

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 - - - - - 114

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. South, & Seconded By Mr. King.
Resolved That the Board have reason to believe the strictness that ought to be used, by the Officers of the House in preventing paupers, from being about the town, and the Board being determined to stop such proceedings, they have called the attention of the Master, and putted, to the circumstances and directed them in future, not to allow any paupers outside the House, on any pretence whatever, except the Boys signified as messengers, and the Master is directed to issue the letter "A" - on the arrival of such messengers & in the regard to the persons allowed out for water the Master is directed to put a Board man in charge of them and see that they do not remain beyond the proper period, and that the porter search all such pretences to see that they do not come out with them any of the Usual property. The attention of the Commissioners is requested to the necessity of arising the Board any matter, as their business offers an opportunity to the paupers & leave them.

Proposed By Mr. Archer & Seconded By Mr. Lacey.
Resolved That a Committee of Five be appointed for the purpose of arising the paupers in the House at any time they may agree to meet for the purpose, and that two constitute a quorum. That the following persons be named as members of the Committee.

- G. P. Archer, Wm. Lacey, John Kelly, A. Morris & Thomas J. prior Esquires.

Ordered that Mr. Maloy R.E. reside at Cashell or some place contiguous thereto, and that he attend on the following days at the undetermined places for the purpose of receiving Applications for Relief in his District.

Monday	at	Qinnah.
Tuesday	"	Greenness
Wednesday	"	13 th of Guardians
Friday	"	Comestown.

Ordered that Mr. Maloy get a Copy of the above.
Martin R. Hart Esq.
John Kelly.
Mr. Maloy

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on
day of June 1853

Monday the 8th

(Signed)

A. Smith

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, £

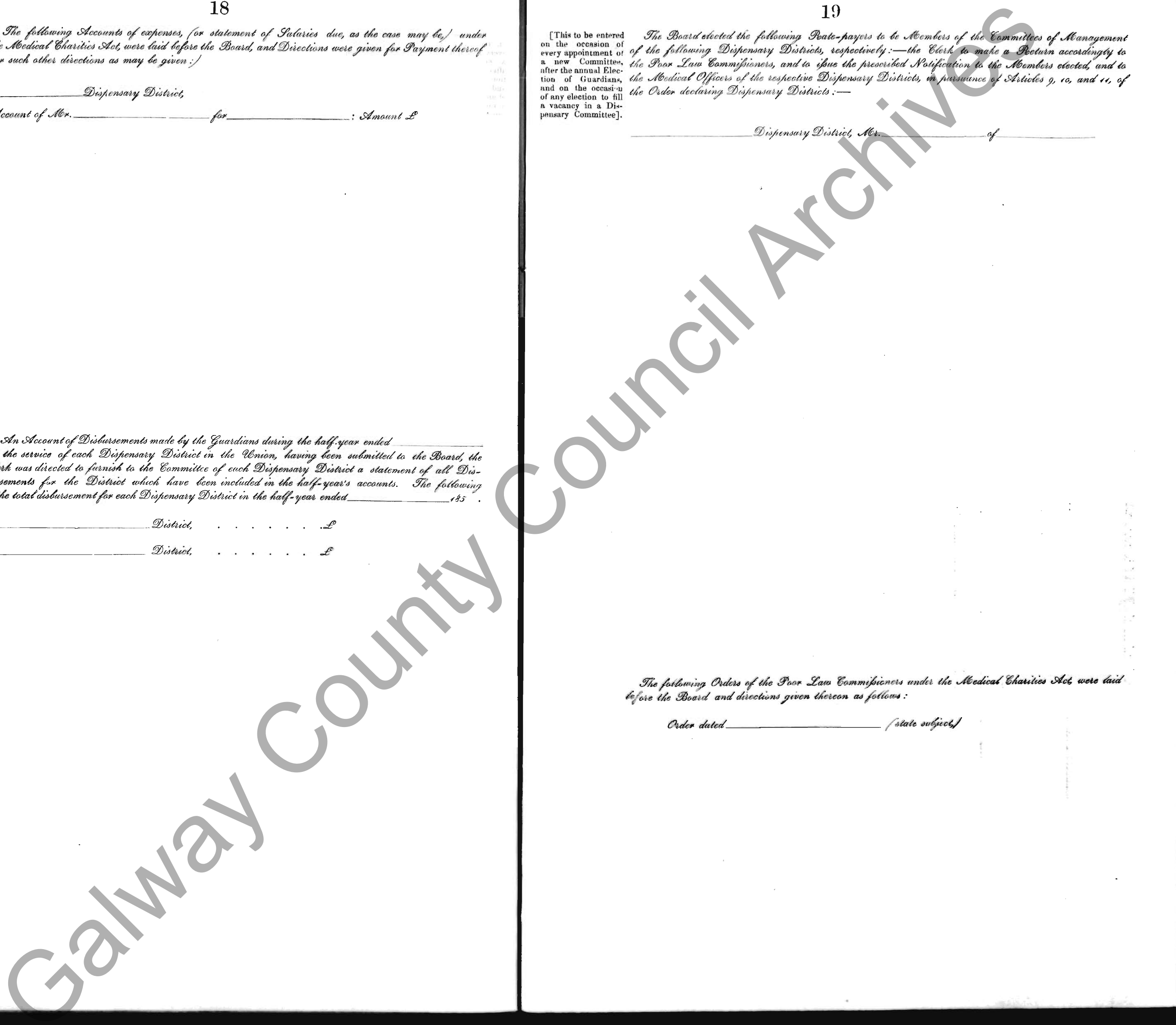
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill a vacancy in a Dispensary Committee].

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.

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. 932 to No. 947, 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	9	2 1/2
William M'Dermott, - - -	Ballinacorney, - - -	-	-	-	69	14	9
					500	11	9 1/2

Balance forward of Union
 Advances Account £ 122. 11. 2
 Rate Account 204. 0. 4

 327. 0. 6

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, - - - - £ 115. 2. 7 1/2

Paid during the week, - - - - £ 257. 4. 10

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was - £ 427. 0. 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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.
F. Mullen	Clifden, - - -	7	16	0 1/2				208	15	9			
	Derrylea, - - -	-	-	-				42	12	6			
	Inishbofin, - - -	-	-	-				58	8	1 1/2			
	Sillerna, - - -	28	10	11 1/2				134	19	2			
					36	10	0				444	15	6 1/2
M'Donnell	Ballinakill, - - -	-	-	12	11			46	13	10			
	Cleggan, - - -	-	-	-	-			89	4	2 1/2			
	Cushkillery, - - -	-	-	-	-			87	3	0			
	Rinvyle, - - -	49	7	11				224	5	6 1/2			
					20	0	10				447	6	7
P. Mullen	Bennowen, - - -	-	-	-	-			112	7	3			
	Derrycunlagh, - - -	-	-	-	-			28	8	5 1/2			
	Dunloughan, - - -	-	-	-	-			100	1	5			
	Errislanen, - - -	-	-	-	-			144	7	7 1/2			
											395	14	9
Graham	Bencorr, - - -	41	0	1				28	13	11			
	Illion, - - -	-	-	-	-			23	10	5			
	Moynes, - - -	-	-	10	8 1/2			187	5	2			
	Roundstone, - - -	-	-	-	-			325	14	2			
Graham	Knockboy, - - -	-	-	-	-			299	9	1 1/2			
	Owengowla, - - -	-	-	-	-			116	1	8			
	Skannive, - - -	-	-	-	-			165	11	3			
											117	6	5 1/2
											98	4	7 1/2
	Total, - - -										2664	2	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 £ 25 s. 17 d. 7

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 33 . 1 . 0

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 . 9 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 Bread	4 lbs Pepper.
50 " Meat	2 " W. Onions
2 Cwt Potatoes	10 " L. do
1700 yds Milk W.A. & Sup ^{rs}	50 " Soap.
4 lbs Tea.	4 " Starch
50 " Sugar.	50 " W. Soda.
6 Bottles Wine	
2 Dozen Potatoes	
50 lbs Rice	
1120 lbs S. Meal	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 4th day of June; 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.

140	John Griffin Clothing ✓	1	2	4
Auction Law Expenses.				
150	Rush & Palmer Law Costs ✓	14	1	9

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

2. Establishment Account.

137	Dr. Lane Sal ^{ty} M. Office Rough Diff	12	10	0
138	" " " " " " " " " "	1	10	0
139	Mr. Ellis Rent Dip ^{ty} Rough to 31 Feb.	3	10	8
140	I. Knille Bal ^{ty} (Apr ^l 12. Home W. Home)	21	10	0
141	I. Griffin Salary as put ^{ty} ✓	-	10	0
142	B. Joyce Bal ^{ty} (Apr ^l Home)	-	19	0
143	Mr. Armstrongs God Lion Bal ^{ty}	1	4	0
144	Mr. Lisle & Browns to S. Home	-	11	4
145	B. Lyden Home to W. Home ✓	2	12	5
147	I. Graham Amos's Pottery ✓	1	10	7

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.
130	J. Prudenpart	Bread ✓	11	13	5
131	W. Faherty	Meal ✓	1	3	7
132	P. Darcy	Milk ✓	13	10	9
133	J. Griffin	Grains ✓	2	13	11
134	J. Gannon	S. Meal. Ouns ✓	10	9	7
135	E. Shea	Soap ✓	5	8	0
136	J. H. Poyser	By Meal ✓	41	2	0
148	Repaid me	Meal Ouns ✓	129	12	9
"	"	W. Home. up to 4 for 25 Feb 53	"	"	"
			215	17	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:

Masters Report.

The Master Reports that a new named
path Engr. Munn, Pinner, Sep. Martin
and Arthur, Adams took their
Discharge during the past week. Rather
than remain in the Home to be brought
before the Board this day, for breach of
Workhouse Regulations. —

Required—

4 lbs Soap.
50 needles

Approved—

Approved—

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.

Quarter No 34,081 / 53. 1st June.
Directing the attention of the Board
to some observations of the
Commissioner of Asylums on the
subject of keeping the Workhouse in
proper repair, and referring the same
to the Quarter letter of the 6th
Dec 1852. 21st Aug 53.

P.L.C.

Letter No 35,682 / 53. 2nd June.
Sanctioning the appointment of
Charlotte Thompson to the office
of Schoolmistress of the W. House
in the terms specified

P.L.C.

Quarter No 251. 4th / 53. 3rd June
Enclosing forms of Return to be filled
up each week showing the particulars
of the Workhouse Accommodation provided
in the Union.

P.L.C.

Quarter No 34,589 / 53. 4th June.
Enclosing Copy of Opinion of the
Attorney & Solicitor General in a case
laid before them by the H.C. Comrs.
for direction or useful report, to
maintain persons by a party liable
by law to maintain them &c.

P.L.C.

Quarter No 35,479 / 53. 7th June.
Enclosing for the information of the
Board of Quarter Copy of a letter
which the Commissioners have addressed
to the Union Treasurer, and directing
the attention of the Guardians, & that
copies of their letter to the Treasurer,
explaining that all payments in
of the Arrears charged on the Union
for any period subsequent to the year
ended 30th Sept 1852. are to be stopped.

P.L.C.

Letter No 36,597. 1853. 7th June.
Approving of the plan proposed by the
Guardians, for the attendance of
Mr. Gately R.L. for the purpose of
receiving the cases of Applicants,
for Relief.

Letter from

Mr. V. Brown 7th June 53.
Applying for payment of the
balance of his account for Recruit-
ation of the Union.

Letter from

Mr. Griffith Paton. 8th June 53.
Requesting permission of the Guardians,
for a few hours each day, during the
present month, to go to the salt
water bath. Mr. P. after
having recommended it for the
benefit of his health & hopes the
Board will be good enough to
comply with his request.

When that a copy of the
letter & opinion be furnished
to each of the Party Decision
Clubs in the Union

When I have any more
copy for the month. It should be
effected to take charge. Aug 5 1853
P.L.C.

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

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

 Ditto disallowed - - - - -

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

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

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

The number of other applicants in the Poorhouse 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 Samuel Redburn, to repair the broken glass of the workhouse at 3s per square foot, be accepted.

Resolved That the Tender of Thomas Kelly, to set the flagging necessary to be done at the Workhouse, at the rate of 4s per square foot, be accepted.

An Application was read from Mr. John Donohoe for payment of a sum of £4 for the necessary information for the rate of 1882, in the E. Division of Bunnacree, Donington, Derryconla & Spiddinstown.

No Order was made on the above. —

Wm. J. Morris
William J. Morris
William J. Morris

Samuel Redburn

Thomas Kelly

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

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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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 £

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 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,)

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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 *June* 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, . . .	1244	265												
Temporary Buildings, . . .	1	1												
Additional Workhouse, . . .														
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, . . .														
Total, . . .	1244	265												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			22	137	15	25	16	124	25	30	37	573	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital, . . .	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, . . .
Admitted during the Week, . . .			3	2	-	-	3	1	1	-	-	13	Total, . . .	Total, . . .
TOTAL, . . .			25	142	15	25	19	125	26	30	37	586		
Discharged during the Week, . . .			5	2	-	-	6	1	2	-	-	16		
Died,				2	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	3		
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			5	4	-	2	6	1	2	-	-	19		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			50	138	15	23	13	124	24	30	38	565		

Deaths - 3.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11th day of *June* 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 15th day of *June* 1853.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Mr. Linnis*

Other Guardians: *Mr. Linnis* & *Mr. Linnis* *Mr. Morris* *Mr. Long*

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. 248 to No. 260, 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	-
Joseph M'Donnell, - - -	Rinvyle, - - -	-	-	-	35	14	-
Stephen M'Donough, - - -	Roundstone, - - -	-	-	-	382	7	2½
William M'Dermott, - - -	Ballinacorney, - - -	-	-	-	69	14	7
					530	41	9½

Balance favor of Union
 Advance Account £ 222 . 11 . 2
 Rate " " 165 . 8 . 1½
 288 . 2 . 3½

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, - - - - - £ 175 . 11 . 0½

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 314 . 7 . 3

And that the Balance on the Account favor of the Guardians was - £ 288 . 2 . 3½

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, - - -	22	3	4½				186	12	5			
	Derrylea, - - -	-	-	-				42	12	6			
	Inishbofin, - - -	-	-	-				58	8	1½			
	Sillerna, - - -	-	-	-				134	19	2			
					22	3	4½				422	12	2½
<i>J. M'Donnell</i>	Ballinakill, - - -	-	-	-				16	13	10			
	Cleggan, - - -	-	-	-				89	4	2½			
	Cushkillery, - - -	-	-	-				87	3	0			
	Rinvyle, - - -	2	-	-				222	5	6½			
					2	-	-				445	6	7
<i>J. Mullen</i>	Bennowen, - - -	57	7	11½				57	19	4			
	Derrycunlagh, - - -	-	-	-				38	8	5½			
	Dunloughan, - - -	49	10	6½				50	10	11			
	Errislanen, - - -	-	-	-				144	7	7½			
					116	18	5				288	16	4
<i>J. M'Donnell</i>	Bencorr, - - -	-	-	-				58	13	11			
	Illion, - - -	-	-	-				23	10	5			
	Moynes, - - -	-	-	-				187	5	2			
	Roundstone, - - -	11	14	7½				313	19	6½			
<i>J. M'Donnell</i>	Knockboy, - - -	-	-	-				297	9	1½			
	Owengowla, - - -	-	-	-				116	1	5			
	Skannive, - - -	-	-	-				165	11	3			
					11	14	7½				1164	11	7
	Total, - - -				142	16	4½				2337	6	2½

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. 12 d. 3

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 30 . 14 . 5

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 . 9

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:

50	lbs	Bread	50	Boxes	Tea
50	"	Flour	2	lbs	M. & C. Candles
2	Quarts	Oil	56	"	Soap.
17	gals	Milk	11	"	Starch.
4	lbs	Eva.			
56	"	Sugar			
6	Bottles	Wine			
56	lbs	Rice			
2	lbs	Alcohol			
2	lbs	Patent			

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 11 day of June; 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.		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.
Law Expenses.			
119 Repairs. Interest on account	35	12	"
158 J. P. casually expenses to Galway	1	15	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

151	H. O'Connell	Carriage goods	✓	1	1	2
152	L. O'Brien	Stationery	✓	1	10	0
156	M. Donnelly	Drains goods	✓	1	10	0
157	H. Smith	for W. R. Walsh Account	✓	2	2	6
160	S. Mitchell	Wine	✓	1	9	"
161	N. Brown	Account Rebaton of P. Smith	✓	20	0	0
163	W. Lyden	Southwell	✓	1	15	0
162	P. Mullin	padding to 25 March	✓	4	7	8

Collection Expenses.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

					£	s.	d.
154	P.	Paruly	Emp	✓	2	0	8
155	T.	Melady	do	✓		14	7
159	J.	King	Wine & spate	✓	2	18	0
					5	12	8

Burial Account.

153	D.	Hellin	Coffin	✓	1	1	0
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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 Journal

The Master requires 50 yds Cloth for mending the Scholars' beds. She also requires the Commandant to examine the number of articles articles she had in the Laundry.

Requires 4 lbs Thread, 2 Dozen White Tape, 3 pieces Black Tape, 3 yds Buttons for Boys and girls use, 50 Shrubles for Women use, 50 needles.

The Apt Master reports that he is bound to attend at the Custom Court Sessions to be held on the 20th Inst. to prosecute a pauper woman named Mrs. Gannady for stealing Maria Glaston's hat a pauper boy named Walter Russell, is also bound to appear in the same case.

That a pauper woman named Peggy Lee, is also bound to appear in Court, to prosecute a woman named Susan Rice for purchasing a Blanket, the property of the Mills from the said Peggy Lee herself.

The Apt Master requests the Board will order his expenses and that of the other two pauper, who are bound to appear with him.

Amount of expenses. Amount

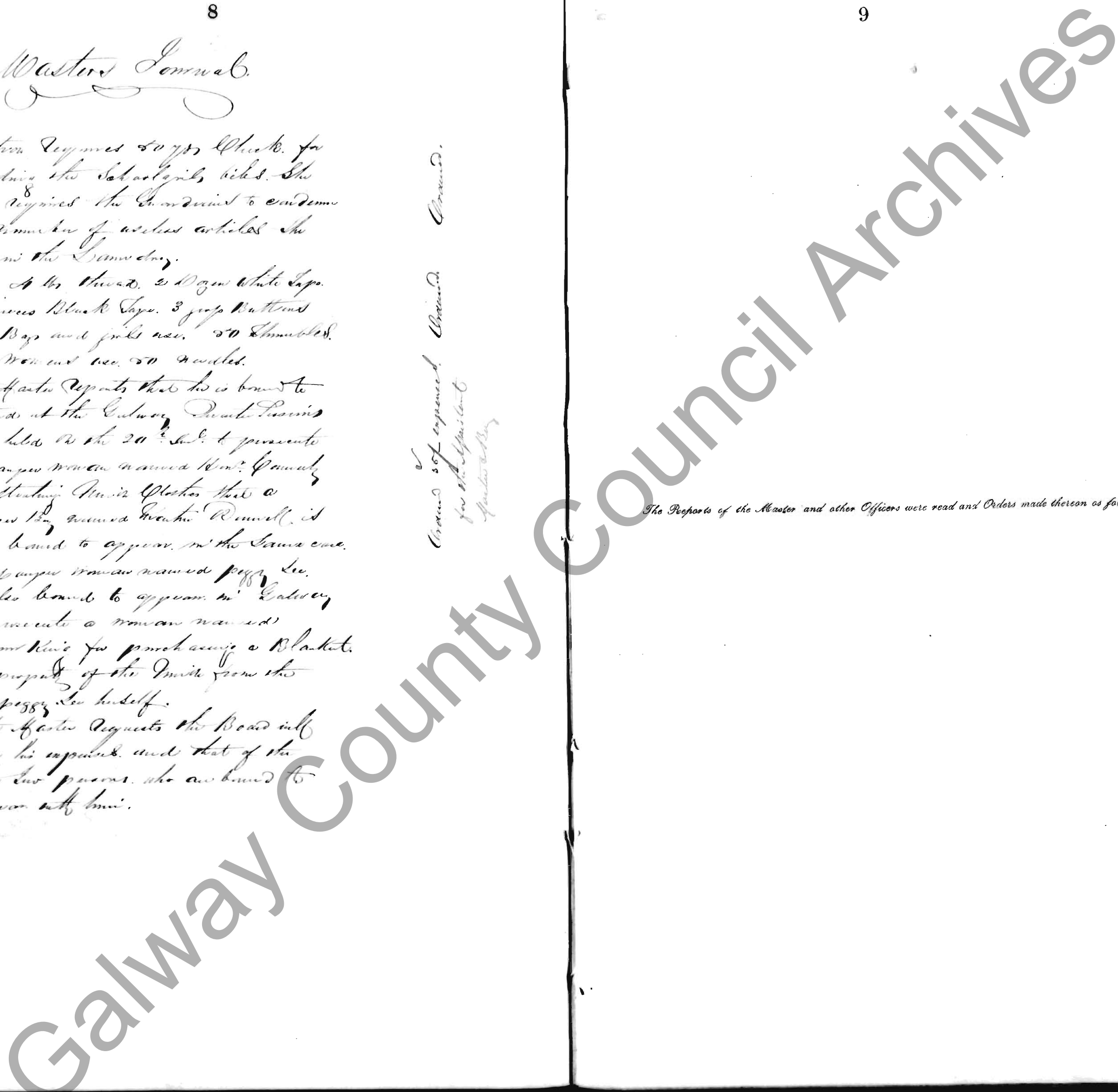
Amount

Amount of expenses. Amount

for the pauper

particulars

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 30.008 14th Feb 53.
3rd Issue enclosing for the information of the Board of Guardians Copy of a Circular which the Comptroller has addressed to Committees of Management of Dispensing Districts relating to the provision to be made for the temporary performance of the duties of a Dr. Officer of a Dispensing District in case of his being incapacitated by illness from performing them.

P.L.C.

Letter No 30.792/1853. 3rd Issue calling the attention of the Board to the unsatisfactory progress of the Collection in the Districts of Mr. Puff Muller and Mr. Crawford and recommending the Guardians to require a more active discharge of duty by these collectors —

What they got in copies of the letters

P.L.C.

Circular No 250 14th Feb 53. 10th Issue. Desiring to be furnished with returns of Rates made and received in the Parish.

P.L.C.

Circular No 30.014 15th Feb 53. 10th Issue enclosing the Returning Officer's Account of the expenses of the Election & wards last. Amounting to £5.9.10.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	-	-
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	16
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	-
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	-
The number of other applicants in the Policing 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 Postmort thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year)

Proposed By Mr. Archer, and seconded by Mr. Joyce.
 Resolved That Peggy Lee and her family be discharged from the House on account of having stolen Goods clothed, and also because her Husband is now in Scotland and she supporting her in the House, would be a direct incouragement to parties getting the Country to waste money and having their families chargeable at the same time.

Proposed By Mr. Joyce, seconded by Mr. Joyce.
 Resolved That Mr. Brown get £20 of his salary that is due to him for leaving the Office on the 1st.

Ordered That a suit of clothes be purchased for John Pullman, Ellen Keely, Matthew Connolly, Bridget Connolly, the price not to exceed 4/- per suit.

The Clerk laid before the Board two Appeals against the last rate made, to be tried at the approaching Quarter Session in Courtroom no. 1. It was ordered that they be handed to the Solicitor to defend and that Mr. Brown get notice of same.

The Clerk laid before the Board two Civil Bills at the suit of Mrs. Keegan of Galway for £19. 11. 0 for Interest demanded by her.

Ordered That they be handed to Mr. Collins to defend.

One of the Constabulary having come before the Board with a Warranted Warrant for the sum of £2. 2. 5 at the suit of Mrs. Anne Burke late Mendon of Quigley's Store for salary.

It was ordered that a Cheque be drawn in that name for that amount, and that he hand the amount to the Constabulary.

Ordered That a cheque be drawn in favor of P. Malin for the balance of pound eight, due him up to the 25 March last.

- ordered

Ordered That Mr. McDermott's application for the
payment of a sum of £6/- as mentioned in
minutes of last Board meeting be referred
to a full Board —

Martin R. Ratt
Chairman
Sam^l Jones
Anthony Gorkan

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wed the 22nd
day of June 1853.

(Signed) McMurt
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:*

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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)

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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.

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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 18th day of June 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.	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.
			Able bodied.		Males.		Fem.		Boys.	Girls.	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.	In Workhouse Hospital.	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates.								
Workhouse, . . .	1244	574																
Temporary Buildings, . . .	?	?																
Additional Workhouse, . . .																		
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .																		
Fever Sheds, . . .																		
Total, . . .	1344	574																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			50	139	15	33	73	134	54	30	38	565	In Workhouse Hospital, . . .	In separate Wards, . . .				
Admitted during the Week, . . .			1	1	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	3	In Fever Hospital, . . .	In Wards with other Inmates, . . .				
TOTAL, . . .			51	139	15	33	74	134	54	30	38	568	Total, . . .	Total, . . .				
Discharged during the Week, . . .			2	2	-	-	3	11	1	-	1	13						
Died, . . .			-	-	-	-	-	-	1	-	-	1						
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			2	2	-	-	3	11	2	-	1	14						
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			49	137	15	33	71	123	52	30	37	554						

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 18 day of June, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 22 day of June 1853.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Mr. Robert V. O'Sullivan*,
Other Guardians: *Mr. James J. O'Sullivan, Mr. Philip O'Sullivan,*
Mr. James O'Sullivan, Mr. Edward O'Sullivan
John Hall Esq. P.L.S. attended.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 23 s. 19 d. 0

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 30. 12. 3

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 1. 0.

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

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 Bread	50 Boxes Soap
60 " Meal	2 lbs Tea
2 Quarts Butter	10 " Oil
1700 qts Milk	56 " Sugar
4 lbs Tea	4 " Starch
56 " Sugar	
8 Bottles Wine	
56 lbs Rice	
2 lbs S. Flour	
2 Measures Potatoes	

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 18 day of June; 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.					By 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.

109	John Kelly	wages	18	0
170	A. Smith	for Salary Clerk	5	0
173	Thomas Kelly	for flagging	9	5

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.
164	J. Plunderquest	Beards ✓	10	2	1
165	W. Tubenty	Meat ✓	1	5	7
166	P. Dimes	Milk ✓	13	10	10
167	J. Griffin	Greens ✓	5	2	4
168	J. Hayward	Meat ✓	13	11	11
171	Mr. Shea	Inf up ✓	33	17	8
172	Mr. Dimes	Milk up ✓	42	8	1
			120	0	6

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:

Visited Workhouses. Sanitation looking well
all things regular, would recommend
groups being employed to clean the
chimneys, as last, was falling in
several apartments in the House.
Signed M. R. Hunt.

June 27, 53

Master's Report.

That the Chemist of the Workhouse
Requires to be supplied.

That 2 pieces of glass of the female
schoolroom were broken by 2 boys,
who had been refused admission to
the Workhouse. That he had them
brought before Municipal Court
Ct. who committed them till next
Court day.

Requires 600 yds grey Calico for
making Men's Shirts. That
Caps and Handkerchiefs
Requires 200 yds Check for girls bits

Ordered that a
sweep be employed.

Appointed -

Ordered that three
shillings be sent to
the man in factory prison

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 253 9/53. 15 June
Desiring to be furnished with a
Return relative to the payment of

P.L.C.

the 2^d Instalment of the Committee
Circular No 341.54/53-10 June
Requesting the Board to give such
Directions as will insure the accu-
-rate preparation and prompt trans-
-mission and Number of children
in the School Roll & to the
National Board of Education.

P.L.C.

Letter No 384.59/53-21 June
Starting with reference to resolution
in Minutes of last meeting of the
Committee proposing to exchange
pegs in from the Wickham, for
the reasons set forth that the
grounds are not sufficient to
justify the discontinuance of relief
if the persons are destitute to be

P.L.C.

Circular No 37,772/53. - 24 June
Desiring to be furnished with Return in
form enclosed.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	-	-	1
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-	1
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	-	3

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 Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	-	1

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.)

Ordered That it is the will of the Board to continue Mr. Robert Young R.O. until the end of the quarter, being the 1st July next, when he will be paid off, and his services dispensed with.

Ordered That the Clerk be directed to purchase, two suits of clothes for Benjamin Gibbons and Henry King who are taking their discharge, and have no clothing of their own, each suit not to exceed 4/6

Mr. Hall P.S. I called the attention of the Board to the fact that Mr. M. Mearns had not yet provided himself with a Residence in his New District although it was ordered that Mr. Mearns, he promptly should provide a Residence in his district immediately and to report to the Board at their meeting on the 1st July as to the locality, where such Residence is situated

Mr. Hall P.S. I called the attention of the Guardians to the unsatisfactory state of the Collection in the Cranford District, and it was ordered that the Clerk will strive to make increased exertion in the Collection of the Rate, and it was further ordered that all the Collectors attend on the day of payment, and submit their Books for the examination of the Board.

Resolved That this Meeting be adjourned to Tuesday, next for the Despatch of the ordinary Board business.

Wm. Haining
 Anthony Gorkham
 John King

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday* the *28th*
day of *June* 185*3*.

(Signed) *R Smith*
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.

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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.]

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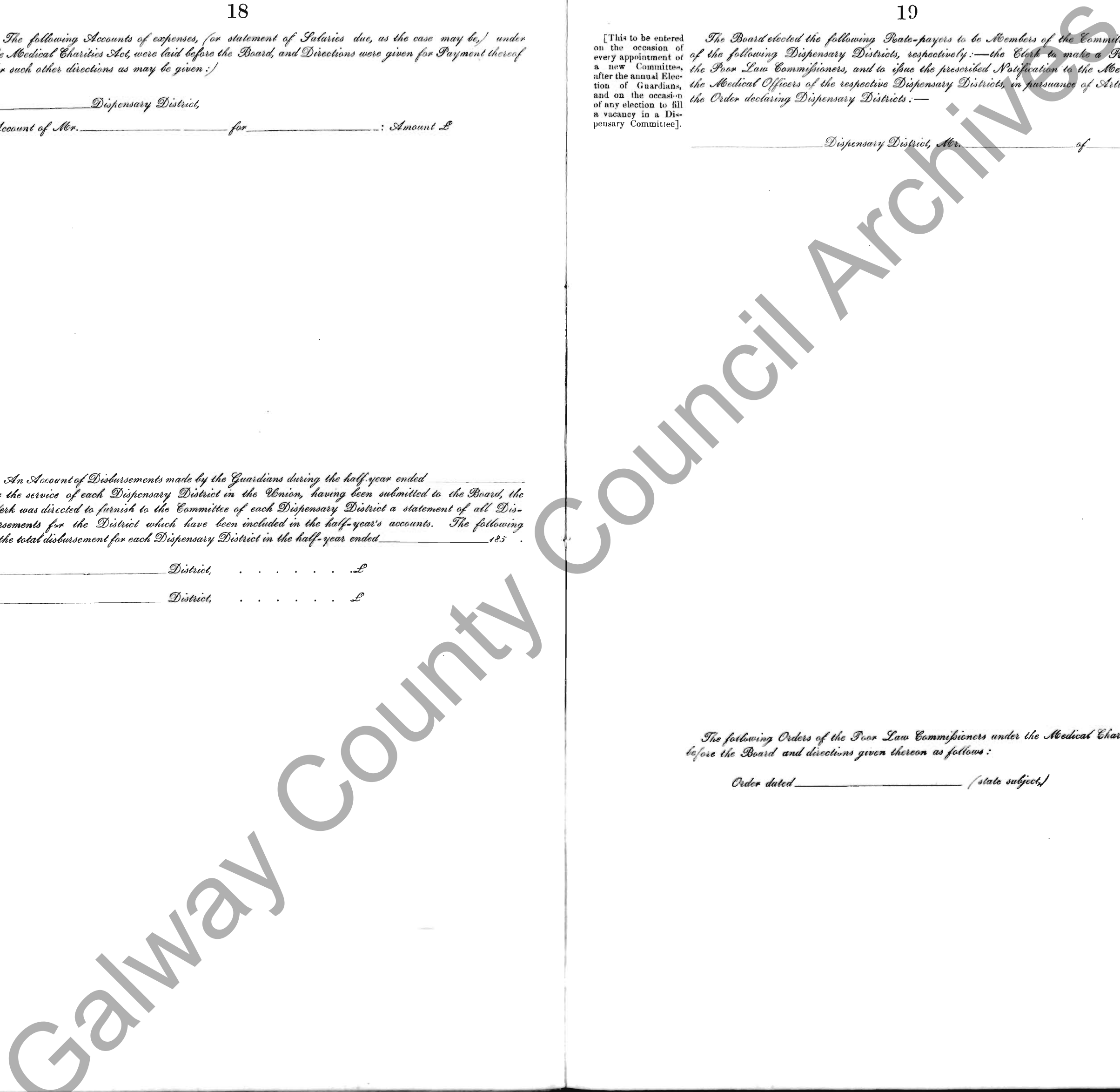
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*Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that*

(Signed)

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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 June 1853.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in work 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	537													
Temporary Buildings,	?	?													
Additional Workhouse,	?	?													
Permanent Fever Hospital,															
Fever Sheds,															
Total,	1344	537													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			49	137	18	33	71	130	52	30	7	537	In Workhouse, } 74 Hospital, } In Fever Hospital } Total, . 74	In separate Wards, } In Wards with other Inmates, } Total, . 74	
Admitted during the Week,			1	1								2			
TOTAL,			50	138	18	33	71	130	52	30	7	539			
Discharged during the Week,			2	1		1	2	2				8			
Died,			1									1			
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	1		1	2	2				9			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			47	137	18	32	69	128	52	30	7	538			

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
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No. I.	-	-	-	-	-	-	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 28 day of June 1853 the

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. Lanning

Other Guardians:

Mr. King. Mr. Johnson. Mr. Leno. & Mr. Stewart.

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. 903 to No. 905, 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	02
William M'Dermott, - - -	Ballindoon, - - -	"	"	"	69	14	4
		"	"	"	500	51	94

Balance from of Unit?
 Chairman Account. £ 122. 14. 2
 Rate do. 112. 10. 11

 235. 5. 1

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. 18. 0

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 163. 2. 4

And that the Balance on the Account from of the Guardians was - £ 235. 5. 1

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>F. Mullen</i>	Clifden, - - -	11	1	8				102	19	02			
	Derrylea, - - -	"	"	"				42	12	05			
	Inishbofin, - - -	2	6	12				47	2	0			
	Sillerna, - - -	18	18	02				111	5	11			
					30	4	4				364	0	44
<i>J. M'Donnell</i>	Ballinakill, - - -	6	14	45				33	18	1			
	Cleggan, - - -	6	18	6				82	5	8			
	Cushkillery, - - -	"	"	"				87	3	0			
	Rinvyle, - - -	13	5	2				209	0	40			
					28	16	0				422	9	2
<i>F. Mullen</i>	Bennowen, - - -	"	"	"				54	19	4			
	Derrycunlagh, - - -	"	"	"				38	8	52			
	Dunloughan, - - -	"	"	"				50	10	11			
	Errislanen, - - -	"	"	"				144	17	75			
											288	16	4
<i>James M'Donnell</i>	Bencorr, - - -	"	"	"				58	13	11			
	Illion, - - -	"	"	"				23	10	5			
	Moynes, - - -	"	"	"				180	5	2			
	Roundstone, - - -	"	"	"				295	13	02			
<i>F. Mullen</i>	Knockboy, - - -	"	"	"				299	9	15			
	Owengowla, - - -	"	"	"				116	1	8			
	Skannive, - - -	"	"	"				165	11	3			
											1139	0	7
	Total, - - -				97	0	4				2204	10	4

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

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

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

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

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

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

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 30.4.2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 1.9.

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 1.0 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 4.0

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

500 lbs.	1 wd.	50 Boxes	Imp.
60 "	Meat.	2 lbs	W. Gaudles
2 Cwt.	Ordnal	10 "	D. B.
17 1/2 qts	Butt	56 "	Soap.
4 lbs	Tea.	4 "	Starch.
8 lbs	Sugar		
8 Batts	Wine.		
50 lbs	Rice		
2 Tm	S. Meal		
2 Sgan	Portw		

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 June -; 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.
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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.

Collection Expenses.

174 J. Mullin Penning 2 0 0

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

2. Establishment Account.

175	W. Kelly	Wasmmer	✓	20
176	J. Moly	Hayning	✓	1 13 3
177	J. Mallon	Ulinis	✓	2 15 3
178	J. Mallon	Stehnie	✓	12 8
179	J. Emry	Finward	✓	1 7 1
180	W. Gaud	Wasmmer	✓	1 7 9

O. W. Account.

181 J. Dealy Nat. F. Hospital 1 0 0

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:

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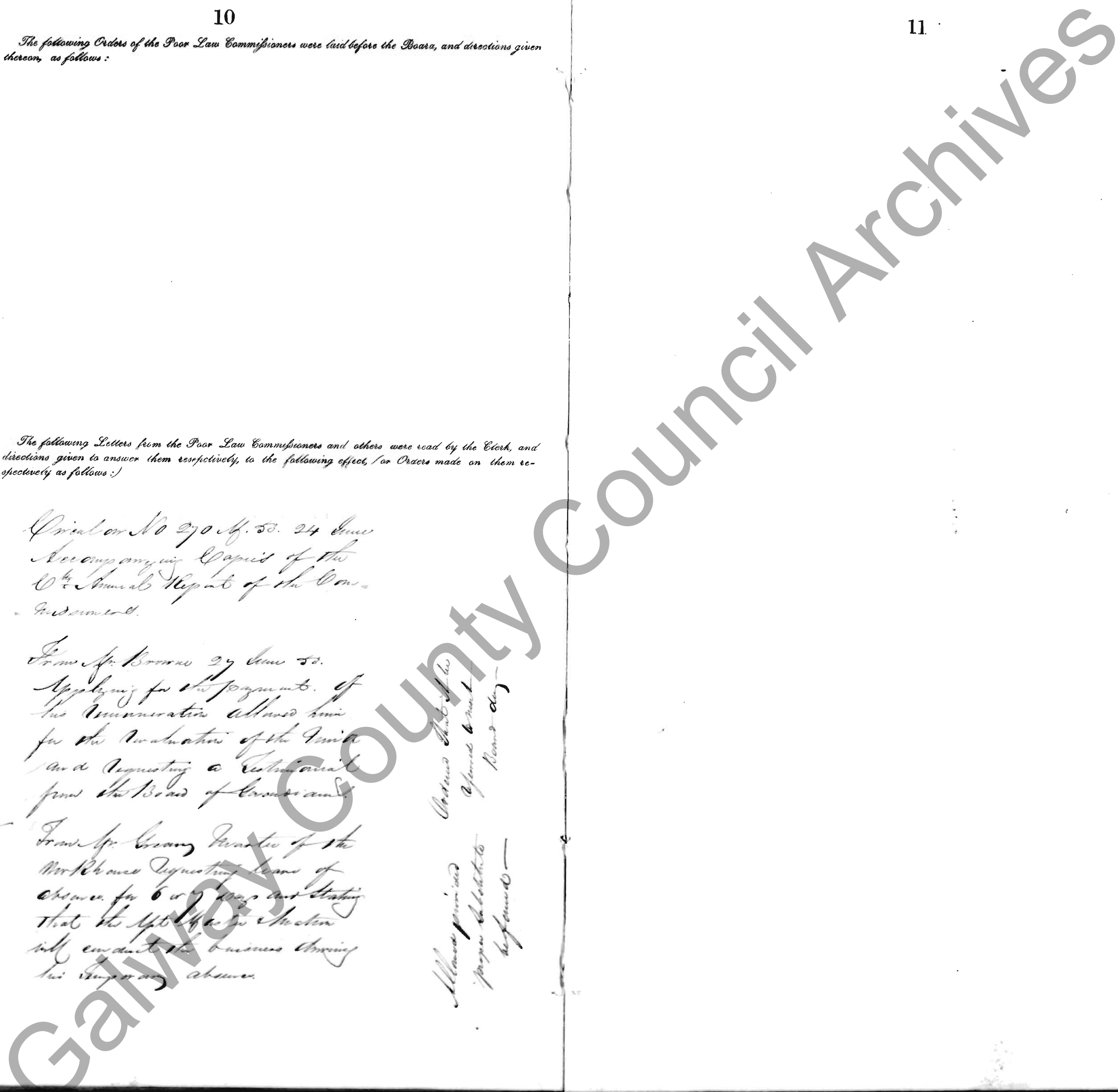
The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or Orders made on them respectively as follows:)

P.L.C. Circular No 270 of 23. 24 June
Accompanying Copies of the
6th Annual Report of the Com-
missioners.

Letter From Mr. Brown 24 June 53.
Applying for the payment of
his remuneration allowed him
for the evaluation of the Poor
and requesting a Certificate
from the Board of Commissioners.

Letter From Mr. Green, Secretary of the
North Wales Dispensary, of
absence for 6 or 7 days and stating
that the Mr. White & Jackson
will conduct the business during
his temporary absence.

Allowed printed
properly submitted
before
Orders that it be
referred to
None do



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

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

Ditto disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - - 2

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

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

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 Clerk be directed to summon the Board to attend on Thursday, the 9th July for the purpose of examining the stock of Clothes now on hand, and of seeing the quantity of Clothes that may be required for the next 12 months, also of seeing what old Clothes may be available for paupers taking their discharge.

Ordered That the Clerk be directed to procure Clothes for the paupers residing at the Petty Sessions, who are taking their discharge for the purpose of going to Scotland.

The Clerk laid before the Board a statement of the expenses incurred by him in attending the Captain and Quarters Messes on the 24th & 25th Inst. amounting to £1/10- which was ordered to be allowed and a Certificate to be forwarded to the Commissioners for their approval.

Martin R. Rant
Chairman

Wm. Manning
Thomas Farrell

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

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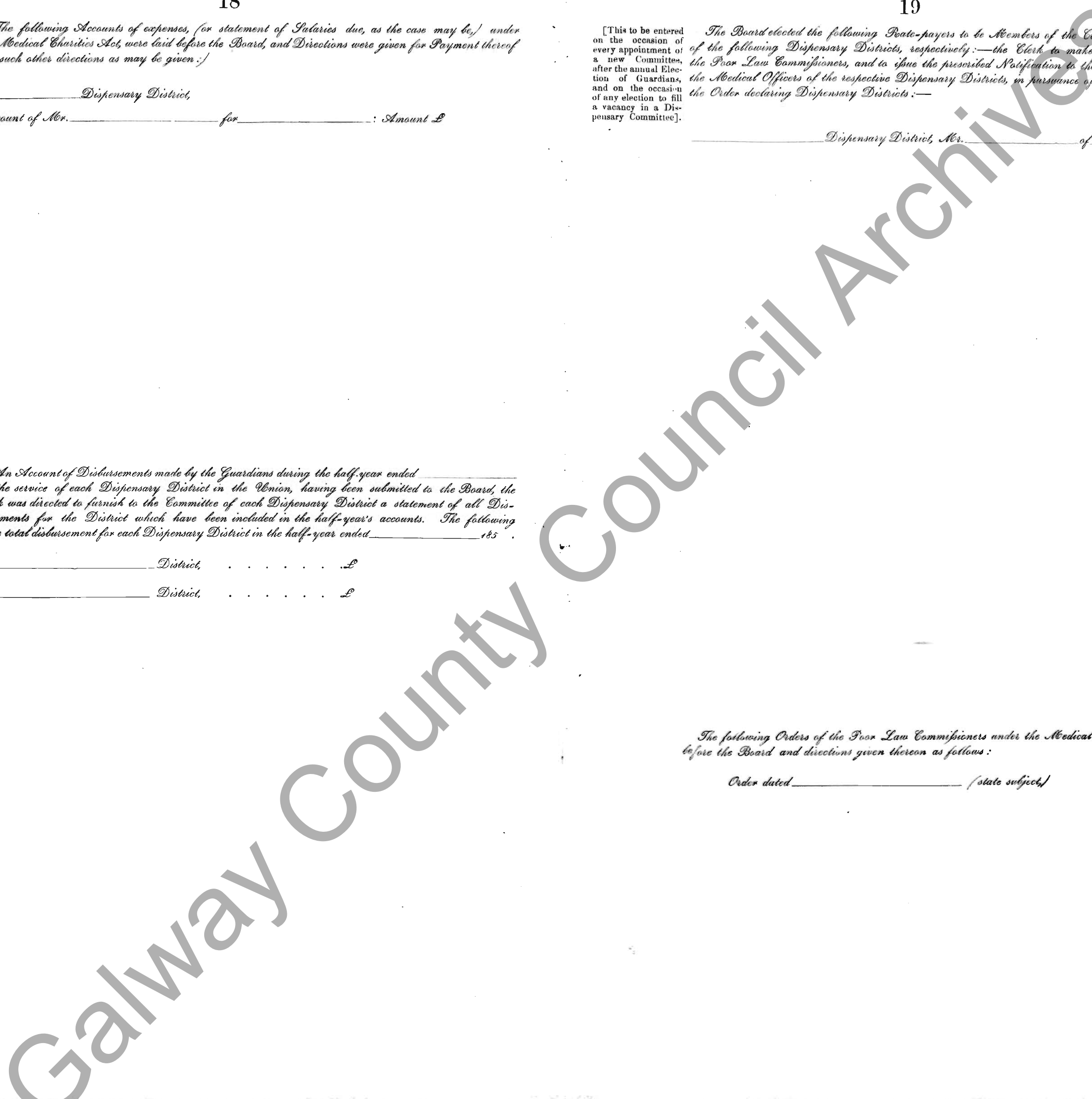
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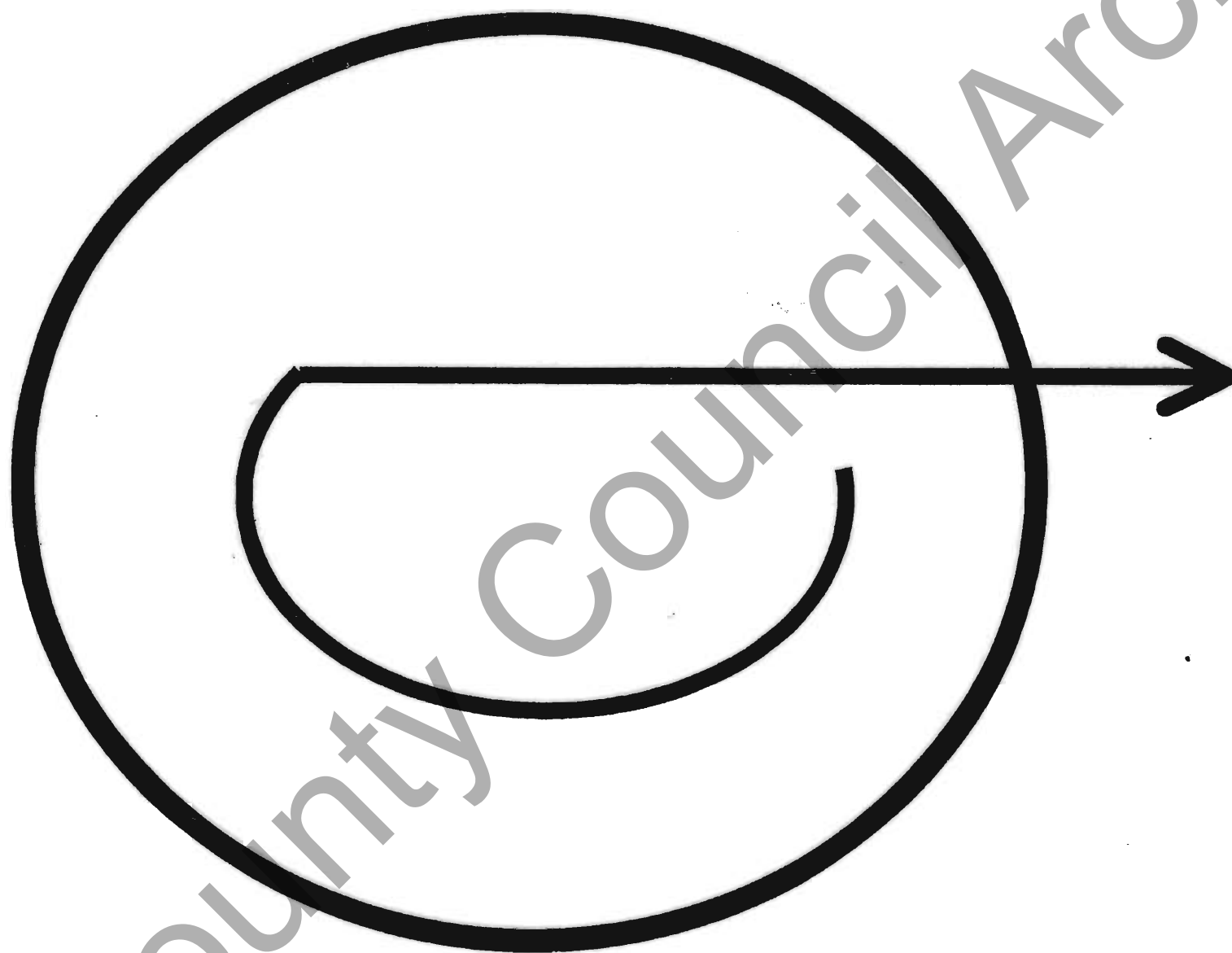
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stating that

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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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