardians attention to the Contracts taken on the 25<sup>th</sup> N<sup>o</sup>. including "Best black tea at 98 per lb" and best Port Wine at 17/- per dozen" and stating that it is probable the articles to be supplied on the terms, will be of inferior quality, and that it will be well to call the attention of the Medical Officer to the matter in a force to the discharge of his duties under Article 68 N<sup>o</sup>. 3 of the General Regulations -  
N<sup>o</sup>. 24460-1867  
1<sup>st</sup> Oct 1867

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners having reference to the Report of the Inspector of National Schools, contained in the Minutes of the 25<sup>th</sup> N<sup>o</sup>.; especially in the regard to the female department, and requesting to be informed if the report has been communicated to the Schoolmistress -  
N<sup>o</sup>. 24460-1867  
1 Oct 1867

The Schoolmistress was called before the Board on last day, and the report read, she was then cautioned as to the future. A copy of the report was furnished to the Schoolmistress, who was only a few days appointed when it was made.

The Guardians having taken into consideration the Lists of Outstanding Rates submitted by the respective Collectors, the following areas were ordered to be struck off -

Electoral Division	N <sup>o</sup> . with Ratebook	Occupier	Rate struck off	Reason of Rate being struck off
Inverness	216	Vacant	2 15 5	House Vacant
	219	do	" 10 2 2	do do
	233	do	3 7 1	do do
	243	do	1 9 2	do do
	271	Margaret Dunne	" 2 2	do do
	276	J. Mulrony	" 1 5 2	Ruin
	294	Mat Connors	" 3 8	do
	324	J. White	" 4 4 2	do
	926	Mc Hamman	" 1 2	House Vacant
	942	Vacant	" 2 2	do do
	943	do	" 3 8	do do
	957	Mary Hanagan	" 1 5 2	do do
	1036	Peter Ryan	1 17 11	do do
	1080	J. Burke	" 2 2	do do
	1081	Wm. DeHun	" 1 5 2	do do



Electoral Division	No. in the Book	Occupier	Rate struck off	Reason of Rate being struck off
Swam	1111	Mo Fahy	11-13-62 " 2-2	House Vacant
	1117	Plymmer	" 3-8	Ruins
	1118	Vacant	" 3-7 1/2	do
	1119	Mo Connor	" 3-8	do
	1145	Vacant	2-0-10	House Vacant
	1323	H. Blake	1-4-9 1/2	do do
	1338	Vacant	" 1-5 1/2	do do
	1362	Mo Kerrigan	" 13-1 1/2	do do
	1363	Vacant	" 14-7	do do
	1364	do	" 14-7	do do - 17 16-0 1/2
Clan Tuam	158	Vacant	" 16-7 1/2	House Vacant
Fochall	42	do	" 12-6	do do
	44	J. McMan	" " 4	do do
Hellsburn	50	J. Sullivan	" " 2	do do
Adelgoole	28	J. Galbraith	" " 3	Bog no value
	52	D. Oliver	" " 6 1/2	do do
	325	W. Lynskey	" 2-2	do do
Caranvagh	9	"	1-5-0	Old anes on return for <sup>small grass</sup>
	92	John Harty	" 2-3 1/2	Mill down
Millen	99	L. Muller	1-3-9	House Vacant

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 - 10 -

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

Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - - - 40 -

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.)

Electoral Div <sup>n</sup>	No. in the Book	Occupier	Rate struck off	Reason of Rate being struck off
Drumree	395	Mo Lowry	" 3-6	House Vacant
	402	P. C. Kelly	" 9-4	do do
	408	do	" 4-1	do do
	404	do	" 5-3	do do
	405	W. C. Donlon	" 4-5	do do
	427	J. Walden	" 1-2	do do
Abbey Court	8	A. Quaghty	" " 5	House down
	69	Simon Dunne	" 16-8	Mill Vacant
Abbey Mead	31	Walter Blake	" " 4 1/2	Bog no value
		do	1-19-9	Mill Vacant
		do	" 1-6	Bog no value
	207 1/2	do	" " 9	House down
	261	do	" " 5	Bog no value
Balmnapark	45	Walter Blake	" " 5	Bog no value
	136	do	" " 5	do
	174	do	" " 5	do
	231	do	" " 10 1/2	do
	270	do	3-10-0	House Vacant
	288	do	" 1-4	Bog no value
	294	do	" " 5 1/2	do

Reads - Copy of Warrant for the removal of a woman named Mary Beatty from the Union of Washington in the County of Lancaster, to the Swam Union.

The Clerk was directed to advertise for a supply of Potatoes for one, two or three months; also to advertise for a contract to supply for 12 months from the 29th inst. Books, Segers, Farms, Board bills, and such other printed matter as the Guardians may require, together with all advertisements for the Union including the Dispensary Districts. Tenders to be considered on the 9th inst.

Wm. Morris } Chairman  
J. Kirwan } Other present  
H. Morris }

Wm. Morris  
Clerk of Union



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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 9<sup>th</sup> day of October 1867  
(Signed) J Morris

Clerk of the Union.

By Authority—JOHN FALCONER, Printer and Binder to Her Majesty's Stationery Office,  
53, Upper Sackville-street, Dublin.



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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Fuamso  
UNION, on Wednesday-day, the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October 1867  
*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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The following Accounts of expenses (or statement of Salaries 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_

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

\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District, Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

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

Order dated \_\_\_\_\_ (state subject,)



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

Recd Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ stating that \_\_\_\_\_

At an extraordinary Meeting of the Abbey Dispensary Committee, held on the 30th Sept, 1867.  
Present - Robert Bodkin, John Blatney, James C. Kinney, John Gilman, Patrick Hanly, William Healy, John Cooke, Thomas Browne -

Robert Bodkin in the Chair

Resolved unanimously that having reconsidered the resolutions of the 12th Ult, we concur in the necessity of establishing a depot at Abbey West, and that the Medical Officer be requested to provide suitable accommodation for same with fuel and attendance at a cost not exceeding Five pounds per Annum -

Resolved Unanimously that we recommend that the Medical Officer Dr. French's salary be increased Thirty pounds per annum for the additional duty and expense, having to attend the depot at Abbey, one day in every week from 10 o'clock A.M. to 1 o'clock P.M. and that the floor of the Medicine room at Mounse be boarded, and a new wood mortar floor in the Waiting room

Signed - Robert Bodkin  
Chairman

Approved

Denis Kirwan  
Chairman

Orders

(Signed)

Morris

Clerk of the Union.

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# MUNICIPAL UNION.

Population in 1861,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 5<sup>th</sup> day of October 1867

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 9 and under 15 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	694	289														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	123															
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	48	15														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>865</b>	<b>304</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			15	80	36	54	26	22	21	26	31	311	In Workhouse Hospital, 50	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, 10		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			"	5	8	2	"	"	1	1	"	17				
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>15</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>328</b>				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			"	6	7	5	1	1	1	1	2	24				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			"	6	7	5	1	1	1	1	2	24				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			15	79	37	51	25	21	21	26	29	304	1866 = 280	1865 = 301	Outlets	29 = 41

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 5<sup>th</sup> day of October 1867 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.	12	23	"	"	12	23	Bt. forward,	44	63	"	"	44	63
No. II.	15	21	"	"	15	21	No. X.						
No. III.	16	18	"	"	16	18	No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	1	"	"	1	1	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	44	63	"	"	44	63	TOTAL,	44	63	"	"	44	63

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 9<sup>th</sup> day of October 1867.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Charles Blake.

Other Guardians: Thomas Keenan, Stephen W. Donoghue, William Gannon, Michael Nolan, Martin M. Donnell, Festus J. Sully, Thomas J. Paulkin.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Warehouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4359 to No. 4374, 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, - - - - - £ 41 : 11 : 0

Baid during the week, - - - - - £ 12 : 10 : 4

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £ 109 : 18 : 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total														
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.												
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Totals,																									

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 £ 43 12 s. 4 d.

Table with columns for Debit Provision Account, Credit Invoice Account, and various costs like 'The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was' with handwritten values in £ s. d.

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 listing various food items and quantities such as '14 1/2 lb Flour', '10 1/2 lb Oat Meal', '10 1/2 lb Indian Meal', etc., with checkmarks.

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 Believing 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 ... 186...

Table with columns for 'In Money', 'In Kind', and 'Total' with handwritten entries.

Credit each Believing Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

Large table with columns for RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Cheque on Treasurer, By Order on Contractors, and Value in £ s. d.

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Believing Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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







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

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

The Guardians having taken into consideration the appointment of persons to collect the Poor rate about to be made in the Union, Tenders were read from Messrs Henry J O'Loghlin, James M<sup>c</sup> Donogh Thomas Hughes and Peter Greany, proposing to collect the Rates in the respective districts at Five pence in the Pound, and agreeing to have all collected rates lodged with the Union Treasurer on the 12<sup>th</sup> May 1868 -

Proposed by Stephen J M<sup>c</sup> Donogh Esq<sup>r</sup>. Seconded by Thomas Sturum Esq<sup>r</sup> and adopted -  
That Mr. Henry J O'Loghlin be appointed Collector in Thurin District on the terms of his proposal.

Proposed by Tertus J Kelly Esq<sup>r</sup>. Seconded by Martin M<sup>c</sup> Donnell Esq<sup>r</sup> and adopted -  
That Mr. James J M<sup>c</sup> Donogh be appointed Collector in Dunmore District on the terms of his proposal.

Proposed by Michael Nolan Esq<sup>r</sup>. Seconded by

by William Gamon Esq<sup>r</sup> and adopted -  
That Mr. Thomas Hughes be appointed Collector in Abbey District, on the terms of his proposal.

Proposed by Stephen J M<sup>c</sup> Donogh Esq<sup>r</sup>. Seconded by Charles Blatte Esq<sup>r</sup> and adopted -  
That Mr. Peter Greany be appointed Collector in Headford District on the terms of his proposal.

The Guardians having next taken into consideration the Tenders for supplying Minute Books, Loges &c also for Advertising and supplying Handbills, and other printed matter -

Resolved - That the Tender of Mr. John Falconer of Dublin for supplying at the Workhouse carriage fee for Twelve months from 29 September 1867, Minute Books, Loges and all other printed books at the respective prices as set forth in the Catalogues this day submitted to the Board be accepted.

That the Tender of Mr. Jasper Kelly of Thurin for Publishing all the Union Advertisements, and to supply at the Workhouse carriage fee for Twelve months from 29 September 1867, all the Handbills, Forms &c and miscellaneous printing that may be required for the Workhouse and Dispensaries for the sum of £26.18.0 be accepted.

There were not any Tenders for Potatoes this day before the Board.

The Clerk having stated that a Notice of Appeal had been against the Valuation of the Tolls and Customs of the Town of Thurin had been served on him, requested to be informed of the course the Board would pursue in respect to the matter the question being to be tried at the Galway District Sessions on Monday the 14<sup>th</sup> instant.

The Guardians having taken the Clerk's statement into consideration



consequently, it was proposed by James J. O'Kelly Esq.  
 seconded by Thomas Keenan Esq. and adopted -  
 That Mr. William F. Henderson Solicitor be appointed  
 to defend the Appeals - ✓

The Clerk was directed to forward a copy of the  
 Appeal to the Deputation Commission, and to inform  
 him, that the Board had selected a Solicitor to  
 defend the same - ✓

The Porter applied and obtained two days leave  
 of absence to attend the Galway Sessions, the  
 Schoolmaster to discharge the Porter's duties during  
 his absence - ✓

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on  
 Wednesday the 16<sup>th</sup> October 1867

David Keenan }  
 Clerk }  
 Thomas Keenan }

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 - 7 -  
 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 - 44 -  
 The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of  
 the Guardians was - - - - -

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

*Clerk of the Union.*

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[No. 27.] }

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the \_\_\_\_\_  
UNION, on \_\_\_\_\_ day, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186  
*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 23 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186

\_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_

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(Signed)

\_\_\_\_\_

Clerk of the Union.



*Quam* UNION.

Population in 1861,

Present Net Annual Value, £75,828.00

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 12<sup>th</sup> day of October 1867

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 6 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	694	292														
Temporary Buildings,	123															
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	48	16														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	865	308														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			15	79	37	57	25	21	21	26	29	304	In Workhouse Hospital, 55	In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital, 16	5	10
Admitted during the Week,			"	3	7	4	"	"	2	1	3	20	Total, 71	Total, 10		
TOTAL,			15	82	44	61	25	21	23	27	32	324				
Discharged during the Week,			"	2	7	1	"	1	2	2	1	16				
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
Total Discharged and Dead,			"	2	7	1	"	1	2	2	1	16	1866 = 281			<i>Outgoing</i>
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			15	80	37	54	25	20	21	25	31	308	1855 = 306			31.43

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12<sup>th</sup> day of October 1867 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.	11	20	"	"	11	20	Bt. forward,	41	58	"	"	41	58
No. II.	15	21	"	"	15	21	No. X.						
No. III.	14	16	"	"	14	16	No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	1	"	"	1	1	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	41	58	"	"	41	58	TOTAL,	41	58	"	"	41	58

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 16<sup>th</sup> day of October 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Denis Sturwand*  
Other Guardians: *Charles Blake, Thomas J. Burtin, William Gorman, Festus J. O'Sullivan, Walter J. O'Sullivan.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4374 to No. 4394, 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, - - - - - £ 11 : 11 : 0

Baid during the week, - - - - - £ 119 : 11 : 4

And that the Balance on the Account Against the Guardians was £ 9 : 13 : 4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
Totals,															

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 £ 48 2 s. 11 d.

Table with columns for Debit Provision Account, Credit Invoice Account, and various cost items like 'The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was' and 'Average cost in Infirmary'.

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 and quantities: 14 1/2 cwt Flour, 10 1/2 cwt Meal, 170 lb Beef, 60 Boxes Lard, 1383 Quarts Sweet Milk, 5 1/2 cwt Tea, 26 cwt Sugar, 56 cwt Rice, 12 cwt Pepper, 12 Bottles Wine, 56 cwt Soap.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the ... day of ... 1866

Summary table for Out-door Relief: 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, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer, By Order on Contractors (Article and quantity, Value), and a summary row for TOTAL.

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:—

1. Clothing Account.

Table for Clothing Account with columns for Name, Date, and Amount (£ s. d.).

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

2. Establishment Account.

Table for Establishment Account with columns for Name, Date, and Amount (£ s. d.).

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



3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
Martin Cleary Flour Meal 29 Sept 1867	268	5	6 ✓
John L Ryan Sugar Meal 16 do	81	4	1 ✓
Patrick Birds do do	84	15	4 ✓
Thomas Murphy Groceries do	43	14	2 ✓
Mathew Connor Meat do	60	19	2 ✓
Ryan & Keegan Tins do	29	3	4 ✓
John Han Eggs do	7	6	2 ✓
Richard Kelganiff Candles do	3	17	6 ✓
Martin Brennan Butter do	2	14	1 ✓

Credit 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 71 persons remained under treatment - ✓

The Master reported that on Saturday last he returned to the Contractor 9<sup>th</sup> of tainted Mutton, that the Contractor sent it back, and that he (the Master) again returned the meat to the Contractor - ✓

The Board approved of the course taken by the Master in reference to the Meat in question - ✓

That the Tailor made during the week 4 pair trousers and 4 Coats and repaired 15 pair trousers - ✓

The Shoemaker made 4 pair shoes & repaired 5 pair - ✓

The following requirements were ordered - Flannel 50 yds frize, 50 yds Corduroy, 30 yds baragon, and 1 pair scissors - ✓



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 Elect, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or Orders made on them respectively, as follows):

Letter to Clerk No. 259 of 67 15 Oct. 1867 From the Poor Law Commissioners expressing their sanction of the appointment of Messrs Peter Grew, Thomas Hughes, James W. Donogh and Henry D. Ogden respectively as Collectors of Poor Rates in the terms specified, namely a remuneration of six pence in the pound - ✓

Letter to Clerk No. 120 of 67 15 Oct. 1867 From the Poor Law Commissioners enclosing Forms to be filled of the number of cases of persons vaccinated in the Workhouse during the year ended 30th September 1867 - ✓

Letter to Clerk No. 121 of 67 15 Oct 1867 From the Poor Law Commissioners enclosing Forms of Return of the number of persons admitted to the Workhouse during the year ended 29 Sept. 1867 distinguishing the number sick at the time of their admission, also the number of Births & Deaths during the year - ✓

Reads - Communication from the Superintendent of Valuation having reference to the Annual Revision of

of the Valuation of the several Tenements &c in the Union which shall require Revision - ✓

On application of the Master Baker, the Board increased his wages One shilling per week. Namely from Fifteen to Sixteen shillings - ✓

The Master Bailiff applied and obtained leave of absence for three days during the next week - ✓

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 23rd October 1867.

Deputy Chairman }  
Others present }  
Wm. Brimicombe }  
John J. Kelly } ✓

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 - 14 -

Ditto, disallowed - - - - -

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

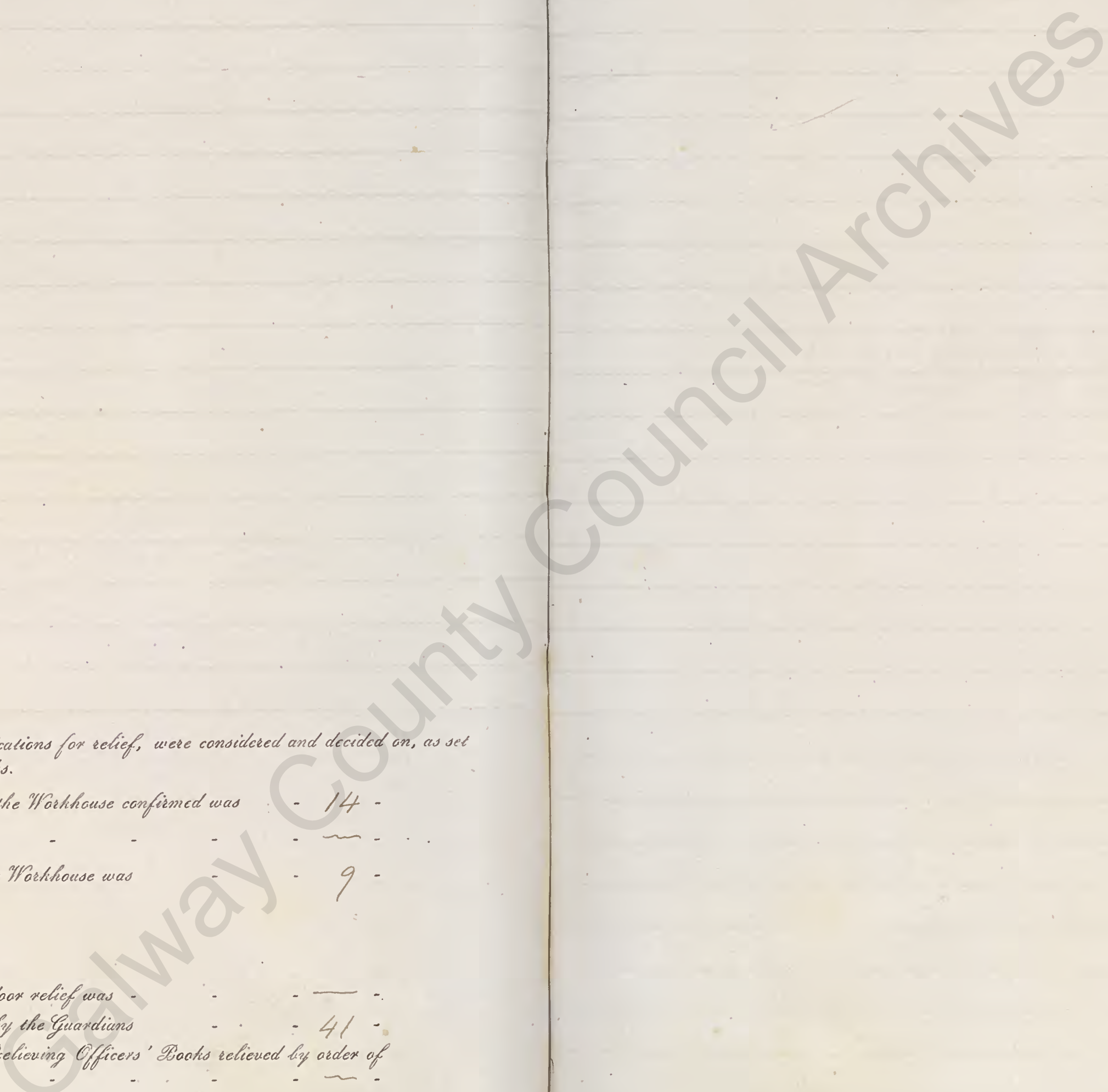
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - -

Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians - 41 -

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

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

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





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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of October 1867  
(Signed) J Morris

Clerk of the Union.



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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Supern  
UNION, on Wednesday-day, the 16<sup>th</sup> day of October 1867  
*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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The following Accounts of expenses (or statement of Salaries 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ 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, 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 (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Recd Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ stating that

Letter to Clerk  
No. 25737 of 67  
11 Oct. 1867  
From the Poor Law Commissioners expressing their sanction of the proposed increase of the salary of Dr French Medical Officer of the Abbey Dispensary District to £120 a year.

(Signed)

*Morris*

Clerk of the Union.

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# Quango UNION.

Population in 1861,

Present Net Annual Value, £ 75,828.0.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26<sup>th</sup> day of October 1867

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	694	276														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	123															
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	48	16														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>865</b>	<b>292</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			15	76	38	48	15	20	20	25	28	295	In Work-house Hospital, In Fever Hospital,	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates,		
Admitted during the Week,			2	2	5	2	1	"	"	"	1	13	57	10		
<b>TOTAL,</b>			17	78	43	50	26	20	20	25	29	308	Total, 73	Total, 10		
Discharged during the Week,			"	2	6	2	1	"	3	1	"	15				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			"	2	7	2	1	"	3	1	"	16				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			17	76	36	48	25	20	17	24	29	292	1866 = 293	1865 = 311	Outborn 28 = 35	

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.	12	21	"	"	12	21	Bt. forward,	46	64	"	"	46	64
No. II.	15	21	"	"	15	21	No. X.						
No. III.	17	20	"	"	17	20	No. XI.						
No. IV.	2	2	"	"	2	2	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	46	64	"	"	46	64	TOTAL,	46	64	"	"	46	64

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of October 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Dennis Murray*

Other Guardians: *Charles Blake, Michael Birmingham, Wm. Garmud, John Gilman, Thomas J. Bodkin, James O'Sullivan, Walter O'Sullivan, Henry Murray, Robert Bodkin, Edmund Birmingham.*



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4394 to No. 4423, 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, - - - - - £ 11 : 11 : 4

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 740 : 3 : 8

And that the Balance on the Account Against the Guardians was £ 749 : 17 : 4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Totals,													

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 £ 2 11 0 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 £ 42 11 9 s. 5 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	£ 39 11 0
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	" 2 1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,	" 3 1/8
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	" 4 1/8

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

- cut 7 lbs of
- 14 0 0 Flour
- 10 0 0 Ind Meal
- 1 0 0 Bran
- 180<sup>lb</sup> Beef
- 80 Box's Tref
- 1354 Quarts Lent Mell
- 5<sup>lb</sup> Tea
- 26<sup>lb</sup> Sugar
- 56<sup>lb</sup> Rice
- 12<sup>lb</sup> Pepper
- 12 Bottles Wine

- 56<sup>lb</sup> Soap
- 16<sup>lb</sup> Dipt 4 3/4 Mould Candles
- 10 Quarts Deal
- 207 Eggs
- 2<sup>lb</sup> Butter

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 186- whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in 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, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque 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.	Thos Healy	5.0.0			No. X.				
No. III.	Peter Curran	5.0.0			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 Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:—

1. Clothing Account.

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 Visiting Committee reported having inspected the Workhouse and found it in good order, that there were not any complaints from the inmates, and that the provisions &c. were found good -

The following report from the Rev. Chaplain was read -

1867

Oct<sup>r</sup> 28<sup>th</sup>

I visited the male school, catechized the pupils and gave them religious instruction, I also examined them in their school duties, and their answering I deem satisfactory -  
James McGee

Oct<sup>r</sup> 28<sup>th</sup>

I examined the female children today in their secular and religious classes. The reading of the first class was very inaccurate, that of the second was good in the extreme, so was their answering in arithmetic and on religious subjects -  
Edmund Thomas -

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 73 persons remained under treatment -

That some pens & paper were required for both Hospitals -  
Ordered -

The Master reported that on Saturday night last a large piece of lead was blown off the roof of the Infirmary that the windows and pane of the boys school were blown in and 14 panes of glass broken -

That he sent word to the Glazier to attend to put on the lead -

That the Tailor made during the week, 1 suit of clothes and 16 Caps and repaired 20 pairs trousers -

That the Shoemaker made 4 pairs shoes & repaired 5 pairs -

The following requisites were Ordered - Namely - 500 hanks, 2 pairs hanks, 14<sup>lb</sup> lead, 1 ladle, 5<sup>lb</sup> linen, 1<sup>doz</sup> Hide of sole leather, 20<sup>doz</sup> Upper leather, 6<sup>doz</sup> hanks, 4<sup>doz</sup> patch, 10<sup>lb</sup> hair, 6<sup>doz</sup> Spins, 2 pinches, 6 pairs laces, 2 Busps, 1 dozen Awls, 7<sup>doz</sup> resin, and 1 gal water -



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

Letters to Clerk from the Poor Law Commissioners expressing their sanction of the proposed increase of the Salary of the Workhouse Baker to sixteen shillings a week -  
N<sup>o</sup>. 26368. 1867  
22 Oct 1867

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

The following communication from Mr. William J. Henderson Solicitor, was read -  
Dunam 18<sup>th</sup> October 1867

Gentlemen,  
I annex hereto the Notice of Appeal of Mr. J. W. Fox against the Valuation of the Tolls of Tuam upon the trial of which before the Chairman of the County in the 14<sup>th</sup> instant, I appeared to represent your interest -  
The Chairman ruled with the appellant on the first ground of Appeal, and held that the Tolls themselves were not rateable - (142 Vic. C 56 Sec. 63)  
On the second ground of Appeal, it was advanced that owing to the appellant not holding the Tolls under Deeds he was not the legal Occupier, The Chairman on being referred by me to the Section at foot, ruled that the appellant was the Occupier for the purposes of the Act, and that his private interest was rateable -  
(Same Act C 56 Sec 124) The

The question of the amount annually of the Appellants profit from the Tolls being the only portion dedicated to a private use was then entered into, and was proved to be £60 per Annum, which the Chairman held to be the sum rateable.

The £60 were assessed upon the Baronies of Clare and Dunmore in the same proportions as the languaging had been previously assessed upon those Baronies.

Gentlemen, I am  
your Obedt Servant  
W. French Headover

Read - Copies of Warrants issued for the removal of a man named Peter Dickson and a boy named Peter Scott from the Parish of St. Marys Rotherhithe London (the former alleged to be from the Parish of Kiltarrain, the latter from the Parish of Tuam) to the Tuam Union.

The usual Fourteen days Notice having expired, the Clerk laid before the Board, the Ratebooks of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union, which were signed by the Guardians.

1867 Oct 21 Name	Offence	Punishment
Pat Madden	Assisting the Schoolboys	Pat Madden 4 hours in Cell.
Mr. Coless	in taking off the Cattle	The three last named 8 Slaps
Jul Gibbons	boxes in the rippu	each in the hands.
Bernard Kelly	Wards -	
Oct 22 <sup>nd</sup>		
Margaret Kenny	Refusing to do the	Ms Kenny 1 hour in Cell -
Jane Joyce	Wards	The two last named, 2 hours each, in Cell.
Ellen Cunningham	Wards	
Oct 26 <sup>th</sup>		
Kevin Diney	Striking the Matron and using most profane language in presence of the parsons, and also striking the Matron with a brick when leaving the Dining hall	Sent to Midewell - To be prosecuted at next Petty Sessions of Tuam



Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on  
Wednesday the 6th November 1867 -

John Blake	} Chairman Others present
Samuel Kinnear	
Samuel Kinnear	

J Morris  
Clerk of Guardians

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 - 10 -

Ditto, disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 17 -

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

Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - 46 -

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

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday the  
6<sup>th</sup> day of November 1867  
(Signed) J. Morris

Clerk of the Union.



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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Swamp  
UNION, on Tuesday day, the 30<sup>th</sup> day of October 1867  
*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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The following Accounts of expenses (or statement of Salaries 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186 , 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186

\_\_\_\_\_ 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):

Recd Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_  
stating that

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(Signed)

*J Morris*

Clerk of the Union.



*Munster* UNION.

Population in 1861,

Present Net Annual Value, £75,828.0.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 21<sup>st</sup> day of November 1867

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 4 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	694	281														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	123															
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	48	14														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>865</b>	<b>295</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			17	76	36	48	25	20	17	24	29	292	In Work-house Hospital, 56	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, 11		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			1	6	5	7	2	1	"	2	2	26	In Fever Hospital, 14	Total, 10		
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>18</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>318</b>	<b>Total, 70</b>	<b>Total, 10</b>		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			"	4	5	4	"	1	2	2	4	22				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	1				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			"	4	5	5	"	1	2	2	4	23			1866 = 300	<i>Outlets</i>
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			18	78	36	50	27	20	15	24	27	295			1865 = 306	28 = 35

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 21<sup>st</sup> day of November 1867 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.	15	29	"	"	15	29	Bt. forward,	50	73	"	"	50	73
No. II.	15	21	"	"	15	21	No. X.						
No. III.	18	21	"	"	18	21	No. XI.						
No. IV.	2	2	"	1	2	2	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	50	73	"	"	50	73	TOTAL,	50	73	"	"	50	73

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 16<sup>th</sup> day of November 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Charles Blake*  
Other Guardians: *Domnall Tully, Henry Murphy, Stephen J. W. Dwyer, Denis J. Newman, William D. Griffith, Thomas J. Keenan*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4423 to No. 4449, 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, - - - - - £ 11 : 11 : 0

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 10 : 11 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 759 : 17 : 0

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.										
Totals,																							

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 £ 41 " 16 s. 5 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	-	40	" 9 " 3 ✓
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	-	"	2 " 6 1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,	-	"	3 " 9
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	-	"	4 " 2 1/2

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

- 14 0 " 0 Fruit Tree
- 1 0 " 0 Bran
- 170 " Beef
- 80 Boxes Lard
- 1348 Quarts Fruit milk
- 16 " Tea
- 28 " Sugar
- 1 1/2 " Pepper
- 12 Bottles Wine
- 56 " Soap
- 14 " Washing Soda

- 16 " Dept #3 Mouth Candles
- 10 Quarts Deal
- 207 Eggs
- 2 " Butter

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 Believing 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 1866 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, -	-	-	-	-	-
In Kind, -	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	£	

Credit each Believing Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Believing Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	J. W. Fine	6	0	0		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 Cheques.

Debit each Believing Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:—

1. Clothing Account.

Patent Coughlin 50 yds linen	£	1	15	5
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Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Martin Burke Tailor & Washes wages to 2 Nov 4867	1	17	6	
Patrick Walsh Shoemaker do do	1	15	"	
Patrick Egan Carpenter 18 days do	1	16	"	
Mary Murray Sest of Clothes 23p Mod Bartlett linen 8p	1	11	"	
John Heggin Rauls 30p - J. Amehau Smith 13/1	2	3	1	
J. W. Cunningham Clerk for Boardroom Table	1	"	"	
William Kelly Tailor 10p - Myles Butler Cooperage 35p	2	5	"	
6 Kelly 3p - Peter Cuncu 6p - Tho Healy 5p - Carrigan 5p - Smith 6p	"	11	6	
Charles Kelly, Linn for Sanitary use	"	10	"	
Amount of cheque	£	15	4	6
Cheque for Petty Cash	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 was one death during the past week, and that 70 persons remained under treatment.

The Master reported that a pauper inmate of the Workhouse named John Timmy who on the 26<sup>th</sup> ult. was sent to Bridewell for striking the Master, was on the 4<sup>th</sup> inst. before the Petty Sessions Court at Tralee, and on that day sent to Galway goal for three months for the offence. And also for using in Court threatening language towards the Master, it was ordered to have information against Timmy upon his return from goal.

The Master also reported that Mr. Delap the Porter is in a delicate state of health, and has been confined to his room for the last week.

That a supply of straw was required for the winter bedding of the house.

That the Porter made during the week, 4 pairs trousers, and repaired 13 Coats and 18 pairs trousers.

The Shoemaker made 4 pairs shoes & repaired 4 pairs.



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

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

Letter to Clerk  
No. 126 Nov 67  
1st Nov. 1867

From the Poor Law Commissioners enclosing Forms to be filled respecting the Rates made and any new Rates agreed upon in the Union.

Letter to Clerk  
No. 130 Nov 67  
1st Nov. 1867

From the Poor Law Commissioners having reference to that part of their Circular of the 9th August last on the subject of the Parliamentary Grant in aid of expenses for Medical and Educational purposes, and stating that as the Grant is intended for the entire year, although made payable in two Half yearly instalments, the amount should not be appropriated to the credit of the Divisions until both instalments shall have been received.

Letter to Clerk  
No. 27520/67  
5 Nov. 1867

From the Poor Law Commissioners requesting to be furnished with copies of the Warrants issued for the removal of Peter Dickson and Peter Scott from the Parish of St. Marys Rotherhithe, and with the particulars specified in their letter of the 21st June 1864, on the arrival of the parties in Union.

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The Clerk begs to inform the Poor Law Commissioners that Peter Dickson and Peter Scott, the parties referred to in the foregoing letter, have not yet arrived at the Workhouse, the moment they do, the particulars & Warrants required shall be forwarded.

Reads-

Warrant issued for the removal of a man named Michael Ryan from the Parish of Liverpool to the Union Union.

The Clerk having laid before the Board the Collecting books and Warrants of the several Elector Divisions of the Union, they were respectively signed by the Guardians.

Notices of Motion

To be Notice that on this day fortnight I will move that the Salary of Charles Kelly Relieving Officer be increased from £20 to £25 per Annum  
November 6th 1867  
Signed - Henry Sturand

To be Notice that I will on this day fortnight move that the salary of Thomas Healy the Domestic Relieving Officer be increased from £20 to £25 per Annum, and thus put him on a level with the Team and Headman Relieving Officers -  
Signed Stephen J Mc Donogh  
Boardroom 6 November 1867 -

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 13th November 1867

Chas. Bluff } Chairman  
Festus Kelly } this part  
Murray Wood }  
J Morris  
Clerk of Union



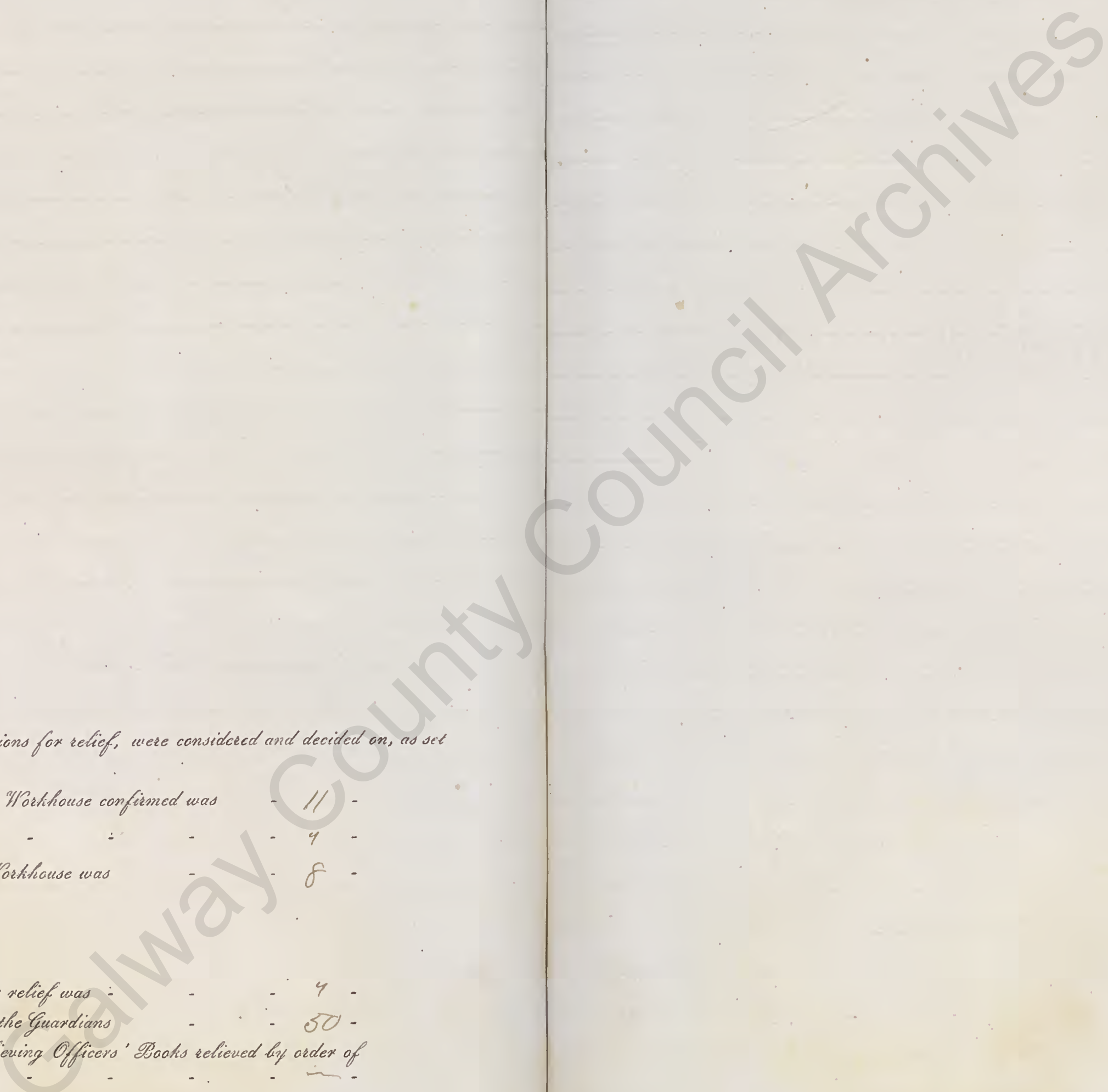
The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	11	-
Ditto, disallowed -	-	4	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	8	-

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	4	-
Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	50	-
The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	-

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

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





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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 13<sup>th</sup>  
day of November 1867  
(Signed) J Morris

Clerk of the Union.

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[No. 27.] }

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Swans  
UNION, on Wednesday, the 19<sup>th</sup> day of November 1867  
*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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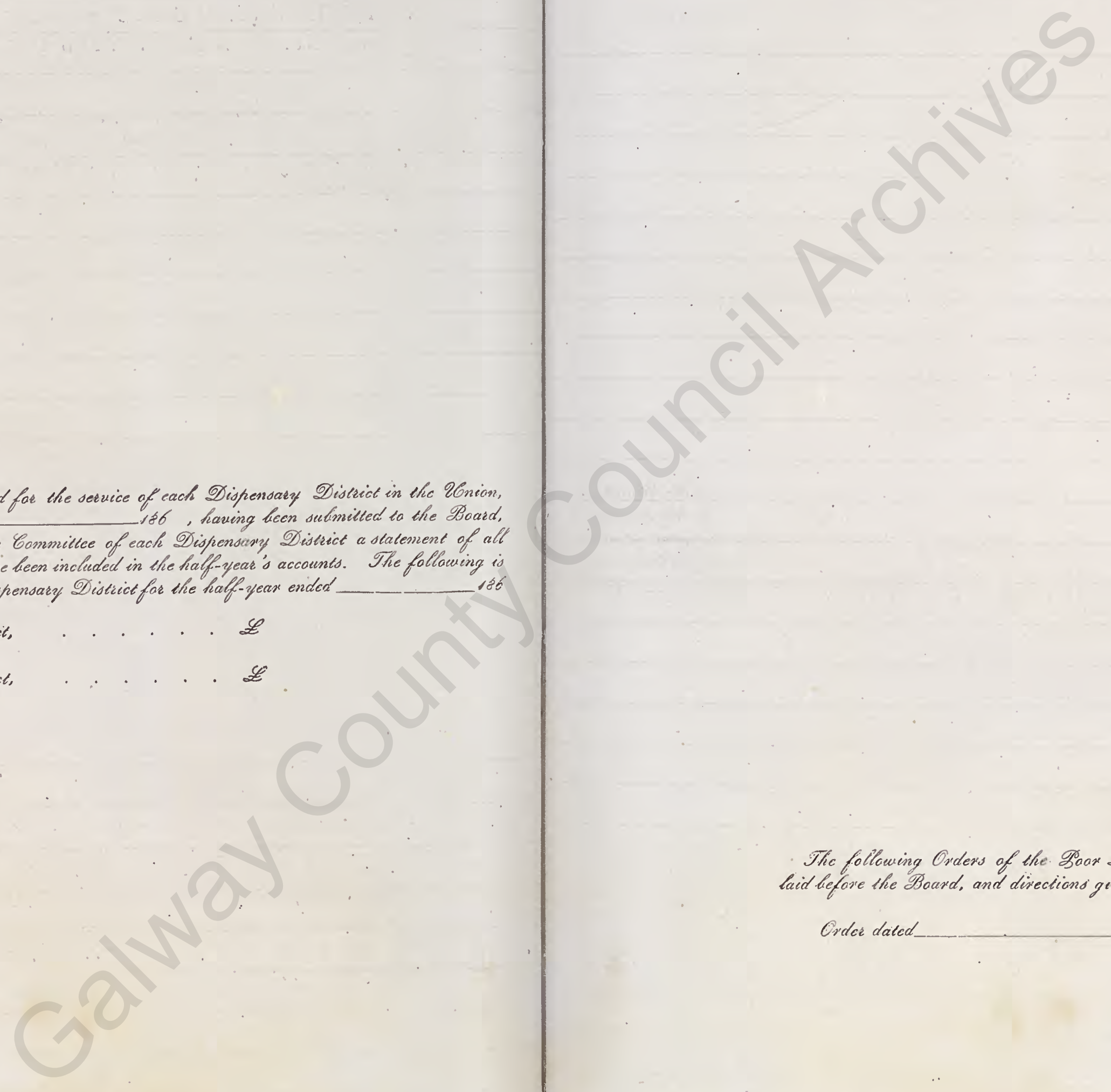
The following Accounts of expenses (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

\_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_

_____ 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, in the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ stating that \_\_\_\_\_

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(Signed)

*J. Morris*

Clerk of the Union.



# GUANO UNION.

Population in 1861, Present Net Annual Value, £75,828-0-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9<sup>th</sup> day of November 1867

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	694	295														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	123															
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	48	14														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>865</b>	<b>309</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			18	78	36	50	27	20	15	24	27	295	In Workhouse Hospital, 64	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, 14		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			1	4	8	6	"	"	1	4	3	27	Total, 78	Total, 10		
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>19</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>322</b>				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			"	2	3	3	"	1	1	2	1	13				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			"	2	3	3	"	1	1	2	1	13	1866 = 290		Outdoor	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			19	80	41	53	27	19	15	26	29	309	1865 = 322		28 = 35	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9<sup>th</sup> day of November 1867 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.	15	29	"	"	15	29	Bt. forward,	49	75	"	"	49	75
No. II.	15	21	"	"	15	21	No. X.						
No. III.	17	23	"	"	17	23	No. XI.						
No. IV.	2	2	"	"	2	2	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	49	75	"	"	49	75	TOTAL,	49	75	"	"	49	75

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 13<sup>th</sup> day of November 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair, Charles Blake.

Other Guardians: Stephen & M<sup>rs</sup>. Dinohy, William Gannon, Robert Bodkin, Festus & Sully, Henry Stewart, Thomas & Bodkin.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 444 to No. 447 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, - - - £ 11 : 11 : 1

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 26 : 4 : 6

And that the Balance on the Account *Against* the Guardians was £ 786 : 1 : 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.											
<i>Totals,</i>																								

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



The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 3 - - - 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 £ 36 r 3 s. 8 d.

		£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,				
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	- - -	41	11	1
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,				
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	- - -	4	2	6 1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,	- - - - -	4	3	5 1/2
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	- - - - -	4	4	2 1/2

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

100 <sup>lb</sup> Butter	56 <sup>lb</sup> Soap
100 <sup>lb</sup> Oatmeal	20 <sup>lb</sup> Dept of Mould Candles
140 <sup>lb</sup> Bacon	10 Quarters Deal
180 <sup>lb</sup> Beef	196 Eggs
100 Boxes Soap	2 <sup>lb</sup> Putty
1360 Quarts Sweet Milk	
54 <sup>lb</sup> Tea	
27 <sup>lb</sup> Sugar	
56 <sup>lb</sup> Rice	
12 <sup>lb</sup> Pepper	
12 Bottles Wine	

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 186

		£	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, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque 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.	Thos Beady	5.0.0				No. X.					
No. III.	Peter Crum	5.0.0				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 Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

		£	s.	d.
1. Clothing Account.				
Clerk to purchase Straw		3	"	"

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

2. Establishment Account.

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



3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

The Medical Officer reported that there were not any deaths during the past week, and that 78 persons remained under treatment.

That owing to the serious illness of the Porter Mr. Delap he had recommended his removal to his own house.

That the Hospital require their winter supply of turf and Candles Ordered.

The Master reported that the Motion made during the week 48 Sheets.

That the Tailor made 9 pairs trousers.

That the Shoemaker made 4 pairs shoes & repaired 2 pairs.

The Guardians having considered the Master's report, deemed the work done during the week, by the Shoemaker to be very little.

The following requirements were ordered. Namely -  
3 Shovels, 1 quire Spoons, 500 Needles, 3<sup>lb</sup> Camphor, 1/2 gallon turpentine.



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

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

Letter to Clerk  
 No. 28,127/1867 }  
 12 Nov<sup>r</sup>. 1867 } From the Poor Law Commissioners having reference to the Workhouse Master's report of the 6<sup>th</sup> instant regarding the illness of the Peter M. Delap, and suggesting that if the Peter be out now sufficiently recovered to resume the active discharge of his duties it will be necessary to appoint a temporary substitute.

The Board, having considered the Commissioners letter in reference to the illness of M<sup>r</sup>. Delap, it was agreed that his son M<sup>r</sup>. Thomas Delap (who was this day before the Board) be appointed to discharge the duties of Peter during the illness of his father.

The Master having laid the Punishment Books before the Board, the following entries appeared thereon.

Nov<sup>r</sup> 6<sup>th</sup> 1867  
 Michael Gorman "For striking to hit the Schoolmaster with his shoe, until the Schoolmaster prevented him to take off the shoe" M<sup>r</sup>. to be stopped for three days.

1867  
 Nov<sup>r</sup> 9<sup>th</sup>  
 Bernard Kelly "For making an attempt to strike the Schoolmaster, the Schoolmaster struck Kelly with his hands, and in the scuffle between them, Kelly's eye was blacked."

The Schoolmaster having been called before the Board for an explanation together with the boy Kelly, it was ascertained that owing to a mutinous spirit which appears to exist among the boys, the Schoolmaster struck Kelly in his own defence; at the same time the Schoolmaster was directed to procure a rod for the purpose of chastising his boys, and to submit the same to the Board for approval on Wednesday next.

1867 Nov <sup>r</sup> 12	Budget Coghlan	In Committing nuisance	M <sup>r</sup> . stopped at Breakfast
	Mary McLeod	do do	do do
1867 Nov <sup>r</sup> 13		For giving violence to the Matron in prison of paupers & refusing the Matron to go to the Lock up	One hour in Cell

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 20<sup>th</sup> November 1867.

Wm Blake } Chairman  
 Robert Henry } Others present  
 Thomas Kelly }

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	- 18 -
Ditto, disallowed -	- - -
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	- 11 -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	- - -
Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians	- 49 -
The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	- - -

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

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

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day of November 1867

(Signed) J Morris

Clerk of the Union.



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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Quams  
UNION, on Wednesday day, the 13<sup>th</sup> day of November 1867  
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 \_\_\_\_\_  
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were  
ordered to be supplied:

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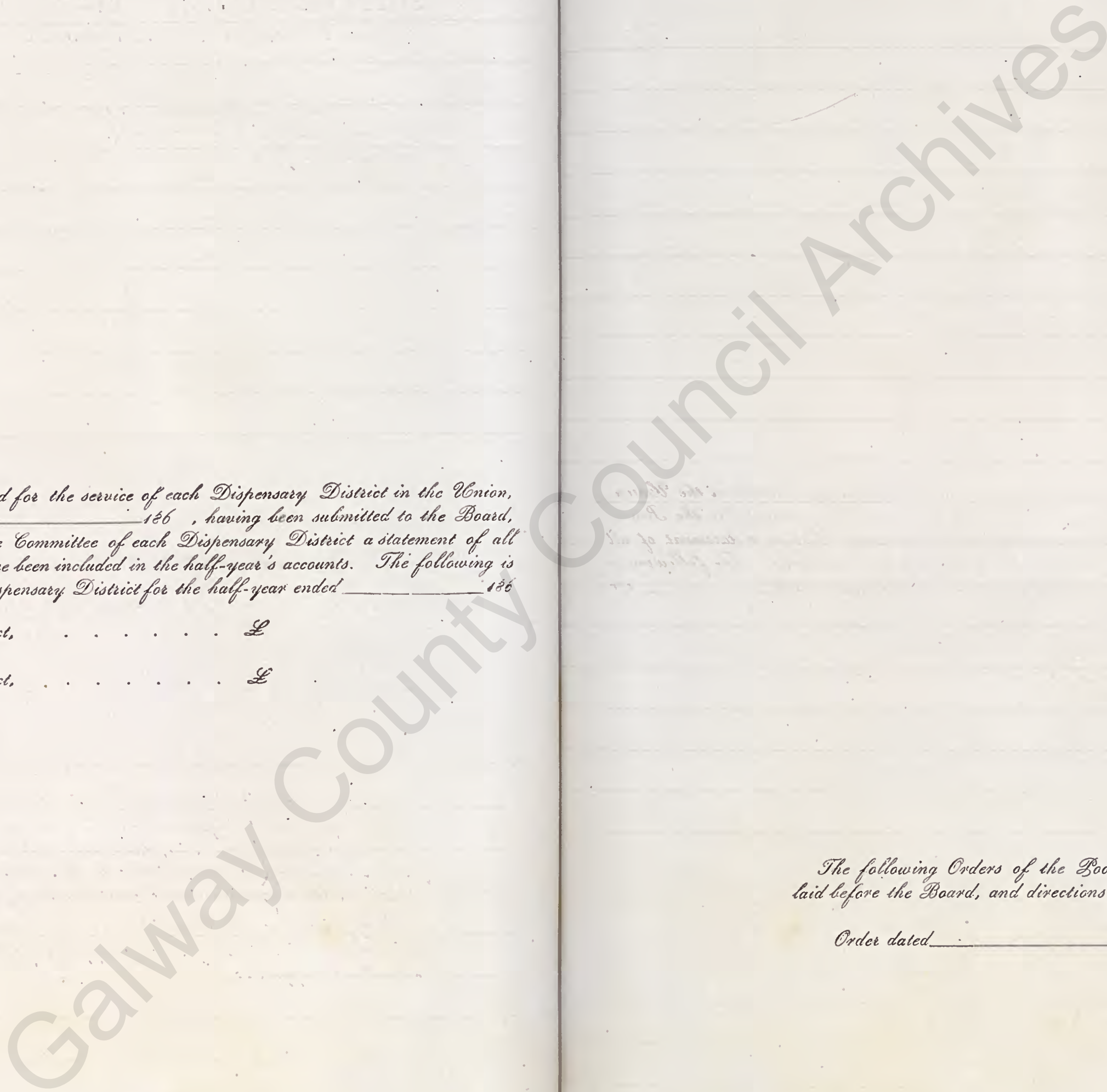
The following Accounts of expenses (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

\_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 1856, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 1856

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

\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District, Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

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

Order dated \_\_\_\_\_ (state subject,)



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

Recd Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_  
stating that

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(Signed)

*J. Morris*

Clerk of the Union.



Guamo UNION.

Population in 1861,

Present Net Annual Value, £75,828-0-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of November 1867

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, Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age, Children above 5 and under 9 years of age, Children above 2 and under 5 years of age, Infants under 2 years of age, Total, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS (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 16th day of November 1867 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

the 20th day of November 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair, Dominick Tully.

Other Guardians: Michael J. Barone, John Gilmore, Thomas J. Bostwick.

Mr. Tully having been called to the Chair, the following resolution proposed by Thomas J. Bostwick and seconded by Michael J. Barone Esq. was unanimously adopted.

Resolved - That in consequence of the death of Miss Anne Curran daughter of Doctor Curran, our Medical Officer, this Board be adjourned until Wednesday the 27th instant.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. \_\_\_\_\_ to No. \_\_\_\_\_, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ : :

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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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.
Totals,													

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 £ s. d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - -

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

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

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:

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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 186 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, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque 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 Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.

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







*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 - - -

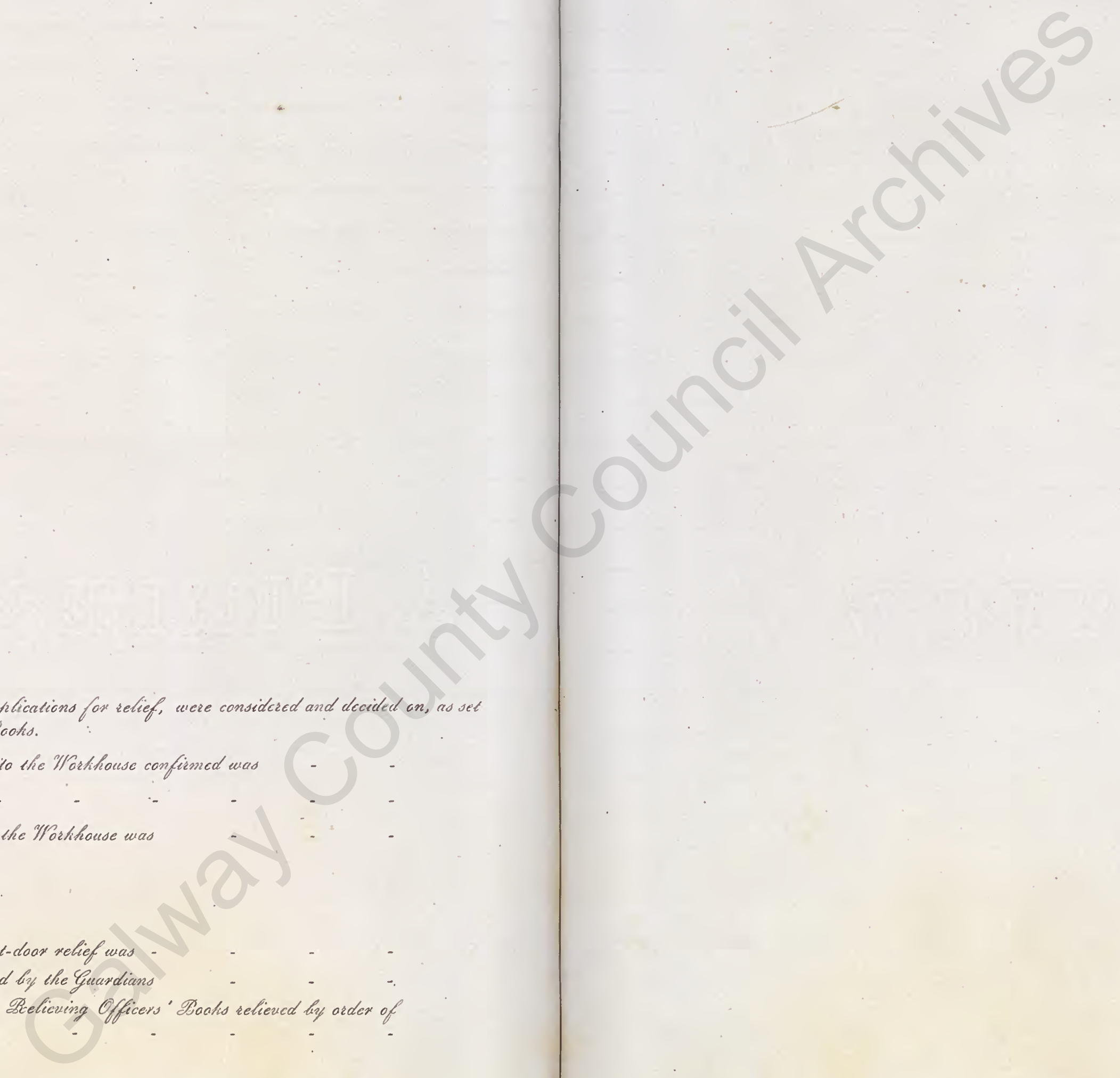
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - -

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

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

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

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





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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 27<sup>th</sup> day of November 1867  
(Signed) J Monis

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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186  
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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_

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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.



Population in 1861,

Present Net Annual Value, £45,828.0.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of November 1867.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 4 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	694	307														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	123	-														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .	48	14														
Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
TOTAL, . . . . .	865	315														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			17	81	46	52	26	19	15	26	31	313	In Work-house Hospital, 71 In Fever Hospital, 14	In separate Wards, - In Wards with other inmates, 10		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			"	2	8	2	"	"	"	"	"	12				
TOTAL, . . . . .			17	83	54	54	16	19	15	26	31	325				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			"	2	4	2	"	"	"	1	"	9				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	1				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			"	2	4	3	"	"	"	1	"	10				1866 = 307
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			17	81	50	57	26	19	15	25	31	315				1865 = 321

Outlets 27 = 34

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of November 1867, 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.	15	29			15	29	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	15	24			15	24	No. X.						
No. III.	17	23			17	23	No. XI.						
No. IV.	2	2			2	2	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	49	78			49	78	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 27 day of November 1867.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Charles Blake -

Other Guardians: William Gannon Henry Kirwan Walter F. Kelly  
 Festus J. Kelly, David Rutledge Junr., Stephen J. McDonough  
 William Randleson, Edmond Concanon, John Denis, Martin W. Donnell  
 John Gilmore Robert Bodkin, Robert Blake, Patrick O'Connor  
 Robert Henry, Thomas J. Bodkin

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 £ 37. 19 s. 10 d.

Table with columns for Debit Provision Account, Credit Invoice Account, and various costs like 'The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was' and 'Average cost in Infirmary'.

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:

- 14 cwt of First flour
10 cwt of Oaten meal
1 cwt of Bran
186 lb of Beef
100 Boxes of turf
1424 Quarts of Sweet Milk
5 3/4 lb Tea
27 lb Sugar
56 lb of Rice
1/2 Pepper
12 Bottles of wine
70 lb of Soap
20 lb of Dept & 3 lb Mould Candles
10 Quarters beal
203 Eggs
2 lb Butter

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 ... 186 ... 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, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer, By Order on Contractors, and Value.

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques 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 for Petty Cash to pay for straw 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, (or Orders made on them respectively, as follows):

Letter to Clerk }  
No 28,756/1867 }  
19. Nov. 1867 }  
From the Poor Law Commissioners having reference to the Quaidion Minutes of the 13<sup>th</sup> inst. and to an extract from the Punishment Book submitted by the Master to the Board, a boy named Kelly having attempted to strike the Schoolmaster - and stating that if the insubordination which exists amongst the boys in the Workhouse continues unchecked the fitness of the Master and Schoolmaster to remain in office should be at once taken into consideration by the Quaidions.

The Board having considered the foregoing letter, the Master was directed to give a written explanation in reference to the subject of the Commissioners letter; The following was read -

The Master begs leave to inform the Board that in the morning of the 6<sup>th</sup> inst, the Master was engaged in giving out the food in the Bread & Milk Pantry when the Schoolmaster boy Bernard Kelly came crying and his eye black and the Schoolmaster with him, the Master asked the Schoolmaster how did Kelly get the black eye, the Schoolmaster said that Kelly was going to strike him and then Schoolmaster struck the boy Kelly - the Master knew nothing whatever about the matter until they came to

to Bread store when the Master was engaged -

The Schoolmaster when asked by the Board, why did he not call on the Master, he stated that when he saw the Master so busily engaged, he did not like to take him from his business; had the Schoolmaster called on the Master in time there would be no black eye given to the boy as the Master always goes to the School whenever he hears any noise, and puts a stop at once to insubordination

John Smith

Letter to Clerk }  
No 28600/1867 }  
10. Nov. 1867 }

From the Poor Law Commissioners forwarding a letter received by them from the Rev. Mr. Conway P. P. dated 12<sup>th</sup> instant, together with a copy of their reply and suggesting the propriety of calling the attention of the Relieving Officers to the cases of the poor persons referred to in the Rev. Mr. Conways letter which they request the Clerk will carefully preserve and return to the office -

The Board having considered the Commissioners letter together with the communication of the Rev. Mr. Conway - Mr. Curran the Relieving Officers explanation in reference to the subject was read, and ordered to be furnished to the Commr.

Read

Warrant issued for the removal of a man named Bartholomew Collins and Winifred his wife from the Parish of St Marys Rotherhithe to the Seaman Workhouse

Messrs Henry Kinwan & Stephen M. Donoughs Notices of Motion of the 6<sup>th</sup> inst. having been considered the following resolution was proposed by Henry Kinwan Esq & seconded by John Gilmore Esq.

That the Salary of Mr. Charles Kelly Relieving Officer of the Abbey district be increased from £20 to £25. per Annum.

Proposed by Stephen J. M. Donough Esq & Seconded by Edmund Concammon Esq.

That



That the Salary of Mr. Thomas Healy Relieving Officer of Dummore District be increased from £20 to £25 per Annum

Proposed by Festus J. Kelly Esq and seconded by David Rutledge Junr. Esq.

Resolved - That we consider the present salaries of the Abbey and Dummore Relieving Officers sufficient and that we decline to raise same particularly as we do not see that there is any increase of their duties, and as our establishment expenses are already very high in proportion to the number relieved.

The amendment and resolution having been put and a poll taken there appeared -

For the Amendment

- Thomas J. Bodkin
- Robert Henry
- Patrick O'Connor
- John Denis
- William Randleson
- David Rutledge
- Festus J. Kelly
- Walter F. Kelly

For the resolution

- John Gilmore
- Stephen W. Donough
- Martin McDonnell
- Edmond Concanon
- Henry Kiwan
- William Gammon

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

Disso, 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 49

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.)

To the Tuam Board of Guardians

27<sup>th</sup> November 1867.

Gentlemen,

I hereby tender my resignation of the office of Schoolmaster in this house.

I am Gentlemen

Yours obed<sup>t</sup>. Servant  
Patrick M<sup>c</sup>. Dermott.

The resignation of Mr. M<sup>c</sup>. Dermott having been accepted the Clerk was directed to advertise in the General Advertiser (one insertion) for a Schoolmaster at a Salary of £25. per Annum with rations and an Apartment - Tenders to be considered on this day fortnight

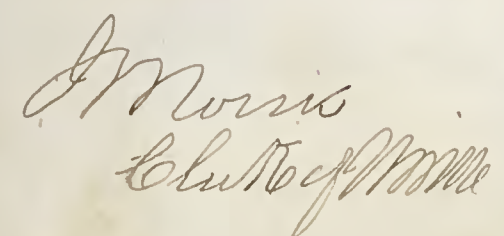
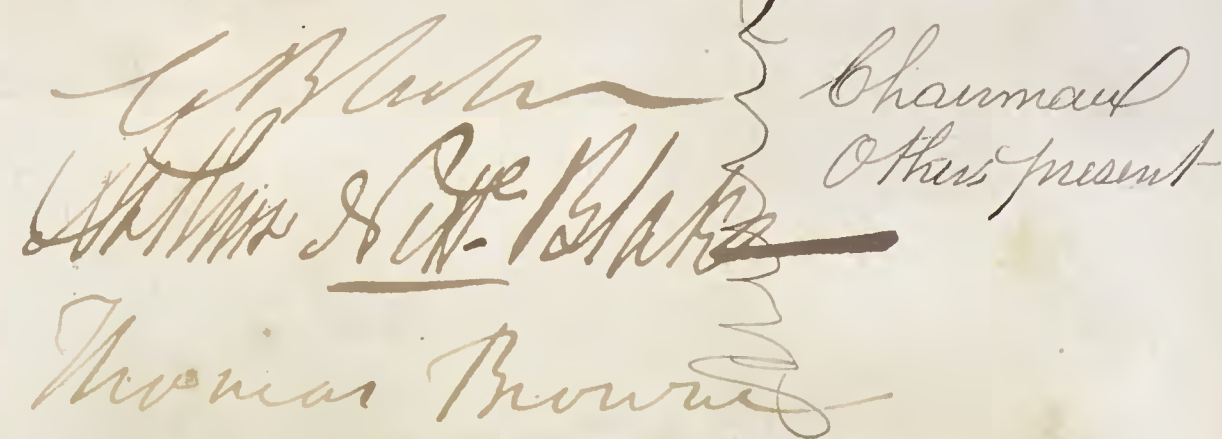
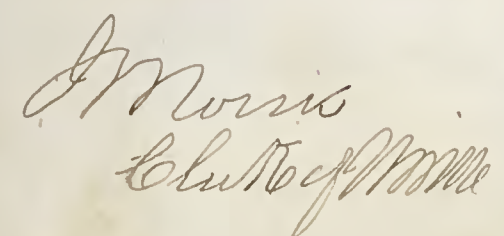
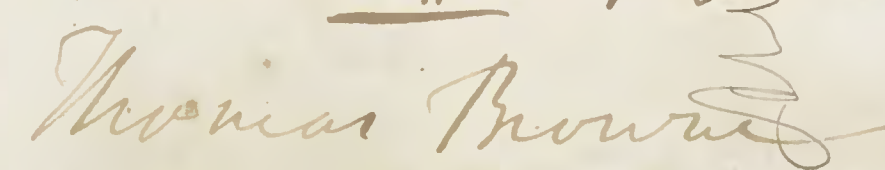
The tender of Richard Dunlavy for resetting the Laundry Boiler, the Guardians finding him in all materials and attendance for the sum of £2.10.0 was accepted.

Take Notice that on this day fortnight I will move that John Lindsay be changed from the Hillsbrook Electoral Division to the Union at Large or such other place as he is properly chargeable.

Henry Kiwan  
29<sup>th</sup> November 1867.

In consequence of the death of Mr. Delap the late Porter, the Clerk was directed to advertise in the Tuam Herald for a person to fill that office at a Salary of £17 - per Annum with rations and an Apartment - Tenders to be received on this day fortnight.

Next Meeting of Guardians, to be held on Wednesday the 4<sup>th</sup> November 1867

 } Chairman  
 } Others present  
  




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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186  
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*Clerk of the Union.*



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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the \_\_\_\_\_  
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STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 7<sup>th</sup> day of December 1867.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
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Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	123															
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Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	48	13														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>865</b>	<b>334</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			17	85	46	53	26	19	19	27	34	326	In Workhouse Hospital, 72	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 10		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			2	3	9	4	2	"	1	1	"	22	Total, 88	Total, 10		
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>19</b>	<b>88</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>348</b>				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			"	3	6	1	1	"	"	1	1	13				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			"	3	6	2	1	"	"	1	1	14	1866 = 313			Distances
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			19	85	49	53	27	19	20	27	33	334	1865 = 311			30 = 40

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 7<sup>th</sup> day of December 1867, 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.	14	24					Bt. forward,						
No. II.	13	21					No. X.						
No. III.	18	26					No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	1					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	46	72					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 11<sup>th</sup> day of December 1867.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Charles Blake

Other Guardians: Arthur N. Blake, Tho. Browne, Henry Kirwan, Denis J. Kirwan, James Blake, Robert Bottrill, Mrs. Paul Leason, James G. Blake, Mrs. Gannon, John J. Gunning, John Gilmore, David Rutledge, Henry Kirwan (G)

Dr. Brodie, Poor Law Inspector.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4511 to No. 4556, 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, - - - - - £ 348 : 0 : 9V

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 24 : 3 : 4V

And that the Balance on the Account Against the Guardians was £ 475 : 4 : 1V

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 Creamy	Ballinduff	4	16	7									
	Donoughpatrick	"	13	"									
	Beauford	22	3	8									
	Kilcoona	13	17	7									
	Killeany	1	7	"									
	Kilbuer	"	6	"									
	Kilburea	14	9	6	57	13	5						
Henry O. Loughlin	Bellelane	"	7	11									
	Colacteam	40	3	3									
	Beaghmore	11	16	7									
	Toxhall	33	9	1									
	Hillsbrook	20	9	2									
	Killoverin	"	9	0									
	Kilshanny	2	"	"									
	Lavally	2	18	9									
	Tuam	27	0	10	138	14	7						
James M. Donough	Addergole	15	7	"									
	Canowagh	12	3	3									
	Caloonberne	23	6	3									
	Doonally	14	9	7									
	Dunmore	8	6	7									
	Kilbarrow	3	6	2									
	Killeen	1	7	4									
	Milbown	4	15	5	63	6	7						
Thomas Hughes	Abbey West	"	2	8									
	Ballindeny	"	16	3									
	Ballinapark	1	4	"									
	Cummer	14	3	0									
	Kilmoylan	7	12	4									
	Monivea	15	7	0									
	Ryehill	29	0	4	68	6	2						
Totals,				£ 348	9								

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 £ 48 1 s. 4 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	-	45	14 10
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	-	"	2 7
Average cost in Infirmary,	-	"	3 6 1/2
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	-	"	4 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:

Cost		
20 0 0	Wheat Flour	✓
1 0 0	Bran	✓
18 6	of Beef	✓
100	Boxes of turf	✓
1539	Quarts of Sweet Milk	✓
5 1/4	Tea	✓
25 1/2	Sugar	✓
5 6	Rice	✓
1 2	Pepper	✓
13	Bottles of Wine	✓
70	Soap	✓

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the ... day of ... 1867 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, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque 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.	J. Curran	5	0 0			No. XI.					
No. IV.	C. Kelly	2	0 0			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 Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:—

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
J. Loghlan 100 yds Grey linen	3	10	10

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

2. Establishment Account.

Martin Burke 4 weeks wages to 30 <sup>th</sup> Nov. 1867	1	10	0
Patrick Walsh do do	1	8	"
Patrick Egan Carpenter 14 do do	1	8	"
Michael Costello lime	"	8	3
Peter Curran Carriage sick Payee	"	3	0
Amount of Cheques	£	4	17 3
James Henahan Smith Work	2	4	"
John Massey for tin ware on account	5	"	"
Clerk for Petty Cash	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, (or Orders made on them respectively, as follows):  
50 Handkerchiefs 60 yards of Corduroy 30 yards of Banagee 100 yards of Calico 1 Tea pot 2 Bass brooms.

Letter to Clerk  
No 29857-1867  
27 Nov. 1867  
From the Poor Law Commissioners forwarding a copy of a letter received by them from the Rev. P. Conway P. P. relating to the condition of certain poor persons in the Hillman Electoral Division together with a copy of their reply.

Letter to Clerk  
No 3033-1867  
2<sup>nd</sup> Dec. 1867  
From the Poor Law Commissioners forwarding a copy of a letter recd. by them from a man named Peter Brennan together with a copy of their reply.

Letter to Clerk  
No 30039-67  
3<sup>rd</sup> Dec. 1867  
From the Poor Law Commissioners transmitting questions for answers to be signed by him and the person who may be appointed to the office of Schoolmaster and drawing the guardians attention to the Workhouse Masters explanation in reference to the scuffle between the Schoolmaster & the boy Kelly stating that the Master intrenched the general spirit of insubordination which is found to exist in the School.

Letter to Clerk  
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From the Poor Law Commissioners transmitting questions for answers to be signed by him and the person who may be appointed to the office of

Porter of the Workhouse -

Letter to Clerk  
No 30039-67  
3<sup>rd</sup> Dec. 1867  
From the Poor Law Commissioners having reference to the report of the Visiting Committee on the ragged state of the boys clothing and requesting that the matter may receive the Guardians attention at their next meeting with the view of giving the necessary directions to have the boys clothing in a manner suitable to the Season, and that the officer be directed to see that the clothing is kept in proper repair.

Letter to Clerk  
No 30039-67  
3<sup>rd</sup> Dec. 1867  
From the Poor Law Commissioners having reference to the respective reports of the Visiting Committee & Master of the Workhouse relating to the inferior quality of the Milk supplied for the use of the Workhouse inmates, and stating the enforcing of the supply of Milk of good quality is attended with some trouble, but that it is quite practicable for an upright and energetic Master to effect it.

Letter to Clerk  
No 30039-67  
3<sup>rd</sup> Dec. 1867  
From the Poor Law Commissioners having reference to the letter of Mr. Curran Relieving Officer relating to the statements in letter addressed to them by the Rev. P. Conway P. P. requesting the case of certain poor persons in the Headford District and stating that it would be well to remind the Relieving Officer that the mere fact of a Certificate from the Dispensary Medical Officer that an applicant who is sick and in urgent need of relief is in a fit state to be removed to the Workhouse does not exonerate the Relieving Officer from affording provisional relief until next meeting of Board day Guardians and afterwards on a renewal of the application.

Letter to Clerk  
No. 142 11/67  
2<sup>nd</sup> Dec. 1867  
From the Poor Law Commissioners requesting to be furnished with copies of any entries which may appear on the Visitors Book since 1<sup>st</sup> Jan. 1865. regarding the state and management of the House.

Read  
Communication from J. Ball-green Esq. Superintendent of Valuation stating that Mr. Thade Scallan of that department had been appointed to make the Annual Revision of the Union.



The Board having proceeded to the appointment of a person to fill the office of Schoolmaster of the Workhouse proposals were read from Messrs Michl. Fahy Michael Laffy John Keam and Dominick Bodkin - The respective Candidates having been before the Guardians and their testimonials examined -

Proposed by Robert Bodkin Esq and secondly David Rutledge Esq.

Resolved

That Michl. Fahy be appointed to the office of Schoolmaster of the Workhouse

There being no other candidate proposed Mr. Fahy was declared duly elected at a salary of £25. per Annum with rations and an apartment

The Guardians next proceeded to the appointment of a person to fill the office of Porter of the Workhouse, a proposal was read from Mr. Tho. Delap son of the late Porter -

Proposed by Robert Bodkin Esq and secondly by James Clarke Esq.

That Mr. Tho. Delap be appointed to the office of Porter of the Workhouse, Carried Unanimously

Mr. Delap was declared duly elected at a salary of £17. per Annum with rations and an apartment

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 - 18 -

Ditto, disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 15 -

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

Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians - 46 -

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.)

The following Minute was unanimously agreed to - That in consequence of the long and faithful services of the late Porter Mr. Robert Delap we request the Commissioners will sanction the appointment of his son Mr. Tho. Delap who was this day elected to that office, and that they be as good as to dispense with the requirement of Article 32. in his regard.

The following Minute, Proposed by James Clarke Esq was Resolved Unanimously adopted.

That the order of the 23<sup>rd</sup> September 1866. relating to the Protestant Paupers in the House be strictly carried out by the Master.

An able bodied man named Peter Brennan who was on the 4<sup>th</sup> inst. provisionally admitted to the Workhouse having appeared this day before the Board and his case considered, The Guardians ascertained that he was well able to work and employment having been proposed to be given him, he was ordered to be discharged from the House

The following resolution proposed by James Clarke Esq and secondly by Henry Kirwan Esq was adopted

Resolved - That the Master be directed to procure stones and employ all the male persons competent to break them, and that the Master do make a return of the quantity of stones broken each week and lay the same before the Board on each day of their meeting.

Mr Henry Kirwan's Notice of Motion having been considered, it was agreed that the chargeability of John Lindsay be changed from the Electoral Division of Hallsbrook to the Union at Large -

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 18<sup>th</sup> December 1867 -

Chairman  
Other present  
J Morris Clerk of Works



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Clerk of the Union.



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Admitted during the Week, . . .			"	4	12	5	5	3	3	1	2	35	In Fever Hospital, 14	In Wards with other Inmates, 10		
TOTAL, . . . . .			19	89	61	60	32	22	23	28	35	369	Total, 82	Total, 10		
Discharged during the Week, . . .			1	2	7	6	2	"	4	1	"	23				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			1	2	7	6	2	"	4	1	"	23	1866 = 313		Outdoor	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			18	84	54	54	30	22	19	27	35	346	1865 = 311		32 = 42	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of December 1867 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.	14	24	"	"	14	24	Bt. forward,	47	73	"	"	47	73
No. II.	13	21	"	"	13	21	No. X.						
No. III.	18	26	"	"	18	26	No. XI.						
No. IV.	2	2	"	"	2	2	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	47	73	"	"	47	73	TOTAL,	47	73	"	"	47	73

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 18<sup>th</sup> day of December 1867.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Denis Kiwan, The Chairman having left at 3 o'clock  
Other Guardians: the Chair was taken by Mr. Blake, Mr. Gannon Richard Golding Festus J. Kelly, John Golding Edmund Concannon & Thomas Kiwan

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4556 to No. 4591, 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, - - - - - £ 91: 8: 5 ✓

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 29: 12: 1 ✓

And that the Balance on the Account Against the Guardians was £ 411: 7: 9 ✓

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Peter Greany	Anna down			43										
	Ballinacuff			276										
	Donoughpatusk			59										
	Headford			4289										
	Kilcorra			161										
	Killeany			22										
	Killinea			3172										
	Killowen			5138			91	85						
	Totals,						£	91	85					

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 £ 45 s. 6 d.

Table with columns for Debit Provision Account, Credit Invoice Account, and general average cost of an inmate for the week. Includes entries like 'The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 47 s. 2 d.' and 'Average cost in Infirmary 3 s. 8'.

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

- List of provisions: 16 s. 0 d. Flour, 1 s. 0 d. Bran, 200 lb of Beef, 100 Boxes of turf, 1597 Quarts of Sweet Milk, 5 3/4 lb of Tea, 25 1/2 lb Sugar, 1 1/2 lb Pepper, 12 Bottles of wine, 70 lb of Soap, 20 lb of Dipt & 3 lb Mould Cakes. Also: 10 Quarters of Beal, 160 Eggs.

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 ... 186 ... whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

Summary table for Out-door Relief Expenditure: 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, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer (£ s. d.), By Order on Contractors (Article and quantity, Value £ s. d.), RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Cheque on Treasurer (£ s. d.), By Order on Contractors (Article and quantity, Value £ s. d.). Includes entries for No. I to No. XVII and a TOTAL row.

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques 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.

Table of bills and payments: Rev. J. W. M. Fee Salary 1567 25 Dec 15 s. 0 d., Rev. Stanley Freane do 5 s. 0 d., Thos. B. Turner do 27 s. 10 d., John Morris do 32 s. 10 d., John Smith do 12 s. 10 d., Sarah Costello do 6 s. 5 d., Eliza Coen Superintention 4 s. 3 d. 4, Ellen Halfpenny salt 3 s. 15 d., Thomas Delap do 4 s. 5 d., Agnus Burke do 4 s. 0 d., Wm. Greany do 4 s. 0 d., F. W. Fore do 6 s. 5 d., Thomas Healy do 5 s. 0 d., Peter Cuman do 6 s. 5 d., Charles Kelly do 5 s. 0 d. Also Establishment Account entries like Thos. May Preparing of Estimate 20 s. 0 d., Rep. Jasper Kelly Advertisement 6 s. 14 d. 6, Patrick Fahy Repairs W House 3 s. 10 d. 0, John Clarke do Waterpipes 3 s. 10 d. 0, Digby French Registry fees 30 Jun 2 s. 10 d. 0, Joseph W. Donnell do 3 s. 14 d. 0, Edw. J. French do 3 s. 0 d. 0, Sanatory officers Salaries 5 s. 0 d. 0, blank to pay small claims 4 s. 2 d. 6.

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 following report from the R. C. Chaplain was read,

Assisted by the Rev. Messrs. Cavanagh & Thomas I visited the House in all its departments & administered the sacrament of Penance to all the inmates as is customary at this Holy season I feel pleasure in adding that with scarcely an exception the inmates have complied with their religious duties in an edifying manner,

James M. G. R. S. A.

1867  
Dec. 12

The Medical officer reported that there were not any deaths during the past week, and that 82 persons remained under treatment

That there are 55 pairs of Sheets required in Infirmary to replace a like number that are useless, and in consequence of opening another ward on the male side 12 bed ticks.

There are a number of Blankets also which require replacing as they are worn out.

That 2 dozen Chambers, 30 platters, 40 pints and 1 white wash brush are also wanted -

Ordered

— 35 pairs sheets to be at present supplied also the Chambers platters pints &c.

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

The Master reported that on the 14, 16 & 17 inst. he returned meat to the Contractor and also on the 17 inst. he returned a few pounds of bad meat to the Contractor, and that he gave butter according to the Doctors directions in lieu of milk -

That on this day there were two letters directed to a Pauper inmate of the Workhouse named Eliza Murphy, that in one of the letters there was a post office order for one pound, and requests to know what he was to do with the Post office order -

Ordered

— That the Post office order be given to the Sister of Eliza Murphy who is not an inmate of the House -

The Master also requested to be informed if the able-bodied men continue every day to break stones, and leave the land untilled, as there is not sufficient help to attend to both.

Ordered

— The stones to be broken until further orders.

The following requirements were ordered 20 lb of upper leather 10 lb of hemp to skin 1/2 yd linen and two sweeping brushes -



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

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

Letter to Clerk }  
No. 30475-1867 }  
17<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1867 } From the Poor Law Commissioners informing the Board that they recd. a communication from their Inspector D<sup>r</sup> Brodie calling their attention to the exceptional manner in which two female inmates of the Workhouse named Murphy are treated - That the privileges accorded to these women are calculated to cause jealousy discontent and disorder in the Workhouse - That if they are to be relieved they must be required to conform to the Regulations for the Management of the Workhouse and be treated like any other pauper inmates and that the Guardians should hold the Master & Matron responsible accordingly -

The foregoing letter having been considered, the following Resolution proposed by Edmund Concanon Esq and seconded by William Gannon Esq. was adopted -

That the Master be directed not on any account without the written order of the Board to deviate from the Rules of the House in reference to the treatment of the female paupers -

The following resolution proposed by Denis Murray Esq and seconded by Charles Blake Esq. was adopted. That Eliza Murphy be permitted to attend her mother in the infirm ward, and allowed to sleep in the ward having been permitted to do so for a length of time -

Letter to Clerk }  
No 31433-1867 }  
17<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1867 } From the Poor Law Commissioners having reference to the appointment of Thomas Delap to the office of Porter of the Workhouse, and to the request that the Commissioners dispense with the regulation, requiring persons appointed Union Officers to be 21 years of age, and stating that they feel obliged to decline dispensing with the General Regulations as to age in this case, and requesting the Board to take the subject again into consideration -

The Guardians having taken the Commission letter in reference to the appointment of Porter into consideration, it was agreed that the Chairman do call on the Commissioners and request their sanction to the proposed appointment -

Letter to Clerk }  
No 31394-1867 }  
17<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1867 } From the Poor Law Commissioners having reference to the report of the Medical Officer of the Workhouse recommending a scale of diet to be issued to those inmates who may be not furnished with milk, and observing that the Medical Officer's report was not referred to the Master for adoption -

The Guardians desire to inform the Commissioners that the Master has acted on the Medical Officer's recommendation as appears on his report on the minutes of the 11<sup>th</sup> inst. -

Letter to Clerk }  
No 31394-1867 }  
17<sup>th</sup> Dec. 1867 } From the Poor Law Commissioners drawing the attention of the Guardians to the report of the Visiting Committee on the ragged state of the boys clothing it not having appeared that any order was made on the subject.

The Guardians beg to inform the Commissioners that the Master has got a supply of clothing, and a great part has been already given out

Read Communication from the Rev. Stanley Treanor Protestant Chaplain of the Workhouse, addressed to the Chairman, requesting he would acquaint the Board of Guardians with the substance of a letter which he has forwarded to the Poor Law Commissioners, demanding a sworn investigation into the conduct of the Matron of the Workhouse, copy sent with the minutes -



The Guardians having taken into consideration the Tenders for Bread stuff & meat -

Resolved

That the tender of Matthew D. Connor for supplying at the Workhouse Carriage free best Beef (the part supplied for Hospital use to be free from bone) at 5<sup>d</sup> per lb be accepted, -

The Contractor to supply the meat ordered on or before 11 o'clock each Saturday morning during his contract -

The Tenders for Bread stuff having been considered too high £91.18.0 for first flour £15.18.0 for oat meal and £13.6.8 for Indian meal having been decided) The Clerk was directed to advert again, tenders to be considered on this day for tonight -

The Schoolmaster applied and obtained leave of absence for one week, this time was agreed to be given him on the day of his Election -

The usual Bread and Tea Breakfast and meat dinner was ordered for the Pauper inmates on Christmas day -

In consequence of Christmas day falling on Wednesday next the Board meeting was adjourned until Wednesday the 1<sup>st</sup> Jan<sup>y</sup> 1868.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

A Woman named Delia Murphy having on this day applied for admission to the Workhouse and her case considered the Guardians refused her application on the ground of her not being destitute

The following Guardians were appointed as a visiting Committee for the next month namely - Denis Keenan, John Golding, Charles Blake, and Thomas Kerwan -

The Punishment Book having been laid before the Board the following Entries appeared thereon -

Name	Offence	Punishment
Delia Murphy 12 <sup>th</sup> Dec. 1867.	"For giving insolence to the Matron"	2 hours in cell Confirmed D. K. Chairman.
Jane Muntagh 13 <sup>th</sup> December 1867	"For stating the Matron was favouring Mary Hanly against her"	2 hours in Cell Confirmed D. K. Chairman
Mary Walsh 16 <sup>th</sup> Dec. 1867.	"For creating insubordination & speaking of Mr. Gannon Poor Law Guardian in a very improper way in presence of the Matron the Matron can state what Mary Walsh said"	2 hours in Cell Confirmed D. K. Chairman.
Mary Walsh 17 <sup>th</sup> December 1867	For creating insubordination	2 hours in cell Confirmed D. K. Chairman

Next -



Next Meeting of Guardians to be held  
on Wednesday the 1st January 1868.

Edw Blake	} Chairman Others present
Thomas Bodkin	
Alvin Newman	

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday the  
1st day of January 1868  
(Signed) J Morris

Clerk of the Union.



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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Inams  
UNION, on Wednesday day, the 18<sup>th</sup> day of December 1867  
*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):

Tuam Dispensary		Dispensary District.	Dummin Dispensary	
Account of Mr.		for		Amount £
Thos B Turner salary 25 Dec	25 0 0	Joseph M. Donnell salary 25 Dec	25 0 0	
James Dwyer do	22 10 0	Peter M. Donogh do	2 10 0	
William Kelly do	8 15 0	Joseph M. Donnell 84 cases Vaccination	4 4 0	
Thos B Turner Rent 1 Nov	10 0 0			
Henry Hughes do 25 Sept	2 10 0			
<u>Abbey Dispensary</u>		<u>Headford Dispensary</u>		
Digby French salary 25 Dec	22 10 0	Edwrd French salary 25 Dec	30 0 0	
do 60 Cases Vaccination	3 0 0	Martin Canavan do	2 0 0	
Mathew Coffey 1 year fuel	2 12 0	Edwrd French 441 Cases Vaccination	7 1 0	

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 23 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 186, 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 186

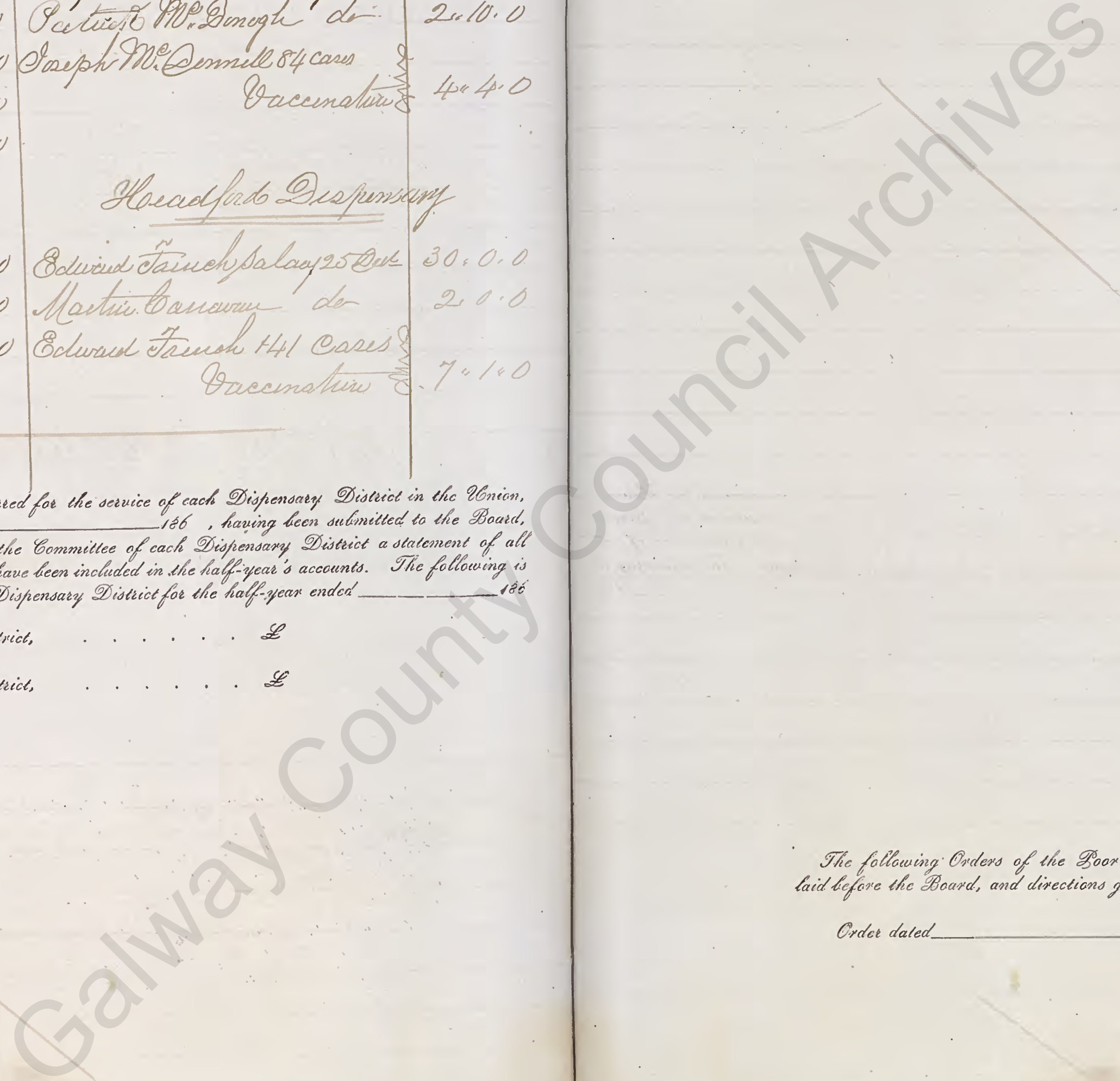
\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £

\_\_\_\_\_ 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):

Local Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ stating that

Letter to Clerk  
No. 31201/1867  
13 Decr. 1867  
From the Poor Law Commissioners transmitting to be laid before the Board of Guardians a copy of a letter received by them from the Medical Officer of the Dunmore Dispensary respecting the appearance of Small Pox in his district together with a copy of their reply.

Letter to Clerk  
No. 31382/1867  
13 Decr 1867  
From the Poor Law Commissioners transmitting for the information of the Guardians a copy of a letter received by them from Dr. Mc Donnell Medical Officer of the Dunmore Dispensary District relating to Defaults under the compulsory Vaccination Act.

(Signed)

J. Morris

Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1861,

Present Net Annual Value, £75,828.0.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 28<sup>th</sup> day of December 1867.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building on the above date	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	694	321														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	123	-														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .	48	15														
Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>865</b>	<b>336</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			19	86	54	55	30	23	19	28	32	346	In Workhouse (Hospital), 74	Inseparate Wards, 10		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	In Fever Hospital, 15	In Wards with other Inmates, 10		
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>19</b>	<b>86</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>55</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>346</b>	<b>Total, 89</b>	<b>Total, 10</b>		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			"	2	5	2	1	"	"	"	"	10				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			"	2	5	2	1	"	"	"	"	10	1867 = 316		Outdoors	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			19	84	49	53	29	23	19	28	32	336	1866 = 315		33 = 45	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 28<sup>th</sup> day of December 1867 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.	13	28	"	"	13	28	Bt. forward,	46	78	"	"	46	78
No. II.	14	25	"	"	14	25	No. X.						
No. III.	18	29	"	"	18	29	No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	1	"	"	1	1	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	46	78	"	"	46	78	TOTAL,	46	78	"	"	46	78

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 1<sup>st</sup> day of January 1868

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Dennis Kiwan*

Other Guardians: *Charles Blake, James G. Clarke, John Golding, Thomas Kiwan, Henry Kiwan (G), William Gannon, Thos. J. Bodkin, Denis J. Kiwan,*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4541 to No. 4609, 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, - - - £ 483 : 19 : 8

Laid during the week, - - - - - £ 334 : 16 : 4

And that the Balance on the Account Agt. the Guardians was £ 262 : 3 : 5

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions 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.
Henry D. Loughlin	Bellclare	27	19	6									
	Clautum	17	11	4									
	Foxhall	24	16	10									
	Hillsbrook	3	7	5									
	Hilshanny	10	15	6									
	Hillerman	"	6	"									
	Lavally	10	"	1									
	Tuam	103	14	9	198	11	5						
James M. Donough	Addergole	14	2	4									
	Banowraugh	1	9	7									
	Beloonbern	21	11	9									
	Downbally	14	2	3									
	Dunmore	36	1	4									
	Hibannon	8	4	8									
	Killoen	25	7	5									
	Milltown	43	6	6	164	5	10						
Thos. Hughes	Abbey East	1	3	10									
	Abbey West	7	16	1									
	Ballindeny	1	5	4									
	Kilmoylan	3	4	1									
	Moyne	23	4	10									
	Mynivea	4	0	6									
	Pyehill	19	3	2	59	7	10						
Peter Greany	Amadown	2	4	3									
	Ballinduff	4	15	5									
	Donoughpatrick	2	19	11									
	Heasford	9	12	10									
	Hilcoona	4	19	7									
	Killeany	2	7	"									
	Killursa	28	10	1									
Hillower	5	15	6	61	4	7							
Totals,					483	19	8						

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



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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 58 s. 4 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	55 " 12 " 5
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	-
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	3 " 15
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	-
Average cost in Infirmary,	3 " 8 1/2
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	4 " 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:

16 " 0 " 0 First Flour	70 lb Soap
10 " 0 " 0 Oat Meal	14 washing Soda
10 " 0 " 0 Indian Meal	20 dept & 3 lb mould candles
1 " 0 " 0 Bran	10 Quarters Oedl
20 lb of Beef	188 Eggs
100 Boxes of turf	2 <sup>d</sup> Butter
1533 Quarts Sweet Milk	
6 lb Tea	
28 lb Sugar	
1/2 Pepper	
12 Bottles wine	

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 ... 1866 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, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	J. W. Gore	5	0			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 Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:—

1. Clothing Account.

Patrick Coghlan for Linen

£	s.	d.
2	5	10

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

2. Establishment Account.

Martin Binkle 4 weeks wages to 28<sup>th</sup> Decr. 1867

Patrick Walsh do do

Patrick Egan 10 days do

James Henahan Iron Work

John Stockwell for Glazing

Peter Cunan Carriage of Pauper

1	10	0
1	8	0
1	0	0
"	6	"
"	11	4
"	3	"

Patrick W. Demott balance of salary

Sun Fire Insurance to 25<sup>th</sup> Decembru 1868

Patrick Egan for Coffins

Clerk's Account

4	18	4
3	7	8
7	2	"
3	6	"
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:

Letter to Clerk } From the Poor Law Commissioners transmitting a copy of a letter  
No. 31874/1867 } received by them from the Rev<sup>d</sup> Stanley Treaner proposing a complaint  
19 Dec. 1867 } against the Matron of the Workhouse, also a copy of their reply.

Letter to Clerk } From the Poor Law Commissioners transmitting a copy of a letter together  
No. 32113/1867 } with its enclosure relating to the case of an old woman named Ellen  
27 Dec. 1867 } Burke who was found dead in a field near Fearagha on the 13<sup>th</sup> inst.  
and requesting that they may be informed whether any application for  
relief was made by or on behalf of the deceased.

The Relieving Officer Mr. Curran having been questioned with regard to the death of Ellen Burke, stated that there had not been any application made to him at any time on her behalf - The Board desire to observe, that Ellen Burke was not destitute she having very near relations in rather comfortable circumstances.

Letter to Clerk } From the Poor Law Commissioners stating that they will be  
No. 31394/1867 } glad to be informed of the steps which have been taken in providing  
24 Dec. 1867 } Lavatories for the Workhouse -

The Board desire to inform the Commissioners that preparations are making for the Lavatories, timber having been ordered this day ordered for that purpose.

Letter to Clerk } From the Poor Law Commissioners having reference to the proposed  
No. 32081/1867 } appointment of Thomas Delap to the Office of Porter of the Workhouse,  
30 Dec. 1867 } and stating that they still think it would be more advantageous to  
appoint a person of more mature age, but that they are willing to afford  
Thos. Delap the trial which the Guardians desire he should have -

Letter to Clerk } From the Poor Law Commissioners having reference to the exceptional  
No. 32081/1867 } manner in which two female inmates named Murphy have been treated  
30 Dec. 1867 } and to a resolution that "Elija Murphy be permitted to attend her  
Mother in the infirm Ward and to sleep in the Ward" and stating that  
the inmate in question should be required to take her meals in the dining  
hall with the other inmates, and to sleep in the ward with the other  
able bodied females -

Letter to Clerk } From the Poor Law Commissioners transmitting a Draft on the Bank  
No. 32112/1867 } of Ireland for £56. 13. 10, being the balance between the amount shown  
30 Dec. 1867 } in the Certificate now received and the amount shown by the Estimate  
forwarded by the Clerk in August last.

Letter to Clerk } From the Poor Law Commissioners forwarding a further letter received  
No. 32950/1867 } by them from the Rev<sup>d</sup> Stanley Treaner Protestant Chaplain of the  
31 Dec. 1867 } Workhouse relating to the Complaint preferred by him against the  
Matron and requesting that they may be furnished with the observations  
of the Board on the subject -

The foregoing letter having been considered the following minute was adopted -

The Board tho' dissenting in most particulars from the statements contained in the Rev<sup>d</sup> W. Treaner's letter are anxious that the matters complained of should be fully investigated, and request the Commissioners will order a sworn enquiry as sought for, particularly how food has been brought into the Workhouse to the Murphys and others -

Read } Communication from Mr. M. Demost late Schoolmaster of  
the Workhouse requesting that the salary due him be paid to  
Mr. M. Donnell of Dummore -



Ordered

That the sum of One Pound be stopped out of the Salary due to the late Schoolmaster, he having left without giving any timely notice to the Board of Guardians

Resolved

The Board having considered the Tenders for Bread stuffs - That the Tender of Messrs. Beaminster & Son for supplying at the Workhouse conuage free up to 25<sup>th</sup> March next best - first flour at £22-0-0 per ton best yellow Indian Meal at £12-8-0 per ton, and best long bran at £7-15-0 per ton be accepted -

The Tender for Oat meal having been deemed too high, the Clerk was desired to write to Ballinacloe and ascertain what a ton of that article can be supplied for Cash -

Mr. Cunan Relieving Officer laid before the Board a notice which had been served on him of the eviction of a Woman named Cecilia McDonough from a House and premises in the Townland of Oldton in the Electoral Division of Kilsorna - Plaintiff John Murphy -

The coarse and useful rags now lying in the old cloths room were sold to Lawrence Burke for the sum of one pound -

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was -  
Ditto, disallowed -  
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was -  
Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians -  
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

The master laid the Punishment Book before the Board - The following entries appear thereon -

Name	Offence	Punishment
Sarah Gray 27 <sup>th</sup> Decr. 1867	"For refusing to clean the Kitchen Floor"	2 hours in Cell Confirmed D. K. Chairman.
Jane Murtagh 26 <sup>th</sup> Decemler 1867	"For beating her child in the dormitory in presence of the Madmen and Paupers"	4 hours in Cell Confirmed D. K. Chairman.
William Corless 28 <sup>th</sup> Decemler 1867	"For Crossing the Schoolyard wall"	5 Locks of a cord Confirmed D. K. Chairman.
Michael Gannon 28 <sup>th</sup> Decemler 1867	"At night and going up to the front gate, some offence"	5 Locks of a cord Confirmed D. K. Chairman
Bridget Meeley 31 <sup>st</sup> Decemler 1867	"For Creating insubordination in the dining hall & also giving insolence"	4 hours in cell Confirmed D. K. Chairman.
Margaret Mahan 31 <sup>st</sup> Decemler 1867	"For Creating insubordination in the Dining hall"	2 hours in Cell Confirmed D. K. Chairman
Bridget Walsh 31 <sup>st</sup> Decemler 1867	"For Creating insubordination in dining hall at breakfast"	2 hours in cell Confirmed D. K. Chairman

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Quomo  
UNION, on Wednes-day, the 1st day of January 1867  
continued.

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

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

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

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

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The following Accounts of expenses (or statement of Salaries 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 £

Account of Patrick Connolly for furnishing Medicines, pins, Sign Boards and Lettering same for Abbey Dispensary Depot £3.11.6

Referred to 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186

\_\_\_\_\_ 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):

Local Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ stating that

Reads- Communication from the Medical Officer of the Abbey Dispensary District, drawing the Guardians attention to the time he had given to the arrangements and opening and providing Medicines Necessaries &c for the Abbey Depot, that the Depot has been in full operation since the beginning of the present month, and requesting the Board to take into consideration what may be deemed as fair remuneration, from the period that the Depot was sanctioned. No Order made

Reads- Communication from the Medical Officer of the Dumas Dispensary District, submitting a List of the names of 54 persons, who have not complied with the provisions of the Compulsory Vaccination Act.

Ordered- That the Medical Officer Summon the six persons as marked in the List for non-compliance with the Act.

*[Faint signature]*

(Signed)

*J. Morris*

Clerk of the Union.



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*Quomo* UNION.

Population in 1861,

Present Net Annual Value, £75,828.0.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 4 day of *January* 1868

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	694	330														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	123															
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	48	17														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
TOTAL, . . . . .	865	347														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			19	84	49	53	29	23	19	28	32	336	In Work-house Hospital, } 71 In Fever Hospital, } 17 Total, } 88	In separate Wards, } In Wards } with other Inmates, } 10 Total, } 10		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			1	4	8	6	"	"	2	"	"	21				
TOTAL, . . . . .			20	88	57	59	29	23	21	28	32	357				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			1	"	3	3	"	"	1	"	1	8				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	2				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			1	"	5	3	"	"	"	"	1	10	1867 = 316 ✓			<i>Outlets</i>
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			19	88	52	56	29	23	21	27	32	347	1866 = 315 ✓			33 = 45 ✓

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 4<sup>th</sup> day of *January* 1868 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.	14	25	"	"	14	25	Bt. forward,	47	82	"	"	47	82
No. II.	13	22	"	"	13	22	No. X.						
No. III.	19	34	"	"	19	34	No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	1	"	"	1	1	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	47	82	"	"	47	82	TOTAL,	47	82	"	"	47	82

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Wednesday* the 8<sup>th</sup> day of *January* 1868

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Denis Sturwan.*

Other Guardians: *Charles Blake, William Gannus, Stephen J. M. Donogh, William Ronaldson, Henry Sturwan, Henry Sturwan (by) William J. Burke, Robert Bottinell, Charles Grant, Tertius J. Kelly, Denis J. Sturwan, John Golding, John Blake, Dominick Tully, William J. Griffith, James Clarke, Cornelius J. Kelly, Robert Woodkin, John J. Gunning.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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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 £ 45 " 1 s. 5 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,		£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	-	48	17	2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	-			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	-	"	2	8 1/4
Average cost in Infirmary,	-	"	3	8 1/4
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	-	"	4	1 1/4

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

cut 2 1/2 lb "	20 <sup>lb</sup> dipt & 3 <sup>lb</sup> Mould Candles
16 <sup>lb</sup> 0 <sup>0</sup> Jam Flour	10 Quartus Deal
24 <sup>lb</sup> 0 <sup>0</sup> Oaten meal	194 Eggs
180 <sup>lb</sup> Beef	2 <sup>lb</sup> Butter
100 Boxes Trip	
1563 Quarts sweet milk	
5 <sup>lb</sup> Tea	
26 <sup>lb</sup> Sugar	
56 <sup>lb</sup> Rice	
12 <sup>lb</sup> Peppu	
18 Bottles Wine	
70 <sup>lb</sup> Soap	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 1866 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in 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, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque 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.	Thos Healy	£ 0. 0. 0			No. X.				
No. III.	Peter Curran	£ 0. 0. 0			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 Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques 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.

John Laucaster 20 cwt. Oaten Meal  
 Patrick Nolan 4 cwt. do

£	s.	d.
16	"	"
3	6	"

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.
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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:

1868 The following report from the Rev. E Thomas was read.  
 Jan 7<sup>th</sup> I examined the children of the Male & female school. The minding of the boys in the different branches, was very good, and their writing showed a good style of penmanship. The good order and religious training of the female children speak well for the Schoolmistress, and reflect much credit on the Convent Schools - which furnish such exemplary teachers. The answering in this school, on the whole was fair, and evinced a marked improvement since last examination visit.

Edmund Thomas C.C.

The Medical Officer reported that there were two deaths during the past week, and that 88 persons remained under treatment.

That fresh straw was required for the Infirmary beds. Ordered.

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

The Master reported that a supply of flannel was much required.

Ordered. That flannel be bought at market, there being no contract for that article.

That the following paupers had broken during the week, the following quantities of stores, John McLaugh 70 stones weight, Peter Brennan 80, Patrick Hare 70, Patrick Burke 80, Denis Mahon 180, and Thomas Rome 80 stones.

That he received from a pauper named Michael Ryan, 6 postage stamps, and that the Master gave him 12<sup>d</sup> which she formed on a pauper named Bridget Waldron.

That the tender for the Lavatories was read for the Carpenter and requested to be informed if any directions were to be given him before the commencing the works.

Ordered. The Carpenter to proceed with the Lavatories.

The following requirements were Ordered. namely - 200 yds flannel, 200 yds. Bengal stripe, 100 yards Calico, 2 dozens tape, and a supply of straw.



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

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

Letter to Clerk  
No. 20,104/1867  
2<sup>nd</sup> Jan<sup>y</sup> 1868  
From the Poor Law Commissioners transmitting Forms of Return to be filled showing the number of Idiots and Epileptic Idiots in the Workhouse on the 31<sup>st</sup> December 1867 also the number of Senatics to the same date.

Letter to Clerk  
No. 329,507/1867  
7 Jan<sup>y</sup> 1868  
From the Poor Law Commissioners informing the Guardians that they had instructed their Inspector G<sup>o</sup> Proche to make inquiry into the complaint preferred against the Masters of the Workhouse by the Protestant Chaplain.

Read  
Communication from G<sup>o</sup> Proche Poor Law Inspector stating that he purposed attending at the Workhouse on Monday next the 13<sup>th</sup> inst to make inquiry into the complaint preferred against the Masters by the Protestant Chaplain of the Workhouse.

The following extracts from the District Inspector's report of the 16<sup>th</sup> Ult<sup>o</sup> on the Queen Poor Law National School was read.

"I did not examine the boys as they are without

a Teacher

	Low 1 <sup>st</sup> Class =	High 1 <sup>st</sup> Class =	2 <sup>nd</sup> Class ✓
Reading	Fair	Fair	Indistinct ✓
Grammar		Soluble	Soluble ✓
Geography		Soluble	Soluble ✓
Arithmetic	Poor	Soluble	Soluble ✓
Writing	Poor	Soluble	Soluble ✓
Dictation		Soluble	Soluble ✓

"The third class girls appears to have made no progress what-ever though constant in attendance since my last inspection.

When we take into account the low classification of the children of whom hardly twenty per cent are above the first class, the value of this class answering dwindles to a very low point indeed, and I cannot say that the school appears to be making any progress.

"The girls work exclusively at making and mending clothes, but there was no needlework in the school, by which I could judge of their proficiency."

A Member of the Board having stated that, he was informed Eliza Murphy, an inmate of the House had been removed from attending on her mother in the Infirmary Ward, notwithstanding a resolution of the Guardians directing her attendance there. The Master explained that, on the Clerk having read to him the Poor Law Commissioners Letter of the 30<sup>th</sup> Ult<sup>o</sup>, he deemed it his duty, in compliance with that letter, to direct Eliza Murphy, to sleep in the Ward, occupied by the able-bodied females, but that he permitted her to attend her mother during the day.

The Board having considered the foregoing circumstances in reference to the woman Murphy, the following resolution proposed by Charles Blake Esq<sup>r</sup> and seconded by Dominic Sully Esq<sup>r</sup> was adopted.

That in consequence of the dangerously weak state of Bridget Murphy, her daughter Eliza Murphy be allowed to attend her as usual in the Infirmary Ward.

Next



Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on  
Wednesday the 15 January 1868

Oliver Kenna	} Chairman
John O'Kelly	
Henry Finlay	
	} Others present

J Morris  
Clerk of Unions

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	- 47 -
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	- - -

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday the  
15 day of January 1868  
(Signed) J Morris

Clerk of the Union.



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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Trams  
UNION, on Wednesday day, the 8th day of January 1868  
continued.

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

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

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

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

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The following Accounts of expenses (or statement of Salaries 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 23 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186 , 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186

\_\_\_\_\_ 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 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)

*J Morris*

Clerk of the Union.



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# Guano UNION.

Population in 1861,

Present Net Annual Value, £75,828.0.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 11<sup>th</sup> day of January 1868

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	694	326														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	123															
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	48	17														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>865</b>	<b>343</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			19	88	52	56	29	23	21	27	32	347	In Work-house Hospital, } 72 In Fever Hospital, } 17 Total, 89	In separate Wards, } In Wards with other Inmates, } 10 Total, 10		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			"	1	4	7	"	1	1	7	1	22				
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			19	89	56	63	29	24	22	34	33	369				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			"	4	4	2	"	1	2	2	5	20				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	2	3	"	"	"	"	1	6				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			"	4	6	5	"	1	2	2	6	26				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			19	85	50	58	29	23	20	32	27	343				

1867 = 320 ✓  
1866 = 334 ✓  
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RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11<sup>th</sup> day of January 1868 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.	13	23	"	"	13	23	Bt. forward	50	84	"	"	50	84
No. II.	16	25	"	"	16	25	No. X.						
No. III.	20	35	"	"	20	35	No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	1	"	"	1	1	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	50	84	"	"	50	84	TOTAL,	50	84	"	"	50	84

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 15<sup>th</sup> day of January 1868

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Denis Keenan*

Other Guardians: *James Blake, John Gibbons, William Gannon, Thomas Keenan, Henry Keenan, Henry Keenan (Jr), Arthur N. Blake, Charles Blake, Festus J. O'Sullivan, John Keenan, Richard Keenan, Denis Keenan, Stephen W. Dwyer, Martin M. Donnell, Robert Blake, Thomas S. Keenan*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4630 to No. 4652, 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, — — — — — £ 158 : 0 : 6 ✓

Paid during the week, — — — — — £ 32 : 8 : 0 ✓

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £ 233 : 17 : 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.
Thomas Hughes	Abbey East	"	13	8									
	Abbey West	53	9	1									
	Ballinacorney	"	3	2									
	Ballinacorney	27	18	1									
	Crummu	"	9	1									
	Delmiylaw	10	8	4									
	Myrne	6	19	1									
	Municea	2	16	8									
	Ryehull	6	4	4	109	1	3						
Peter Greany	Amadans	"	12	3									
	Ballinacorney	1	8	3									
	Droughpatto	7	1	8									
	Headfido	7	8	2									
	Tulcomas	3	15	0									
	Tulleany	7	14	9									
	Tullinacorney	20	17	3									
	Tullower	"	1	1	48	19	3						
Totals,					158	0	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 £ 64 " 1 s. 11 d.

Table with columns for Debit Provision Account, Credit Invoice Account, and various costs like 'The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was' and 'Average cost in Infirmary'.

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 listing various items such as '10 lb Flour', '10 lb Indian Meal', '1 lb Bacon', etc., with handwritten checkmarks and quantities.

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 Believing 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 ... 186...

Summary table with columns for 'In Money', 'In Kind', and 'Total'.

Credit each Believing Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Believing Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer, By Order on Contractors, and Value.

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Believing Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Handwritten entry: 'Cheque to pay for 200 yds flannel bought at market' with a value of 12 " " ✓

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

2. Establishment Account.

Handwritten entry: 'Cheque for Petty cash' with a value of 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 following report from the Visiting Committee was read:

We inspected the provisions and milk, and both appeared good. The House was clean and orderly; one Lavatory is in progress.

8th January 1868

Denis Keenan  
Chairman

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

The Medical Officer reported that there were Six deaths during the past week, and that 89 persons remained under treatment.

The Master reported that the Tailor made during the week, 3 Coats and 3 pairs trousers, and repaired 20 pairs trousers.

That the Shoemaker made 3 pairs shoes, and repaired 6 pairs.

The following requirements were ordered. Namely — 60 yards fringe, 60 yards Crotchet, and 1000 Bricks for repair of Laundry boilers.



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 drawing the Clerk's attention to their General Order of the 2<sup>nd</sup> January 1863 regulating the conduct of Electors of Guardians in the several Electoral Divisions of the Union -  
11<sup>th</sup> Jan 68  
11<sup>th</sup> Jan 1868

Read - Communication from the Registrar General, acknowledging the receipt of the corrected Rates of Produce of the crops grown in the Union, during the year 1867 -

The following Entries appeared on the Punishment Book -

Name	Offence	Punishment
Mattus Kenny 11 <sup>th</sup> Jan 1868	In striking a woman in the face, and for being in the Town Hospital grounds, contrary to order	Whipped by the Schoolmaster, in presence of the Master - Confirmed D. No. Chm
Predget Murphy 12 January 1868	In calling Peter Bunnard a Turncoat -	2 hours in cell Confirmed D. No. Chm

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 22<sup>nd</sup> January 1868 -

Dear Sir

Thomas W. Kelly  
James Clarke

Chairman  
Other present

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 - 14 -

Ditto, disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 15 -

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

Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - 50 -

The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday the  
22<sup>nd</sup> day of January 1868  
(Signed) J. Morris

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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186  
*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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The following Accounts of expenses (or statement of Salaries 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_

_____ 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.



Tuam UNION.

Population in 1861,

Present Net Annual Value, £75,828.0.0.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 18<sup>th</sup> day of January 1868

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	694	339														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	123	1														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	48	16														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>865</b>	<b>355</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			19	85	50	58	29	23	20	32	27	343	In Work-house } 81	In separate } Wards, } 16		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			"	5	8	3	"	1	2	1	1	21	In Hospital, } 16	In Wards } with other } inmates,		
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>19</b>	<b>90</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>364</b>	<b>Total, 97</b>	<b>Total,</b>		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			"	1	1	5	"	"	"	1	"	8.4				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	1				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			"	1	1	6	"	"	"	1	"	9.4	1867 = 333 ✓		<u>Outdoors</u>	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			19	89	57	55	29	24	22	32	28	355	1866 = 345 ✓		40 = 60 ✓	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 18<sup>th</sup> day of January 1868 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.	14	24	"	"	14	24	Bt. forward,	54	90	"	"	54	90
No. II.	15	24	"	"	15	24	No. X.						
No. III.	24	41	"	"	24	41	No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	1	"	"	1	1	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car forward	54	90	"	"	54	90	TOTAL,	54	90	"	"	54	90

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of January 1868

PRESENT: In the Chair, Denis Stewart.

Other Guardians: James Clarke, William Gannon, John Golding, Festus O'Selly, Arthur M. Blake, Patrick O'Connor, John Gunning, John Gibney, Edmund Connamo, Richard Golding, Henry Stewart (G), Denis Stewart, Robert Bectins.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4652 to No. 4673, 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, - - - - - £244 : 3 : 10 ✓

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 25 : 7 : 8 ✓

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £452 : 13 : 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.
Henry Loghins	Bellelaw	11	8	7 ✓									
	Beaghmu	6	15	5 ✓									
	Obrietnam	9	"	10 ✓									
	Freshall	16	6	5 ✓									
	Hillshurst	17	1	1 ✓									
	Kellym	4	7	1 ✓									
	Nilshamoy	35	9	4 ✓									
	Lwally	22	17	4 ✓									
	Inamo	120	18	5 ✓	244	3	10						
Totals,					244	3	10						

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



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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 43 s. 5 d.

		£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,				
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was		47	15	4
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,				
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		"	2	7
Average cost in Infirmary,		"	3	5
Average cost in Fever Hospital,		"	4	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 9 lbs of	14 0 0	Flour	✓	10	Quarts	Meal	✓
1 0 0		Pran	✓	150		Eggs	✓
180		Beef	✓	2		Butter	✓
150		Boxes	Turf	✓			
16 10		Quarts	Swet milk	✓			
54		lb	Tea	✓			
26		lb	Sugar	✓			
12		lb	Pepper	✓			
56		lb	Rice	✓			
12			Bottles	Wine	✓		
20			Dozt	of 3 <sup>rd</sup> Mould	Cavalls	✓	

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 1867

		£	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, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	J W Jue	5.0.0				Bt. forward					
No. II.	" " "	" " "				No. X.					
No. III.	Plaman	6.0.0				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 Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:-

		£	s.	d.
1. Clothing Account.				
Michael Fahy	Calico 10 to 25 Dec <sup>r</sup> 1867	19	7	11
James M <sup>o</sup> Donnell	Quilting 29 Sept 1867	14	1	6
	ditto Tissue do 25 Dec <sup>r</sup> 1867	48	9	10
Michael Hesty	Leather do	14	4	4
R <sup>o</sup> Ubert	Butte Straw do	2	1	7
Charles Concomun	do do	2	15	7

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

		£	s.	d.
2. Establishment Account.				
Bedelia Byrne	Stationery 25 Dec <sup>r</sup> 1867	3	15	0
John Butte	Chamg Chummys	3	15	0
Michael Hesty	Hardware do	3	16	11
H L Dwyer	Subspts Cow-past	3	3	0
Peter Daly	Butt Whence 29 Sept	5	0	11
Pat <sup>o</sup> Kennedy	Burial ground do	3	10	0
D O'Brien	Mant. Mute Steam Do	5	0	0
do	do Headfeds do	7	10	0
do	do Curran do	7	10	0
John Massey	Imi Water	5	18	9
James Dwyer	Reguty fees	3	18	0
Joseph M <sup>o</sup> Donnell	do	4	4	0

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



3. Workhouse Invoice Account:

	£	s.	d.	
Rept <sup>rs</sup> of Martin O'Leary for Flour Meal 25 Dec 67	249	"	7	✓
John L Ryan Milt	75	12	"	✓
Patrick Birds	69	12	7	✓
Thomas Burke Groceries	37	18	4	✓
Mathew O'Connor Meat	56	"	"	✓
John L Ryan Truf	45	16	8	✓
Richard Kilguff Candles	6	4	9	✓
John Hare Eggs	9	9	5	✓

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 97 persons remained under treatment - ✓

The Master reported that on the 11<sup>th</sup> & 14<sup>th</sup> <sup>inst</sup> respectively he returned a barrel of Milt to the Contractor W Birds, and that he gave the able-bodied inmates butter in lieu of Milt -

That he requested to be informed if the Board will allow basins to be placed in the Lavatories, and if so suggested that galvanised basins be supplied -

No order made ✓

That the Master made during the week, 5 Bedticks and 10 petticoats - ✓

That the Tailor made 2 Coats and 12 Dests - ✓

That the Shoemaker made 3 pair shoes & repaired 16 pair - ✓

The following requirements were ordered - Namely 27 plates for Lavatories, 1 bar iron, 16<sup>th</sup> pitch, 7 Rasin, 4 Whitewash brushes, 2 dozen Chambers, 16<sup>th</sup> threads, 2 pair hinges, 2 latches, 4 locks for Lavatories, and 25 yards calico - ✓



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

Letter to Clerk  
No. 1794/1868  
21 Jan'y 1868

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):

From the Poor Law Commission informing the Guardians that they had received the report from their Inspectors D. Proctor in reference to the complaint preferred by the Revd. W. Cheam Protestant Chaplain of the Workhouse, and stating that they will address the Board on the subject at next Meeting.

Read

Communication from the Clerk of Galway Union transmitting a copy of a Resolution adopted by the Board of Guardians of that Union in favour of such a Distribution of the Parliamentary Grant in aid of the expenses under the Medical Charities Act, as may reduce the charge on each Dispensary District to a uniform percentage rate of one penny -  
Resolution deferred

Owing to illness Mr Charles Kelly Relieving Officer was not in attendance at the Board Meeting this day. Mr Fox Relieving Officer acted for him.

The following entries appeared on the Punishment Books -

Name	Offence	Punishment
Bridget Murphy Jan'y. 17-1868	For creating insubordination in the kitchen	5 hours in Cell Confirmed D.S.
Bridget Murphy 17 Jan'y. 1868	For throwing water in the Master's face and also for refusing to clean the kitchen	8 1/2 hours in Cell Confirmed D.S.
Thos Gibbons John Doherty Thos. Mahon	For quomelling and leaving the School without leave -	Slightly whipped by the Schoolmaster in presence of the Master - Confirmed D.S.

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 29<sup>th</sup> January 1868 -

Dennis Quinn } Chairman  
James ... } others present  
Wm ...

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 - 5 -

Ditto, disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 15 -

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

Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - 54 -

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

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday the  
29 day of Jan'y 1868  
(Signed) J Morris

Clerk of the Union.



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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Guam  
UNION, on Wednesday-day, the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of January 1868  
*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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The following Accounts of expenses (or statement of Salaries 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.		Amount £
Account of Mr.	for	
Joseph M. Durnell	Resid. Durnmu Dep'ty. 1 Nov 67	5 " 0 " 0
P. J. Mc St. George	de Headford de	2 " 10 " 0
Patrick Spreany	de Cahernorris Dep't " "	2 " 10 " 0
Robert French	de Abbey Dep'ty " "	2 " 10 " 0
Pat <sup>rs</sup> Conneely	furnishing Medicine Pres. Abbey Dep't	3 " 11 " 6
Mess <sup>rs</sup> Leslie H <sup>rs</sup>	in part payment of Account Current for Medicines to 29 Sept 1867	300 " 0 " 0

[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.]

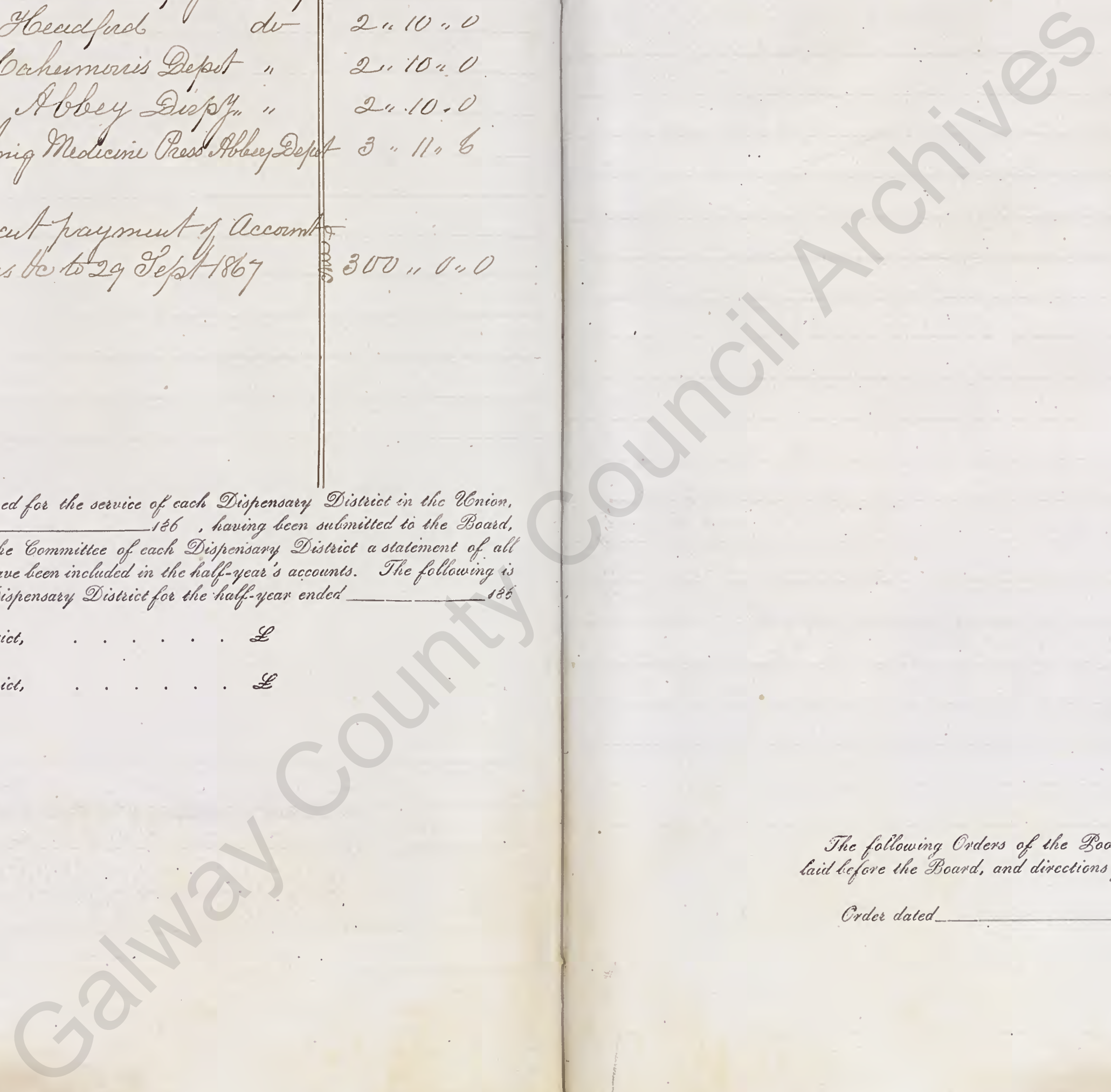
An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 186 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 186

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

Reads

Communication from Mr. Walter Blake Sanitary Office Dunmore District stating that on the 20<sup>th</sup> inst. he attended Milltown Petty Sessions to prosecute parties for non compliance with the provisions of the Sanitary Act, that the cases were adjourned owing to the want of a Second Magistrate, and requesting the Board will procure a Second Magistrate in next Court day, otherwise the Resident Magistrate (Mr. Hill) as Mr. Blake alleges will dismiss the cases with costs against the Guardians -

No order made.

The Chairman stated he would meet the Resident Magistrate in reference to the foregoing matter -

(Signed)

J. Morris

Clerk of the Union.

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# Guamo UNION.

Population in 1861,

Present Net Annual Value, £75,828-0-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 25<sup>th</sup> day of January 1868

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 6 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	694	358														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	123															
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	48	16														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>865</b>	<b>374</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			19	89	57	55	29	22	32	2	28	355	In Work-house (Hospital, In Fever Hospital, Total, 92	Inseparate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, Total, 13		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			"	8	9	2	"	3	5	2	4	33				
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			19	97	66	57	29	27	27	34	32	388				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			"	2	7	2	"	"	"	1	1	13				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	1				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			"	2	8	2	"	"	"	1	1	14	1867 = 328		Outdoors	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			19	95	58	55	29	27	27	33	31	374	1866 = 348		42 = 62	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 25<sup>th</sup> day of January 1868 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.	15	25	"	"	15	25	Bt. forward,	55	89	"	"	55	89
No. II.	15	24	"	"	15	24	No. X.						
No. III.	24	39	"	"	24	39	No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	1	"	"	1	1	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car forward	55	89	"	"	55	89	TOTAL,	55	89	"	"	55	89

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 29<sup>th</sup> day of January 1868

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Denis Kirwan*.

Other Guardians: *James Clarke, Patrick O'Connor, Arthur N Blake, Charles Blake, Dominick Fully, Festus O'Sullivan, Walter F O'Sullivan, Robert Poolkin, William Gannon, Michael Nolan, John Blake, Henry Kirwan (Jr) Richard Golding, Denis J Kirwan, Martin McDonnell, Edmund O'Connell*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4673 to No. 4704, 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, £282: 1: 0 ✓

Paid during the week, £532: 11: 6 ✓

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £202: 3: 2 ✓

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 Mc Donogh	Addugool	21	4	1									
	Candewagh	2	12	8									
	Alombeske	27	"	1									
	Dombally	16	6	11									
	Dimmie	14	5	7									
	Tilbannas	10	9	5									
	Killees	15	7	7									
	Milltown	12	18	1	120	4	5	✓					
Thomas Hughes	Abbey East	1	11	8									
	Abbey West	13	4	"									
	Ballinacree	4	6	5									
	Ballinapark	5	19	8									
	Crumme	9	10	5									
	Kilmoylow	15	8	3									
	Moyne	24	10	8	70	11	1	✓					
Peter Greany	Annadown	6	18	3									
	Ballinacuff	5	"	"									
	Donoghpatrick	27	7	"									
	Heathfod	13	3	7									
	Kilcoma	1	8	9									
	Killeany	7	12	6									
	Killiney	29	12	9									
Killower	"	2	8	91	5	6	✓						
Totals,													
					£	282	1	0	✓				

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

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



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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 42 " 9 s. 6 d. ✓

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	49	11	8 ✓
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	"	2	6 3/4 ✓
Average cost in Infirmary,	"	3	6 3/4 ✓
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	"	4	0 5/8 ✓

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

16,000 <sup>est. price of</sup> Flour ✓	10 Quarters Deal
4,000 Bran	158 Eggs
200 <sup>lb</sup> Beef	1 <sup>lb</sup> Butter ✓
110 Boxes Trench	
1636 Quarts stout & milk	
54 <sup>lb</sup> Tea	
25 <sup>lb</sup> Sugar	
13 <sup>lb</sup> Pepper	
12 Bottles Wine	
70 <sup>lb</sup> Soap	
20 <sup>lb</sup> Dip of 3 <sup>rd</sup> Mould Candles	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 1866 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, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque 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 Cheques.  
Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques 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.

White for Petty cash

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  
No. 1794/1868  
28th Jan'y 1868

From the Poor Law Commissioners transmitting Minutes of Evidence taken at the Inqury lately held by Dr. Andrew Poulton Poor Law Inspector in reference to charges preferred by the Rev. Mr. Stanley Treason Protestant Chaplain of the Workhouse, and requesting the Guardians attention to certain facts contained therein in regard to the Chaplain and other officers of the Workhouse.

The Board having taken into consideration the subject of the foregoing communication, the following resolution proposed by Charles Blake Esq. and seconded by James Clarke Esq. was unanimously adopted

Resolved - That the Rev. Mr. Treason having failed to prove the unwarrantable charge against this Board of having compelled this poor Delia Murphy to leave the Workhouse, together with his repeated attempts at Proselytism by interfering with the School boys, and dispensing Religious Tracts and controversial News papers in the House, thereby causing such dissen and disorder as to preclude the possibility of maintaining that order and peace indispensable in such an Establishment - This Board therefore feel they have no alternative but to

to request of the Rev. Mr. Treason to send in his Resignation, as they can have no confidence in him from the insults received at his hands as above stated, as well as that most unfounded of all charges, that Protestant Paupers were discharged solely because they were Protestants -

The Master and Matron were called before the Board and informed that the Guardians would require of them to carry out in the discharge of their respective duties, that mutual kindly feeling towards each other, so essential for the good working of the Establishment - Both these officers promised to observe strictly the instructions given to them on this head -

The Master and Matron's attention was drawn to Articles 16 & 17 of the General Workhouse Regulations, and informed, that these should be strictly carried out; the only exception to be made in the Establishment in reference to this subject, is the woman in charge of the Matron's child, and who acts the Matron's servant; this person, not required to take her meals in the Dining hall -

Read - Communication from a pauper inmate of the Workhouse named Ellen Walden, requesting the Board to grant herself and her child some clothes and expense to carry them to England, alleging that no person of decency could live in the House, owing to the scandal and fighting that exists in it from morning until night -

Read - Communication from Mr. Sebastian Nolan requesting that his name be inserted in the Rate book for the dwelling house at present rated in Bishop Street Traid, in the name of Mr. Thomas Brown -

Also from the Rev. Mr. E. Thomas requesting that his name be inserted in the Rate book for the dwelling house in Traid rated in the name of Rev. Mr. James Walden -

Ordered

Next



Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on  
Wednesday the 5<sup>th</sup> February 1868

Chas' Blake } Chairman  
                  } Others present  
Arthur J. Kelly  
H. Ann E.

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 - 19 -

Ditto. disallowed - - - - - 1 -

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

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - - 1 -

Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - - - 55 -

The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - 1 -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered - - - - - 1 -

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 Wednesday the  
5<sup>th</sup> day of February 1868  
(Signed) J. Morris

Clerk of the Union.



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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Truam  
UNION, on Wednesday, the 29<sup>th</sup> day of January 1868  
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 23 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186.

\_\_\_\_\_ 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

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(Signed)

*J Morris*

Clerk of the Union.



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Population in 1861,

Present Net Annual Value, £75,828.0.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 1<sup>st</sup> day of Feb<sup>y</sup> 1868

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 4 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	874	344														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	123															
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	48	16														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
TOTAL, . . . . .	865	360														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			19	95	58	55	29	27	27	33	31	374	In Work-house Hospital, in Fever Hospital,	Inseparate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates,		
Admitted during the Week,			"	3	4	2	1	"	1	1	1	13	Total,	Total,		
TOTAL,			19	98	62	57	30	27	28	34	32	387				
Discharged during the Week,			"	8	8	1	"	3	3	"	4	27				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
Total Discharged and Dead,			"	8	8	1	"	3	3	"	4	27				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			19	90	54	56	30	24	25	34	28	360				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 1 day of Feb<sup>y</sup> 1868 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.	15	25	"	"	15	25	Bt. forward,	54	88	"	"	54	88
No. II.	15	24	"	"	15	24	No. X.						
No. III.	23	38	"	"	23	38	No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	1	"	"	1	1	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	54	88			54	88	TOTAL,	54	88	"	"	54	88

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

the 5<sup>th</sup> day of Feb<sup>y</sup> 1868

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Charles Blatte

Other Guardians:

Wm Gannon, Ferno J O'Kelly, S. P. M. Donagh

Edward Conannon, John folding

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. \_\_\_\_\_ to No. \_\_\_\_\_, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ : :

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Henry Loughlin	Beaghmore	15	18	2									
	Belleclare	20	18	11									
	Claretuam	9	7	6									
	Foxhall	10	8	2									
	Killobrack	6	12	6									
	Killierino	5	10	9									
	Kilohamney	29	10	4									
	Lwally	14	5	8									
	Inaw	57	0	9									
	Totals,												

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 £ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	49	8	2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	"	2	6 3/4
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	"	3	7 1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,	"	3	11
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	"	3	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:

- 16<sup>0</sup>.0<sup>0</sup> Trip flour
- 10<sup>0</sup>.0<sup>0</sup> Ind meal
- 20<sup>0</sup>.0<sup>0</sup> Pat meal
- 180<sup>0</sup> " Beef
- 110 Boxes turf
- 16 Quarts sweet milk
- 5 Tea
- 23<sup>0</sup> " Sugar
- 56<sup>0</sup> " Rice
- 1 1/2<sup>0</sup> " Pepper
- 12 Bottles Wine

- 20<sup>0</sup> " Dept F<sup>3</sup> " mould candles
- 10 Quarters Veal
- Eggs
- 1 Butter

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 1867, 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, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque 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.	Thos Healy	5 <sup>0</sup> .0 <sup>0</sup>			No. X.				
No. III.	Peter Burn	6 <sup>0</sup> .0 <sup>0</sup>			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 Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:—

1. Clothing Account.

Patrick Coghlin Linen	£	s.	d.
	3	5	"

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

2. Establishment Account.

Martin Burke 5 weeks wages 1 Feb'y. 1868	1	17	6
Patrick Walsh do do	1	15	"
Pat. Costello Linen 20/- M Butler Coppage 14/-	1	14	"
Jas Henahon Iron work 8/4 Wm Quinn 18/0	1	6	10
P. Curran 3/- Thos Healy 2/6 Chas Kelly 5/- Charge pauper	"	10	6
Amount of Cheque	7	3	10
Patrick Egan wages ~	2	6	"
Thos B Turner Registry fees 31 Dec' 1867	3	17	6

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  
No. 1794/1868 } From the poor Law Commissioners requesting him to  
27 Jan'y. 1868 } preserve and return to their office when no longer required  
the minutes of evidence relating to the inquiry held by  
Dr Brodie Poor Law Inspector into the complaint prepared  
against the matron by the protestant Chaplain

Ordered The minutes of evidence to be forwarded to the Commission

Letter to Clerk  
No. 2311/68 } From the poor Law Commissioners enclosing forms  
10<sup>th</sup> Feb'y. 1868 } to be filled respecting the Rules made and any new  
to be added upon in the Union.

Letter to Clerk  
No. 2616/1868 } From the poor Law Commissioners having referred  
4<sup>th</sup> Feb'y. 1868 } to the Resolutions adopted by the Board on the 29<sup>th</sup>.  
W.L.C. on consideration of the Commissioners letter  
communicating the result of the late inquiry into the  
charges prepared by the Rev. Stanley Deane, Dean  
against the matron of the workhouse and informing  
the guardians, that they had forwarded a copy  
of the Resolutions to the Rev. M<sup>r</sup> Deane that they  
concur

concur with the view the Guardians have adopted and that the Requested his Resignation.

Thurs 30 January 1868

Sir  
I request you will furnish me with copies of the Communication received from the poor Law Commissioners relative to myself, and of the Resolutions of the Board of Guardians relative to it.  
Yours truly  
Stanley Deane  
Protestant Protestant Chaplain

The Clerk of the Union

The Clerk stated that in as much as the Board had not made an order that he objected to furnish the Rev. M<sup>r</sup> Deane with the copies required but that he on the 29. W.L.C. handed the Commissioners letter to the Rev. Gentleman him to read which the Rev. Gentleman had done, that he then took a copy of the Resolutions, and on the following day the 30<sup>th</sup> W.L.C. the Rev. M<sup>r</sup> Deane had a copy of the Commissioners letter above referred to taken.

Laid before the Board account of M<sup>r</sup> Thom. for Poor W<sup>o</sup> supplied amount £10.7.4

Ordered Referred to M<sup>r</sup> Richard Kelly Executor to the will of the late Jasper Kelly the account being due by him.

Riddy Clott	For refusing to work	1 Hour in cell
Maist. Kelly	Creating insubordination & insult to Matron	2 Hours in cell
Jane Joyce	For not cleaning the Dormitory	
Ellen. Birmingham	do	
Jarah. Gray	do	
Ellen. Madron	Creating insubordination	4 Hours in cell
Richard Malby	do	4 Hours in cell
Jane. Martagh	do	2 Hours in cell
Mary. Connally	Cursing the Matron	5 Hours in cell



M<sup>r</sup> James McDonagh Poor Rate Collector handed in a receipt from the Treasurer for £129.6.8 Lodged after the Treasurers Book had been forwarded to the Board Room.

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

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

Ditto. disallowed - - -

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

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

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

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

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186

(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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186  
*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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_

Read

Communication from Walter Blaké Sanitary officer Dunmore district stating that on the 4<sup>th</sup> Inst, he attended at the Milltown Petty Sessions to prosecute parties under the Sanitary Act that eight were fined for non-compliance with the Act. That he had been at Milltown in other occasions and hoped the Board would allow his expenses

No Order.

Read

Communication from Tho<sup>s</sup>. Healy Relieving-officer stating that he attended on the 22<sup>nd</sup> Ult. and the 4<sup>th</sup> Inst to prosecute parties for non-compliance with the compulsory Vaccination Act, that four persons were fined, and requested the board would grant him his expenses

No Order.

Read

Communication from the Medical officer of the abbey Dispensary district requesting the Board to consider the balance of salary due him to the 25<sup>th</sup> ~~March~~ December last, - as increased that on the 30<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> last he was desired by the Committee to provide suitable accommodation for the depot at abbey that he had since been employed in carrying out the instructions of the Committee and that the dispensary has been opened since the 10<sup>th</sup> inst in December.

Application refused.

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.



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Population in 1861, \_\_\_\_\_

Present Net Annual Value, £75,828.0.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of February 1868

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	694	344														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	123	—														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	48	16														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>865</b>	<b>360</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			19	95	58	55	29	27	27	33	31	374	In Work-house Hospital, 70	In separate Wards, 13		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			"	3	4	2	1	"	1	1	1	13	In Fever Hospital, 16	In Wards with other inmates, 13		
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>19</b>	<b>98</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>387</b>	<b>Total, 86</b>	<b>Total, 13</b>		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			"	8	8	1	"	3	3	"	4	27				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			"	8	8	1	"	3	3	"	4	27	1867 = 337 ✓			<i>Outdoors</i>
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			19	90	54	56	30	24	25	34	28	360	1866 = 359 ✓			39 " 57

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of February 1868 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.	15	25	"	"	15	25	Bt. forward,	54	88	"	"	54	88
No. II.	15	24	"	"	15	24	No. X.						
No. III.	23	38	"	"	23	38	No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	1	"	"	1	1	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	54	88	"	"	54	88	TOTAL,	54	88	"	"	54	88

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 5<sup>th</sup> day of February 1868

PRESENT: In the Chair, Charles Blatte

Other Guardians: William Gannon, Festus O'Sullivan, Stephen J. W. Donogh, Edmund Connam, John Golding

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 £ 44 13 s. 3 d.

Table with columns for account type and cost in £ s. d. Includes entries like 'Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account' with a total of 49 8 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:

Table listing various food items and their quantities, such as '16 1/2 lb Flour', '10 1/2 lb Ind Meal', '20 1/2 lb Oaten Meal', etc., with checkmarks.

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 ... 1866

Table showing 'Total' expenditure in Out-door Relief, with columns for 'In Money' and 'In Kind'.

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, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer, and By Order on Contractors. Includes entries for No. I to No. XVII and a Total row.

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Table entry for 'Patrick Coghlan 80 yards Linen' with a value of 3 5.

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

2. Establishment Account.

Table listing establishment accounts such as 'Martin Burke 5 weeks wages to 1st Feby 1868', 'Patrick Walsh do do', etc., with values in £ s. d.

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 requesting him to procure and return to their office when no longer required the Minutes of Evidence relating to the inquiry held by Dr. Brodie Poor Law Inspector into the Complaint preferred against the Matron by the Protestant Chaplain.

Ordered - The Minutes of Evidence to be forwarded to the Commissioners.

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners enclosing Forms to be filled respecting the Rates made and any new Rates agreed upon in the Union.

Letter to Clerk - From the Poor Law Commissioners having reference to the Resolution adopted by the Board on the 24<sup>th</sup> Ult<sup>o</sup>, on consideration of the Commissioners letter communicating the result of the late inquiry into the charges preferred by the Rev<sup>d</sup>. Stanley Treason against the Matron of the Workhouse, and informing the Guardians that they had forwarded a copy of the resolution to the Rev<sup>d</sup>. Mr. Treason, that they concurred with the view the Guardians have adopted and that they requested his resignation.

Tuesday 30 January 1868

Sir,  
I request you will furnish me with copies of the communication received from the Commissioners relative to myself, and of the Resolution of the Board of Guardians relative to it.  
Yours truly  
Stanley Treason  
Protestant Chaplain

The Clerk of the Union

The Clerk stated that in as much as the Board had not made an order, he objected to furnish the Rev<sup>d</sup>. Mr. Treason with the copies required, but that on the 29<sup>th</sup> Ult<sup>o</sup> he handed the Commissioners letter to him to read, which the Rev<sup>d</sup>. Gentleman had done, that he then took a copy of the Resolution, and on the following day, the 30<sup>th</sup> Ult<sup>o</sup>, the Rev<sup>d</sup>. Mr. Treason had a copy of the Commissioners letter above referred to, taken.

Laid before the Board Account of Mr. Alexander Thom for Books &c supplied amounting to £ 13 " 7 " 4

Ordered - Referred to Mr. Richard Kelly Executor to the Will of the late Jasper Kelly, the account being due by him.

Name	Offence	Punishment
Biddy Clarke	Refusing to work	1 hour in cell
Margaret Kelly	Creating insubordination & insolent to Matron	2 hours in cell
Sean Joyce	Not cleaning the Dormitory	7/2 pint & milk stopped
Ellen Cunningham	Like offence	do
Sarah Grey	Like offence	do
Ellen Waldron	Creating insubordination	4 hours in cell
Biddy Malley	Like offence	4 hours in cell
Sean Murtagh	Like offence	2 hours in cell
Mary Connolly	Cussing the Matron	3 hours in cell

Confined to  
B. Blake  
Chapman  
M<sup>o</sup>



Mr. James M<sup>o</sup> Donoghue Poor Rate Collector handed in a receipt from the Treasurer for £129.16.8 lodged by him after the Treasurers Books had been forwarded to the Boardroom.

Next Meeting of Guardians to be held on Wednesday the 12<sup>th</sup> February 1868.

Deputy Chairman }  
Probus Henry }  
D. J. Forth }  
James Clarke }  
Chairman  
Others present

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 - 7 -  
Ditto. disallowed - - - - -  
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 13 -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - -  
Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - 54 -  
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday the  
12<sup>th</sup> day of February 1868  
(Signed) J. Morris

Clerk of the Union.



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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Quamo  
UNION, on Wednesday, the 5<sup>th</sup> day of February 1868  
*continued.*

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

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

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the \_\_\_\_\_  
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of \_\_\_\_\_  
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to  
forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the  
Medical Officer of the District, retaining a copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*  
*On application of the Committee of Management of the \_\_\_\_\_  
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were  
ordered to be supplied:*

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The following Accounts of expenses (or statement of Salaries 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ 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

Reads Communication from Mr. Walter Blake Sanitary Officer Dummee District, stating that on the 4<sup>th</sup> inst. he attended at Milltown Petty Sessions to prosecute parties under the Sanitary Act, that eight persons were fined for non-compliance with the provisions of the Act. That he had been at Milltown on three occasions, and hoped the Board would allow him his expenses -

No Order

Reads Communication from Mr. Thomas Healy Relieving Officer stating that he attended at Milltown Petty Sessions on the 22<sup>nd</sup> ult. and 4<sup>th</sup> inst. to prosecute parties for non-compliance with the Compulsory Vaccination Act; that four persons were fined and requesting the Board would grant him his expenses -

No Order

Reads Communication from the Medical Officer of the Abbey Dispensary District, requesting the Board to consider the balance of Salary due him to the 25<sup>th</sup> December last as increased. That on the 30<sup>th</sup> September last he was directed by the Committee, to provide suitable accommodation for the depot at Abbey; that he had since been employed in carrying out the instructions of the Committee, and that the Dispensary has been opened since the 1<sup>st</sup> inst. in December last.

Application refused

Deirdre Hume

(Signed)

J Morris

Clerk of the Union.



UNION.

Population in 1861,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186

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						Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .																
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .												In Work-house Hospital, In Fever Hospital, Total,	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, Total,			
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL,</b>																
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.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.















*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 Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - -

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186  
(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

*Clerk of the Union.*

By Authority—JOHN FALCONER, Printer and Binder to Her Majesty's Stationery Office,  
53, Upper Sackville-street, Dublin.



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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the \_\_\_\_\_  
UNION, on \_\_\_\_\_ day, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186  
*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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The following Accounts of expenses (or statement of Salaries 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ 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 Beate-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.



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UNION.

Population in 1861,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS:		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .																
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>																
Remaining on previous Saturday, } as per last Return, }													In Work- } house } (Hospital, } In Fever } (Hospital, }	Inseparate } Wards, } In Wards } with other } Inmates, }		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .													Total, }	Total, }		
<b>TOTAL,</b>																
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.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186.

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. \_\_\_\_\_ to No. \_\_\_\_\_, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ : :

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>Totals,</i>													

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



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

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

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

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

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - -

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

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

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:



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 186

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, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque 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 Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:—

- 1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

£	s.	d.

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

- 2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.

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







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*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 - - -

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the \_\_\_\_\_  
UNION, on \_\_\_\_\_ day, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186  
*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 \_\_\_\_\_  
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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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186

(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 10th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_

_____ 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 Boate-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

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