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Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of March 1853.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse,	1344	582												
Temporary Buildings,														
Additional Workhouse,														
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,														
Total,	1344	582												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			80	137	10	31	74	140	33	35	77	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital } 79	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, } 6	
Admitted during the Week,			1	2	1	4	4	1	1	1	3			
TOTAL,			81	139	11	35	78	141	34	36	80	Total, 79	Total, 6	
Discharged during the Week,			3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	5			
Died,									1	1	2			
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	2	1	1	1	1	1	1	6			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			80	137	10	31	74	140	33	35	77			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 5th day of March 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. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 7th day of March 1853

PRESENT: In the Chair, C. H. Blakey Chairman

Other Guardians: W. Jones On Office

W. Long W. Morris W. H. Jones
W. Johnson W. Williams

W. Hall P. S. Inspector

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Galway County

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

The Warehouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 767 to No. 775, 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:

OLD UNION, CLIFDEN.

Name of Collector.	Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Uncollected.
Francis Mullen, - - -	Clifden, - - -	42 10 0	
Joseph M'Donnell, - - -	Rinvyle, - - -	35 14 0	
Stephen M'Donough, - - -	Roundstone, - - -	382 7 2½	
William M'Dermott, - - -	Ballindoon, - - -	69 14 7	
		530 11 9½	

Balance from previous week £122.16.4
 Date of 123.16.10½
 246.11.0½

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, - - - - £36.13.0
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £46.19.11
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £246.11.0½
 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.

NEW UNION, CLIFDEN.

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>Francis Mullen</i>	Clifden, - - -	5	7	0				37	19	7			
	Derrylea, - - -												
	Inishbofin, - - -							1	0	3			
	Sillerna, - - -												
					5	7	8				41	19	10
<i>John M'Donnell</i>	Ballinakill, - - -							2	1	9			
	Cleggan, - - -												
	Cushkillery, - - -							8	2	5			
	Rinvyle, - - -							32	18	1½			
											41	2	3½
<i>Pat Mullen</i>	Bennowen, - - -	1	17	5				11	0	0			
	Derrycunlough, - - -							8	17	4			
	Dunloughan, - - -	2	13	8				15	7	4½			
	Errislanen, - - -							27	16	0			
					4	13	1				62	0	1½
<i>St. M'Donough</i>	Bencorr, - - -							1	1	3			
	Illion, - - -							2	3	0½			
	Moynes, - - -												
	Roundstone, - - -	12	1	6				32	14	0			
					12	1	6				35	19	2
<i>Mark O'Don</i>	Knockboy, - - -	9	5	7½				30	7	3			
	Owengowla, - - -	1	5	0½				19	14	0			
	Skannive, - - -	2	6	8				28	1	0			
					12	1	6				78	3	1½
											257	5	6½

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 31 s. 13 d. 3

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 30.18.1

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 11 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - 1.7 1/2

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:

500 lbs	Flour	1 Fine Sifted meal
50 lbs	Meat	100 lbm Butter
25 qts	Butter	4 lb M. G. Butter
1200 qts	Milk (M.S.)	15 lb Soda
2 qts	Salt	50 lb Soap
4 lb	Lard	4 lb Wash
50 lb	Tea	
400 qts	Apple (M.S.)	
50 lb	Rice	
10 lb	Almonds	
8 lb	Pepper	

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

238	John	Repairing repairs to Gate	£	10	0
239	John	Dwain		3	6
240	W.	Stops		14	4
250	W.	Accounts to the painter		0	0

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.
240	J. Shaw	Soap		10	0
241	R. J. Palmer	Wheat	✓	13	9
242	J. C. Adkinson	Milk	✓	2	11
243	T. Denny	Oil	✓	1	2
244	W. Dwyer	Spiced	✓	2	9
245	J. Pendergast	Meat	✓	11	14
245	J. Butler	Beard	✓	5	5
247	N. Mullin	Compost	✓	7	5
248	H. Smith	Wash	✓	16	8

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:

Galway

Masters Journal.

The Master reports that he will have to attend at the Galway Court on the 21st and the 22nd inst. who were to present in the case of the selling of the land and to go to the 1st & 2nd inst. inst. and also the 21st inst.

The Master reports the bad quality of the beef supplied since last Board day. He attended here on yesterday, & is complained of the quantity of the beef.

That the waste produced 80 quarts of milk at 2s per quart. The extra price being charged to the farmers according to the quality, which they were respectively deficient—No. 1 Mr. Adkinson 200 quarts & Mr. Denny 117 quarts.

In accordance with the Medical Officer's report of the 3rd inst. the master is giving the able bodied males & female farmans soap for 10 weeks in lieu of milk.

That there is no continuation for straw that he received 1 ton.

That he received a man for a day to repair the Provisionary.

The Master has to submit to the Board the list of names selected by the Board to be discharged.

Orders made. Orders that the master make purchases for the Galway for the 21st inst. & the 22nd inst. & the 23rd inst. & the 24th inst. & the 25th inst. & the 26th inst. & the 27th inst. & the 28th inst. & the 29th inst. & the 30th inst. & the 31st inst.

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Orders -

The Master reports that he removed the
nurses each night to one of the
Dormitories lately occupied by the
women, in consequence of their dis-
satisfac- and that they are now
complaining that their children
are killed by the rats in order to
have themselves removed to their
original place of sleeping.

The Master reports that women absconded
from the workhouse on the night of the
7th instants, and that one of them
returned this morning.

Receipts

- 1 Book of Hospital Commission
Tickets.
- 4 lbs thread
- 50 needles

The Master is directed not to supply any Books to
Wardens and Crightons Street with any more
articles.

March 9 / 53

Albany
Master

Ordered -
Chairman that the
Book should be stopped -

Ordered -
Chairman that
the Master should
be promoted

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

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

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

P.L. Circular No 14813/53 - 5th March
 Approval of the Appointment of
 D. J. Lane to the Office of Medical
 Officer of Receipt Dispensary Clerk
 at £75 per annum.

P.L. Circular No 15067/53 - 8th March
 On the subject of the continued irregularity
 in the part of Mr. Chery in the supply of
 Milk to the Workhouse, and requesting that
 in any occasion of the Contractor again failing
 to supply Milk in proper quantity & of the
 quality contracted for that the Board of
 Guardians will cause every effort to be
 made for to purchase the requisite supply,
 the cost of which should be charged to
 the Contractor, and recommending
 the Guardians to resume the use of the
 Substitute suggested by the Medical Officer
 of the Workhouse on a previous occasion,
 whenever a sufficient supply of Milk

cannot be obtained

P.L. Circular No 15067/53 - 8th March
 In reference to the Minutes of last
 Board day, and requesting that before the meeting
 in the cases referred to in the resolution is cancelled
 the Board of Guardians will require the P. Rate
 Collector to furnish a Return of all Houses
 unoccupied in any manner at the period when
 the last rate was made on the Parish -
 Ordered that the Commission be informed that the P
 Rate Collector's Return of unoccupied Houses was
 before the Board at their meeting on the 2nd Inst
 and that the resolution cancelling the rating was
 passed & that the Guardians engaged not each
 case before the rating was cancelled

Other from Mr. Cullis - 8th March 53
 On the subject of the Application respecting
 the Costs of money after rates on the Revenue
 Court stating that the Commissioners of
 the Inceunter Estates Court has impounded
 £75 of the proceeds of the sale on the Guardians
 and in case the full Court decides that the
 Union is entitled to be paid its Costs out
 of said funds, and desiring to be informed
 if the Guardians will incur the additional
 Costs of £3 to £5, if a Motion is
 made to the full Court
 Ordered to proceed with the Motion

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

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

Ditto disallowed - - -

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

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

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

The Clerk submitted the New Valuation Books and Rate Books to the Board, and it was Resolved that the Rate & Valuation Books being in a very imperfect state, that the Valuator be called upon immediately to furnish clean Valuation Books, and that we are prepared to strike the Rate as soon as the Books are prepared, and that the Clerk be desired to give every assistance, and to send for the Books by the 9 o'clock car on tomorrow morning, and that we deeply regret the very culpable negligence of the Valuator in not supplying correct Books, calls for the most decided disapprobation of the Board, & that they will hold the Valuator's Securities responsible for any loss that may occur upon appeals, and that unless the Books are prepared by this day week, that this Board will proceed against his Securities at once.

Before the above resolution was passed. Mr Hall P.L.I. urged the Board to make the rate as speed as by them.

Ordered that the Rate Books & Valuation Books that are necessary be sent for.

Ordered that the following persons be discharged from the houses, those that have clothes at once & the remainder on next Board day

- 127 Mary Ryan of Kallinakil
- 537 Mary Ryan "
- 538 Kenter Ryan "
- 189 Anne Lee Benion
- 510 Cathy Curran "
- 473 John Henry Rimmomen
- 502 Martha Kelly "
- 678 Mary Murphy "
- 260 Nancy Stokes Ulysses
- 337 Miss. Faherty "
- 505 Mary Flynn "
- 220 Miss. O'Flaherty "
- 304 Anne Lyne Clifton

- | | | | |
|--------------------------|-----------|--------------------|----------------|
| 511 Pat Saale | Chiffers | 371 Mary Falan | Knocktag |
| 240 Mrs. Galt | " | 671 Mrs. O'Donnell | " |
| 224 Ann Mangau | " | 324 Mrs. O'Donnell | Progers |
| 459 Mrs. Coyle | " | 599 Ann O'Donnell | O'Connell |
| 430 Mrs. Kelly | " | 284 Miss Jane | Knocktag |
| 617 Mrs. Kelly | " | Pat Connolly | " |
| 186 Miss O'Donnell | O'Connell | 237 Pat O'Connell | Knocktag |
| 285 Mrs. O'Donnell | " | " | Mrs. O'Donnell |
| 86 Philip John O'Connell | O'Connell | 784 Mrs. O'Connell | " |
| 225 Mrs. O'Connell | O'Connell | Pat O'Connell | " |
| 235 Mrs. O'Connell | " | | |
| 14 Mrs. O'Connell | O'Connell | | |
| 570 Mrs. O'Connell | O'Connell | | |
| 782 Mrs. O'Connell | O'Connell | | |
| 783 Mrs. O'Connell | O'Connell | | |
| 862 Mrs. O'Connell | O'Connell | | |
| 728 Mrs. O'Connell | O'Connell | | |
| 219 Mrs. O'Connell | O'Connell | | |

Mr. O'Connell tendered his resignation of the Office of Schoolmaster. he having been appointed to a similar office in the Ballinacole Workhouse at a higher rate of remuneration. his resignation was accepted. and it was ordered that he provide by this day week a substitute for the approval of the Board until his successor be appointed.

Ordered that Mr. O'Connell be appointed to fill the Office of Schoolmaster.

Ordered that Miss O'Connell late Maidmaid of Houghton's Auxiliary having been paid her wages be directed to leave the Workhouse and that the Master be directed not to supply her with any more clothes.

Wm. O'Connell

Anthony J. O'Connell

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday the 16th day of March 1853.

Edward O'Connell

(Signed)

[Signature]

Clerk of the Union.

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SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.

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

MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT,—14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

*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
 Perquisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon
 as follows:*

*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 22 and 23 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts.] An Account of Disbursements made by the Guardians during the half-year ended _____ for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all Disbursements for the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total disbursement for each Dispensary District in the half-year ended _____ 185 .

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

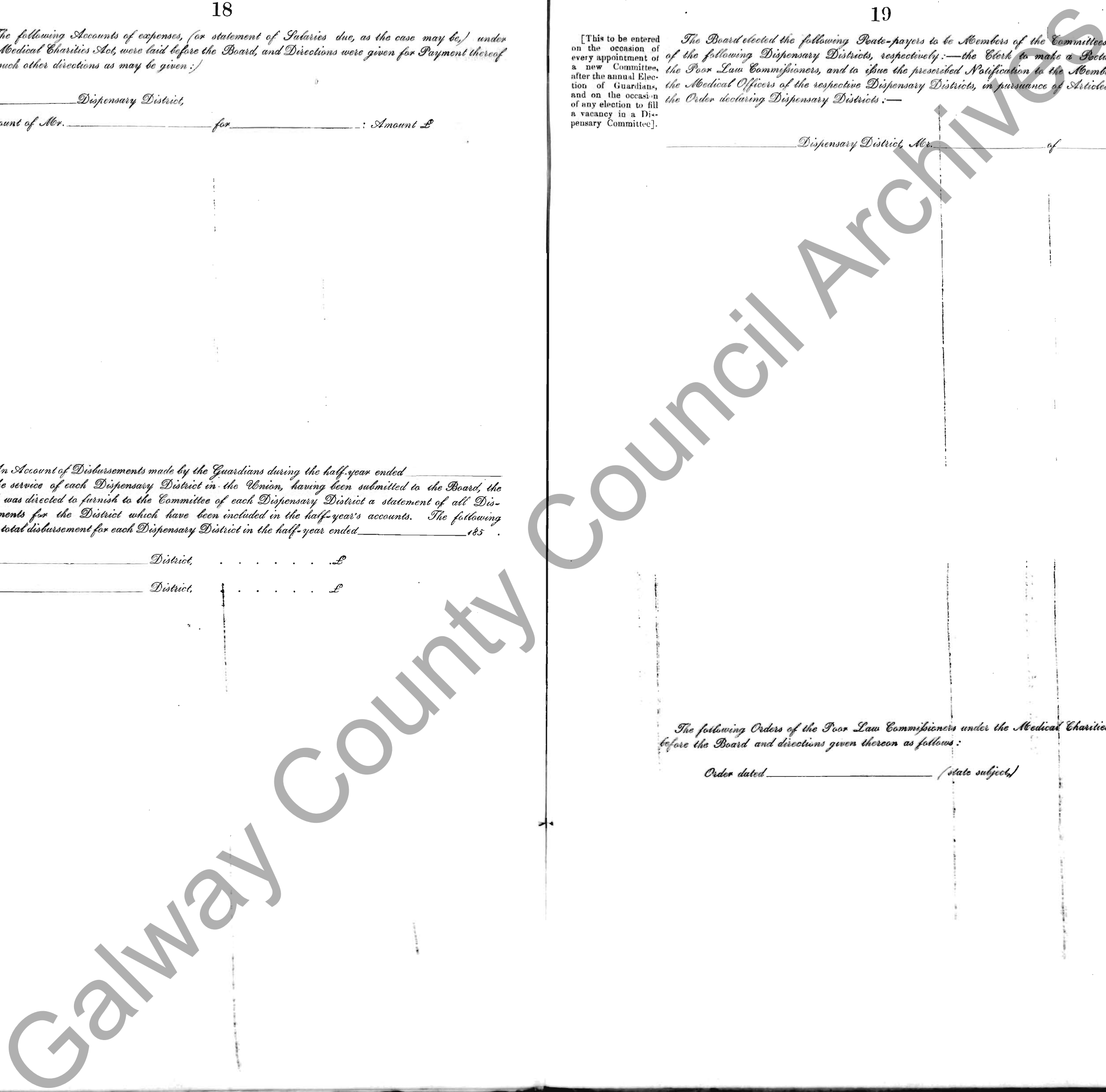
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill a vacancy in a Dispensary Committee].

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 9, 10, and 11, of the Order declaring Dispensary Districts:—

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

*Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that*

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

CLIFDEN UNION.

Population in 1851, . . . 25,389.

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of April 1853.

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Discharged during the Week,			5	7			1	1				15		Deaths 2
Died,							1	1				2		
Total Discharged and Dead,			5	7			2	2				17		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			08	134	15	31	70	139	49	82	35	172		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15th day of April authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 15th day of April 1853

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. G. W. V. Hamilton

Other Guardians: Mr. James J. O'Connell

Mr. William McLaughlin Mr. John McLaughlin Mr. James McLaughlin

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Galway County

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

The Warehouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 276 to No. 283, 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:

OLD UNION, CLIFDEN.

Name of Collector.	Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Francis Mullen, - - -	Clifden, - - -	-	-	-	42	15	0
Joseph M'Donnell, - - -	Rinvyle, - - -	-	-	-	55	11	0
Stephen M'Donough, - - -	Roundstone, - - -	-	-	-	352	7	22
William M'Dermott, - - -	Ballindoon, - - -	-	-	-	59	11	7
					500	11	92

Francis Mullen - not a collector.

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.

NEW UNION, CLIFDEN.

The Ledgments 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>Francis Mullen</i>	Clifden, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	37	19	7	-	-	-	
	Derrylea, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
	Inishbofin, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	11	3	-	-		
	Sillerna, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
											41	19	10	
<i>Joseph M'Donnell</i>	Ballinakill, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	9	-	-	-	
	Cleggan, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
	Cushkillery, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	2	5	-	-		
	Rinvyle, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	32	18	12	-	-		
											41	2	2	
<i>Stephen M'Donough</i>	Bennowen, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	0	0	-	-	-	
	Derrycunlagh, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	7	4	-	-		
	Dunloughan, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	7	42	-	-		
	Errislanen, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	27	15	3	
											62	11	11	
<i>William M'Dermott</i>	Bencorr, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	-	-	-	
	Illion, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	11	-	-		
	Moynes, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
	Roundstone, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	32	14	102	-	-		
											35	19	2	
<i>Francis Mullen</i>	Knockboy, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	50	7	32	-	-	-	
	Owengowla, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	19	11	0	-	-		
	Skannive, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	28	1	5	-	-		
											78	5	11	
	Total, -											259	5	42

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 £ 32 s. 4 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 32. 8. 3

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 11 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 1. 8

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:

Quantity	Item	Unit	Value	Notes
900	lb	Bread	6 7/8	Meal
50	"	Meat	8 lbs	Bygone
1	But	Butter	1 lb	Bygone
1500	qt	Milk (Bk)	120 lb	Bygone
200	"	W. Sugar	4 lb	Bygone
2	But	Salt	20 lb	Bygone
58	lb	Beer	58 "	Bygone
4	"	Tea	11 "	Bygone
55	"	Bygone		
55	"	Bygone		

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 12 day of March; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
250		5	-
252		5	6

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
263		9	5
254		14	0
255		2	0
258		17	0

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

				£	s.	d.
251	Wm. Pendergast	Wheat	✓	-	11	0
252	John McLaugh	Wheat	✓	1	10	2
253	J. O'Connell	Wheat	✓	-	4	0
254	John Butler	Wheat	✓	11	10	8
255	L. E. Adams	Wheat	✓	0	2	3
256	Wm. O'Connell	Wheat	✓	1	10	0
257	Wm. O'Connell	Wheat	✓	11	0	0
258	John Butler	Wheat	✓	5	10	4
259	Wm. O'Connell	Wheat	✓	0	12	0
261	Wm. O'Connell	Wheat	✓	-	7	0

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

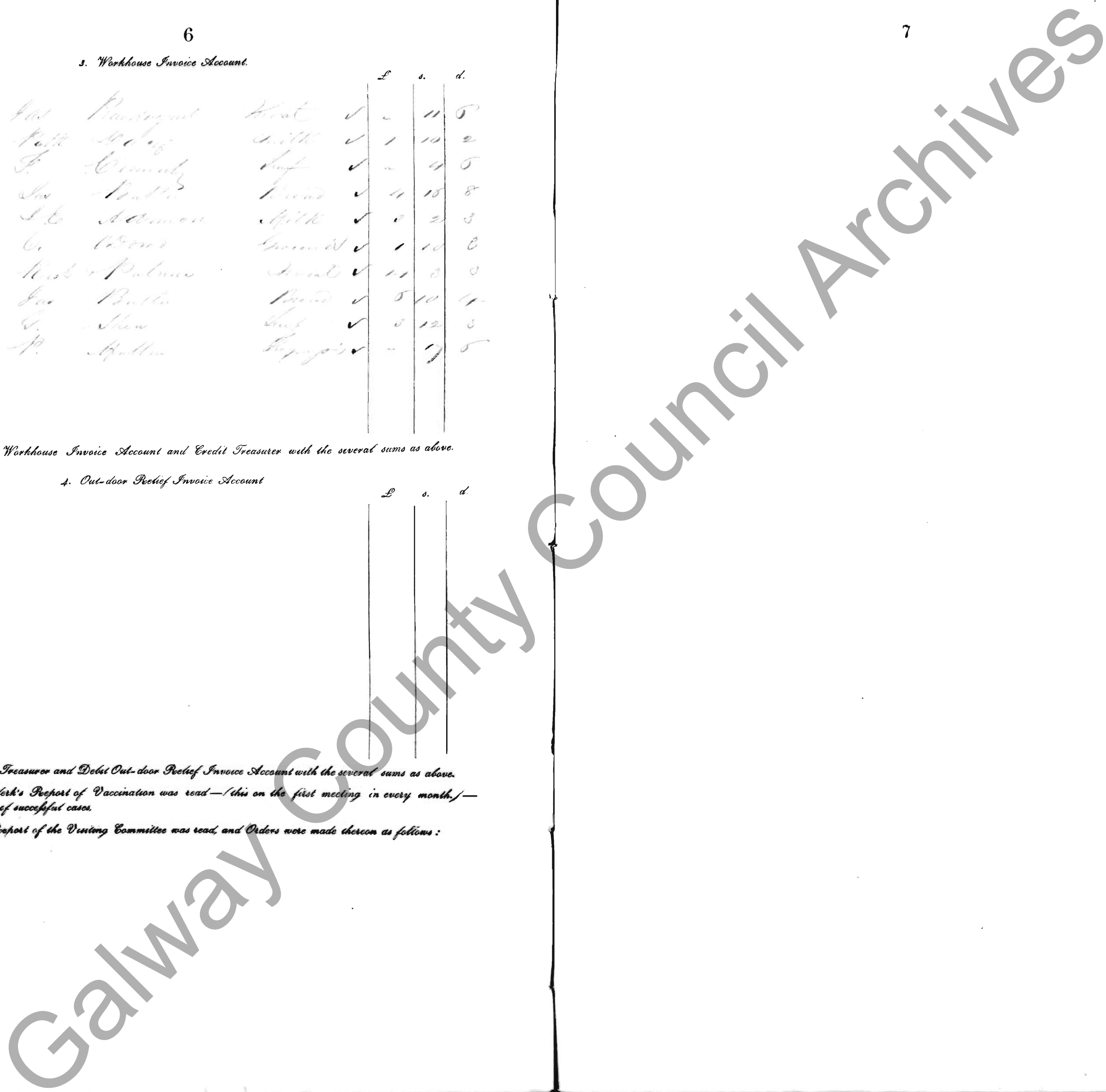
4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account

£	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:



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

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

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

L.P.

Letter No 117 of 9/55 - 10th March
of 1855 regarding the appointment of boards
of the various Boards of a Commission
from the present arrangements
of the Poor Law Commission & the
relation to the Board of Poor Officers
for payment of salaries & expenses
and the report of the Committee regarding
the abolition of a medical Officer
for the Poor Law Commission & the
of the Board are shown at
as to the Commission they would have
as far as possible to be
for the Poor Law Commission

Order of the Poor Law Commission
that the Board should be
of the Poor Law Commission
with the Board of Poor Officers
by the Poor Law Commission

L.C.

Order No 150 of 25th 4th March
Regarding the appointment of a Board
regarding the Poor Law Commission
in the Board of Poor Officers

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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 Passport Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	-	-	7
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-	2
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 Proclaiming Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	-	—
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered	-	-	-	—

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

The Clerk laid before the Board at their meeting on the 9th inst. the account of the ... the Clerk of the ... for year ending 25th ... with the ... of the ... 6 ...

Resolved That in respect the following ... Mr. James ... White ... for 12 ... the year 25th ... at ...

Mr. ... at ... per ... Mr. ... at ... per ...

Mr. John ... at ... per ... Mr. ... at ... per ...

Mr. ... at ... per ... Mr. ... at ... per ...

The Clerk laid before the Board the ... the following ... Walswell ...

The Board... it was resolved that the said... be... and that the... be... and that the... be...

The Clerk reported that he had... for... and that they have not yet... to...

Proposed by Mr. Jones & seconded by Mr. Green... that... be... and that the... be...

Proposed by Mr. Brown & seconded by Mr. White... that... be... and that the... be...

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

Monday the 23^d

(Signed)

[Signature]

Clerk of the Union.

Mr. J. Smith's School... and stated that... he was... to the Board... the... of the... to the... School... of being his... if... within a week.

Further... that he... to go... that... the... until... be...

Ordered that... be... for... to... as... taking up...

Submitted *[Signature]*
[Signature]

[Signature]
[Signature]
[Signature]

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.

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

MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT,—14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

*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:*

*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 22 and 23 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts.]

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

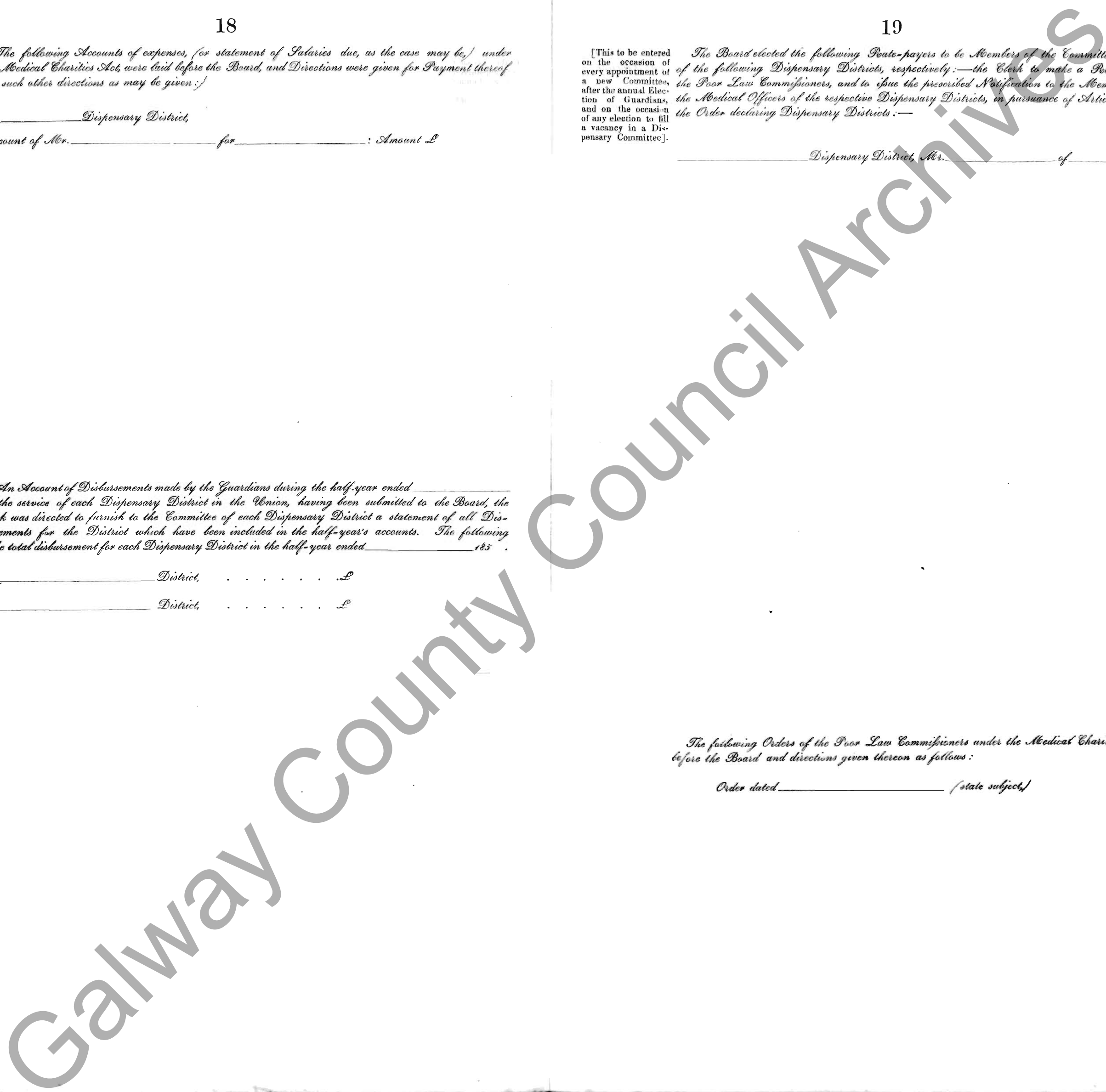
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill a vacancy in a Dispensary Committee].

The Board elected the following Poute-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 9, 10, and 11, of the Order declaring Dispensary Districts:—

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

*Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that*

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

CLIFDEN UNION.

Population in 1851, . . . 25,389.

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *14th* day of *March* 185*3*

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able bodied.						Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.			Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.			Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.			Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.			Infants under 2 years of age.			RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	In Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.															
Workhouse, . . .	1304	1304																								
Temporary Buildings, . . .	3	3																								
Additional Workhouse, . . .																										
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .																										
Fever Sheds, . . .																										
Total, . . .																										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			50	13	10	21	7	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Admitted during the Week, . . .																										
TOTAL, . . .			50	13	10	21	7	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1
Discharged during the Week, . . .																										
Died, . . .																										
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .																										
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			50	13	10	21	7	10	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	1

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *14th* day of *March* 185*3* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Wednesday* the *23rd* day of *March* 185*3*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *William H. Blake Esq. of Clifden*

Other Guardians: *Thos. G. Jones Esq. of Clifden, Edward Morrison, Esq. of Clifden, Mr. G. J. Jones Esq. of Clifden, Mr. Morrison Esq. of Clifden, Mr. Morrison Esq. of Clifden, Mr. Morrison Esq. of Clifden.*

Mr. Morrison Esq. of Clifden, Mr. Morrison Esq. of Clifden, Mr. Morrison Esq. of Clifden, Mr. Morrison Esq. of Clifden, Mr. Morrison Esq. of Clifden.

Mr. Blake P.S.D.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Galway County

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 783 to No. 791, 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:

OLD UNION, CLIFDEN.

Name of Collector.	Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Francis Mullen, - - -	Clifden, - - -	-	-	-	112	15	0
Joseph M'Donnell, - - -	Rinvyle, - - -	-	-	-	35	11	0
Stephen M'Donough, - - -	Roundstone, - - -	-	-	-	382	7	23
William M'Dermott, - - -	Ballindoon, - - -	-	-	-	59	14	7
					530	47	92

Balance forward of Assets
Account found. £ 153. 11. 2
Note " 30. 0. 0

158. 11. 2

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, - - - - £ 15. 11. 5

Paid during the week, - - - - £ 105. 11. 1

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was - £ 158. 11. 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.

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		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>Francis Mullen</i>	Clifden, - - -	-	-	17 0	-	-	-	31	2	12	-	-	-
	Derrylea, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Inishbofin, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Sillerna, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
					37	0	0				38	2	12
<i>Joseph M'Donnell</i>	Ballinakill, - - -	-	-	17 0	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	4	8
	Cleggan, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Cushkillery, - - -	-	-	11 3	-	-	-	5	11	2	-	-	-
	Rinvyle, - - -	-	-	12 11	-	-	-	31	10	9	-	-	-
					2	10	00				38	11	0
<i>Patrick Mullen</i>	Bennowen, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	0	0
	Derrycunlagh, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	7	4	-	-	-
	Dunloughan, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	7	11	-	-	-
	Errislanen, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	27	10	3	-	-	-
										52	0	14	
<i>Stephen M'Donough</i>	Bencorr, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	3
	Illion, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	0	0	-	-	-
	Moynes, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
	Roundstone, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	32	14	00	-	-	-
										35	7	3	
<i>Account by due</i>	Knockboy, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	7	22	-	-	-
	Owengowla, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	19	14	0	-	-	-
	Skannive, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	28	1	0	-	-	-
										78	0	13	
Total, -					5	8	11				158	11	2

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And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 11 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 1. 7 1/2

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:

900 lb Bread
80 lb Meat
4 cwt Meal
1500 ft Cords for 500 infirmaries
2 cwt Salt
56 lb Rice
10 cwt Ind Meal
20 cwt Rye Meal
120 boxes Soap
4 lb Ground Corn Meal
20 lb Soap

56 lb Soap
4 lb March

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 19 day of March; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	- 2. 0
In kind,	-	-	- - 4
Total	-	-	- 2. 4

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
203	11	0	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

275	Mr. White	Printing	5	0
278	J. Hutton	Coal	19	0
280	J. Carr	Coal	19	10
281	J. McDown	Stew	1	4
282	W. Smith	Stew	3	9

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

				£	s.	d.
257	Peta	Mullen	Porridge	✓	1	0
258	G.	Dunn	Greenish	✓	2	8
259	G.	Thos	Inf	✓	3	5
270	10.	Dancy	Milk	✓	1	11
271	Rush & Palmer		Meal	✓	15	5
272	L.E.	Adamsen	Milk	✓	2	5
273	L.S.	Butler	Bees	✓	5	3
274	10.	Pendurant	Meat	✓	1	1
275	1.	Cygnor	Rice	✓	1	10
279	1.	Creany	Milk	✓	2	0

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.
		Rental			
277	D. Mullen	Coffee supplied	✓	1	0

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

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

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

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Resolved that the Committee be authorized to attend at the...
to purchase the paper...
to purchase the paper...
to purchase the paper...

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P.L. Co. Circular No 154 Aug 28 - 18th March
relating to the 2^d Statement of the
Committee

P.L. Co. Circular No 153 / 53 - 18th March
relating to the 1st Statement of the
Committee

P.L. Co. Letter No 10009 / 53 - 18th March
relating to the appointment of
Seymour H. Clark of New York, and power
appointed Schoolmaster in the States

P.L. Co. Letter No 10005 / 53 - 18th March
approving of the appointment of
Mr. F. G. Fuller to the office of P. M. Collector

P.L. Co. Letter No 10105 / 53 - 18th March
expressing the approval of the
appointment of Mr. F. G. Fuller to collect the
duties on the National Co. Circulation, but
expressing their opinion that the
Collector should give security for the
collection, but that he will not be
responsible for any sum which shall
be irrecoverable, & not lost by his
default &c.

P.L. Co. Letter No 10104 / 53 - 18th March
expressing their approval of the
appointment of Mr. F. G. Fuller to
collect the duties on the National Co. Circulation, in the
terms specified in the circular

P.L. Co. Letter No 10103 / 53 - 18th March
relating to the duties of the Collector
of Water in the States for the United States
& for the States of New York, and
New Jersey, & suggesting that they may be
promoted, & that they may be
promoted, & that they may be

P.L. Co. Letter No 10100 / 53 - 18th March
relating to the duties of the Collector
of Water in the States for the United States
& for the States of New York, and
New Jersey, & suggesting that they may be
promoted, & that they may be

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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	-	-	-	-	9
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-	-	2
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	-	-	7
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	-	-	1
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	-	-	1
The number of other applicants in the Prolonging Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	-	-	2
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.)

The Clerk reported to the Board that Mr. J. W. Brown has been appointed to the position of Surveyor to the Board of Guardians and that he has taken the oath of office and is ready to enter on his duties.

It was ordered that the Clerk be authorized to draw a warrant for the sum of £48.7.11 to be paid to Mr. Brown for his services as Surveyor for the year ending at the 31st of December next. It was also ordered that a supplemental list of debts be prepared by the day next to the payment of which the above balance may be applied.

An application for the office of Schoolmaster was read and it was resolved that Mr. P. Jones be appointed Schoolmaster to the workhouse at a salary of £17 per annum. The first class Officer to be appointed was

ordered that as the school is at present in charge of a person that he be directed to take charge of the same pending the sanction of the Commissioners.

The following notice was handed in: I beg to inform that we will on this day fortnight have a meeting of the Guardians of the Workhouse having been for some time back very considerably reduced, and that the Officers will be sufficient for the purposes of the same at present, that should the number be reduced from four to three. Signed

Patrick King
Alex. Thompson

Resolved that the following charges not having been given etc. be cancelled

277	James	Fin	£ 0. 17. 8
288	James	Stephens	5. 9
289	George	Widdie	7. 3
321	James	Fin	1. 8. 0
327	James	Stephens	10. 0
328	George	Widdie	12. 0

Sam^r Jones
Chairman

Wm Twining
John Ferly.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday the 30th
 day of March 1853.

(Signed) Henrietta Jones
 Clerk of the Union.

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CLIFDEN UNION.

Population in 1851, . . . 25,389.

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 25 day of March 1853.

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.			RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.				
Workhouse,	1344	549																
Temporary Buildings,																		
Additional Workhouse,																		
Permanent Fever Hospital,																		
Fever Sheds,																		
Total,	1344	549																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			50	135	17	31	77	137	52	32	35	70						
Admitted during the Week,			4	3									9					
TOTAL,			54	138	17	31	77	137	52	32	35	79						
Discharged during the Week,			11	13			7	3		1			35					
Died,																		
Total Discharged and Dead,			11	13			7	3		1			35					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			52	124	17	31	70	135	52	31	35	549						

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 25 day of March authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 30 day of March 1853

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Amable James Esq. In Office*

Other Guardians: *Mr. Kelly, Mr. ...*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 292 to No. 300, 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:

OLD UNION, CLIFDEN.

Name of Collector.	Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Francis Mullen, - - -	Clifden, - - -	-	-	-	42	10	0
Joseph M'Donnell, - - -	Rinvyle, - - -	-	-	-	35	11	0
Stephen M'Donough, - - -	Roundstone, - - -	-	-	-	382	7	25
William M'Dermott, - - -	Ballinacree, - - -	-	-	-	69	11	7
					536	11	32

*Treasurer Book
not in use yet.*

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.

NEW UNION, CLIFDEN.

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
<i>James Mullin</i>	Clifden, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	34	2	10	-	-	-	
	Derrylea, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
	Inishbofin, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	0	3	-	-		
	Sillerna, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
											38	2	4	
<i>Joseph M'Donnell</i>	Ballinacree, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	4	5	-	-		
	Cleggan, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
	Cushkillery, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	11	2	-	-		
	Rinvyle, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	31	15	9	-	-		
											38	11	7	
<i>Peter Mullen</i>	Bennowen, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	0	0	-	-		
	Derrycunlagh, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	1	4	-	-		
	Dunloughan, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	7	4	-	-		
	Errislanen, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	27	15	3	-	-		
											62	11	11	
<i>Stephen M'Donough</i>	Bencorr, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	-	-		
	Illion, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	0	0	-	-		
	Moynes, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		
	Roundstone, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	32	14	0	-	-		
											35	14	2	
<i>Martin M'Donough</i>	Knockboy, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	30	7	3	-	-		
	Owengowla, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	19	14	0	-	-		
	Skannive, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	1	5	-	-		
											75	3	1	
	Total, -											252	7	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 £ 32 s. 9 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 27.15.3

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 11 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 1.8

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 2.5

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:

900 lb	Bread	100 Biscuits	Sup
80 lb	Meat	1 lb	Wine
2	But	20	D. Oil
1300 yd	Wool	55	Sops.
400	"	11	Starch
55 lb	Sugar		
50	"		
8	"		
2	But		
1/2	"		
1	"		

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 25 day of March, 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, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
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No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. fwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

1	L. Mutton Smith	17 2
2	James Gifford	10 0

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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Masters Report.

The Master reports that on the 21st Feb^y he admitted a man named preman - got brought to the H. House at a late hour with a fracture by the recommendation of Mr. Seully, to the Medical Officer, that the master omitted to report the circumstances to the Board before. I hoped they will not enquire too severely. On this the first occasion of the kind.

That he reported the Inf. supplied by the Contractor on one day last week, that his crew refused taking the Inf. crew, but had it stored outside the H. House Gate, and shall deliver them.

That Mr. P. was supplied on last Sunday with 85 gals. milk, that on Tuesday 75 quats, that on the morning he did not receive enough the quantity required for the Hospital and request the attention of the Board there to.

That the Schoolmaster took charge of the School on the 23rd instant.

That the Corrods supplied by Contractor was 2 feet 1 ft. 7 to 8 to 10 - take per 2 per month, delivered -

That the Medical Officer requires further Provisions for Hospital - Ordered

That the Master is still purchasing cloth with his own private money, & 22 per gal. & charging the color price with it. - Very proper

The contractor who was caught in reporting the matter of the Inf. crew to the Board. The contractor who was caught in reporting the matter of the Inf. crew to the Board. The contractor who was caught in reporting the matter of the Inf. crew to the Board.

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Regiment for Port -

1 Pine Apples, and Apples - Ordered
 That the pump is ordered to be fixed up in all your out

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

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

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

P.L.C. Letter No 19,548/53. 25th March
Approving of the appointment of
Mr James Crawford to the Office of poor
Rate Collector in Bedford Parish on the
terms specified in the answer to the
query -

P.L.C. Letter No 19,547/53. 26th March
Stating in reply to Clerk's letter that
the four copies of the Rate Book's 400
not to be a second time exhibited for
14 days preparatory to the Rate being
made -

P.L.C. Circular No 516/52. 30th March
calling attention of Board of Guardians
to the provisions of the 57th Sec. of the
Act for Relief of the subject
of the appointment of wardens -

P.L.C. Circular No 517/53. 25 March
in the report of the Comm^r of Committees
of Management of the Dispersing
Districts in the Union for the year ended
25 March 1854.

Letter from Mr P. Carey South Controller asking
the Board to countermand the Order
to the effect relative to the burning of mill
at the Mill, Waltham, as the high price
which the master proposed to award his
(Mr Carey's) contract was to leave him, and
to use any substitute for the deficiency
which the Board may think fit -

Letter from the Agent for the Poor Law Office
29th March (Public) stating that the
premium required to insure a second
year of £1800 on the Waltham a
policy No 1052051 to Government
rate would be £17.2. being 1/8
per cent -

Waltham. South Controller
to answer for the
order

The following copy of a resolution of the Hospital Proprietary Committee was approved of by the Board, and ordered to be placed in the minutes

Resolved that in reference to the communication of the Board of Guardians as to the remuneration due to Dr. Suggill for attendance in the Hospital Proprietary Committee that we recommend Dr. Suggill entitled to £100 for his services performed which consisted of 40 visits paid at the Patients Names, and 25 cases attended in all cases the medicines being provided at his own expense. Resolved also that Dr. Suggill's letter be forwarded to the Board of Guardians.

That Dr. Suggill be requested to examine Mr. Dunaj's store lately occupied as an ambulance workshop, and report to the Board what amount of compensation he considers should be allowed for any injury done to it.

~~Wm. H. W.~~
Redmond Joyce
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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the 6th day of March 1853
(Signed) Wm. H. W.
Clerk of the Union.

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SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.

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

MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT,—14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

*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:*

*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 22 and 23 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts.] An Account of Disbursements made by the Guardians during the half-year ended _____ for the services of each Dispensary District in the Union, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all Disbursements for the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total disbursement for each Dispensary District in the half-year ended _____ 1855.

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

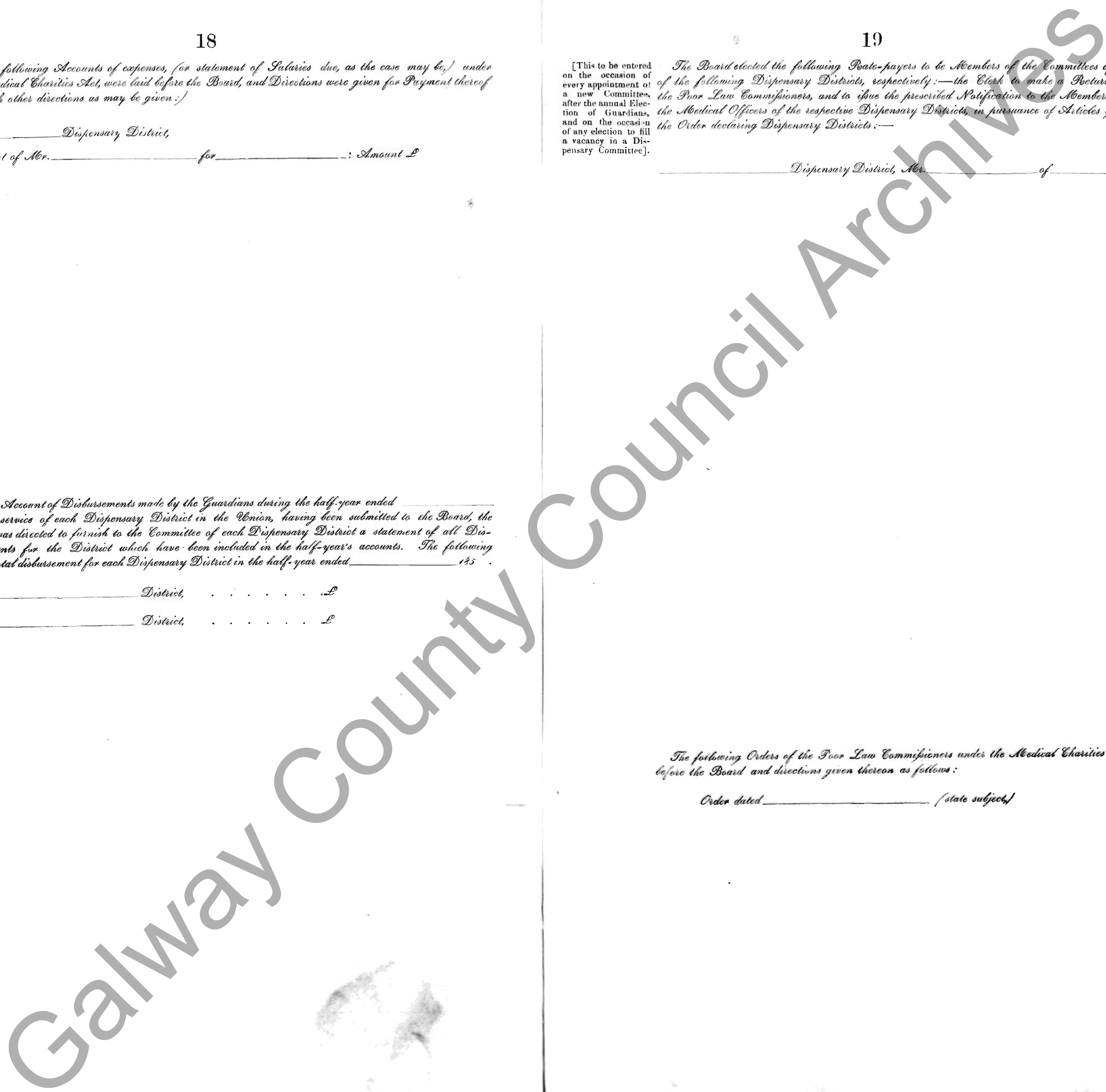
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill a vacancy in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Post-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Proclum 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 9, 10, and 11, of the Order declaring Dispensary Districts:—

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

(Signed)



Clerk of the Union.

CLIFDEN UNION.

Population in 1851, . . . 25,389.

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 20 day of March 1853

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Workhouse, . . .	1344	548													
Temporary Buildings, . .															
Additional Workhouse, . .															
Permanent Fever Hospital, .															
Fever Sheds, . . .															
Total, . . .	1344	548													
Remaining on previous Saturday, } as per last Return, . . .			53	124	11	31	70	156	52	31	35	54	In Workhouse Hospital, } 72	In separate Wards, } 42	
Admitted during the Week, . .													In Fever Hospital } 2	In Wards with other inmates, } 2	
TOTAL, . . .			53	124	11	31	70	156	52	31	35	54	Total, . . . 72	Total, . . . 42	
Discharged during the Week, . .															Deaths - 1
Died,															
Total Discharged and Dead, . .															
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			52	124	16	31	70	156	52	30	35	54			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20 day of March authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 20 day of March 1853

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. _____ 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:

OLD UNION, CLIFDEN.

Name of Collector.	Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Uncollected.
Francis Mullen, - - -	Clifden, - - -	- - -	42 10 0
Joseph M'Donnell, - - -	Rinvyle, - - -	- - -	35 14 0
Stephen M'Donough, - - -	Roundstone, - - -	- - -	382 7 9 1/2
William M'Dermott, - - -	Ballindoon, - - -	- - -	89 14 7
			530 11 9 1/2

Treasurer's Book not made up.

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.

NEW UNION, CLIFDEN.

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>Francis Mullen</i>	Clifden, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	34	2	1/2	-	-	-
	Derrylea, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	Inishbofin, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	10	5	-	-	-	
	Sillerna, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
											38	2	1/2
<i>Joseph M'Donnell</i>	Ballinakill, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	4	0	-	-	-
	Cleggan, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	Cushkillery, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	5	7	0	-	-	
	Rinvyle, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	31	15	9	-	-	
											38	11	5
<i>Stephen M'Donough</i>	Bennowen, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	11	-	-	-	-	-
	Derrycunlugh, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	6	7	4	-	-	-
	Dunloughan, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	7	4	-	-	-
	Errislanen, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	27	15	3	-	-	-
											52	0	11 1/2
<i>William M'Dermott</i>	Bencorr, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	-	-	-
	Illion, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	3	0	-	-	-
	Moynes, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	Roundstone, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	32	14	10	-	-	-
											35	7	2
<i>Martin L...</i>	Knockboy, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	31	7	7 1/2	-	-	-
	Owengowla, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	19	14	0	-	-	-
	Skannive, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	25	15	0	-	-	-
											78	3	1/2
	Total, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	252	7	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 £ 10 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 5. 2. 11

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 11 3/4

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 1. 8

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:

[Handwritten signature]

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 20 day of March, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

<i>£</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account*

<i>£</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Ditto disallowed - - - - -

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

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

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

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

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Monday* the *6th*
day of *March* 185 *3*

(Signed)

[Handwritten Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

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SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.

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

MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT,—14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

*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:*

*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 expences, (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 £

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[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 22 and 23 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts.]

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill a vacancy 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 9, 10, and 11, of the Order declaring Dispensary Districts:—

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

(Signed)



Clerk of the Union.

Clifden Union

At the first meeting of the Board of Guardians after the Election of Guardians for the year ending the 25th March 1854. held on the 5th April 1853 the following Guardians being present

Ex-officio

- Elected
 Mr. Blake
 Mr. Aldrich
 Mr. Robinson
 Mr. Hazell
 Mr. Hart
 Mr. Joyce
 Mr. Joyce
 Mr. Poiry
 Mr. Poiry
 Mr. Johnson

Proposed by Mr. Joyce seconded & carried with acclamation that Mr. Robinson be Chairman of this Board for the year ending 25th March 1854
 Proposed by Mr. Aldrich seconded & carried unanimously that Mr. Hart be Vice Chairman & that Mr. Poiry be Clerk

Done & signed
 Mr. Robinson

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CLIFDEN UNION.

Population in 1851, . . . 25,389.

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of April 1853.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . .	124	124	62	154	15	21	70	10	52	10	30	2	12	
Temporary Buildings, . .														
Additional Workhouse, . .														
Permanent Fever Hospital, .														
Fever Sheds, . . .														
Total, . . .	124	124	62	154	15	21	70	10	52	10	30	2	12	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			62	154	15	21	70	10	52	10	30	2	12	
Admitted during the Week, . .			1	3			1				1			
TOTAL, . . .			63	157	15	21	71	10	52	10	31	2	12	
Discharged during the Week, . .							2							
Died,														
Total Discharged and Dead, . .							2							
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			63	157	15	21	71	10	52	10	31	2	12	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 4th day of April 1853 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 4th day of April 1853.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. Robinson, Esq. Chairman.

Other Guardians: Mr. Aldrich, Mr. Robinson, Mr. Hazell, Mr. Hart, Mr. Joyce, Mr. Poiry, Mr. Johnson.

Mr. Robinson, Mr. Aldrich, Mr. Robinson, Mr. Hazell, Mr. Hart, Mr. Joyce, Mr. Poiry, Mr. Johnson.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 501 to No. 512, 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:

OLD UNION, CLIFDEN.

Name of Collector.	Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Francis Mullen, - - -	Clifden, - - -	-	7	-	12	9	-
Joseph M'Donnell, - - -	Rinvyle, - - -	-	-	-	30	14	-
Stephen M'Donough, - - -	Roundstone, - - -	-	-	-	382	7	2
William M'Dermott, - - -	Ballinacree, - - -	-	-	-	59	14	7
		-	7	-	531	4	9

*Sum of £122. 14. 2
 Against do. Rate of 4. 2. 5
 £ 113. 11. 7*

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, - - - - £ 8. 17. 5

Paid during the week, - - - - £ 52. 1. 0

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was - £ 113. 11. 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

NEW UNION, CLIFDEN.

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>Francis Mullen</i>	Clifden, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	1	12	-	-	-
	Derrylea, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	Inishbofin, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	-	-	-
	Sillerna, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
<i>Joseph M'Donnell</i>	Ballinakill, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	4	5	-	-	-
	Cleggan, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	Cushkillery, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	3	11	2	-	-	-
	Rinvyle, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	1	-	-	-
<i>Stephen M'Donough</i>	Bennowen, - - -	✓	-	-	3	10	8	2	5	11	-	-	-
	Derrycunlagh, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	4	1	11	-	-	-
	Dunloughan, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	15	7	11	-	-	-
	Errislanen, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	15	3	-	-	-
<i>William M'Dermott</i>	Bencorr, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	1	1	3	-	-	-
	Illion, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	12	-	-	-
	Moynes, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	
	Roundstone, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	32	14	11	-	-	-
<i>John M'Donough</i>	Knockboy, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	7	7	-	-	-
	Owengowla, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	19	14	0	-	-	-
	Skannive, - - -	-	-	-	-	-	-	2	1	5	-	-	-
	Total, - - -	-	-	-	3	10	8	-	-	-	24	5	42

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 £

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 24 s. 16 d. 7

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 21 7 1

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 2

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - 1 7 4

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:

500 lbs	Wheat	50 lbs	Soap.
100 "	Barley	1 "	Starch
2 Quarts	Oil		
1000 st	Wheat		
50 "	Wheat		
1 "	Wheat		
1/2 "	Wheat		
100 "	Wheat		
1 "	Wheat		
15 "	Wheat		

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 2 day of April; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

Galway

Masters Journal

That the Master reports that he has ordered
to be made 500 lbs of milk
of good quality at 2/6 per lb
and also for being ordered to be
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Ordered. That the Treasurer be
to be made 500 lbs of milk
of good quality at 2/6 per lb
and also for being ordered to be
delivered to the workhouse

Ordered. That the Treasurer be
to be made 500 lbs of milk
of good quality at 2/6 per lb
and also for being ordered to be
delivered to the workhouse

That

That the Great Hall was finished
the 23rd of the month of June

That he employed a Mason to repair
the walls of the Council Chamber
by it was the 1st of the month of
July 1791

That he attended at the High Court
Court held on the 23rd of June
when there was a Bay named
and of money brought up for
accounting the work done with
him of which he the
Master of the Court was
master of it & worth.

Required

The Records of the Court

Ordinary

That Mr. Burke was removed
from the Court of Sessions
the 1st of the month of July

Ordinary That Mr. Burke be removed from
the Court of Sessions

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

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

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

P.L.C. Letter No 20755/55. 2nd April
Applying for the appointment of
Mr. [Name] as one of the officers of
the [Name] of the [Name].

P.L.C. Letter No 20555/55. 5 April
In reference to the [Name] of [Name]
The [Name] in the [Name] of
[Name] that [Name] and [Name] the
[Name] [Name] [Name] the [Name]
[Name] of the [Name] [Name] [Name]
and [Name] the [Name] [Name] [Name]
[Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]

P.L.C. Letter No 21.245/55. 5 April
[Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]
[Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]
[Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]
[Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]
[Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]

and desiring to be informed of the
steps that have been taken to carry
into effect the provisions of the Act,
whether the execution of the same
would be practicable, &c. &c. and
in providing a [Name] [Name] [Name]
has been [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]
to the [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]
has made the [Name] [Name] [Name]
to the [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]
[Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]

P.L.C. Letter No 185 [Name] 5 April
[Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]
[Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]
[Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]
[Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]
[Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]
[Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]
[Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]

P.L.C. Letter No 189 [Name] 5 April
[Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]
[Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]
[Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]
[Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]
[Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]

P.L.C. Letter No 21.245/55. 5 April
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[Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name] [Name]

Letter from Mr. M. M. Malley, R.O.
Gentlemen, I beg to acquaint you that I received
a report on yesterday that the body of a man
was found on the Mountain of [Name] on
the Central Division of [Name], where I
proceeded at once accompanied by the Sergeant
of Police of that District, and on making a

Search discovered the body lying in the Mountain without any clothes save an old waistcoat & an old shirt. I was not able to identify it, but the Surgeant was, having seen him a few days previously, and stated that when he saw him wandering he was deaf & dumb, and only made signs when demanding anything. It appears to me he was not a native of this Country. I beg to add that there was no previous application made to me by the deceased either directly or indirectly.

Sign Mathias Manley
Relieving Officer

Ordered to be inserted in the Minutes & notice sent to the Rectors, Magistrate - and the Relieving Officer & the Board -

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 - - -

Of these disallowed - - -

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

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

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Proposed By Mr. Hill...
Resolved That the...
Resolved That the...
Resolved That the...

Resolved That the...
Resolved That the...
Resolved That the...

Resolved That the...
Resolved That the...
Resolved That the...

Resolved That the following be the...
Resolved That the following be the...

- Bullmattell
- Guggen
- Jack Hobbs
- Newell
- Smith
- Hinneston
- Y. H. H.
- Langley
- Smith
- Universon
- Winn

of our District

- Universon
- Ellen
- Winn
- Winn
- Winn
- Winn
- Winn

Winn

Resolved that the amount of £1000 be paid to the following Officers to be ascertained as the same shall be required to be paid.

The following are the names of the Officers to be paid the sum of £1000 -

Mr. J. J. O'Connell, Chairman of the Committee
Mr. J. J. O'Connell, Secretary of the Committee
Mr. J. J. O'Connell, Treasurer of the Committee
Mr. J. J. O'Connell, Clerk of the Committee

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Mr. J. J. O'Connell, Clerk of the Committee

Mr. J. J. O'Connell, Chairman of the Committee	£50.0.0
Mr. J. J. O'Connell, Secretary of the Committee	15.10.0
Mr. J. J. O'Connell, Treasurer of the Committee	11.2.11
Mr. J. J. O'Connell, Clerk of the Committee	6.11.56
Total	£83.13.7

Resolved that the sum of £1000 be paid to the following Officers to be ascertained as the same shall be required to be paid.

Attest
Sam^l J. Jones
Clerk of the Union.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday the 13th day of April 1853.
(Signed) Sam^l J. Jones
Clerk of the Union.

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SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.

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

MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT,—14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

*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:*

*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 22 and 23 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts.]

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

_____ District £
_____ District £

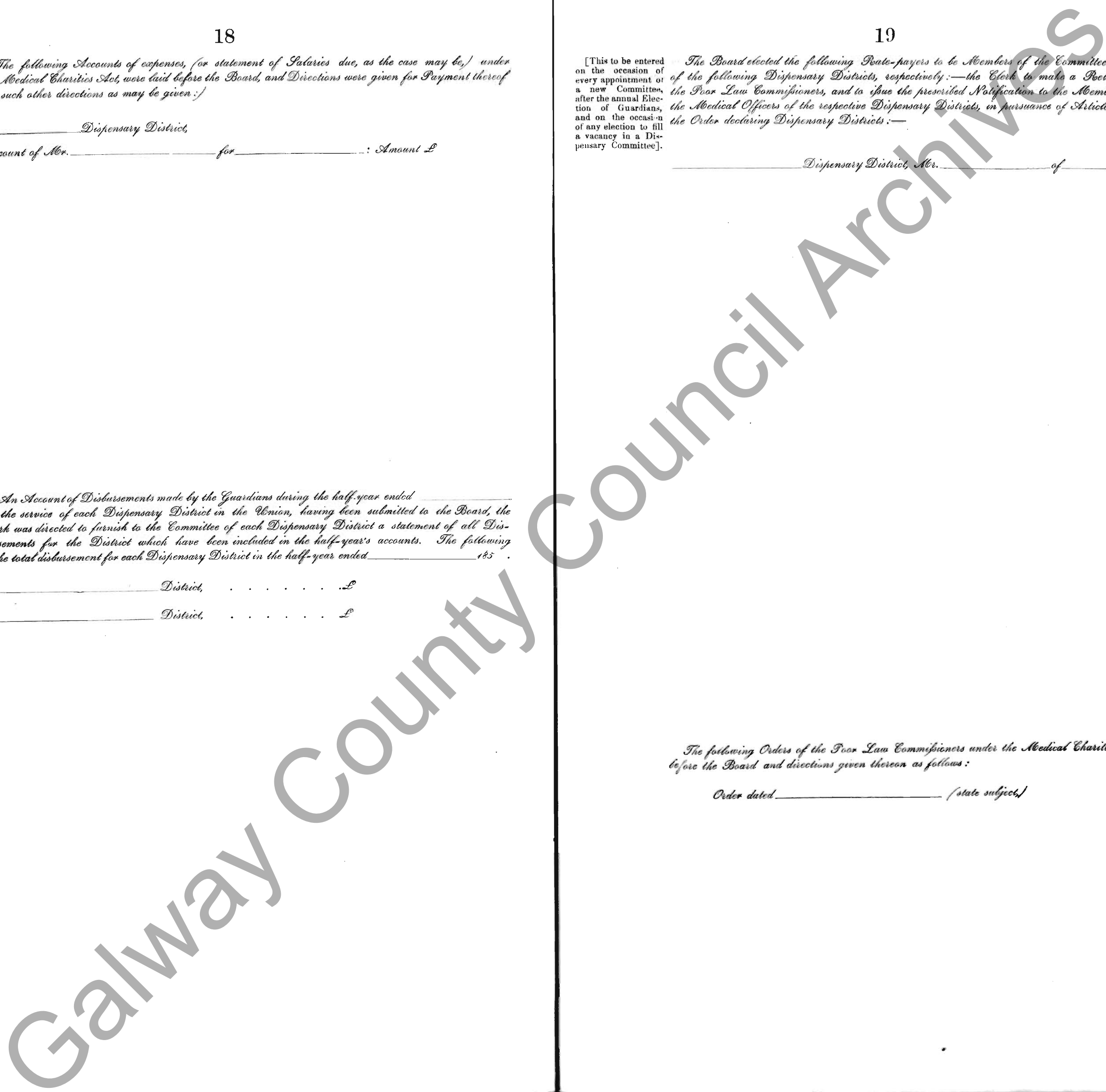
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill a vacancy in a Dispensary Committee].

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 9, 10, and 11, of the Order declaring Dispensary Districts:—

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

*Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that*

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

CLIFDEN UNION.

Population in 1851, 25,389.

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

day of *April* 1853.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse,	100	100												
Temporary Buildings,														
Additional Workhouse,														
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,														
Total,	100	100												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			50	100	15	30	70	10	20	0	25	20		
Admitted during the Week,			8	20								13		
TOTAL,			58	120	15	30	70	10	20	0	25	33		
Discharged during the Week,			1	1										
Died,														
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	1										
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			57	119	15	30	70	10	20	0	25	33		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *13* day of *April* 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.	Cases.	Persons.		
No. I.							Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Wednesday* the *13* day of *April* 1853

PRESENT: In the Chair, *W. H. Blake Esq. Chairman*

Other Guardians: *Mr. Jones, Mr. Smith, Mr. Williams*

Mr. G. King, Mr. Thompson, Mr. Archer, Mr. Johnson & Mr. Lewis

John Hall Esq. Secy

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Warehouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 822 to No. 825, 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:

OLD UNION, CLIFDEN.

Name of Collector.	Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Francis Mullen, - - -	Clifden, - - -				42	9	0
Joseph M'Donnell, - - -	Rinvyle, - - -				35	14	0
Stephen M'Donough, - - -	Roundstone, - - -				382	7	2
William M'Dermott, - - -	Ballindoon, - - -				69	11	9
					516	11	11

*Balance owing Parish £ 122. 1. 2.
 Balance of £ 5
 Rate of 97. 7. 92
 £ 222. 11. 11*

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, - - - - £ 174. 4. 7

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 74. 11. 92

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was - £ 222. 11. 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.

NEW UNION, CLIFDEN.

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>Francis Mullen</i>	Clifden, - ✓ -	51	15	4				51	15	4			
	Derrylea, - - -							85	8	10			
	Inishbofin, - - -							58	5	12			
	Sillerna, - ✓ -	202	0	12				202	0	12			
					70	10	57				578	11	5
<i>Joseph M'Donnell</i>	Ballinakill, - ✓ -	28	7	1				121	2	5			
	Cleggan, - ✓ -	55	1	11				107	0	58			
	Cushkillery, - - -							120	11	5			
	Rinvyle, - - -							581	1	4			
					77	11	12				707	18	85
<i>Patrick M'Donnell</i>	Bennowen, - ✓ -	1	2	2				22	10	1			
	Derrycunlough, ✓ -							58	5	103			
	Dunloughan, ✓ -	12	14	4				118	4	3			
	Errislanen, - ✓ -	7	11	5				150	11	5			
					20	10	5				511	14	72
<i>Stephen M'Donough</i>	Bencorr, - - -							27	14	0			
	Illion, - - -							23	10	5			
	Moynes, - - -							19	5	8			
	Roundstone, - - -							399	3	3			
<i>William M'Dermott</i>	Knockboy, - - -							307	15	103			
	Owengowla, - - -							115	1	5			
	Skannive, - - -							105	11	3			
											1310	5	72
Total, - - -					170	11	1				5297	17	403

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 31 s. 1 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 30 19 4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 1 10

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 1 7 2

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:

500 lb. Bread	55 lb. Soap.
100 " Meat.	4 " Starch
2 Qt. O. milk	55 " Washing soap
1500 ft. Butte	
1 " Tea	
4 lb. Tea	
55 " Sugar	
55 " Rice	
100 lb. Butter	
4 " Oil	
10 " Lard	

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 4 day of April; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

<i>Stair Account</i>			
<i>25 lb. Canvas</i>	£	3	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

17 lb. Soap	1	1	0
18 lb. Tea	1	0	0
19 lb. Sugar	1	2	0
20 lb. Flour	1	8	0
21 lb. Butter	1	4	0
22 lb. Rice	1	2	0
23 lb. Oil	1	0	0
24 lb. Starch	1	15	0
25 lb. Washing soap	1	0	0

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.
3	James	Powdermill	11	5	0
4	William	Johns	2	9	7
5	Mr. P.	Levy	1	15	7
6	Mr.	Adams	8	1	5
7	Wm.	Pat.	25	14	9
8	John	Griffin	7	15	5
9	P.	Mulla	2	5	5
10	Mr.	Shaw	5	5	10
11	John	Quinn	1	11	0
12	J.	J. Wright	4	11	1
13	J.	Adams	15	10	0
14	J.	McGraw	2	0	0
15	J.	Mulla	1	15	0

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account. Continued

		£	s.	d.
15	J.	2	5	0
		107	1	4

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:

My Master's Report.

The Master reports that in consequence
of the want of the bread he has
gone to Clifden 102 of unseasoned
Lump for 1 week but in being of mill
on Sunday, Tuesday & Wednesday last
that he is then the 4 centners of
but in a deficient supply, which
enabled him to bring out the
flour.

The Master reports the bad quality of
the mill to the several Officers
also complaints of it.

The Master reports that the Centre
is not getting on with the
grinding of the workmen.

Ordered That the
Lump be ordered

That to be ordered
to be ordered
to be ordered

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

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

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

R. G.

Enclosure No 179 / No 50. 50th Feb.
Accompanying Copy of 7th Annual Report of the Commissioners in pursuance of the provisions of the Medical Charities Act.

Read

Letter from Education Officer of April 1848. enclosing copy of an Act of State of Education. The following Extracts from the District Inspector's Report of the 15th Ultimo. The literary acquirements of the scholars, and their skill of conducting the business are tolerable.

Small School = Considerable improvement has been made in the principal branches taught, spelling in particular. The scholars are quiet & obedient the junior

Senior pupils of 2 classes. It is to be desired that a more systematic arrangement be made in the school. The mode of writing is very good. Copy books are kept neatly. The papers show that arithmetic tables.

Grammar - The answering was pretty good. There is much improvement. Geography - Some classes showed tolerable skill. The 3rd class papers have made satisfactory improvements.

Attendance - The attendance in the school is not so good as it should be. It is difficult to state positively as to the proficiency of the pupils. However I think that improvement has been made in spelling, reading and writing. Geography has not been sufficiently attended to, and Grammar is not taught. All from 2nd class upwards should commence the study of these branches without further delay.

The School seems well kept, clean, & neat, and discipline and order are well observed.

R. G.

Let. No 21. 50 / 100. 9th April requesting to be informed of the Rev. Mr. McManis's address & stating that they are desirous that the Rev. Mr. Fitzmaurice should send in his resignation to them if the office of M. C. of the North-western is the vacant one.

Answers Copy books given to the teachers.

Answered that on 10th he had written to Mr. McManis & Mr. Fitzmaurice.

P. Kelly No 23253/53 - 12th April
 Stating that they considered that less than
 3 relieving officers would not be sufficient
 to attend to the wants of the Poor with their
 and recommending that the same be considered
 the subject with a view to the services of
 3 R Officers being retained

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	-	-	~
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	~
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	~
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	~

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

In reference to minutes of 16th 30th 1853
 Dr. P. Kelly reported that he had
 the amount due to the Poor Law
 Office at 24/-
 On 10th that a 1/2nd of the amount of the
 amount subject to the 1st of 1853

Resolved that the Clerk be directed to
 lay before the Board of Guardians a return
 of all the officers employed in carrying out the
 Medical Officer's orders with the
 salaries paid to each of them & for
 a return for the amount paid for
 expenses with the cost of
 medicine, and every other expense
 which may be incurred
 that the Clerk will also write to the
 Unemployed Guardians Committee
 to determine the salaries paid
 to the officers employed in carrying
 out the 1st of 1853

Resolved further that the Clerk do the
 same day as lay a return before
 the Board showing the number
 of officers employed in that return
 setting forth the salaries paid to
 each officer.

Resolved that in consequence of the
 letter No 23,203/53. the Clerk be
 ordered to advertise for three relieving
 officers for the following districts at
 the following salaries, appointments
 to take place this day fortnight.

Records

No 1 Widow's Pension Commission

}	Widow E. O'Connell
	Doyle " "
	Smith " "
	Keenan " "
	Dunne " "

No 2 Widow's Pension Commission

}	Dunne " "
	Doyle " "
	Keenan " "
	Smith " "
	Widow " "

No 3 Widow's Pension Commission

}	Dunne
	Doyle
	Keenan
	Smith
	Widow
	Widow

Resolved by Mr. Smith & Thomas G. O'Connell
 Resolved that the P. Office in the District
 No 1 & 2, be paid in salaries of £200
 each yearly, and that the P. Office of
 the No 3 District be paid £250
 yearly.
 Appropriation to District No 1
 & District No 2 be £1000
 now let by a quantity of four.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wed the 20
 day of April 1853.

(Signed) McNulty
 Clerk of the Union.

Mr. Smith brought before the Board a petition
 on the part of 9 tent farmers in the Union
 & a petition for what it appeared that
 they had stated for the tent farmers in the
 late District of a Commission for that
 purpose.

The Clerk stated that he as Returning
 Officer had under the Vote of £100 of
 the tent farmers to namely Walter
 O'Connell of Schynliffe. After some
 discussion on the subject it was

Resolved that the Commission be Mr. O'Connell
 & Mr. Smith be the Committee of
 the Board to examine the petition
 of the tent farmers & to report
 appointment of a Commission to that
 effect.

The Clerk read the petition of the
 Committee & Mr. O'Connell
 when there appeared 8 votes in favor
 for Mr. O'Connell and 10 votes for Mr. Smith
 10 votes for Mr. O'Connell
 rejected, and 10 votes for Mr. Smith
 rejected.

The following expenses were ordered to be paid
 from the balance of £4000 of the Union
 as follows:—

No 115	Exp. of the Union	£50.
" 117	Dr. Exp. of the Union	15.10.
" 118	Dr. Exp. of the Union	4.2.11.
" 119	Dr. Exp. of the Union	8.14.5.

Walter O'Connell Chairman
 William Gorry
 John King

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SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.

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

MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT,—14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

*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:*

*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 22 and 23 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts.]

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill a vacancy 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 Postern 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 9, 10, and 11, of the Order declaring Dispensary Districts:—

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

*Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that*

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

CLIFDEN UNION.

Population in 1851, . . . 25,389.

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of April 1853

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,	1244	657														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,																
Fever Sheds,																
Total,	1244	657														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			22	120	11	32	72	135	2	10	38	553	In Workhouse Hospital, 11	In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital, 5		
Admitted during the Week,			4	3									10			
TOTAL,			26	123	11	32	72	135	2	10	38	563	Total, 21	Total, 5		
Discharged during the Week,																
Died,																
Total Discharged and Dead,																
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			26	123	11	32	72	135	2	10	38	563				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10th day of April 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.	Cases.	Persons.		
No. I.							Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 20th day of April 1853

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. Hunt G. Gham in

Other Guardians: Mr. Quigg Mr. King Mr. Sage Mr. Curham

Mr. Morris Mr. Linnig

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. _____ 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:

OLD UNION, CLIFDEN.

Name of Collector.	Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Francis Mullen, - - -	Clifden, - - -	-	-	-	42	9	0
Joseph M'Donnell, - - -	Rinvyle, - - -	-	-	-	50	11	0
Stephen M'Donough, - - -	Roundstone, - - -	-	-	-	382	9	22
William M'Dermott, - - -	Ballindoon, - - -	-	-	-	69	14	7
					551	44	29

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.

NEW UNION, CLIFDEN.

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>Francis Mullen</i>	Clifden, - ✓	11	12	50				47	5	10			
	Derrylea, - ✓	12	10	0				7	10	10			
	Inishbofin, - -	-	-	-				48	6	12			
	Sillerna, - ✓	9	18	2				142	1	12			
					67	3	22				879	7	42
<i>J. M'Donnell</i>	Ballinakill, - ✓	10	5	4				102	1	1			
	Cleggan, - ✓	11	9	7				94	19	10			
	Cushkillery, - -	-	-	-				120	11	6			
	Rinvyle, - ✓	10	5	4				344	17	0			
					46	11	3				693	7	02
<i>Pete Mullen</i>	Bennowen, - ✓	11	7	4				190	15	9			
	Derrycunlagh, - -	-	-	-				35	8	52			
	Dunloughan, ✓	-	-	-				11	10	3			
	Errislanen, - ✓	2	1	8				158	12	9			
					14	13	0				571	4	22
<i>James Mullen</i>	Bencorr, - -	-	-	-				79	14	0			
	Illion, - -	-	-	-				23	10	5			
	Moynes, - -	-	-	-				198	3	8			
	Roundstone, ✓	15	12	0				202	11	3			
<i>James Mullen</i>	Knockboy, - -	-	-	-				307	18	02			
	Owengowla, - -	-	-	-				116	1	8			
	Skannive, - -	-	-	-				165	11	0			
					56	12	0				1273	11	12
Total, - - -					104	19	02				3247	10	7

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

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

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

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

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

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 32. 5. 4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 12

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 1. 7. 6

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:

500 lb	Bread
80 "	Meal
2 cwt	Peas
100 lb	Flour
1/2 Ton	Starch
100 Boxes	Tea
15 "	Candles
56 "	Soap
11 "	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 16 day of April, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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

The Master reports that he attended at the
Chaplin petty session held on last
Tuesday to present 2 Boys charged with
having broken the window in front of
the Milliner on the day mentioned
They were committed for 1 month to
hard labour.

Approved

Resolved.

4 lbs thread, 1 pair shoes
1 lb 1/2 oz small Form held.
100 needles.

Carried

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

Resolved Order Passed 8th April 1853.
in the subject of Union Accounts.

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

P.L.C. Circular No 199 of 5th April
accompanying sealed order as above.

P.L.C. Circular No 205 of 5th April
desiring to be furnished with a
return of rates made good as in
the Union.

P.L.C. Letter No 25.130 of 5th April
concerning the payment of a sum
of £4 to Mr James Denny for
compensation for injury done his
stone cart by an overloading of stone.

P.L.C. Letter No 25.130 of 5th April
involving question to be answered as
signed by Agents of Union, and
Relieving Officers.

Letter from the Hon. Patrick McNeill
Pastor of the

acknowledging receipt of letter of the
said stating that he can furnish no
information, about the conduct of the
Rev. Mr. Fitzmaurice as he does not
know it.

That the Rev. Mr. McNeill was led to believe
that his appointment, as Chaplain
to the Chaplain Mr. McNeill, was made
he was connected with the appointment
as pastor of this parish.

That Mr. Fitzmaurice having resigned
his spiritual charge and thereby
vacating all official connection
with the Church and that in fact
he is recognized as the Chaplain
within the Corporation and himself
shall be held responsible for the
discharge of any of the duties
appertaining to the Chaplaincy
of the Church of St. Mary's.



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

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

Ditto disallowed - - -

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

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

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Resolved that the tender of Mr. John Cooper to supply the Workhouse with beds & duvets at £5.10.0 per ton, and Cotons at £11.9.0 per ton for six months be accepted.

That the tender of Mr. S.M. Cooper to supply the Workhouse for six months with Soap, at £8.5.0 per ton be accepted.

Ordered that when the master finds the milk to be of an inferior quality, he be directed to return it to the contractor and procure such as if it cannot be procured to use foreign milk & to its stead.

The following notice was handed in:

Having given notice that I will on this day forth apply that Mr. Michael Ginnally the present Agent of the Workhouse be allowed an increase of Salary, from £107 to £200 per annum, in recognition of his steady honest and indefatigable attention to his duties while employed in the Workhouse. Signed Edward Lopez.

Proposed by Mr. Ginnally & seconded by Mr. John King.

Resolved that the petition & parchment now laid before the Board relative to the execution of a Breakwater at Galway shall be accepted by the Board. Signed by Mr. Ginnally under the Board's seal.

Proposed by Mr. Ginnally, seconded by Mr. Morris.

Resolved that the petition & parchment now laid before the Board relative to the New Line of Railroad from the City of Anway to Colons be now accepted by the Board, and be signed by the Chairman & sealed with the seal of the Board.

The following notice was handed in:

The notice in the day forth last we move the rescinding of the Resolutions regarding the Board's claim against the Rate payers of the Union.

Signed John King

Ordered that the [unclear] [unclear] be allowed such
ratios as the other Officers

Robert P. [unclear] Chairman

Wm. J. [unclear]

Thomas [unclear]

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

the

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.

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

MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT,—14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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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 £

An Account of Disbursements made by the Guardians during the half-year ended _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 22 and 23 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts.] for the services of each Dispensary District in the Union, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all Disbursements for the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total disbursement for each Dispensary District in the half-year ended _____ 185 .

_____ District	£
_____ District	£

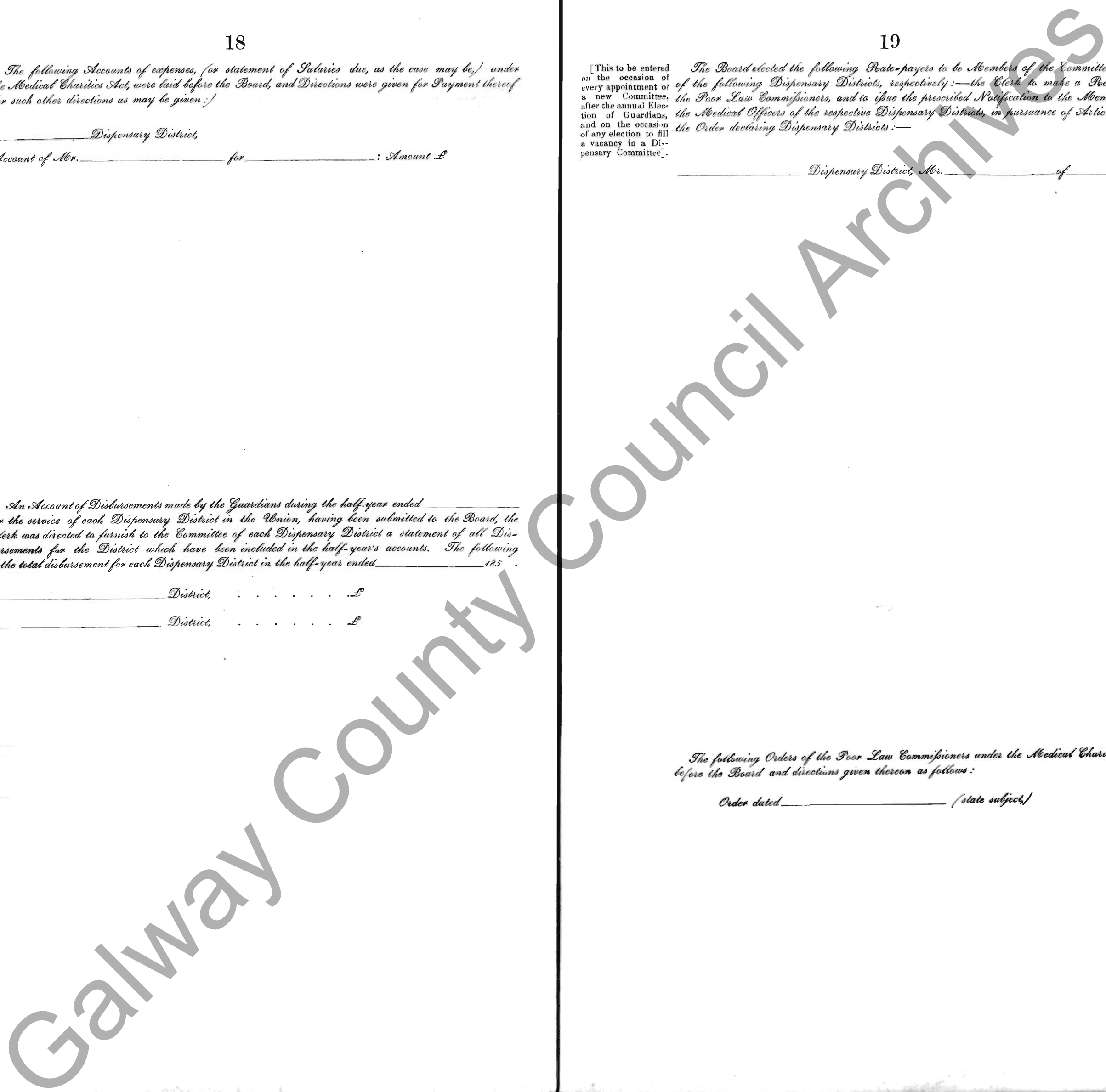
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill a vacancy in a Dispensary Committee].

The Board elected the following Poate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Poeturn accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 9, 10, and 11, of the Order declaring Dispensary Districts:—

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

CLIFDEN UNION.

Population in 1851, . . . 25,389.

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of April 1853.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in such building on the above date.	Able bodied.		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . .	124	583												
Temporary Buildings, .														
Additional Workhouse, .														
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, . . .														
Total, . . .	124	583												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			57	127	14	33	72	135	52	30	37	57	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates,
Admitted during the Week, .			1	10			1	3	2		2	19		
TOTAL, . . .			58	137	14	33	73	138	54	30	39	56	72	72
Discharged during the Week, .			2	4			1	3			1	11		
Died,			1	1								2		
Total Discharged and Dead, .			3	5			1	3			1	13		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			55	132	14	33	72	135	52	30	38	53		

Deaths 2nd

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 23rd day of April — authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday, the 27th day of April 1853

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. Hunt W. Chairman.

Other Guardians: Mr. Puri Mr. Sully Mr. Smith.

Mr. Hayes Mr. Thomas Mr. H. J. O'Connell Mr. Joyce Mr. A. G. O'Connell
Mr. Conroy Mr. John Wray Mr. Archer.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Galway County

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. _____ 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:

OLD UNION, CLIFDEN.

Name of Collector.	Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Francis Mullen, - - -	Clifden, - - -	-	-	-	42	7	0
Joseph M'Donnell, - - -	Rinvyle, - - -	-	-	-	35	14	0
Stephen M'Donough, - - -	Roundstone, - - -	-	-	-	382	7	2
William M'Dermott, - - -	Ballindoon, - - -	-	-	-	65	14	7
					530	4	9

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.

NEW UNION, CLIFDEN.

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>J. Mullen</i>	Clifden, - - -	70	7	11				398	5	0			
	Derrylea, - - -	-	-	-				75	15	10			
	Inishbofin, - - -	-	-	-				68	6	10			
	Sillerna, - - -	8	15	11				183	5	03			
					85	13	10				723	14	0
<i>J. M'Donnell</i>	Ballinakill, - - -	28	11	1				104	5	0			
	Cleggan, - - -	1	14	12				95	5	7			
	Cushkillery, - - -	14	11	10				105	7	8			
	Rinvyle, - - -	85	10	5				259	8	5			
					130	7	5				582	19	4
<i>J. Mullen</i>	Bennowen, - - -	-	-	-				195	12	7			
	Derrycunlough, - - -	-	-	-				58	8	5			
	Dunloughan, - - -	-	-	-				117	10	3			
	Errislanen, - - -	-	-	-				158	12	7			
											571	4	2
<i>J. Mullen</i>	Bencorr, - - -	-	-	-				99	14	0			
	Illion, - - -	-	-	-				23	10	5			
	Moynes, - - -	-	-	-				198	0	8			
	Roundstone, - - -	28	7	5				333	11	7			
<i>J. Mullen</i>	Knockboy, - - -	-	-	-				307	15	0			
	Owengowla, - - -	-	-	-				115	1	8			
	Skannive, - - -	-	-	-				155	11	3			
											1445	11	7
					28	19	5				3042	9	3
Total, - - -					245	0	10				3042	9	3

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 26 s. 1 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 32 . 0 . 1

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 12 2

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 1 . 7 3

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:

100 lb	Beans	100 Boxes	Butter
120 "	Meat	2 lb	W. Powder
4 Cwt	O. Meal	10 lb	S. Oil
1000 qts	Milk	50 "	Soap
1 Bbl	Wine	1 "	Starch
50 lb	Rice	50 "	Loga
10 Cwt	Meal		
40 Cwt	Wheat		
20 Cwt	Barley		
1/2 Doz	Potatoes		
10 Cwt	Chickens		

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 23 day of April; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

41	Huffman	for Stationery	✓	5	12	0
42	W. Gings	for Salary M ^r	✓	7	12	0
43	W. Gings	for do do	✓	5	1	5
44	W. Gings	for do do	✓	2	0	0
45	W. Gings	for postage	✓	2	0	0
46	W. Gings	for paper & ink	✓	1	5	5
47	W. Gings	for loan of costs	✓	10	15	0
48	W. Gings	for postage	✓	9	0	0
49	J. Mallen	for do do	✓	0	0	0
50	J. Mallen	for do do	✓	6	15	0
51	J. Mallen	for do do	✓	10	3	

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.
28	L Pendergast	Bread	✓	2	8 0
29	C. D. Davis	Provision	✓	8	0 0
30	L. G. Davis	Meat	✓	2	10 0
31	P. Davis	Milk	✓	7	11 0
32	Mr. Sabat	Meat	✓	2	18 7
33	L. Pendergast	Meat	✓	10	11 10
34	P. Davis	Milk	✓	12	5 2
35	L. G. Davis	Provision	✓	5	7 4
36	Mr. Shea	Meat	✓	5	15 10
37	L. G. Davis	Meat	✓	9	1 3
38	R. Spalman	Meat	✓	2	7 5
39	P. H. Allen	Meat	✓	1	9 2
49	L. G. Davis, (Wanted to purchase Bill)		✓	2	0 0
49	W. P. Allen	Meat	✓	4	1 11

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account

			£	s.	d.
	Establishment forward				
52	Pat Brady	Meat	✓	1	19 0
53	J. Johnson	Meat	✓	2	07 11
54	J. Johnson	Meat	✓	1	15 2
55	R. Smith	Meat	✓	21	0 0
56	Mr. Kelly	Meat	✓	1	18 0
57	L. P. Allen	Meat	✓	4	1 11
58	W. White	Meat	✓	1	5 6

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:

Master's Journal.

That Master reports that there is no Rye Meal
to be had in Galway the Committee have been
using Indian Meal for about for Breakfast
and Dinner for the last 2 days. that he
has given of Yarrow 4. 5 & 6. - 4 of white Bread
for Supper as recommended by the Medical
Officer the 13th January, last.

That in consequence of the Contractor not sending
any Beef for the last 2 days the Master was
obliged to procure a supply of Beef from two
different sources at 7/6 per Box the extra
price being charged to the Contractor & requests
the attention of the Board thereto.

That the Able Board Males & females are still
using Porcians soup for Breakfast in lieu
of milk

That there was a woman named Cathy'Brien
admitted to the Workhouse as a provincial
order on yesterday, as directed by the Master
Two Hours after her admission was delivered
of a Child to the female Surgeon Board.

Requird for Embroidery.

- 1 Box of Buttons
- 4 Cans of Sewing
- 4 Knives of Forks
- 4 Spindles
- 1 Carpet
- 1 Large Sewing Machine
- 1 Bowl of Sewing
- 2 plates

The Clerk reports that he has
a letter from the Committee to
buy the Rye Meal and will be
away to Galway and will be
back soon.

App^o of the Master
cannot see the money
except it will be.

Approved

John J. [unclear]

Master

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

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

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

P.B.C.

Letter No 225 N/53. 25 April
Desiring to be furnished with a
return relative to 1st detachment
of the emigrants.

P.B.C.

Letter No 27. 155/53. 25 April
Relating in reference to the order
of the Board on last Monday
that the meat should
be continued not to omit to be
account of food & preparation of
landed goods, in the preparation
of four emigrant ships. According
to a former order of the Board
in reference, requesting the atten-
tion of the Board to the letter
of the 5th inst. in which
they requested to be informed
whether the additional expenses
incurred in procuring mill

Ordered that the Commission be
informed that the order passed on
the 18th inst. for the emigrants
should be not more than the
price paid for the mill.

and in providing a substitute had
been retained from the Contract, and
how much the difference between the
Contract & amount.

Letter from Mr. Blake of Newcastle, stating
that he was prepared to pay all the
rates due on his property in the
Parish of ... in the ... amount
- might allow him the usual rebate
made in such cases, and which is allowed
by act of parliament.

Ordered that the Clerk
inform him that the people
cannot be returned to
the ...

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

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

Ditto disallowed - - - - -

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

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

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Proposed by Mr. Suby, and Seconded by Mr. Poir: Resolved that the Board request of Dr. Suggitt to have an estimate laid before the Board of the expense which would be incurred in putting up the new Dispensary and putting it in condition for the reception of the medicine, and that the Clerk be directed to give notice to the party at present in possession that the Board require him to surrender same forthwith.

Proposed by Mr. Poir, Seconded by Mr. Hoyle Resolved that a general Revision of all the inmates of the Workhouse be held on Wednesday next at 9 o'clock in the morning previous to the sitting of the Board and that all the Officers, and Guardians get notice of same and be requested to attend at that time as it is necessary to see that none but inmates that are entitled remain in the House, should be left in the House.

The Clerk laid before the Board a summons which had been served at the date of Mr. Anne White's late Misdemeanor for wages alleged to be due when. It was proposed that the Solicitor be directed to defend the same.

In the Resolution

Mr. Whitehead and

Mr. Poir

Mr. Hunt.

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Against it

Mr. Hoyle

Mr. Camp

Mr. Gibson

Mr. Loper

Mr. Ironing

Mr. Hoyle

Mr. Hunt

Mr. Suby

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Four applications for the Office of Relieving Officer were made by the Board

Resolved that Mr. William White be appointed Relieving Officer of No 8 Workhouse District at a salary of £25 that Mr. Walter Camp be appointed R. Officer of No 2 Workhouse District at a salary of £20 per annum

proposed

Proposed by Mr. Prior, & seconded by Mr. Archer.
That Mr. S. Kearns be appointed N. Officer of No. 1 (M) District

Moved as an amendment by Mr. Hazell
Seconded by Mr. Joyce.

That Robert Conroy be appointed

- | | |
|-------------------|---------------|
| For Robert Conroy | For S. Kearns |
| Mr. Gorkham | Mr. King |
| Mr. Joyce | Mr. Jennings |
| Mr. Hazell | Mr. Jones |
| Mr. Hart | Mr. Scully |
| | Mr. Prior |
| | Mr. Archer |

Mr. Kildebrand Mr. Conroy
declined to vote.

Resolved that Mr. Kearns be appointed at a salary of £20/- per annum.

Mr. King informing, those having applied for leave of absence, for a week & he is on.

Ordered that the a yet a week leave, the District Sanitary Inspector, Mr. Conroy to be appointed on his return while absent.

James Jones Ch^r
Patrick King
John Scully

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday the 11
day of May 1852.

(Signed) [Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

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SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.

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

MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT,—14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

*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:*

*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 22 and 23 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts.] An Account of Disbursements made by the Guardians during the half-year ended _____ for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all Disbursements for the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total disbursement for each Dispensary District in the half-year ended _____ 185 .

_____ District £
_____ District £

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

The Board elected the following Post-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Posturn 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 9, 10, and 11, of the Order declaring Dispensary Districts:—

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

*Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that*

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

CLIFDEN UNION.

Population in 1851, . . . 25,389.

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30 day of April 1857.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.										OBSERVATIONS.		
			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.		Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.							
Workhouse,	1244	549	55	132	14	33	72	135	54	30	3	563			
Temporary Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital,															
Fever Sheds,															
Total,															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			55	132	14	33	72	135	54	30	3	563	In Work-house Hospital, In Fever Hospital	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates,	
Admitted during the Week,			2	8	1	4	4	2				2	12		
TOTAL,			57	140	15	37	76	137	54	30	3	575	Total,	Total,	
Discharged during the Week,			3	8			1	3	3			2	23		
Died,				1				2				1	4		
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	9			1	5	3			3	27		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			52	129	15	33	71	132	51	30	3	548			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30 day of April authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 14 day of May 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, W. J. O'Connell

Other Guardians: W. Jones, M. Sully

Wm. Pat King, M. Vildhand, M. Morris
Wm. King, W. Fisher

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Galway County

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 855 to No. 800, 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:

OLD UNION, CLIFDEN.

Name of Collector.	Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Uncollected.
Francis Mullen, - - -	Clifden, - - -	" " "	42 9 0
Joseph M'Donnell, - - -	Rinvyle, - - -	" " "	35 14 0
Stephen M'Donough, - - -	Roundstone, - - -	" " "	382 7 2 1/2
William M'Dermott, - - -	Ballindoon, - - -	" " "	69 14 7
			550 49 1/2

*Balance of Union
Account at £122. 14. 2
Date the 14th 1851
£ 605 11. 3*

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, - - - - £252. 15. 5

Paid during the week, - - - - - £124 2. 7

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was - £605. 15. 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Clifden, - J - Derrylea, - J - Inishbofin, - J - Sillerna, - J -		57	0	0				547	5	0			
		5	0	0				68	15	0			
		7	0	0				59	6	12			
		7	1	0				176	6	0			
					72	0	0				651	14	0
Ballinakill, - J - Cleggan, - J - Cushkillery, - J - Rinvyle, - - -		14	17	1				87	8	11			
		2	4	5 1/2				90	1	3 1/2			
		2	1	8				103	18	0			
		"	"	"				257	8	6 1/2			
				20	3	2 1/2					542	16	9
Bennowen, - J - Derrycunlagh, - - - Dunloughan, - J - Errislanen, - J -		47	15	2				146	17	7			
		"	"	"				28	8	5 1/2			
		2	5	6				114	0	9			
		6	1	9 1/2				152	10	1 1/2			
				59	0	5 1/2					452	0	9
Bencorr, - - - Illion, - - - Moynes, - - - Roundstone, - - -								97	14	0			
								23	10	5			
								198	3	8			
								333	11	9			
Knockboy, - - - Owengowla, - - - Skannive, - - -								507	15	0 1/2			
								116	1	8			
								155	11	3			
											1244	17	1/2
Total, -				151	0	8					2591	31	1/2

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 £ 52 s. 2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 32. 3. 0

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 0 12 2

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 1. 8 2

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:

600 lbs Bread
 120 lbs Meat
 4 cwt Potatoes
 160 lbs Salt & Hmms
 2 Ton Indian Meal
 100 Bush Turf
 3 lbs Small Beans
 15 lbs Lipt do

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Richardson & Co. 11 5 1

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.

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

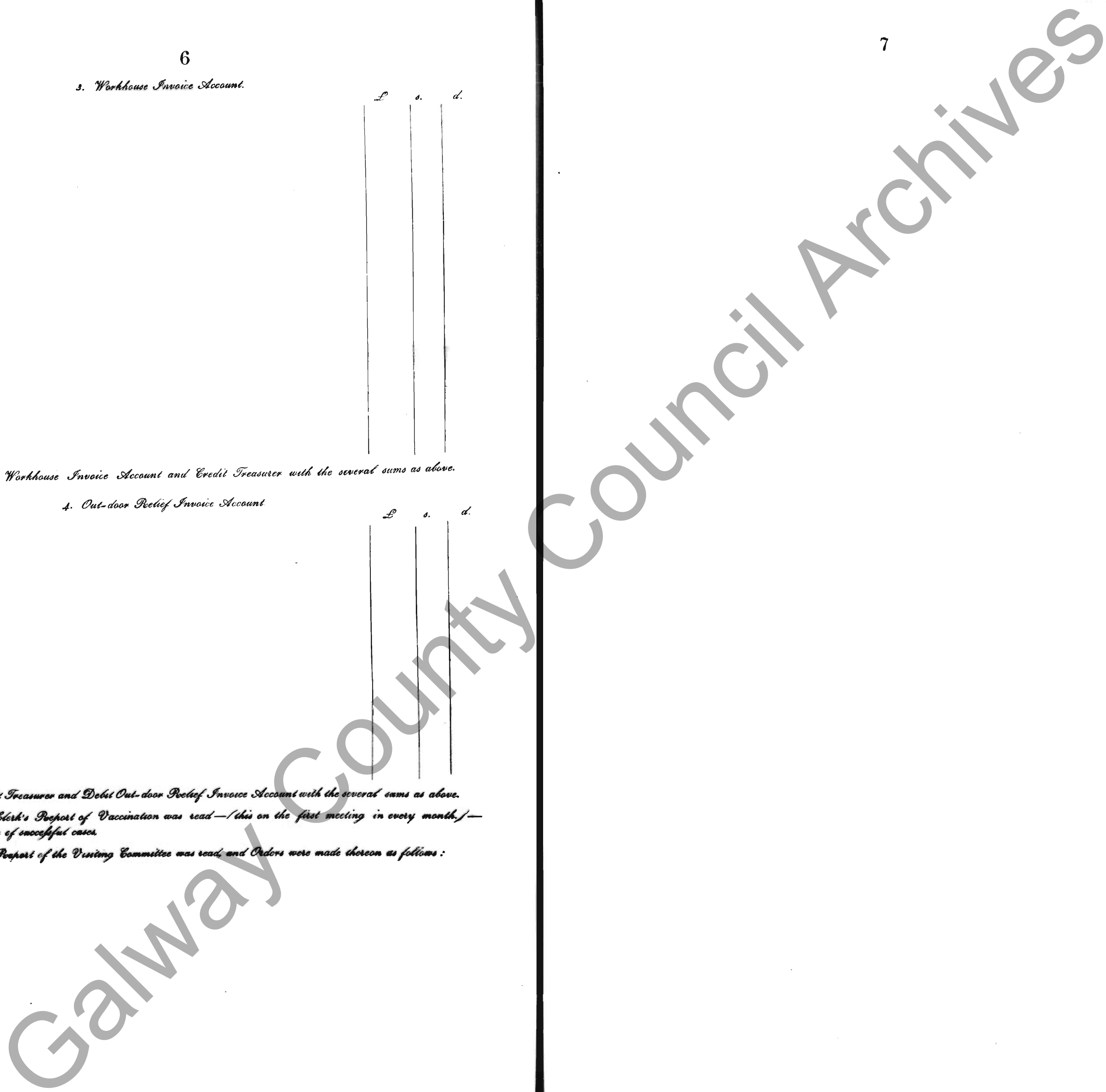
4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account

£	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 :



Master's Report.

The Master reports that he was obliged to return some of the milk supplied by the contractor as too inferior during the past week, being of an inferior quality, and to substitute for same soup for 1. 2. 3. & 4.

That he received 8 tons of provisions from the contractor in the 2nd inst. which enabled him to carry out the Duty.

That he the master made every exertion to purchase milk with little effect, many of the parties to whom he applied stated that they had customers in the town & the master not being in a position to take the milk regularly they could not loan it.

That he purchased 29 qrs milk at 2s per qt. the value being charged to the contractor.

That as consequence of the contractor not sending in a sufficient supply of beef last week the master was obliged to purchase 80 lbs beef from Mr. Pye at 10 per lb & 40 lbs from Mr. Down at the same price the value being charged to the contractor.

That the Able Seaman & Mate of several are still want of provisions soup for breakfast in hour of milk.

That the Board in front of the Northward room who proceeded in the night suggest that a horse cart be employed for conveying grain.

Blair

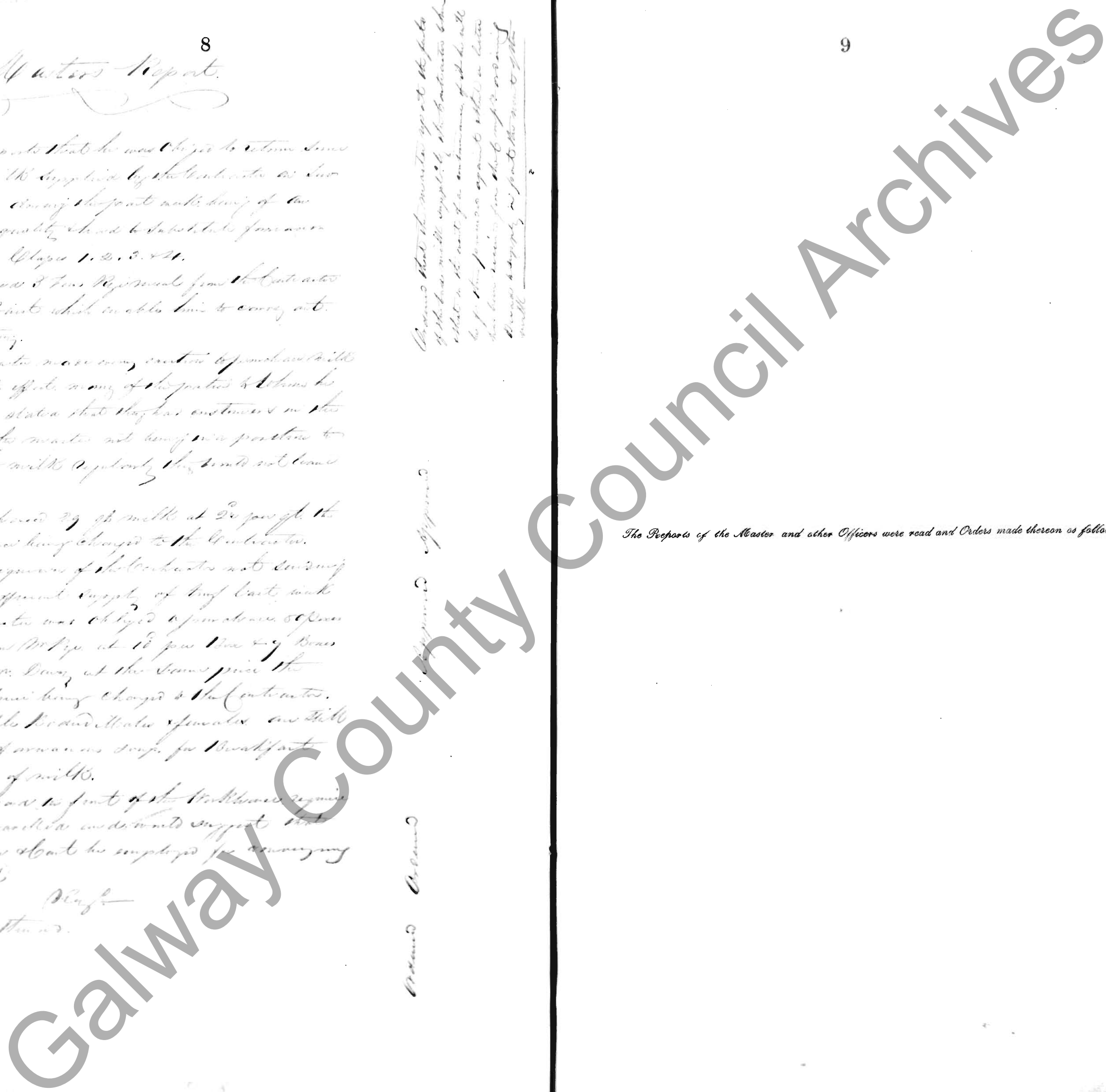
4th Decr.

Ordered that the master report the facts of the case with respect to the contractor's milk that is the cost of a gallon of milk will be for the purpose against what a letter has been received from the contractor saying that he will supply in front the amount of the

Approved

Ordered

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



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

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

P.L.C. Circular No 28.157. 28 April

Demands to be furnished with a Return showing the expenses of the Local Dispensary Districts under the Medical Act of 1861 to the 25 March last.

P.L.C. Letter No 28.785/83 - 2 May
Ordering to be furnished with a Return showing the number of Dispensaries in each District, the Revenue of the same (rated at 1/2 and 1/4 per acre) but not amounting to £200 and the number of Dispensaries rated at £200 or upwards.

P.L.C. Letter No 29.125-1850-5th May
In the subject of the 1849 Report Letter on the 18th day recommending that the Board provide a Board for the Disposal of the surplus on the part of any future year in respect of the surplus of the year 1849 for the same.

P.L.C. Letter No 29.125. 53-5th May
Resolving to be informed of the reasons why the Board should not be made up.

P.L.C. Letter No 29.137-5th May
Stating in reference to that Board day that the Board should at the earliest practicable period be made up and that the necessary steps to put the Dispensary in efficient operation for the Medical Relief of the Poor.

P.L.C. Letter No 29.537-1850-5th May
Stating that a sealed cover will be prepared for Mr. Williams's appointment to the Office of Norman Waterworks.

Letter from Mr. James Smith 3rd May
applying for payment of the balance of Messrs. Nicholson & Co. of £51.0.0 stating that unless paid within 14 days he will except legal proceedings for recovery of same.
Ordered that payment be made in the sum without further delay.

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

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

Ditto disallowed - - -

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

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

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Mr. Joyce having requested the Clerk to take the Chair it was taken by Samuel Bond Esq.

Proposed by Mr. Hildbrand & seconded by Mr. Morris that the Clerk of D. Dublin to put the new Dispensing House on paper order for the sum of £200 to be assigned & executed as directed by the Board & to be paid

For the Resolution	Against it
Mr. Morris	Mr. John King
Mr. Hildbrand	Mr. P. King
Mr. Joyce	Mr. B. Joyce
Mr. Kelly	Mr. W. King

Resolved that a development be put on for the use of the new Dispensing what a detailed estimate upon which the Board is prepared to accompany some, and the Committee will be declared in the way getting for the required papers, application to be made to the Clerk & will be assigned for the due execution of said work within a certain time.

Proposed by Mr. John King, seconded by Mr. Kelly (Morris) that a notice be given to the Board Room of the Old Poor House to be left open for any Workmen who should be have his money & expenses except when some cases of impotence comes before the Board & on which case a division is reported to arise.

Moved as an Amendment by Mr. Hildbrand & seconded by Mr. Morris that the Clerk in the reference to the admission of parties not members of the Board be as heretofore the Amendment was carried by a majority of one.

Moved that the Clerk make out Mr. John King's account and that a paper be drawn for the sum of due due on this day made.
 Adam Joyce
 William Joyce

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

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.

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

MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT,—14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

*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:*

*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 22 and 23 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts.] An Account of Disbursements made by the Guardians during the half-year ended _____ for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all Disbursements for the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total disbursement for each Dispensary District in the half-year ended _____ 185 .

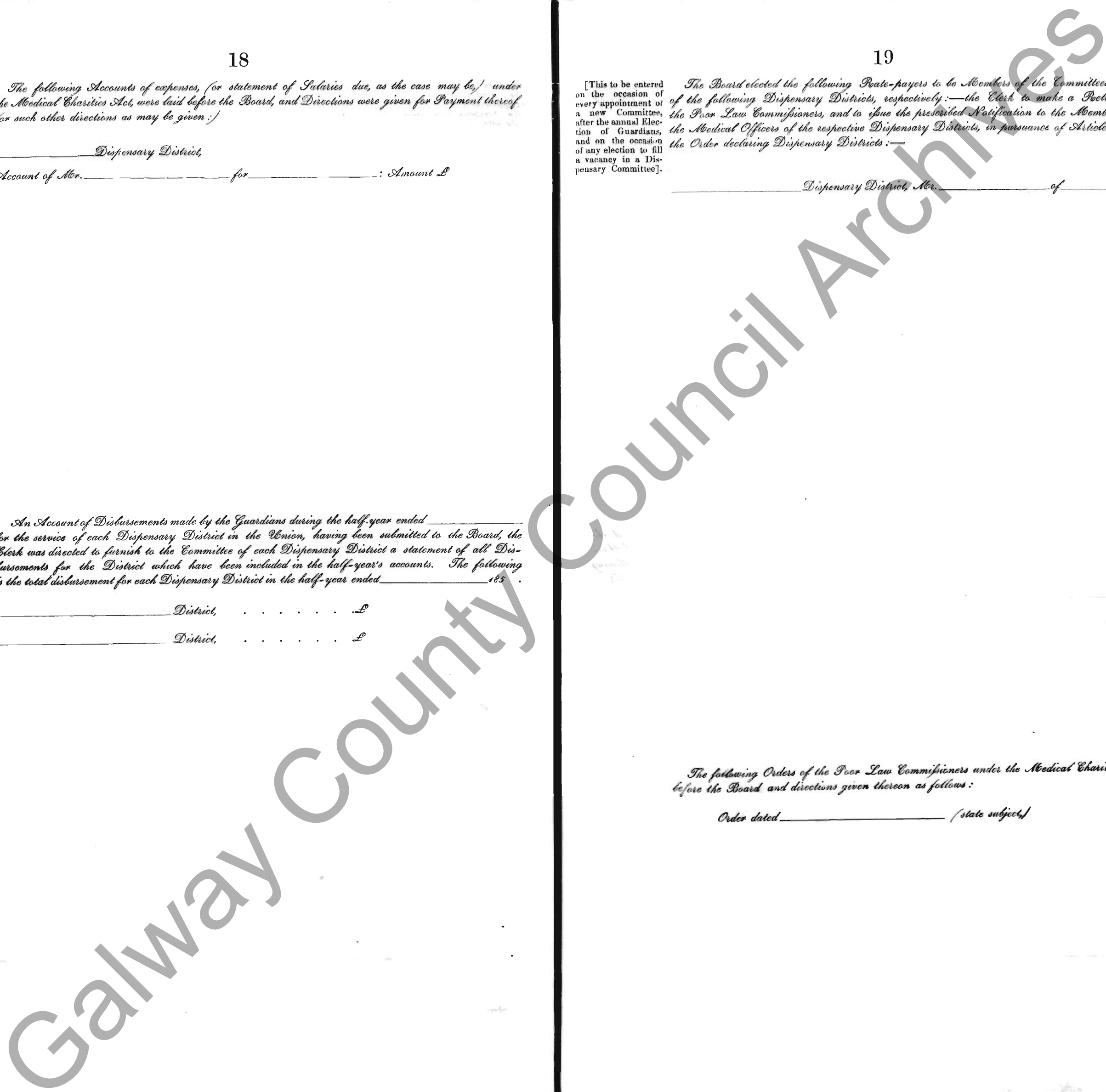
_____ District, £
_____ District, £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill a vacancy 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 9, 10, and 11, of the Order declaring Dispensary Districts:—

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

*Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that*

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

CLIFDEN UNION.

Population in 1851, . . . 25,389.

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 11 day of May 1853.

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,	1000	1000	82	157	14	32	7	122	51	30	27	247	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates,	Deaths 1
Temporary Buildings,	3	3													
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital,															
Fever Sheds,															
Total,															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			52	157	14	32	7	122	51	30	27	247	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates,	
Admitted during the Week,			2	5	1	1						14			
TOTAL,			54	162	15	33	7	122	51	30	27	261			
Discharged during the Week,															
Died,															
Total Discharged and Dead,															
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			52	157	15	34	7	123	51	30	26	247			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11 day of May authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 11 day of May 1853

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. James D. O. Chemmanur
 Other Guardians: Mr. George M. Laming, Mr. James M. M. M.
Mr. John M. M.
John M. M. Esq. P.L.S. attended with the meeting

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. _____ 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:

OLD UNION, CLIFDEN.

Name of Collector.	Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Francis Mullen, - - -	Clifden, - - -	-	-	-	42	9	-
Joseph M'Donnell, - - -	Rinvyle, - - -	-	-	-	25	14	-
Stephen M'Donough, - - -	Roundstone, - - -	-	-	-	382	7	20
William M'Dermott, - - -	Ballindoon, - - -	-	-	-	69	14	7
					530	4	27

McDonough of the Adm. of £ 122: 14: 2
do Rate of 559: 6: 11
682: 1: 12

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, - - - - £ 196. 15. 9.

Paid during the week, - - - - £ 120. 12. 11.

And that the Balance on the Account in favor the Guardians was - £ 682. 1. 12.

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.

NEW UNION, CLIFDEN.

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>Francis Mullen</i>	Clifden, - ✓ -	57	-	-				293	5	-			
	Derrylea, - ✓ -	8	-	-				60	15	10			
	Inishbofin, - - -	-	-	-				59	6	14			
	Sillerna, - ✓ -	8	-	-				158	5	02			
					70						571	14	-
<i>Joseph M'Donnell</i>	Ballinakill, - ✓ -	17	7	9				71	11	14			
	Cleggan, - - -	-	-	-				90	1	52			
	Cushkillery, - ✓ -	8	2	0				95	10	5			
	Rinvyle, - ✓ -	12	9	4				246	19	22			
					88	9	72				501	37	1-
<i>Pat Mullen</i>	Bennowen, - ✓ -	23	11	-				112	5	3			
	Derrycunlagh, - - -	-	-	-				28	8	52			
	Dunloughan, - - -	-	-	-				114	8	9			
	Errislanen, - - -	5	11	0				145	17	12			
					89	2	4				112	18	5-
<i>James McDonough</i>	Bencorr, - - -	-	-	-				99	14	0			
	Illion, - - -	-	-	-				23	10	5			
	Moynes, - - -	-	-	-				178	3	8			
	Roundstone, - - -	-	-	-				322	11	9			
											1344	11	72
<i>James McDonough</i>	Knockboy, - - -	-	-	-				307	18	12			
	Owengowla, - - -	-	-	-				115	1	8			
	Skannive, - - -	-	-	-				155	11	5			
											2443	11	2-
Total, - - -				147	11	112					7443	11	2-

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 £ 22 s. 7 d. 11

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 22. 7. 5

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 12 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 1. 8 1/2

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:

600 lbs	Bread	100 boxes	Inf
120 "	Meat	3 lbs	M. Care
4 qts	Oatmeal	15 "	D. Ar
1600 pts	Milk	58 "	Soup.
4 lbs	Tea.		
55 "	Sugar		
2 Bottles	Mai		
55 lbs	Wine		
1/2 Ton	S. Meal		
1/2 Ton	potw		

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 7 day of May, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

00	P. Quinn	Swamp	✓	8	4	4
00	James Gannally	Swamp	✓	8	4	0
70	Stephen Mallon	Utensils	✓	5	9	1
71	Stephen Mallon	Stationery	✓	2	1	7
74	John Quinn	Grain	✓	0	7	0
75	D. Cuffel	Swamp	✓	8	0	0

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

				£	s.	d.
62	James	Knudsgaard	Ram'd ✓	11	15	8
63	William	Salant	meat ✓	2	11	10
64	A.	Deery	milk ✓	10	5	9
65	J.	Guinn	meat ✓	2	11	1
66	J.M.	Pope	Meal ✓	21	10	0
67	J.	Gorman	Meal ✓	13	5	7
68	M.	Shaw	Inf ✓	2	5	1
69	A.	Keenan	meat ✓	1	11	8
72	Charles	Knudsgaard	Beas ✓	4	18	0
73	Robertson & Thomson	Meal ✓	18	9	7	
				92	0	3

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:

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Master's Report.

That 2 boys named Martin Walsh & Jas. Walsman who attended the Workhouse with Miss Glatton applied for admission into the Board's Day that he the master had them arrested on the warrants issued against them and some further committed for further examination.

That the Contractor is not supplying the quantity of milk required each day which prevents the Master from conveying out the Distillery that Works 10 & 12 and still using foraminous soup for breakfast and Dinner in lieu of milk

That he purchased 50 quarts of milk at 2d per qt. the extra price being charged to the Contractor.

That the Contractor has not finished the Repairing of the Workhouse yet and that not attend for the last 3 or 4 months and requests the Board will employ some other person to see to have the Repairing completed at once.

- Required,
- 12 Sweeping Brushes
- 12 White wash Brushes

Abandoned.

Henry Woods 12 years Journey, with a fall out of Miss Glatton.

Contractor that foraminous soup he uses at 2 1/2 the amount with 1/2 gallon of Water & that the other boys who charge with Milk Contractor

Contractor that he has not finished the Repairing of the Workhouse yet and that not attend for the last 3 or 4 months and requests the Board will employ some other person to see to have the Repairing completed at once.

Abandoned

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

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

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

P.L.C. Circular No 205 (11/53) C.M.A.,
Drawing to be furnished with
particulars respecting rates made
in regard to the Union.

P.L.C. Letter No 30,952, 1853, is the
subject of the complaint supplied
by Mr. M. for the Workhouse
Committee, and stating that it is
inexpedient to permit any
in the part of the Committee
recommending the Board of Guardians
to take steps to compel the
Contractor to adhere to the terms of
his Contract.

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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 - - - - - 147

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

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Mr. Fitzgerald left the Chair
It was proposed to read a Report
That Mr. John King, Clerk of the Chair,
Ordered that the Clerk be taken up the Meeting in the Street
as a Sunday matter and that the Meeting Committee
be summoned to attend.

Resolved that the Meeting Committee be formed of the
following Gentlemen Mr. Wood Mr. Dodson Mr. Gibson
Mr. G. P. Mr. Moore & Mr. King.

The Motion being applied for leave of absence for 10
or 12 days in consequence of ill health, it was

Ordered that the Motion be allowed leave of absence
for a fortnight, and that Mr. G. P. should
take charge in his absence.

The Sub-administrators of the Workhouse having tendered his
resignation of the office which was accepted, and
it was Ordered that a Schoolmaster be appointed
for in the ordinary packet election to take
place this day fortnight the person so to
appointed must produce a testimonial as
to his competence from one of the Superintendents of the
Commissioners of Education.

Ordered that the following Reports of the Visiting
Committee omitted in a former occasion be now
inserted as the minutes they have been approved
of by the Board.

It was this day reported a large quantity of Old
Clothing and found that the following articles were
for use, with the exception of 12 pieces of
Old Cloth - 1/2 - 78 Shirts 201 Shirts 188 Shirts
198 Blankets 102 Caps for females

William Jones
Anthony Gibson.

We have the Com. reported a large quantity of the following articles they being actually used - viz -

- 50 New Socks.
- 71 New Socks.
- 111 Bag Socks.
- 56 Bag Socks.
- 60 Women Shifts
- 144 New Shifts.
- 50 Infant Shifts
- 207 Women Petticoats
- 500 Girl Skirts.
- 20 Women Wappers.
- 20 Childrens Rits.
- 15 Child Blankets. 12 in x 18.
- 72 Bed Licks
- 18 Bed Licks for Mopping Cloth.

18 February, 1853.
Anthony Corkran
Edward Lyons.

Orders to the Clerk of the Board.
W. C. Black

Martin R. Dunt
Anthony Gorham
William Conroy

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the 18th day of May, 1853.

(Signed) W. C. Black
Clerk of the Union.

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SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.

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

MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT,—14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 22 and 23 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts.] An Account of Disbursements made by the Guardians during the half-year ended _____ for the services of each Dispensary District in the Union, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all Disbursements for the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total disbursement for each Dispensary District in the half-year ended 185 .

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

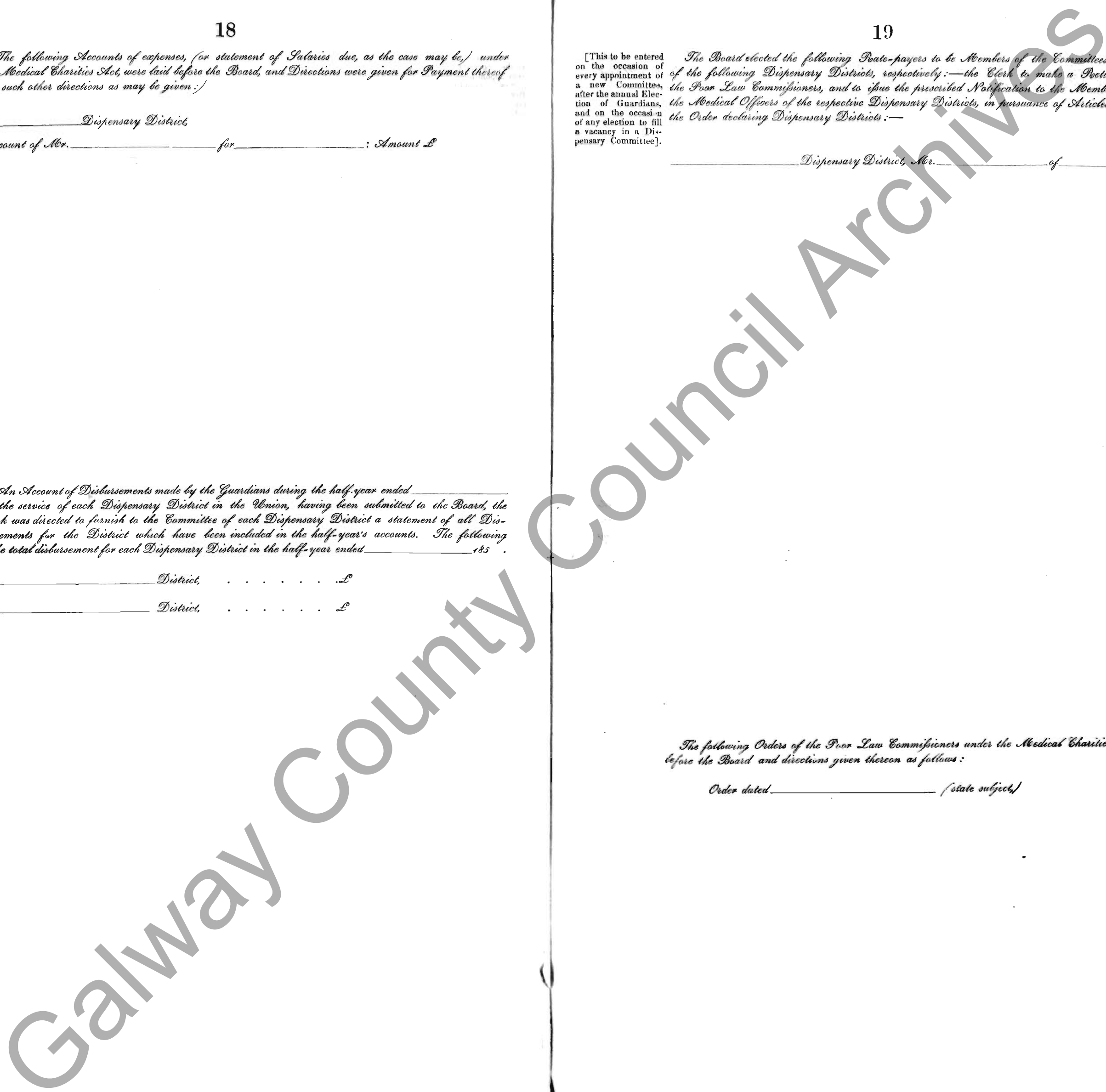
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The Board elected the following Poole-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Posturn accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 9, 10, and 11, of the Order declaring Dispensary Districts:—

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

*Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that*

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

CLIFDEN UNION.

Population in 1851, . . . 25,389.

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of May 1853.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	In Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . .	1344	570												
Temporary Buildings, . . .	7													
Additional Workhouse, . . .														
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .														
Fever Sheds, . . .														
Total, . . .	1344	570												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			48	129	15	34	73	103	51	30	56	549	In Work-house Hospital, 74	In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital, with other inmates, Total, . . . 74
Admitted during the Week, . . .			8	7	"	"	3	3	2	2	1	26		
TOTAL, . . .			56	136	15	34	76	106	53	32	57	575		
Discharged during the Week, . . .			1	1						1	"	3		
Died, . . .			"	1				1				2		Deaths 2
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			1	2	"	"	"	1	"	1	"	5		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			55	134	15	34	76	105	53	31	57	570		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11th day of May, 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. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 18 day of May, 1853.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. Wm. V. Phelan

Other Guardians: Mr. Twining, Mr. Sully, Mr. John King

Mr. Jackson, Mr. Morris, Mr. O'Connell

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 880 to No. 906, 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:

OLD UNION, CLIFDEN.

Name of Collector.	Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Francis Mullen, - - -	Clifden, - - -	-	-	-	42	9	-
Joseph M'Donnell, - - -	Rinvyle, - - -	-	-	-	35	14	-
Stephen M'Donough, - - -	Roundstone, - - -	-	-	-	382	7	2½
William M'Dermott, - - -	Ballinacorney, - - -	-	-	-	69	14	7
					530	49	9½

Balance forward of Income
 Advances of £ 122. 15. 2
 At Rate of £ 277. 19. 8
 600. 13. 10

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, - - - - £ 128. 15. 9½

Paid during the week, - - - - £ 210. 3. 1

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was - £ 600. 13. 10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

NEW UNION, CLIFDEN.

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>Francis Mullen</i>	Clifden, - ✓ -	81	-	-				252	6	-			
	Derrylea, - ✓ -	8	-	-				32	15	10			
	Inishbofin, - - -	-	-	-				57	6	13			
	Sillerna, - - -	3	-	-				165	5	11			
					42	-	-				539	11	-
<i>Joseph M'Donnell</i>	Ballinacorney, - ✓ -	111	-	-				27	11	10			
	Cleggan, - - -	-	-	-				90	1	32			
	Cushkillery, - - -	-	-	-				75	15	6			
	Rinvyle, - - -	-	-	-				246	17	20			
					114	-	-				1190	7	1
<i>Patrick Mullen</i>	Bennowen, - - -	-	-	-				113	0	3			
	Derrycunlagh, - - -	-	-	-				38	8	53			
	Dunloughan, - - -	-	-	-				114	3	9			
	Errislanen, - - -	-	-	-				146	19	11			
										412	18	5	
<i>James Crawford</i>	Bencorr, - - -	-	-	-				99	14	-			
	Illion, - - -	-	-	-				23	10	5			
	Moynes, - ✓ -	10	15	6				187	5	2			
	Roundstone, - ✓ -	4	3	102				329	7	102			
<i>James Crawford</i>	Knockboy, - - -	8	9	9				299	9	10			
	Owengowla, - - -	-	-	-				116	1	8			
	Skannive, - - -	-	-	-				185	11	3			
										20	12	15	
Total, - - -					79	12	15				2663	19	02

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 £ 27 s. 12 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 31. 15. 10

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 0 12 0

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 1. 9 5

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:

600 lbs Bread
120 " Meat
1600 lbs Milk
50 lbs Rice
2 " Tea
112 " Soap
4 " Tea
50 " Sugar
10 Out Meal
2 " Oatmeal

4 lbs Starch
1 Bottle Wine
1/2 Doz porter
100 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 12th day of May, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
87	6	19	6
	Huffman of Clothing		

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

2. Establishment Account.

78	6	11	3	Mr. North repairs of House
79	2	0	0	H. Smith of postage
80	4	0	0	Jas. Dancy repairs of House
81	3	0	0	B. Lyden Wine
82	1	5	0	W. Hawley Cleaning Clock
83	1	14	0	P. Walker of postage
84	1	0	0	Mr. Kent expenses of Appeal
85	10	0	0	H. Smith of Salary
86	6	10	5	J. Huffman of Stationary
88	0	18	0	J. Huffman for Stationary
89	-	7	6	J. King Corn
90	2	7	3	J. Garden do

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.
76	By	Inf	3	6	8
77	John Greeny	Mill B	1	12	2

Establishment of Com^o

91	Shobom	Salt	1	7	0
92	Shobom	Petroleum	1	0	6
93	W. P. P. P.	Salary	7	12	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:

7
 Visited the House which generally, speaking
 clean, inmates perfectly orderly, the
 sick in the infirmary appear to
 be improving much. The guards walls
 are still too low, and do not afford
 the necessary protection we would
 beg to call the attention of the Board
 to them. We would also recommend
 Ventilation in the Women's Day
 Room during the summer, it is in
 our opinion absolutely necessary
 to do so.

Signed
 J. M. M. M.
 A. L. M. M.

14 May 53

Resolved. That the Commissioned
 collector be appointed to the above with a
 view of having the balance of the £2000
 this year of in the best manner

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Masters Journal.

That on the evening of Wednesday, Oct. the
 Aft. Master found a pauper woman named
 Hovon Conroy of Kilbrack, stealing the
 Drabhouse Malls having in her possession the
 following Articles of Clothing viz-
 2 Wrappers, 1 Apron, 2 petticoats, 5 Shirts
 4 Mens Shirts, and a Ring the property
 of the Prison, which she had taken off the
 Bleach, that the Master brought her before
 the Magistrate, when she was sent to
 the Galley, Quarters Seized to be prosecuted
 by the Aft. Master and a pauper boy,
 named Michael O'Connell.

That on the same evening another girl named
 Ellen Conroy took the following Articles
 of Clothing off the Bleach, 10 Shirts and
 10 Mens Shirts, the Master found her taken
 up on the informations of the other girl
 who was in company with her, but was
 unable to prosecute her, as her evidence
 would not be taken, she being a prisoner.

That the Contractor was having supplied the
 mill on Tues. for Breakfast, from the 11th
 to the 14th. That the Master gave Orders
 1 & 2 for various soup for Breakfast in
 accordance with the order of the Board at
 their last meeting, the extra being being
 changed to the Contractors, that since then
 he sent in his supply, which enabled the
 Master to carry out the Dictum; —

Charges to be charged
 against the Contractor to
 amount to how the supply found
 - or at 50/- or the Master to
 produce his supply,

That the Milk is not allowed at the Mill since
 till 9th of and requests the attention
 of the Board thereon.

Required = 2 Garden Rakes = Allowed.

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

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

R.L.C. Sealed Order - 10th Jan, 1853.
Appointing the Rev. Mr. Macanmond
to the Office of Roman Catholic
Chaplain of the Workhouse, at a
Salary of £52.0.0 per Annum.

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:)

R.L.C. Letter 11th Jan, N^o 29,067/53,
Accompanying sealed order as above

R.L.C. Letter N^o 32,221, 53, 13th Jan,
involving questions to be answered
and signed by Clerk of India &
person appointed Returning Officer

R.L.C. Letter N^o 29,657, 53, 14th Jan,
explaining copy of letter received
from R.L. Commissioners & accepting
the Office of Roman Catholic
Chaplain and stating that they
are not aware of any objection
to the payment of the Salary of
R. C. Chaplain to Mr. Macanmond
from the time when he began to discharge
the duties of the Office.

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The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	-	-
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	26

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Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	-
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The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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Ordered That a Map of the Parish be ordered for the male school.

Ordered That a Certificate be given by the Board to Miss Moriarty Schoolmistress duly signed

The Woman Catherine O'Connell of this Workhouse having applied for Vestments, a Phylaxi Prised and other requisites for the Celebration of Mass in the Workhouse Mass Quarters & Misc &

Ordered That a sum of Ten shillings, Andrew Shillings be allocated to the purchase of the requisites for Celebrating Mass, and a sum of Sixteen Shillings and Six pence for Candles, Misc & for six months to come. Subject to the approval of the Commissioners.

Ordered That the Master take stock of the School Books & from Miss Moriarty, and that he put a proper person in charge for a few days.

Two Tenders beyond the new Dispensary were received and it was Resolved, That the Tender of Dan O'Connell to execute the necessary repairs for the sum of £20/- be accepted, same to be completed within 4 weeks.

B.

Redmond Joyce
Harry Ailbeid
Anthony Gorham

[Signature]

[Signature]

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

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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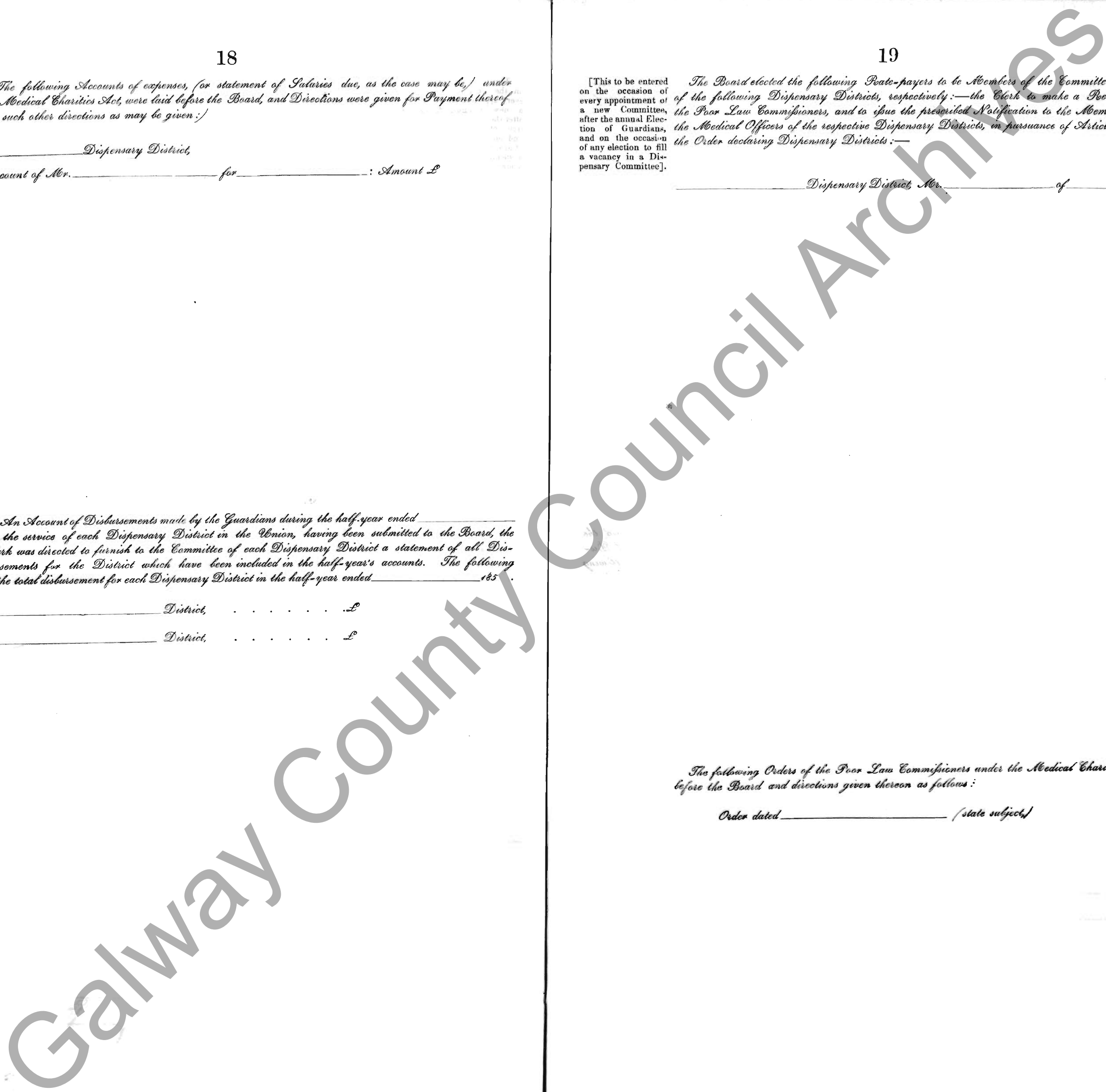
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			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number In Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse, . . .	1344	569														
Temporary Buildings, . . .	?	?														
Additional Workhouse, . . .	?	?														
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .																
Fever Sheds, . . .																
Total, . . .	1344	569														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			65	134	15	24	26	130	23	21	27	279	In Workhouse Hospital, . . .	In separate Wards, . . .		
Admitted during the Week, . . .			2	5	-	-	2	-	-	-	1	11	In Fever Hospital, . . .	In Wards with other Inmates, . . .		
TOTAL, . . .			67	139	15	24	28	130	23	21	28	381	Total, . . .	Total, . . .		
Discharged during the Week, . . .			3	-	-	-	1	2	-	-	1	11				
Died, . . .			1	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	1				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			4	1	-	-	1	2	-	-	1	12				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			53	135	15	24	28	133	23	21	27	369				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 21st day of May authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 25 day of May 1853.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. Wm. V. Chinnaw, Mr. James Engh.

Other Guardians: Mr. Wildbrand Mr. Joyce Mr. Gorman

Mr. Hozell Mr. Morris Mr. Lynam

John Kelly P.S. attended

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Galway County

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 907 to No. 917, 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:

OLD UNION, CLIFDEN.

Name of Collector.	Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.			Uncollected.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Francis Mullen, - - -	Clifden, - - -	~	~	~	42	9	~
Joseph M'Donnell, - - -	Rinvyle, - - -	~	~	~	35	11	~
Stephen M'Donough, - - -	Roundstone, - - -	~	~	~	382	7	22
William M'Dermott, - - -	Ballindoon, - - -	~	~	~	69	14	7
		~	~	~	530	41	9

Balance forward of Union
 Advance Account £ 122. 14. 2
 " Rate Account 482. 5. 9
 £ 604. 19. 11

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, - - - - £ 76. 10. 9

Paid during the week, - - - - £ 72. 4. 8

And that the Balance on the Account in form of the Guardians was - £ 604. 19. 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

NEW UNION, CLIFDEN.

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>Francis Mullen</i>	Clifden, - - -	31	-	-				231	0	-			
	Derrylea, - - -	0	-	-				46	15	10			
	Inishbofin, - - -	-	-	-				59	6	12			
	Sillerna, - - -	-	-	-				105	6	12			
					37	-	-				502	14	-
<i>Joseph M'Donnell</i>	Ballinakill, - - -	10	7	6				57	11	12			
	Cleggan, - - -	-	-	-				90	1	32			
	Cushkillery, - - -	5	12	6				87	8	-			
	Rinvyle, - - -	-	-	-				242	11	52			
					13	-	-				477	7	12
<i>Pat Mullen</i>	Bennowen, - - -	-	-	-				113	0	3			
	Derrycunlagh, - - -	-	-	-				38	8	53			
	Dunloughan, - - -	-	-	-				114	0	9			
	Errislanen, - - -	-	-	-				126	19	12			
											412	18	5
<i>Samuel Crawford</i>	Bencorr, - - -	-	-	-				97	14	-			
	Illion, - - -	-	-	-				23	10	5			
	Moynes, - - -	-	-	-				187	8	2			
	Roundstone, - - -	-	-	-				129	7	10			
<i>Samuel Crawford</i>	Knockboy, - - -	-	-	-				199	9	10			
	Owengowla, - - -	-	-	-				116	1	8			
	Skannive, - - -	-	-	-				105	11	3			
											1220	19	6
	Total, - - -	-	-	-	50	-	-	-	-	-	2613	19	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 £ 23 s. 12 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - £ 22. 10. 9

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 123

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 1. 82

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:

000	lbs	Bread	2	lbs	Wheat flour
80	"	Meat	15	"	Salt
2	qts	Catmeal	1	"	Starch
1000	gts	Milk			
3	Bottles	Wine			
50	lbs	Rice			
2	lbs	Green Peas			
1	lb	pepper			
1	log	Peas			
80	lbs	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 21 day of May; 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, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

104	Thomas	Tray	Amos	5	8	54
105	M.	White	Morris	2	11	3.
108	M.	Donald	Orms	2	5	0
109	John	King	van Buzice	2	12	6

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.
94	Alms Prudergast	Bread	10	1	7
95	Mr. Faherty	Meat	2	15	7
96	P. Carey	Milk	13	13	5
97	John Griffin	Greens	5	9	3
98	Mr. Shea	Sup	5	14	9
99	John Capwood	Meal	12	7	1
			57	1	0

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Bonus Account -

		£	s.	d.
100	Denis Mallon Coffin Supplied	2	2	0

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:

Outstanding Accounts

100	Mr. Thomas R. Saleny	£ 12.0.0
101	Mr. Gonyer R.	5.10.0
102	Mr. Malley R.	11.0.0
103	Mr. Conroy R.	8.5.0
104	Mr. E. O'Malley R. O'Keefe Saleny	1.0.2

Master's Journal.

That on the morning of the 23rd inst. between 6 & 7 o'clock A.M. the porter reported that a Girl named Hannah Johnson was found lying outside the Workhouse Gate, on some straw. The Master had her admitted to the Workhouse, and examined by the Medical Officer, whom he had her sent to the Refinery. The Girl states that she was left at the Gate, by a woman who she thinks received some money for that purpose.

That he offered the Glazing of the Windows & two different persons, which they refused taking at the Contractors price being too low

That he requires a Carpenter for a few days to repair the Soil Boxes.

That he requires a Barrel of Cor.

That a Clock is required for use of porter

That the prices of the Windows required to be fixed, also the price of cement etc.

Required.

- 1 Grop Backs & 1 pair of Tin Can.
- 1 Girdiron, 12 Chamber & 1 Cork Screw

Ordered that the Refining Officer be directed to make full enquiry as to the cause of this incident, and report to the Board, in next Board day

Ordered that notice be given to the porter to repair the windows in the day

Ordered

Ordered

The Clock in the Boys Schoolroom to be taken to the porter

Ordered to be sent to the porter

Ordered

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

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

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

P.L.C. Letter No 32.370-1853.-19 Aug, calling attention of the Board to the singular attendance of the P.R. Collectors for the examination of their accounts.

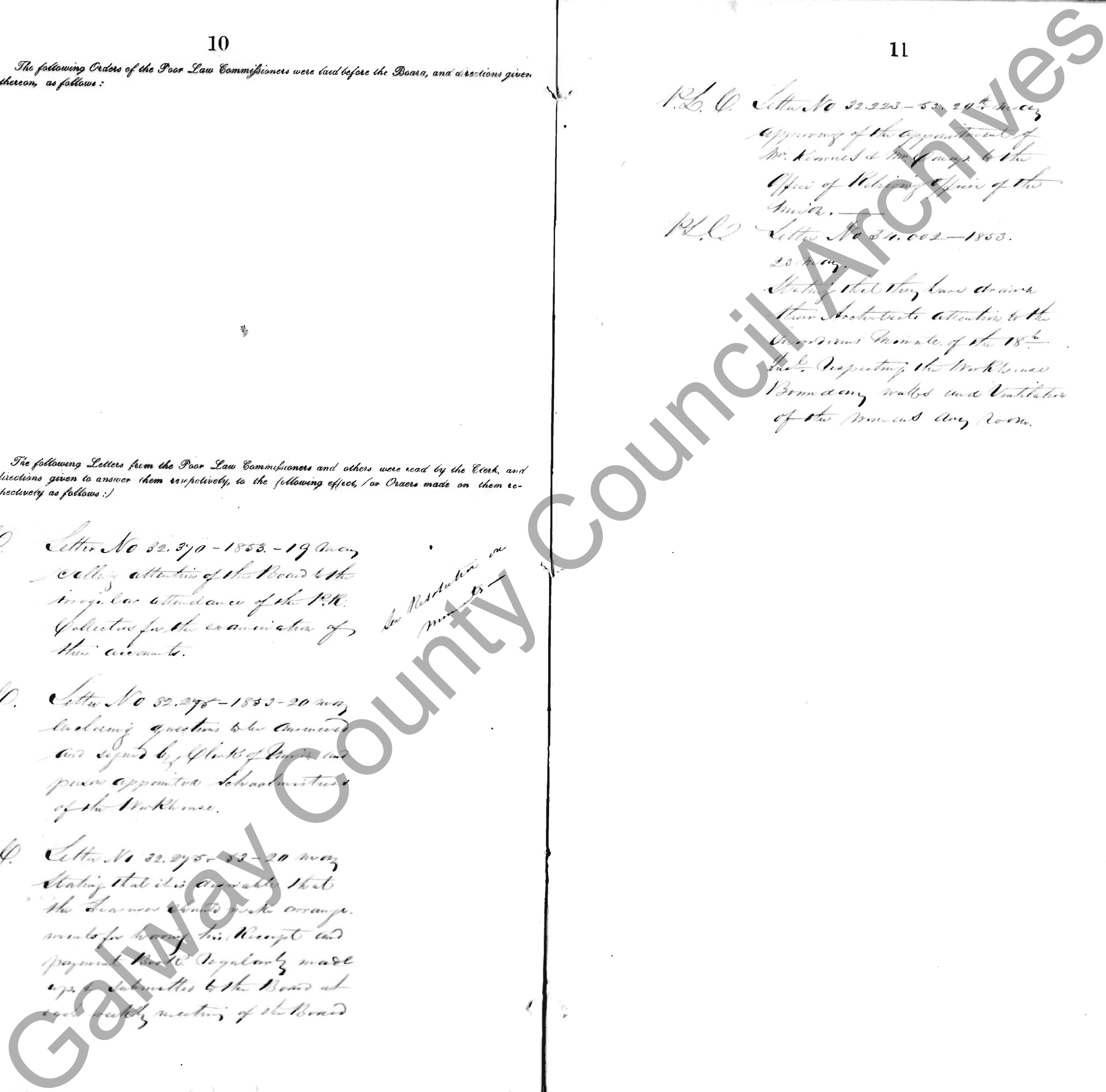
See Resolution in minutes

P.L.C. Letter No 32.298-1853-20 May, enclosing questions to be answered and signed by Clerk of Union and person appointed Schoolmaster of the Workhouse.

P.L.C. Letter No 32.275-53-20 May, stating that it is desirable that the Surveyor should make arrangements for having his Receipt and payment Book regularly made up & submitted to the Board at each public meeting of the Board

P.L.C. Letter No 32.223-53-20 May, approving of the appointment of Mr. Kearnes & Mr. Gump to the Office of Working Officer of the Union.

P.L.C. Letter No 34.002-1853. 20 May. Stating that they have drawn their Architects attention to the Disorders pointed out in the 18th Feb. Respecting the Workhouse Boundary walls and Ventilation of the new and old rooms.



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	-	-	11
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	-
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	-
The number of other applicants in the Poor Law Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	-

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

The Clerk having reported the irregular attendance of some of the Collectors it was, Resolved that the Collectors who were not in attendance for the last fortnight, be summoned forthwith, but it was subsequently ordered that they be ordered to attend at next meeting, & have their accounts investigated, and that a Copy of this minute be sent to each of them, and unless they comply with the minute the Clerk shall have Warrants issued before next Board day.

These Applications for the Office of Schoolmistress were read, - and it was

Resolved that Charlotte Shampness, be appointed to the Office of Schoolmistress of the Workhouse, at a Salary of £12/- per Annum. and first Class Rates.

Resolved that the following day, and places be fixed for the attendance of the Undermentioned Relieving Officers, for the purpose of receiving Applications for Relief.

Mr. Thomas (resides at Streamstown,

Monday	Off day
Tuesday	"
Wednesday	Off day Board
Thursday	Ball, amply
Friday	"
Saturday	Off day

Mr. Wray (resides at Fountain Hill,

Monday	Ball
Tuesday	"
Wednesday	Off day Board
Thursday	"
Friday	Ball at Mill
Saturday	"

That the arrangements regarding Mr. Chalvers District,
 be deferred till next meeting to afford him an
 opportunity of providing a residence in his District.
 That a copy of the orders be given to each relieving
 Officer, and that Mr. Chalvers District is decided that
 handbills containing the particulars be printed &
 posted in the Union.
 Orders that the Schoolmaster be allowed to walk with
 the Boys for 2 hours every second day and that he be
 careful not to let any of them desert.
 The Officers of the Union having applied for payment of their
 Salaries, & the 25th inst. last.
 Orders that they be paid _____

Wm Jones Chairman
 John Scully
 John King

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wed the 1st
 day of June 1853.

(Signed) Wm Jones
 Clerk of the Union.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.

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

MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT,—14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

*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:*

*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 22 and 23 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts.]
An Account of Disbursements made by the Guardians during the half-year ended _____ for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all Disbursements for the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total disbursement for each Dispensary District in the half-year ended _____ 1855.

_____ District £
_____ District £

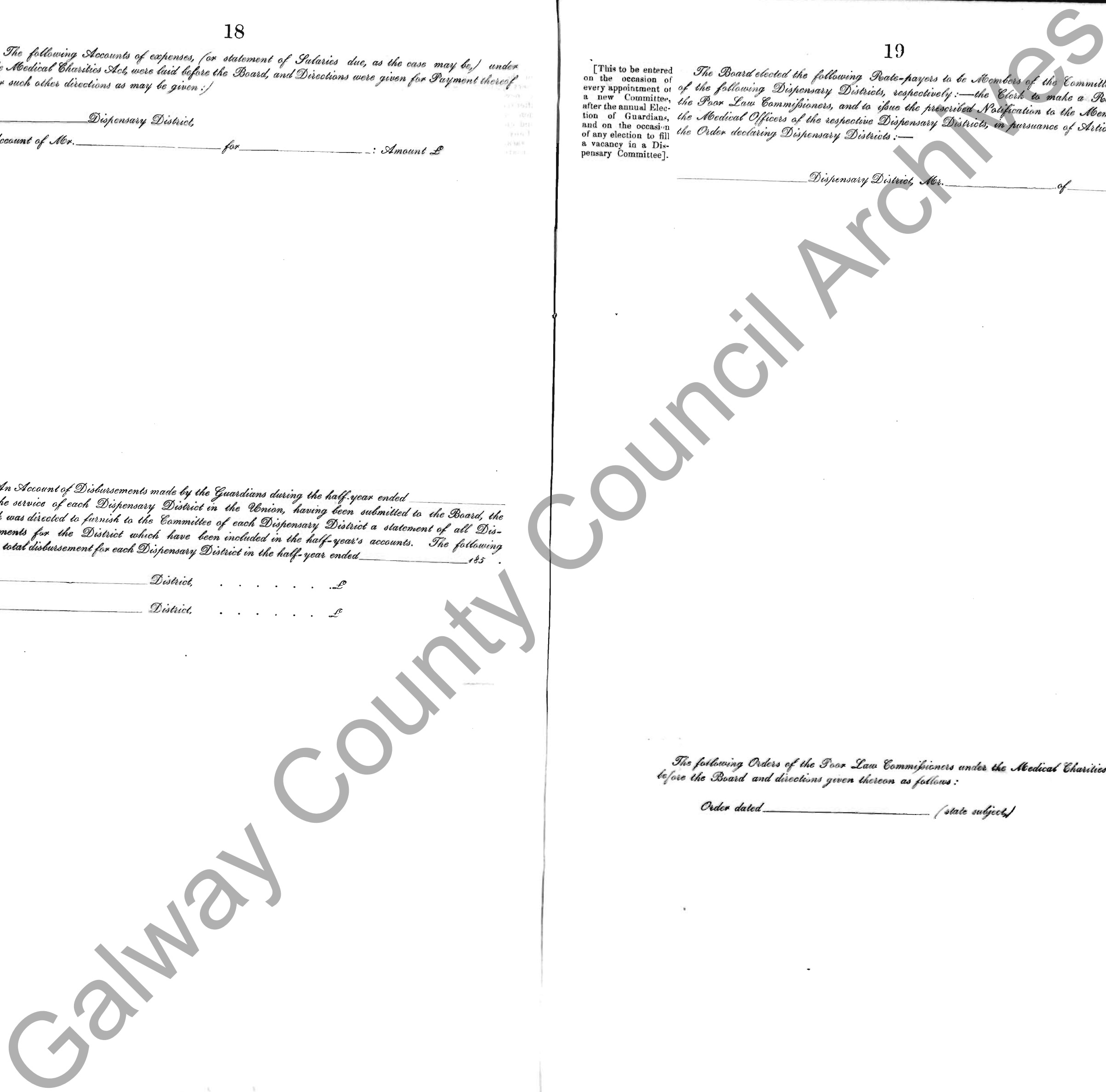
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill a vacancy in a Dispensary Committee].

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 9, 10, and 11, of the Order declaring Dispensary Districts:—

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

CLIFDEN UNION.

Population in 1851, . . . 25,389.

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of May, 1853.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able bodied.		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . .	1344	577												
Temporary Buildings, . . .	3	3												
Additional Workhouse, . . .	3	3												
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, . . .														
Total, . . .	1344	577												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			53	135	15	24	78	133	53	31	37	589	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates,
Admitted during the Week, . . .			5	3	-	-	2	1	2	-	1	14		
TOTAL, . . .			58	138	15	24	80	134	55	31	38	603		
Discharged during the Week, . . .			2	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	6		
Died, . . .			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-		<i>Deaths, 0.</i>
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			2	2	-	-	2	-	-	-	-	6		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			55	136	15	24	78	134	53	31	38	603		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 28th day of May, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday, the 1st day of June, 1853

PRESENT: In the Chair, Amable James Esq. Ck Officer
Other Guardians: Mr. Scully, Ck Officer
Mr. Lewis, Mr. Joyce, Mr. Hunt, Mr. Wood, Mr. Linn
Mr. Johnson, Mr. Archer.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Galway County

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 218 to No. 431, 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:

OLD UNION, CLIFDEN.

Name of Collector.	Electoral Division.	Collected and Lodged.	Uncollected.
Francis Mullen, - - -	Clifden, - - -	m n m	42 9 0
Joseph M'Donnell, - - -	Rinvyle, - - -	m n m	35 14 0
Stephen M'Donough, - - -	Roundstone, - - -	m n m	382 7 22
William M'Dermott, - - -	Ballindoon, - - -	m n m	69 14 7
			530 44 92

Balance in favor of Union
 A drawn Account £ 122 . 11 . 2
 By Rate Account 440 . 8 . 62
 563 . 2 . 82

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, - - - - £ 58. 5. 12

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 110. 2. 17

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 563. 2. 82

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.

NEW UNION, CLIFDEN.

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>J. Mullen</i>	Clifden, - ✓ -	14	14	2				25	11	90			
	Derrylea, - ✓ -	1	3	4				42	12	6			
	Inishbofin, - ✓ -	"	15	"				58	8	12			
	Sillerna, - ✓ -	1	12	11				103	13	12			
					21	5	0				487	5	62
<i>J. M'Donnell</i>	Ballinakil, - ✓ -	5	10	102				47	6	9			
	Cleggan, - ✓ -	"	17	1				89	4	26			
	Cushkillery, - ✓ -	"	"	"				87	3	0			
	Rinvyle, - ✓ -	3	5	9				243	13	58			
					9	19	82				467	7	5
<i>J. Mullen</i>	Bennowen, - ✓ -	-	19	-				112	7	3			
	Derrycunlagh, - ✓ -	-	-	-				28	8	52			
	Dunloughan, ✓ -	11	2	11				100	1	5			
	Errislanen, - ✓ -	2	2	11				144	17	75			
					17	3	8				395	74	9
<i>J. Crawford</i>	Bencorr, - - -	-	-	-				99	14	0			
	Illion, - - -	-	-	-				23	10	5			
	Moynes, - - -	-	-	-				187	5	2			
	Roundstone, ✓ -	3	0	0				326	7	102			
<i>J. Crawford</i>	Knockboy, - - -	-	-	-				299	9	12			
	Owengowla, - - -	-	-	-				116	1	8			
	Skannive, - - -	-	-	-				165	11	3			
					3	0	0				127	9	6
Total, ✓ -					57	11	92				2552	7	43

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 £ 63 s. 10 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 32. 15. 6

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 12

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 1. 10

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:

1000	lbs	Bread	56	lbs	Soap.
100	"	Meat	4	"	Starch
1000	gals	Milk			
4	lbs	Lard			
56	"	Sugar			
2	Bottles	Wine			
1/2	lb	Peas			
1	Log	Porter			
40	Boxes	Tea			
2	lbs	Peas			
15	"	Do. do			

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 28 day of May, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

120	John Kelly, wages tailor	1	10	0
127	Denis Mullin, Carpenter	0	12	0

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
123	J. O'Grady	9	3	3
124	A. Walsh for J. O'Grady	"	10	0
125	S. A'ullin	"	11	8
		10	4	11

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:

Outstanding Ac^t. Account.

110	D ^r . Saffild	Salom	In Office	£ 38. 10. 8
111	Rev. H. Dorey	"	P. Chaplain	10. 10. 8
112	D ^r . Saffild	"	Quarterm	10. 0. 0
113	W. Smith	"	Clerk	10. 0. 0
114	J. Freany	"	Master	20. 0. 0
115	W. Freany	"	Master	10. 0. 0
116	M. Connally	"	S. Master	7. 10. 0
117	M. Connally	"	Embroider	7. 10. 0
118	M. May	"	Amee	5. 0. 0
119	D ^r . Saffild	"	Office Disp ^r	50. 0. 0
120	D ^r . Joyce	"	N. Store	45. 0. 0
121	D ^r . Saffild	"	Patays Exp ^r	1. 8. 8
122	S. A'ullin	"	Pompadour	2. 19. 10
128	Step ^r . McCrough	"	Ap. Ac Bal ^y	6. 10. 1
129	Went	"	School Exp ^r	0. 8. 2

Galway

Master's Journal.

That on the morning of Friday last at the house of G. W. the Master found a woman named Mary Lane outside the workhouse with a bag the property of the Union in her possession. The Master believes the bag to be a long time taken from the workhouse. as the Board of Pepp. Cook & Palmer. did not appear on it that he the Master brought her before Colonel Shaw R.M. & had her committed

That the Master found on further enquiry that the woman reported on last Board as having been left at the workhouse Gate. which was brought named Anne Lamborn. from Ballinacilly C. Division, her name is Mary, Council, of Carrislemuck.

That the Schoolmistress took charge on Friday last.

That the Master was in Court on last Monday when a woman named Mrs. King was brought up before the Bench on a charge and committed with the workhouse, but a blanket the property of the Union was exhibited by one of the police as having been found in her possession & on the occasion of the house being searched, that the woman alleged that she got the blanket from Peggy Lee, who is now an inmate of the house. And she states she bought it from one of the workmen, which the Master does not believe. She having been in charge of Mr. Gough's Aunt for a considerable time

Approved.

Responsibility to the
Attorn & Constables
W. O'Connell

Ordered that Peggy Lee be put in
for being in the possession of the blanket
in question

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

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

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

P.L.C. Letter No 245 W/53 - 28 May,
forwarding 25 Copies of the General
Order, recently issued by the Com^r
relating to the Keeping & Auditing
up. Union Accounts. —

P.L.C. Letter No 34.002/53 - 28 May,
desiring to be informed why Objections
No 91. 83.284,
were entered to Establishment &c.

P.L.C. Letter No 35.318/53 - 31st May,
suggesting the proposed arrangements
for the attendance of the W^{rs} &
at fixed places in their Districts for
the purpose of receiving applications
for relief. —

P.L.C. Circular No 249. W 53. - 30 May,
in the subject of paupers being
discharged from the Workhouse, and
furnished with Documents signed
by the Overseer, or some other Officer
of the Workhouse, certifying the facts
of the paupers discharge from the
Workhouse, and also to forward to
some distant Union. —
Stating that the practice is open to
serious objection, & mentioning that
the Commissioners will deem it
their duty, to take very serious
notice of the conduct of any Officer
who may hereafter be found to issue
such Documents, of the nature
above mentioned to paupers on their
discharge.