

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

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

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

_____ District £
_____ District £

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1851, 25,389.

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9 day of September 1854

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 9 and under 15 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.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse,	135	139												
Temporary Buildings,														
Additional Workhouse,														
Permanent Fever Hospital,	40													
Fever Sheds,														
Total,	175	139												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			14	39	17	9	21	21	20	27	16	21	In Workhouse Hospital, 17	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, 1
Admitted during the Week,			1	3	"	"	1	"	"	"	2	7	Total, 27	Total, 1
TOTAL,			15	42	17	9	22	22	20	27	18	28		
Discharged during the Week,			2	1	"	1	"	"	"	"	1	5		
Died,														
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	1	"	1	"	"	"	"	1	5		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			13	41	17	8	22	21	20	27	17	23		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9 day of September 1854 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 17 day of September 1854

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Mr. R. Hart*
 Other Guardians: *Mr. Prior*
Mr. Morris
Mr. Johnson
Mr. Conroy

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. 1307 to No. 1313, 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	7 0		
Stephen M'Donough, - - -	Roundstone, - - -	370	16 7 1/2		
Patrick Mullen, - - -	Ballindoon, - - -	69	14 7		
Total, -		518	14 2 1/2		

Balance forward of Union
Advance Act £ 45. 0. 0
Rate etc
~~*187. 1. 8 1/2*~~
£ 89. 13. 0 1/2

£ 84. 13. 0

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, - - - - £ 24. 14. 5.

Paid during the week, - - - - £ 181. 19. 11.

*And that the Balance on the Account *in* favor of the Guardians was - £ 84. 13. 0.*

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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>Frank Mullin</i>	Clifden, ✓	6	0 1/2			27	16 3		
	Derrylea, ✓	"	"			"	"		
	Inishbofin, ✓	"	"			19	4 7 1/2		
	Sillerna, ✓	"	12 9			12	17 1/2		
				6	12 10 1/2			11	9 18 0
<i>Joseph McDonnell</i>	Ballinakill, ✓	4	0 0			2	3 15 0		
	Cleggan, ✓	"	"			1	3 13 9		
	Cushkillery, ✓	13	13 7			2	2 15 1/2		
	Rinvyle, ✓	"	"			1	3 29 0		
				18	17			19	2 13 4 1/2
<i>Patrick Mullin</i>	Bennowen, ✓	"	"			2	8 6 1/2		
	Derrycunlough, ✓	"	"			"	6 0		
	Dunloughan, ✓	"	"			4	4 9 11		
	Errislanen, ✓	"	"			2	3 4 4		
					"	"			11
<i>Patrick Ring</i>	Bencorr, ✓	"	"			6	7 4 6		
	Illion, ✓	"	"			"	"		
	Moyrus, ✓	"	"			9	4 13 1/2		
	Roundstone, ✓	"	"			6	7 15 3 1/2		
<i>Patrick Ring</i>	Knockboy, ✓	"	"			1	0 1 2 0		
	Owengowla, ✓	"	"			2	9 27 1/2		
	Skannive, ✓	"	"			9	9 17 0		
								6	8 9 16 2 1/2
Total				£ 24	14 5 1/2			£ 9	18 14 10 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 £21 13 s. 5 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 20. 17. 0

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - " 2. 6 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:

700 lbs Bread
 64 lbs Meat
 800 qts Sweet Milk
 2 cwt Rye Meal
 3 lbs Candles

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 9 day of September, 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.		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 Costs

Cheque, No. 205, W. H. J. Collis, Law.

2 10 6 ✓

£ 3 10 6

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

2. Establishment Account.

Check, 203. Austin, Cooney, Carriage of desks, 1 0 0 ✓
 " 204. Williams Kelly, setting Slaps, " 10 0 ✓
 " 206. Maria Pymon, Salary, Nurse, " 10 0 ✓
 " 207. Mrs. Pymon, Salary, " 2 0 0 ✓
 " 208. J. J. Johnson, Sundries, 4 13 7 ✓
 " 209. J. J. Johnson Arrow Root, 3 3 0 ✓

1 0 0 ✓
 " 10 0 ✓
 " 10 0 ✓
 2 0 0 ✓
 4 13 7 ✓
 3 3 0 ✓

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

	£	s.	d.
207 / Balance Subt	20	00	00

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 Elder'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:

Having inspected the Underscored Articles belonging
to the Hospital found them to be unfit for use
recommended that they be condemned. 20 coats
20 Petticoats 64 Shirts 20 Pairs of Shirts. 20 Shirts
30 Caps. 25 Ticks. 8 Pairs of Blankets
116 1/2 yds of Linnen
Ordered to be condemned

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.O. L. C. Letter N^o 2916.5/54. 12th Sept^r

Enclosing for information of Board of Guardians, a statement of the Accounts which have been certified by the Com^r Architect.

Due to Painter	£ 16. 0. 0
On acc of yard walls	45. 0. 0
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	61. 0. 0
Sal ^y Clerk of Works 6 th June	10. 17. 4
Further acc for Sal ^y	10. 0. 0
Mulch ^y acc for Work done	
3 rd Dec ^r	9. 16. 9
	<hr/>
	91. 16. 1

&c &c &c

P.O. L. C. Letter N^o 27.512/54. 12th Sept^r
Desiring to be informed whether arrange-
ments have been made by the
Board for the residence of her Child
outside the Workhouse, and stating

The child being aged about 4 years of age
the Guardians assembled being to give
my decision taking any steps with
a full Board

that on being so informed the Com^r will be prepared to approve her appointment

P.O. L. C. Letter N^o 3004.5/54. 12th Sept^r
Requesting the attention of the Board of Guardians to the deficiencies in the
School registers reported by the Education
Inspector &c &c

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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.)

Mr King P.M. produced the receipt which was reported (the Clerk to have been entered up in the Treasurer's Book and not accounted for —

The Guardians signed 20 days Notice for Collector King for amount £45- for services on the accounts on the property of Widows of Burnard —

In Collator Mr Donnell. Mr Graham property amt £2-0-11

Two Applicants for the Office of Schoolmaster came before the Board. Mr Hackett, late Schoolmaster, and Mr Archdeacon. Neither of them was approved of by the Board, and another advertisement was ordered for this day fortnight.

Wm. White
Mr. Hart
John King

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday the 20th
day of Sept 185 4

(Signed)

H. Smith
Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.)
(No. 27.)

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District £
_____ District £

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_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 16 day of September 1854

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			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse,	1504	220												
Temporary Buildings,														
Additional Workhouse,														
Permanent Fever Hospital,	40													
Fever Sheds,														
Total,	1544	220												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			13	41	17	8	22	20	27	17	21	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital, } 61	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, } 61	
Admitted during the Week,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	Total, } 61	Total, } 61	
TOTAL,			13	41	17	8	22	20	27	17	21			
Discharged during the Week,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"			
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"			
Total Discharged and Dead,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			13	41	17	8	22	20	27	17	21			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 16 day of September authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.							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 September, 1854

PRESENT: In the Chair, E. H. Blake, Esq. Chairman
 Other Guardians: W. Hillhouse, W. Hart

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. 1314 to No. 1315, 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, - - -	-	-	-	370	16	7½
Patrick Mullen, - - -	Ballindoon, - - -	-	-	-	69	14	7
	Total, - - -	-	-	-	518	14	2½

Balance favor of Union
Advance acct £ 27. 0. 6
Rate do 31. 10. 00

£ 68. 19. 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. 14. 11

Paid during the week, - - - £ 31. 8. 9

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was - - £ 68. 19. 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.

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>Frank Mullen</i>	Clifden, ✓	5	16	0				82	0	3			
	Derrylea, -	-	-	-				-	-	-			
	Inishbofin, -	-	-	-				19	4	7½			
	Sillerna, ✓	2	17					10	15	4½			
					7	17	9				112	0	3
<i>Sae McDonnell</i>	Ballinakil, . . .	1	0	5				22	14	7			
	Cleggan, . . .	1	4	9				12	9	0			
	Cushkillery, . . .	-	-	-				22	15	7½			
	Rinvyle, . . .	5	0	10				127	8	8			
					7	6	0				180	7	4½
<i>Patrick Mullen</i>	Bennowen, . . .	-	-	-				28	6	4½			
	Derrycunlagh, . . .	-	-	-				-	6	8			
	Dunloughan, . . .	-	-	-				44	9	11			
	Errislanen, . . .	-	-	-				33	4	4			
												116	7
<i>Bartholomew King</i>	Bencorr, . . .	-	-	-				67	4	6			
	Illion, . . .	-	-	-				-	-	-			
	Moyrus, . . .	-	-	-				94	13	11½			
	Roundstone, . . .	-	11	2				67	4	0½			
<i>Bartholomew King</i>	Knockboy, . . .	-	-	-				131	2	0			
	Owengowla, . . .	-	-	-				29	2	7½			
	Skannive, . . .	-	-	-				99	17	11			
					112						489	5	0½
	Total	£	15. 14. 11					£	902. 19. 11½				

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 18" 1 s. 1 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 20. 13. 4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

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

- 700 lbs White Bread
- 14 lbs Meat
- 2 cwt Oatmeal
- 800 qts Sweetmilk
- 2 lbs Tea
- 6 cwt Rye Meal
- 2 cwt Indian Meal
- 4 lbs Candles
- 21 lbs Soap

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 16 day of September; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

	£	s.	d.
210 Wm Fabantz for meat	21	18	9 ✓

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:

Priddy Canall is absconded taking a full suit of clothes the property of the Guardians
no report

A Carpenter is required for some time (order)
no report

Mr Whelan the Contractor for raising the yard walls &c has again stopped the work. Nothing has been done by him for the last fortnight.
no report

Required 4 Hand Lamps - Ordered
no report

Ordered Priddy Canall to be prosecuted, his attorney to be employed in such cases

That due notice be served on the Contractor and his sureties, and a new Party be employed to complete the work at Mr Whelan's expense
no report

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:)

PH Letter N^o 3087/54. 16th Feb^r
 Desiring to be informed of the
 particulars of charges appearing
 on Minutes of last Board day
 for of J^r Johans Aunt £4. 10s. 7^d 2080

Letter from Colonial Land & Immigration Office
 addressed to Mary Agnes pauper
 in the Workhouse. Offering to send her and
 her Children to Western Australia in which
 place her husband a Convict resides,
 and stating that the expense of reaching
 the Port of Embarcation and providing
 themselves with the necessary clothing
 must be borne by the Emigrants &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 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.)

Ordered that Dr P. Mallon, and Mr W. King, Collectors be required to attend the next Board with their Books to account for the sums collected of the Rates outstanding in their districts, with a view of making them responsible for their arrears — W. H. Hart

Ordered that Mr W. King be allowed to have a 15 days notice in Dr W. King's case of his arrears W. H. Hart

Resolved that with relation to the letter on the subject of the Emigration of Anne Byrne and her children, whose husband is now a convict in Australia.

The attention of the Commissioners be called to the matter, and that they be requested to assist the Board in funds for the purpose of forwarding the party to a port of embarkation, upon which their expenses are to be paid — W. H. Hart

Ordered that Michael Ryan a pauper be given a shoe —

W. H. Hart
P. W. King
Anthony James Morris

A. Smith
Clerk of the Board

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 - - - -

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.)

Ordered that Mr P. Sullivan, and Mr W. King, Collectors be required to attend the next Board with their Books to account for the Poor Collections of the Aids outstanding in their districts, with a view of making them responsible for their arrears - Mr W. King

Ordered that Mr W. King be allowed to send a 15 day notice to Mr Thompson of Keshidown Mr W. King

Resolved that with relation to the letter on the subject of the Emigration of Anne Ryan and her children, whose husband is now a convict in Australia.

The Attention of the Commissioners be called to the matter, and that they be requested to assist the Board in funds for the purpose of forwarding the party to a Port of embarkation, from which their expenses are to be paid - Mr W. King

Ordered that Michael Ryan a pauper be given a shilling - Mr W. King Anthony James Morris

A. Smith
Ch. of Min.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday the 27th
day of September 1854.

(Signed)

[Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District	£
_____ District	£

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1851, 25,389.

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 23 day of September 1854

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,	804	220												
Temporary Buildings,														
Additional Workhouse,														
Permanent Fever Hospital,														
Fever Sheds,														
Total,	804	220												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			13	40	17	8	22	54	20	27	19	220	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates,
Admitted during the Week,			1									3		
TOTAL,			14	40	17	8	22	54	20	27	19	223	Total,	Total,
Discharged during the Week,								1				2		
Died,												1		
Total Discharged and Dead,								1				3		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			13	40	17	8	22	53	20	27	19	220		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 23 day of September 1854 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 27 day of September 1854

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

No guardians in attendance

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. 1316 to No. 1318, 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. 1316 to No. 1318, 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, - - -	"	"	"	370	16	7 1/2
Patrick Mullen, - - -	Ballindoon, - - -	"	"	"	69	14	7
	Total, - - -	"	"	"	476	53	2 1/2

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, - - - £

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>Frank Mullen</i>	Clifden, ✓	3	18	5				78	4	10				
	Derrylea, .	-	-	-				-	-	-				
	Inishbofin, .	-	-	-				29	4	7 1/2				
	Sillerna, ✓	1	13	0				9	1	8 1/2				
					5	9	1				100	11	2	
<i>Jac McConnell</i>	Ballinakill, .	-	-	-				22	14	7				
	Cleggan, .	-	-	-				12	9	0				
	Cushkillery, .	-	-	-				22	15	1 1/2				
	Rinvyle, .	-	-	-				12	7	0				
											18	5	4 1/2	
<i>Patrick Mullen</i>	Bennowen, .	-	-	-				38	8	5 1/2				
	Derrycunlagh, .	-	-	-				-	6	8				
	Dunloughan, .	-	-	-				44	9	11				
	Errislanen, .	-	-	-				83	4	4				
												116	7	3 1/2
<i>Betty King</i>	Bencorr, .	-	-	-				67	4	6				
	Illion, .	-	-	-				-	-	-				
	Moyrus, .	-	-	-				94	18	1 1/2				
	Roundstone, .	-	-	-				87	4	0 1/2				
	Knockboy, .	-	-	-				131	2	0				
	Owengowla, .	-	-	-				29	2	7 1/2				
	Skannive, .	-	-	-				99	7	11				
											489	50	1/2	
	Total				5	9	1				£	897	10	10 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 £21. 16 s. 10 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 20. 5 7

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - " 1. 7 3/4

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

Coolts Whitehead
 14 lbs Meat
 800 qts Sweet milk
 2 1/2 lbs Tea
 14 lbs Sugar
 4 cwt Rye Meal
 2 cwt Indian Meal
 4 lbs Candles
 21 lbs Soap

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

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

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

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

£ s. d.

In money, - - - - -

In kind, - - - - -

Total, - - - - -

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
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.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

£ s. d.

£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

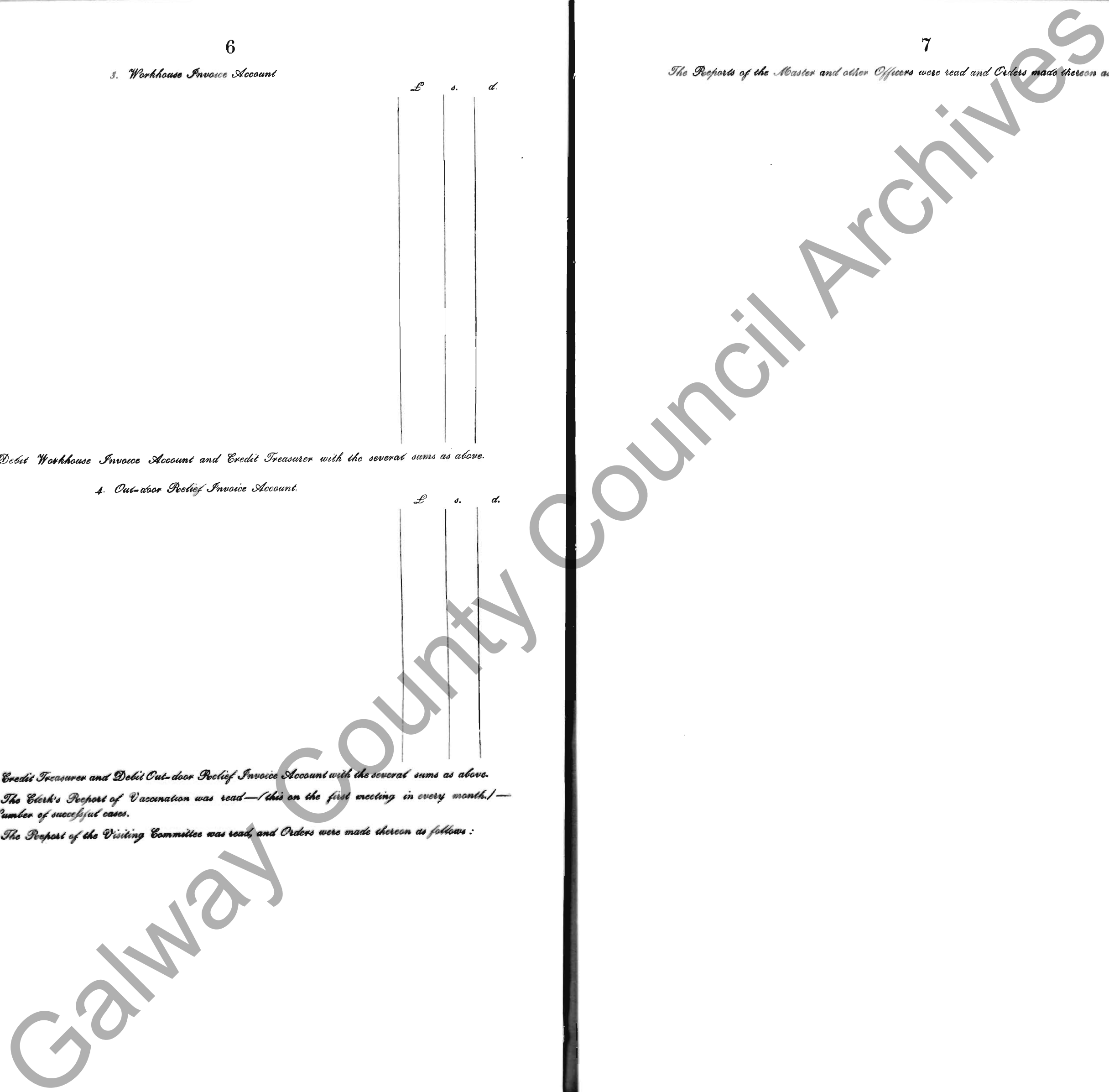
£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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



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

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

M.C. P.L.C. Letter 404 p.p. 21 September 1851
 Requesting to be furnished with a statement of Medical Charities expenditure for the last half year, &c

P.L.C. Letter No 31199/51. 21 Sept
 Enclosing Extract from Minutes of Proceedings of Board of Guardians, Westport Union, relating to the sum due by that Union to the Clifden Union under the Adjustment Order viz
 "The Board will pay the Clifden Union out of the Rates now in course of Preparation"

P.L.C. Letter No 27100/51. 21 Sept:
 Relating to the Advances made to the Union from the Rate in Aid Fund down to the 31st March 1851 &c

P.L.C. Letter No 30474/51. 25 Sept
 Enclosing Bills of Costs due to Messrs
 J. & J. J. J. amounting to £31. 2. 11 &c

P.L.C. Letter No 31701/51. 26 Sept
 Stating in reply to resolutions in Minutes of last Board meeting, that they have no funds applicable to the purpose of assisting the family in question to Emigrate &c &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 Deceiving 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 4
day of October 1854.

(Signed)

[Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

Signed

Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1851, 25,389.

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 20th day of September 1854.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,	1804	219														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,	40	—														
Fever Sheds,																
Total,	1844	219														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			12	40	17	0	22	55	20	27	19	220	In Work-house Hospital, In Fever Hospital	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates,		
Admitted during the Week,			—	2	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	1	3	—		
TOTAL,			12	42	17	0	22	55	20	27	20	221				
Discharged during the Week,			—	1	—	2	—	—	—	—	—	1	4			
Died,																
Total Discharged and Dead,																
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			12	41	17	6	22	55	20	27	19	219				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20th day of Sept 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 4th day of October 1854.

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

Mr Hunt Vice Chairman. Mr Blakey.
Mr Pat King. Mr Conroy. Mr James.
Mr John King.

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.

Table with columns: Name of Collector, Electoral Division, Collected and Lodged, Uncollected. Rows include Francis Mullen, Joseph M'Donnell, Stephen M'Donough, Patrick Mullen, and a Total row.

Balance favor of Union

Account deb't £ 53. 8. 6
Rate Do £ 70. 15. 7 1/2
£ 124. 4. 1 1/2

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, - - - - - £ 65. 3. 4 1/2

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 70. 15. 7 1/2

And that the Balance on the Account favor of the Guardians was - £ 124. 4. 1 1/2

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.

NEW UNION, CLIFDEN.

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

Large table with columns: Name of each Collector, Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts, Collected and Lodged, Total, Remaining, Total. Rows list various districts like Clifden, Derrylea, Inishbofin, Sillerna, Ballinakill, Cleggan, Cushkillery, Rinvyle, Bennowen, Derrycunlagh, Dunloughan, Errislanen, Bencorr, Illien, Moyrus, Roundstone, Knockboy, Owengowla, Skannive, and a final Total row.

From P.L. Commission £ 16. 0. 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 £ 21 s. 6 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 17.9.6

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - 1.7

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2.2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -

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 lb Mead
- 14 lb Meat
- 650 gals Milk
- 3 lbs Tea
- 56 lbs Sugar
- 112 lbs Rice
- 30 lb Meat
- 4 Cwt Nutmeal
- 2 " Meal
- 4 lbs Candles
- 20 lbs Soap

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
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.

218 P. Mullin of Painsday 200 ✓

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

2. Establishment Account.

211 Mr. Deane for ~~attendants~~ for a suit of clothes, as compensation for attendance at Hospital 110 0 ✓

212 P. Collins Labr Pater 319 0 ✓

213 Mr. Concamore, Master 4 2 0 ✓

214 Mrs. Jones Painter at Home 16 0 0 ✓

215 Ed. Philan of Contact 2 0 0 ✓

216 H. Smith Salary, Clk 20 0 0 ✓

217 Mrs. Bunker " Master 12 10 0 ✓

219 Mrs. Glynn " Schoolmistress 2 0 0 ✓

220 Mr. Malley " N. Office 5 0 0 ✓

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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

Biddy M^{rs} Donnell, aged 30 years of Age,
absconded taking with her a full suit of
Clothes the property of the Union—
Ordered that having linen returned & given up the Clothes,
the matter drops—

That having heard that the Porter was in the
habit of spending the greater part of the night
in the Schoolmistress's room, I watched on the
night of the 2nd inst and lay in wait that she
went there at about 10 o'clock P.M. and left
at 5 o'clock next day.

Ordered that the Porter be called upon resign, Miss Flynn
to be called upon when she returns from Galway
where she now is—

That the Schoolmistress went to Galway on
yesterday to attend an examination. She
said she acquainted the Guardians, and went
with their permission.

Ordered, there being no Board on this day that
Miss Flynn's joining be sanctioned—
That Mr Whelan's work remains still
incomplete

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

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

Letter from Mr. Keenan M. P. informs the Board that he had commenced Pigg, Lee to be Petty Sessions Court held on Monday last for the maintenance of her illegitimate child in the Kings Parkhouse. That Col. Shaw having called on him to produce the Act of Parliament under which he sought to convict the Defendant, Mr. Keenan replied that he had met the Poor Law Compendium situation but that he often prosecuted parties for similar offences and succeeded in obtaining convictions in the absence of a Compendium, when for Lord French asked of a Justice Calcutt were employed to which Mr. Keenan replied that he only acted latterly for the Board when specially employed, but not generally. Mr. Keenan demanded a postponement of the case, but Col. Shaw suggested to dismiss it and the Bench decided on dismissing

Without prejudice

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 Board feel very much dissatisfied at the Course pursued by the Magistrates in dismissing the Complaint of the Guardians against Peggy Lee, for the desertion of her Child, as stated by the R. Officer in his report, which report the Board transmit herewith, the Board feel such conduct was unjustifiable on the part of the Magistrates, and their calling on the R. Officer to produce an Act of Parliament, was both trifling with the legislative power vested in them, and defeating the ends of justice, the Board therefore on behalf of the Ratepayers, as well as on their own behalf lay the matter before the Commissioners with a request that they, the Commissioners, will submit it for the opinion of the Law Officers of the Crown.

Mr Collins tendered his resignation of the Office of Porter which was accepted by the Board and it was ordered that the Porters Services be at once dispensed with, and that he leave the House immediately, and that the Master place a party in Charge.

Three Applications for the Office of Schoolmaster were read and it Resolved that the appointment be adjourned to this day next.

The Clerk reported that he had been served with two Civil Bills at the suit of Maria Dunn late Hospital Nurse - Mr Kenner for cost of the Burial Ground at the Workhouse. The Board ordered that the Civil Bills be handed to Mr Collins to defend.

The Clerk brought before the Board the Circumstances of his having received half notes from the Post Law Commission Office for £16, and the Treasurer of the Union having stated to the Board that he had received from the Commissioners the corresponding half notes it was ordered

that the Clerk hand them to Doctor Safford - 4/10

M. R. Hildebrand
H. Hildebrand
Medmond Joyce

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

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1851, 25,389.

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of October 1854

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. in Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse,	13714	225												
Temporary Buildings,														
Additional Workhouse,														
Permanent Fever Hospital,	40													
Fever Sheds,														
Total,	13754	225												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			12	41	17	6	22	56	20	27	19	219	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates,
Admitted during the Week,			1	2				1				4		
TOTAL,			13	43	17	6	22	56	20	27	19	223	Total,	Total,
Discharged during the Week,			1	3				3			1	6		
Died,														
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	3				3			1	6		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			12	40	17	6	22	53	20	27	18	218		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11th day of October 1854 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 11th day of October 1854

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

Other Guardians: *Dr. Hart* *W. H. Deane* *W. Thomas* *W. H. Long*

W. H. 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 13th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1340 to No. 1375, 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, - - -	-	-	-	25	14	0
Stephen M'Donough, - - -	Roundstone, - - -	-	-	-	37	0	16 7/8
Patrick Mullen, - - -	Ballindoon, - - -	-	-	-	69	14	7
Total,		-	-	-	173	14	2 1/2

Balance from of Union
Advance Act £ 50 0 0
Rate at 50. 12. 8 1/2

£ 124. 3. 2 1/2

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, - - - - £

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.				
Clifden, ✓ Derrylea, ✓ Inishbofin, ✓ Sillerna, ✓		7	9	0				65	9	11							
								19	4	7 1/2							
								9	1	8 1/2							
					7	9	0				9	8	16 3/4				
Ballinakil, Cleggan, Cushkillery, Rinvyle,								22	14	7							
								12	9	0							
								22	15	7 1/2							
								9	8	15 1/2							
											15	7	14 1/2				
Bennowen, Derrycunlagh, Dunloughan, Errislanen,								28	8	4 1/2							
								-	5	8							
								44	9	11							
								23	4	4							
													116	7	8 1/2		
Bencorr, Illion, Moyrus, ✓ Roundstone, ✓								57	4	11							
								2	15	5							
							2	15	8				60	16	9		
Knockboy, Owengowla, Skannive,								10	1	20							
								29	2	7 1/2							
								99	1	7 1/2							
											6	11		372	9	8 1/2	
Total											£	14	0		734	7	5

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

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

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

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

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

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

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - -

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - -

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - -

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

600 lb Meat
 50 " Meat
 2 cwt Onions
 650 lbs Milk
 3 1/2 lb Tea
 28 " Sugar
 5 Candles
 21 Soap
 1 Pepper
 6 Cat fish meal
 4 " of Oil

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

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

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

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

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

Total -

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

226 Hours for delay of Schulmeister } 39 6 ✓

£	s.	d.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

		£	s.	d.	
221	Dr Freeman for Corp	20	9	0	✓
222	Jas Butler " Bread	20	0	0	✓
223	Quack & Palmer " Meat	20	0	0	✓
224	Dr Adamson " Milk	18	0	0	✓
225	Sm Juffin " Supplies	5	0	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:

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

Have given at different times (see
Dr Officers requisition Book) five stone
of oatmeal for Hospital use which } approved
I very respectfully request you will order
to be struck off my books.

That a quantity of straw is required for
covering the several beds of the
Establishment

Ordered that Orders be advertised for
supply of straw—

Dr Whelan's work remains still incomplete

Ordered that the Works at once have Dr Whelan's
contract completed—

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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:)

PL C. Letter No 33759/24. 10th Oct
 Informing the Guardians that
 they had forwarded their resolution
 of last Board day on the subject
 of the dismissal of the case against
 Pegg Lee for maintenance of her
 illegitimate child to the Chief
 Secretary's Office

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 Hart seconded by Mr Joyce Resolved that Mr Smith be directed to give notice of removal of the Piece of Land said to be held by this Board for Burial grounds, as it is a perfect Bog, and entirely unfit for a Burial ground, that the notice be served before first November next
For the resolution

Mr Harris
Mr Hart
Mr Joyce

Against it
Mr Hildesbach
Chairman
2

Mr Conroy declined to vote -

Miss Anne Lynn Schoolmistress, and Mrs Wintarscale Hospital nurse tendered the resignation of their respective offices which were accepted by the Board, and it was ordered that a Schoolmistress and a nurse be advertised for, Election to take place on this day fortnight

Resolved that Michael Donnellan be appointed Schoolmaster of the Workhouse at a Salary of £18 a year & rations

Ordered that Mr Deane take charge of the Pottery Books until the appointment of a Porter -

Mathew J Hart
Mathew L Conroy
Redmont Joyce

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

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District,	£
_____ District,	£

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

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 4, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms C 1 and C 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject,)

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

*Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that*

Signed

Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1851, 25,389.

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of Oct 1854

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 5 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.	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, . . .	304	215																			
Temporary Buildings, . . .																					
Additional Workhouse, . . .																					
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .																					
Fever Sheds, . . .	40																				
Total, . . .	344	215																			
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			12	40	17	6	22	53	20	27	18	215									
Admitted during the Week, . . .			1	1			1					1									
TOTAL, . . .			13	41	17	6	23	53	20	27	19	216									
Discharged during the Week, . . .				1							2	1	4								
Died, . . .																					
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .				1							2	1	4								
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			13	40	17	6	23	53	20	25	18	215									

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Monday* the 18th day of *October* 1854

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Mr. Kent H. Chairman*
 Other Guardians: *Mr. Jones Sec. Officer*
Mr. Mr. King, Mr. Manning, Mr. Mr. Conroy, Mr. Mr. Conroy,
Mr. Morris, Mr. Lopez, Mr. Mr. Lopez

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. 1226 to No. 1329, 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, - - -	-	-	-	25	14	0
Stephen M'Donough, - - -	Roundstone, - - -	-	-	-	270	16	7½
Patrick Mullen, - - -	Ballindoon, - - -	-	-	-	69	14	7
	Total,	-	-	-	516	14	9½

*Del in favor of Union Account £57. 9. 0
 Date at 5. 6. 12
 £55. 14. 7½*

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, - - - - - £3. 0. 4

Paid during the week, - - - - - £57. 9. 0

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* of the Guardians was - £55. 14. 7½

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.
	Clifden,	-	-	-				65	9	11			
	Derrylea,	-	-	-				-	-	-			
	Inishbofin,	-	-	-				17	10	7½			
	Sillerna,	3	0	4				6	14	2			
					3	0	4				9	0	11
	Ballinakill,	-	-	-				22	14	7			
	Cleggan,	-	-	-				12	9	0			
	Cushkillery,	-	-	-				22	10	12			
	Rinvyle,	-	-	-				90	15	8			
											151	10	
	Bennowen,	-	-	-				28	0	4			
	Derrycunlagh,	-	-	-				-	6	8			
	Dunloughan,	-	-	-				41	9	11			
	Errislanen,	-	-	-				23	14	4			
											116	7	3½
	Bencorr,	-	-	-				51	4	11			
	Illion,	-	-	-				-	-	-			
	Moyrus,	-	-	-				-	7	0			
	Roundstone,	-	-	-				60	10	9			
	Knockboy,	-	-	-				131	2	0			
	Owengowla,	-	-	-				29	2	7½			
	Skannive,	-	-	-				99	17	11			
											372	9	5½
	Total				3	0	4				731	7	1

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 s. 11 d. 12

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 21. 0. 10

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1. 9
Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 2. 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:

650 lb Bread
57 lb Meat
112 lbs Omeal
800 yds Milk
2 lb Lard
28 " Sugar
1 " Pepper
4 Cwt Omeal
2 " Lard
6 lb Candles
21 lb Soap

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

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

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

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

£ s. d.

In money, - - - - -
In kind, - - - - -
Total, - - - - -

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
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.

C. Lan Laf.

1. Expense for bills, wages in hospital
Sanitary operations 23 11 0
2. At length payment wages Labour 1 5 0

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

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

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

PL's Circular No 29 12/54. 10th Oct
Accompanying two Copies New Eastern
Collectors Manual
Ordered that 12 copies be procured

PL's Letter No 3757/54. 16th Oct
Containing Quis to be answered signed
by Clk of Union and person appointed
Porter in the Workhouse &c

PL's Letter No 613/54. 16th Oct
Containing Quis to be answered and
signed by Clk of Union & persons
appointed House & Schoolmistress
of the Workhouse respectively

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

No. of cases 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.)

Ordered that J. Gorbett's services as Inspector under the Poor Law Amendment Act be dispensed ^{with} from this date -

Ordered that as soon as funds are in the Treasurer's hands a Cheque be drawn for balance of salary of Rev. P. Fitzmaurice as R. C. Chaplain £ 27. 0. 11

Ordered that Cheques be drawn on Treasurer as soon as funds are available for W. P. O'Keefe & J. J. Pendergast for the balance of their accounts -

Resolved that the following Order of the Board omitted in Minutes of 4th October instant be now entered on the Minutes viz

Ordered that a notice be advertised for election to take place on this day fortnight.

Two applications for the office of Porter were read from W. Thos. Quane & W. McHenry.

Proposed by W. Thos. Quane, seconded by W. McHenry &

Resolved that W. Thos. Quane be appointed Porter of the Workhouse at a salary of £15 a year or ~~£10~~ Second Class Rating subject to the sanction of the Commissioners -

Ordered that the Collectors of the Old and New Rates attend with all their Books at this meeting of the Board with their Annual sheets fully made out, and that a full Board be summoned for the occasion.

Ordered that the information of Mary Connolly Pauper, be taken against her husband John Connolly for deserting her, and that the Relieving Officer be directed to take the necessary steps to have her arrested

John King
Anthony J. Moir
Anthony Gorman

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

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.,
(No. 27.)

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District,	£
_____ District,	£

Galway County

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1851, 25,389.

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 21 day of Oct 1854

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,	204	215														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,																
Fever Sheds,	40															
Total,	244	215														
Remaining on previous Saturday, } as per last Return,			13	40	17	6	23	53	20	25	18	215	In Workhouse Hospital, } In separate Wards, } In Fever Hospital, } In wards with other inmates, }			
Admitted during the Week,			1	2								2	5			
TOTAL,			14	42	17	6	23	53	20	25	20	220	Total,	Total,		
Discharged during the Week,			1		1			1				1	4			
Died,								1					1			
Total Discharged and Dead,			1		1			1				1	5			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			13	42	16	6	22	52	20	25	19	215				

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 25 day of October 1854

PRESENT: In the Chair, W. Lakin, W. Thomas Joyce
 Other Guardians: W. Jones, W. Kelly, C. Coffin
 W. Lakin, J. Jones, W. Jones

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	9	0
Joseph M'Donnell, - - -	Rinvyle, - - - ✓	25	1	9	25	1	9
Stephen M'Donough, - - -	Roundstone, - - -				370	16	7 1/2
Patrick Mullen, - - -	Ballindoon, - - -				62	15	7
	Total, -	25	1	9	443	12	5 1/2

*Balance forward of previous
Account had £ 46 8 6
Rate of 102. 1. 1/2
£ 178 9 11 1/2*

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, - - - - £155. 11. 0

Paid during the week, - - - - - £132. 1. 0

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was - £178. 9. 11 1/2

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.

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.			
	Clifden, ✓	50	2					60	9	9						
	Derrylea, . . .	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	Inishbofin, . . .	"	"	"				17	4	7 1/2						
	Sillerna, . . .	"	"	"				6	1	10 1/2						
					50	2										
											85	15	9			
	Ballinakill, ✓	3	1	10				17	12	9						
	Cleggan, . . .	"	"	"				12	9	0						
	Cushkillery, ✓	12	7	0				10	8	15						
	Rinvyle, ✓	18	7	7				80	8	15						
											28	11	5			
													122	15	0	
	Bennowen, . . .	"	"	"				38	6	6 1/2						
	Derrycunlagh, . . .	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	Dunloughan, . . .	"	"	"				46	9	11						
	Errislanen, . . .	"	"	"				33	4	4						
														116	7	0 1/2
	Bencorr, . . .	"	"	"				51	4	11						
	Illion, . . .	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	Moyrus, . . .	"	"	"				7	3							
	Roundstone, ✓	4	7	0 1/2				56	7	6 1/2						
	Knockboy, ✓	92	5	8 1/2				38	16	3 1/2						
	Owengowla, . . .	"	"	"				29	2	7 1/2						
	Skannive, . . .	"	"	"				99	17	11						
											76	12	11			
														275	16	6 1/2
	Total				130	76		£ 600	17	7 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 £ 17 s. 11 d. 9

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 21 12. 5

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 1-9 1/4

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

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:

- 650 lb Bread
- 524 lb Meat
- 800 gals Milk
- 2 lb Tea
- 28 lb Sugar
- 112 lb Rice
- 6 cut Apples
- 2 - Apples
- 6 lb Apples
- 28 lb Soap
- 1 lb 9/12 paper

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.						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. 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.

4	D. Lafford	Chap. St. De. Hous.	22	10	0	0
5	Robt P. Fitzmaurice	R. L. C.	27	0	11	0
6	Stephen Wallace	Attorney	1	17	2	0
7	Stephen Wallace	Attorneys	0	18	5	0

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

		£	s.	d.
8	Philly Large Bunch	9	11	5
10	Philly of Meal	5	0	0
11	Philly of Meal	2	0	0

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
	<u>Mr Chantler</u>			
3	Dr Saffell's Salary	25	0	0
9	Dr Payne	22	0	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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The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon as follows:

That on the night of the 18th inst a child died suddenly in the female dormitory. The Medical Officer examined it. and stated it died from a severe attack of Convulsions—
In accordance with the directions of the Board, the nurses with illegitimate children in a ward separate from other females

approved postponed

A sum of £2. 18. 10 has been expended on Dr Williams Contract. for which I respectfully request the Board will order payment this day

have employed two sweepers for the purpose of raking a part of the timber lying in the Grass yard

Required 1 Padlock with 2 Keys } ordered
1 Paint brush

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. Comm^r letter No 2566/24. 24/10/24
 Forwarded to be laid before the Board
 and also a letter which
 the Comm^r have rec^d from
 Mr Collins late Porter at
 the Workhouse, and requesting
 the Board of Guardians to
 furnish the Comm^r with their
 observations on the several
 statements contained in
 Mr Collins' letter &c
 It appeared to me that the
 the Officers employed send in
 their reports &c

Report from Mr Collins R. O. 25/10/24
 stating that a report was made to him
 that a man was found dead on the
 morning of Monday last on the old road
 near Wynnow Lake
 that he learned the particulars of the case
 and found that he was a single
 man of about 25 years of age. born
 at Bunka a native of Ballinacilly a
 bankrupt, he lived for some time with
 Mr Jackson at Wynnow. the deceased had
 not long returned from England, he lodged
 in the House of one Michael Fee of
 Wynnow on the night of the previous
 Friday, and left his house on the following
 morning. that deceased made no application
 to the Relief Office directly or indirectly —

Letter from Mr Collins R. O.

stating that he was engaged in prosecuting
 one Daily News for having his children
 in the workhouse. it was proved that
 the children were demanded to be taken
 out of the workhouse. the case was
 postponed until the next Court day, so as
 to give him time to have the children
 taken out. that the accident Magistrate
 said that he hoped that the children would
 not be turned out naked in this cold weather.
 ordered that the children be clothed by using
 old clothes if possible —

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.)

Several applications for the Office of Schoolmistress were read Proposed by Mr Jones seconded by Mr Kelly that Miss Moran be appointed teacher of the Workhouse school Resolved as an Amendment of Mr Jones seconded by Mr Kelly.

That Miss Moran be appointed Schoolmistress for the Workhouse. For the Resolutions

Mr Jones
Mr Kelly
2

Mr Jones
Mr Kelly
Mr Turner
Mr Johnson
5

Miss Moran was declared elected at the Salary of £10 a year & 2 Class rates subject to the Sanctions of the Poor Law Commission

Two applications for the Office of Nurse were read Proposed by Mr Jones seconded by Mr Morris Resolved Unanimously that Miss M. Hickey be appointed nurse of the Dispensary at the Workhouse at a Salary of £12 a Week & first class rates subject to the sanction of Commissioners

Ordered that the attention of the Relieving Officer be called to the filthy state of the Courtyards and that he at once take steps to have it properly cleaned. A Copy to be sent to the Relieving Officer

Resolved that the Comrs be requested to give their opinions to this Board as to whether it is expedient for a guardians acting at the time as Chairmen to possess

*Second a resolution as to move a
second in Amendment
Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on
Monday the 2nd of March 1854
at 10 o'clock
Wm. Jones
Richard Joyce*

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

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District £
_____ District £

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject,)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1851, 25,389.

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 18 day of Oct 1851

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in such 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 9 and under 15 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 6 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,	204	204														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,	40	40														
Fever Sheds,																
Total,	244	244														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			13	62	16	6	22	52	20	25	17	215	In Workhouse Hospital, in Fever Hospital	In separate Wards, in Wards with other inmates,		
Admitted during the Week,			2						1			5				
TOTAL,			15	62	16	6	22	52	21	25	17	220				
Discharged during the Week,			2									3				
Died,																
Total Discharged and Dead,			2									3				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			13	62	16	6	21	52	21	25	17	217				

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 1st day of November 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair, W. Hart & Chairman
 Other Guardians: Saml. Jones Esq. W. L. L. Esq. W. J. Esq. W. J. Esq.

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. 1335 to No. 1339, 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, - - -	-	-	-	10	12	3
Stephen M'Donough, - - -	Roundstone, - - -	-	-	-	270	16	7 1/2
Patrick Mullen, - - -	Ballindoon, - - -	-	-	-	69	14	7
	Total, -	-	-	-	499	52	5 1/2

Balance forward of Union
 Advance of £ 46. 8. 6
 Rate - 3. 12. 3
 £ 50. 0. 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, - - - - £ 8. 2. 10

Paid during the week, - - - - £ 36. 13. 0

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was - £ 50. 0. 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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.
Clifden, ✓ Derrylea, Inishbofin, ✓ Sillerna,		3	8	2				57	17				
								14	3	11			
								6	1	6			
					3	8	10 1/2				77	6	10 1/2
Ballinakill, Cleggan, Cushkillery, Rinvyle,								17	12	9			
								12	9	0			
								10	2	11			
								80	8	12			
											122	18	0
Bennowen, Derrycunlagh, Dualoughan, Errislanen,								38	6	6			
										6			
								44	9	11			
								20	1	4			
											116	7	2 1/2
Bencorr. Illion, Moyrus, Roundstone.								57	4	11			
										7			
								66	7	6			
Knockboy, Owengowla, Skannive,								38	16	3 1/2			
								29	2	7 1/2			
								79	17	11			
											235	16	6 1/2
	Total				8	8	10 1/2				592	8	8 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

Parish	Population	Number in clif, judar tree, and 27 etc	Number return on door	return population judor	return population on door	Total population
Ballindoon	5,615		507		9	
Blifden	7,953		600		0	
Manrofte	7,920		600			
Manrofton	11,969		1,077			
Total	33,465		3,044			

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Dublin Castle
4 November 1854

Gentlemen

I am directed by the Lords Justices to acknowledge the receipt of your letter of the 30th ultimo and I am desired to acquaint you that His Excellency have laid this further communication respecting the case of Peggy Lee before the Law adviser who concurs with you in thinking it the duty of the officer of the Board in the absence of professional aid to afford the Bench all the assistance in his power and he must hope that hereafter the officer will be able when required by the Bench to refer the Magistrates to the sections and act as well as to inform them of the facts on which the Board of Guardians direct proceedings, The Law adviser feels assured at the same time that in the absence of such assistance the Bench will not permit Justice to be frustrated if by their own efforts or other legal means they can acquire the necessary information.

I am Gentlemen
Yours obed^t Serv^t

Thos. Larcom

(Copy)

I have been directed by the Magistrates at Clifden Petty Sessions this day to forward to the Board of Guardians the above, being a copy of a communication from the under Secretary Dublin Castle

By order

Patrick Duane
Clifden Petty Sessions

Court House Clifden
21st Nov - 54

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

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2. The Provision Check Accounts.
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By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 22 s. 7 d. 2

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 19-19-5

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1-7½

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2-2½

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:

650 lb bread
54 lb meat
800 qt milk
4 cut beef
2 - - - -

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

Galway

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

Mr Phipps having refused to send supplies,
he purchased 5 lb of Tea & 5 lb of Sugar. *approved*
M.B.H.

That he respectfully suggests that a Privy be
erected in the Laundry yard so as that the
lenses sent down there may be kept strictly
separate from the other kitchen
in order in minutes *M.B.H.*

Now that Vegetables can be easily procured
he respectfully suggests the propriety of
getting some in the Soup
M.B.H.

Required & Buckets for hospital use
Ordered " for hospital use, with water
M.B.H.

The Board delivered on this morning is
superior in quality
and that the Contractor be sent for. The Contractor
Mr Burtwell & Bates he will not continue to
supply in his present contract
M.B.H.

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:)

H. Comm^r letter N^o 269, p^{er} 27th Oct
 In reply to Clerk of Union letter of the
 25th inst. on the subject of the
 expenditure on the Additional
 Buildings &c -
 H. Circular N^o 452, p^{er} 28th Oct
 Subject of the Agricultural Letters
 since the year 1847 - &c
 Letter from Mr. Wm. McKinnon Master
 stating it was with some
 sense of public duty compelled me
 to report to you the improper conduct
 of W. P. Collins which report has been
 since his removal from office fully born
 out as you are aware
 he never did keep my books but
 assisted me then until afforded
 some errors in the accounts made
 out by him to which I called the attention
 of Messrs. Clark of the Union. Who desired
 me not to permit Mr Collins to interfere

with the ap^s in future. Since then he frequently
requested to be allowed to assist with the books but
I at all times refused -

The man who has been appointed Porter of your
Workhouse, was for two years as Hospital
Porter previous to my coming here, and in charge
of the Hospital from the resignation of the late
Nurse (M^r King) till the appointment of the
present one. I at all times found him honest
conscientious and of strictly moral habits, I also beg
your attention to a Testimonial he holds from
Doctor Saffield the Medical Officer of the Union
He is well known to the several Members of the
Board, and I have frequently heard you speak
favorably of him -

I am sorry I cannot claim the honor of relationshp
with Mr. Hart, Vice Chairman of the Board, all
that gentleman knows of me was through the
Very Rev. Dean Bentinck of Westport and the
Marquis of Sligo, each of whom gave me strong
Testimonials, and letters of introduction, which
I believe was the first Mr. Hart ever heard
of me

I have never allowed any pauper to remain for
months (illegally) out of the Workhouse, Edward Clough
the pauper referred to in his letter, was with my
leave for some days ~~was~~ in Westport attending
a lawsuit connected with the Court of Chancery
He having a property in that Court, which he expects
to come into his possession in a short time, he
has been allowed by the Board to attend to it, with
a view to his leaving the Workhouse as soon as
possible -

I am not aware that Mr. John King is contracted
for Wine Porter &c -

The Matron was absent a few nights, attending the
death bed of her Sister, with the consent and cog-
nizance of the Board. I am not aware that she
keeps a number of female Paupers employed
knitting stockings for Mr. Anthony Murray -

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. 2

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 19-19-5

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1-7½

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2-2½

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:

650 lb bread
54 lb meat
800 qt milk
4 cwt Potatoes
2 cwt Suet

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 ending Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

Total -

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

I distinctly deny that I ever treated any one either of the Guardians to plenty of whiskey, nor would I dare to ask the Visiting Committee, to write a report according to my dictation.

I did give Mr. Collins a Testimonial two months since in my knowing that he was in the habit of spending his nights with the Schoolmistress of this Workhouse, or that the Hospital Nurse of the Newport Workhouse was intimate with him, and now obliged to tender his resignation, ^{like} and his account taken from Mr. Conners's Station

stating that the illness and death of his wife obliged her to be absent a few nights and that it is untrue that she kept female purgers employed knitting for Mr. Smith's family or any other persons - Letter from Mr. Collins stating that the charge made against Mr. Collins is without foundation, observing that the Station Books were regularly submitted to the Board once at each occasion

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

Delto 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.)

as it was especially mentioned to the Board and entered in the Minutes, and referring to the Per Sea Auditor for the correctness of the several Workhouse a/c's which Mr. Collins has submitted to him ~~for~~ on the occasions of his Auditing the Workhouse Accounts -

Resolved that the Board having gone over the explanations in reply to the charges against the several officers viz. the Master, Station Clerk & others are fully satisfied with these explanations, to which they beg to call the Board's attention.

It is with regret the Board are obliged to admit that these Complaints were the production of an evil disposed person who the Board have much reason to believe did imperious injury to female officers in the Workhouse, who had to resign their offices on that account, owing to the vigilance and watchfulness of the Master for which the Board have reason to be grateful.

As to the base insinuations thrown out against the Members of the Board who were present on the occasion of his removal from the Office of Porter, and called on him to resign, the Board consider them too contemptible to be noticed, other than that these gentlemen feel satisfied they discharged their duty on the occasions with judgment, promptitude, and decision.

Ordered that a Wooden Pier be erected on the ground allocated to the Poorhouse with ~~the~~ Children

Martin R. Hart
Chairman
Bedmond Joyce
Fathay Gorham

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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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Population in 1851, 25,389.

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of November 1854.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 8 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,	1000	1000												
Temporary Buildings,														
Additional Workhouse,														
Permanent Fever Hospital,	40	40												
Fever Sheds,														
Total,														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			11	43	16	6	21	22	25	20	27	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates,	
Admitted during the Week,			2											
TOTAL,			15	43	16	6	21	22	25	20	27	Total,	Total,	
Discharged during the Week,				1				2		1	4			
Died,														
Total Discharged and Dead,								2		1	4			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			13	42	16	6	21	20	24	19	23			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 8th day of November 1854, 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 8th day of November 1854

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. Hart

Other Guardians: Mr. Joyce, Mr. Phelan

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Galway County

Population in 1851, 25,389.

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *8th* day of *November* 185*4*.

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 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,													
Temporary Buildings,													
Additional Workhouse,													
Permanent Fever Hospital,													
Fever Sheds,													
Total,													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			12	43	16	6	21	32	21	23	20	27	
Admitted during the Week,			2									2	
TOTAL,			15	43	16	6	21	32	21	25	20	29	
Discharged during the Week,								2		1		4	
Died,													
Total Discharged and Dead,								2		1		4	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			15	43	16	6	21	30	21	24	20	25	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *8th* day of *November* 185*4* 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.							Ht. 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 *8th* day of *November* 185*4*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Wm. Hart*

Other Guardians: *W. Joyce*, *W. Johnson*

Chas. Butler

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. 1340 to No. 1341, 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 7 0	
Joseph M'Donnell, - - -	Rinvyle, - - -	10 12 3	
Stephen M'Donough, - - -	Roundstone, - - -	270 16 7 1/2	
Patrick Mullen, - - -	Ballindoon, - - -	69 14 7	
	Total,	493 12 5 1/2	

Balance
of previous week 46. 8 6
date 27. 27. 6 1/2
 74. 6. 0 1/2

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, - - - - - £ 33. 16. 8 1/2

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 9. 11. 5

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 74. 6. 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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.		
Clifden, Derrylea, Tuishbofin, Sillerna,	Clifden,	3	2	5	6	14	7 1/2	53	18	2	7	31	1		
	Derrylea,	-	-	-				-	-	-				-	-
	Tuishbofin,	-	-	-				14	11	-				-	-
	Sillerna,	-	-	-				5	10	-				-	-
Ballinakill, Cleggan, Cushkillery, Rinvyle,	Ballinakill,	3	5	0	5	15	7 1/2	16	6	10 1/2	11	7	4 1/2		
	Cleggan,	-	-	-				12	9	0				-	-
	Cushkillery,	1	7	9 1/2				9	0	4				-	-
	Rinvyle,	-	-	-				7	8	5 1/2				-	-
Bennowen, Derrycunlagh, Dunloughan, Errislanen,	Bennowen,	5	5	0	11	35	16 1/2	15	0	0	16	13	10 1/2		
	Derrycunlagh,	-	-	-				-	6	8				-	-
	Dunloughan,	-	-	-				4	4	11				-	-
	Errislanen,	1	1	7 1/2				2	1	6 1/2				-	-
Bencorr, Illion, Moyrus, Roundstone,	Bencorr,	-	-	-	-	-	-	57	4	11	-	-	-		
	Illion,	-	-	-				-	-	-				-	-
	Moyrus,	-	-	-				-	-	-				-	-
	Roundstone,	-	-	-				56	7	6 1/2				-	-
Knockboy, Owengowla, Skannive,	Knockboy,	6	5	1 1/2	-	-	-	12	11	2	-	-	-		
	Owengowla,	-	-	-				29	2	7				-	-
	Skannive,	1	1	0 1/2				28	7	10 1/2				-	-
Total															

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 21 s. 0 d. 23

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 17.17.5

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - 1-82

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2 02

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 lb Bread
 59 lb Meat
 2 cwt Onions
 500 lbs Butter
 3 lbs Tea
 56 s. Sugar
 1 s. Pepper
 2 cwt Onions

56 lb Rice

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

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

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

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

£ s. d.

In money, - - - -
 In kind, - - - -

Total -

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					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. 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.

114 s. 10 d. 0

3 5 10 0

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

	£	s.	d.
12 Mr Raymond of Supplies	0	0	0
11 Bread & meat bills &c	6	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:

Galway

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

The Bread delivered for the past week was inferior in quality.

There appears to be much difficulty in procuring quantity of Flour.

Mr Keating of Hospital Lane arrived here on the night of the 6th instant

Approved by the Board

Have purchased two boxes of Turnips at 2/- per box & 6/- value of 12/-

Approved

Body of a female inmate of the workhouse was found with febrile symptoms in the morning of Saturday after expending the night out of the workhouse

Order the discharge—

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:—

1st Letter No 450 Sept 22 - 7th Nov
Desiring to be furnished with the
Weekly Returns of Collections of rate
now in Arrear since 9th Sept 52

Letter from National Board Education
3rd November giving the following
Extracts from the Inspector's Report
"The Male teacher (Miss Jackson), is
incompetent as to his literary
accomplishments."
"The female teacher is sufficiently
qualified."
No improvement whatever made
in the school since ^{my} former
inspection.

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.)

Ordered that the Commissioners attention be requested to the previous resolutions of the 24th October relative to the dismissal of the proceeding at Petty sessions against Peggy Lee for the maintenance of her illegitimate child in the Workhouse.

The Clerk reported that P. Mullin P.N.C. had not attended for the examination of his accounts since the 9th September.

Ordered that the Clerk do write to the Collectors Securities informing them that they will be proceeded against if the respective Collectors are not brought to a close forthwith

Ordered that P. Mullin Collector be summoned to the next Petty sessions if he does not attend on tomorrow for the examination of his accounts

Ordered that the Commissioners be requested to send the Clerk of Works from Coghlan to Clifden to make out a plan, and specification of the front wall at the Workhouse

Meeting of the Board of Guardians
 10th September 1851

[Handwritten signature]

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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

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

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

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

_____ District	£
_____ District	£

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject,)

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

*Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that*

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1851, 25,389.

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of Nov 1851

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 in Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . .	1307	273												
Temporary Buildings, . .														
Additional Workhouse, . .														
Permanent Fever Hospital, .	40													
Fever Sheds, . . .														
Total, . . .	1347	273												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			13	2								In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates,	
Admitted during the Week, . .			2	1								Total, . . .	Total,	
TOTAL, . . .			15	3										
Discharged during the Week, . .														
Died,														
Total Discharged and Dead, . .														
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			13	2										

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11th day of Nov 1851 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 15 day of November 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

No persons attended, except the Chairman of the Board -

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 £ 21 s. 16 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 19. 11. 6

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

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

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 lb. Bread
 14 lb. Meat
 700 lbs. Milk
 3 lb. Tea
 28 lb. Sugar
 1 lb. Butter
 6 pint. Medical
 4 pint. Milk
 6 pint. Oil

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

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

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

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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 - - -

Delto disallowed - - - - -

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

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

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Recd Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

Signed

Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1851, 25,389.

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 20th day of March 1854.

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 3 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 in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.											
Workhouse,																										
Temporary Buildings,																										
Additional Workhouse,																										
Permanent Fever Hospital,																										
Fever Sheds,																										
Total,																										
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,												15	216													
Admitted during the Week,												3														
TOTAL,												18	219													
Discharged during the Week,																										
Died,																										
Total Discharged and Dead,																										
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,																										

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20th day of March 1854, 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 20th day of March 1854.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. Hart & Chairman

Other Guardians: Mr. Kelly, Mr. Murray, Mr. Morris

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, - - -	12	9	0			
Joseph M'Donnell, - - -	Rinvyle, - - -	10	12				
Stephen M'Donough, - - -	Roundstone, - - -	27	0	16 7/2			
Patrick Mullen, - - -	Ballindoon, - - -	69	14	7			
Total, -		118	35	12 7/2			

*Balance forward of previous
 balance sheet £46. 11. 0
 Date do 50. 11. 22*

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, - - - - £39-10-4

Paid during the week, - - - - £47-0-1

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was - £10-13-8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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.
Clifden, Derrylea, Inishbofin, Sillerna,	Clifden,							50	12	7			
	Derrylea,												
	Inishbofin,							14	0	11			
	Sillerna,							8	8	12			
											67 11 7 1/2		
Ballinakill, Cleggan, Cushkillery, Rinvyle,	Ballinakill,							14	7	15			
	Cleggan,							12	9	0			
	Cushkillery,							9	0	4			
	Rinvyle,							25	9	15			
											71 6 0		
Bennowen, Derrycunlagh, Dunloughan, Errislanen,	Bennowen,							22	0	10 1/2			
	Derrycunlagh,									6 8			
	Dunloughan,							24	9	11			
	Errislanen,							24	14	5			
											71 13 10 1/2		
Bencorr, Illion, Moyrus, Roundstone,	Bencorr,	27	14	8				23	10	22			
	Illion,												
	Moyrus,									7 0			
	Roundstone,	10	4	9				45	5	9			
											78 12 11		
Knockboy, Owengowla, Skannive,	Knockboy,							28	4	2			82 4 2
	Owengowla,							29	2	7 1/2			
	Skannive,							97	10	0			
											228 17 0		
Total											£467 11 11		

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

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

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

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

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

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - -

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - -

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - -

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

500 lb Bread
 44 in Meat
 700 yd Lint
 3 lb Tea
 28 lb Sugar
 55 lb Flour
 1 lb Pepper
 10 cut Tobacco
 2 pint Mal
 1000 lb

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

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

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

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

In money, - - - - £ s. d.

In kind, - - - -

Total, -

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.						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.

12 Geo Brooke	0 11	6	✓
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Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

17 D Huggins for Laundry	1 4	0	✓
17 D Huggins for Groceries	1 1	0	✓
26 W. Huggins for Groceries	2 2	0	✓
26 W. Huggins for Groceries	3 0	0	✓
27 C. Huggins for Groceries	7 0	0	✓
27 W. Huggins for Groceries	2 0	0	✓

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

		£	s.	d.	
15	Thos Carr Provision	✓	3	3	6
16	J. Johnson Do	✓	2	0	0
21	Wm Freeman Conf	✓	10	0	0
22	Wicket's brown Meat	✓	10	0	0
23	Jos Butler Meat	✓	10	0	0
24	H. A. James Meat	✓	10	0	0
25	Wm. Roberts Meat	✓			

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

M. Sharpton

		£	s.	d.
30	Wm. Campbell (out-door)			
	Wm. Campbell			

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:

It finds that the allowance notified as charged for the baking of large Bread is too high. It is respectfully suggested that the large Bread from 11.3d of Meal be changed in future to 10.3d.

Requires for Hospital
10 Boulds
10 Tin Pots
1 Dumping Men box } to be procured by Master

John Dwyer, 16 years of age, absconded through the front windows of the school-room taking a full suit of clothes the property of the parson. Order to be prosecuted.

A mason is required to repair the kitchen Chimney of the Hospital
ordered—
Required 1 Pickaxe
1 Crow bar
ordered—

Sh. Bence
ordered—

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

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

- PLC Letter No 3726/54 - 8th Novembar
States that the Contractor should be compelled to make good any loss which may arise to the Knives in case he ceases to supply the quality of bread he is bound to furnish
- PLC Letter No 1417/54 - 14th Novembar
Directing attention of Board of Guardians to the unsatisfactory state of the Librarians in the Old Knives
- PLC Letter No 3230/54 - 14th Novembar
Sanctioning the appointment of Thomas Deane to the Office of Porter of the Workhouse
- PLC Letter No 3830/54 - 14th Novembar
Sanctioning the appointment of Mrs W Hickey as pupil teacher
- PLC Letter No 3102/54 - 14th Novembar
Declining sanction the appointment of Mrs P. Mallow as schoolmaster of the Workhouse, on a report from the Poor Law Inspector stating his incompetency and that a schoolmaster be appointed for

- PLC Letter No 3830/54 - 14th Novembar
Sanctioning the appointment of Eliza M Mowbray as schoolmistress of the Workhouse at a salary of £10 a year
- PLC Letter No 3836/54 - 14th Novembar
Stating in reply to Guardians resolution of 8th Novembar requesting the Services of the Clerk of Works from Duguid and that the Commissioners will communicate to the Guardians to their Architect
- PLC Letter No 3726/54 - 20th Novembar
Stating that there is a discrepancy in the Trustees statements in his letter of 10th Novembar as to the charges proposed by P. Phillips which seems to require the Trustees explanation. Also stating that the C. Edm. Currys would more properly have been discharged from the Workhouse under the circumstances mentioned, and be admitted in the regular way if applying again in a regular manner
- Letter from Mr P. Phillips Workhouse Trustees
Referring in reference to the above letter that he, the Trustee, in stating that P. Phillips did not keep his books meant to Curry that he, Phillips, did not see: credible keep them, but that he assisted largely in the keeping of them, that the Trustees had given him to P. Phillips by the Trustee, and that at the time he was fully entitled to both from his knowledge of Workhouse books and the satisfactory manner he then believed he discharged his duties
- PLC Letter No 3836/54 - 21st Novembar
Stating that they have rec'd a communication from the Chief Clerk from which it appears that the explanation of the Kings notes has been obtained in reference to the case mentioned by the Guardians

Letter from C. M. Petty, Receiver
 Enclosing Copy of a Communication
 rec^d of the Magistrates from the
 Madras Secretaries in reference to
 the Case of Peggy Lee for the maintenance
 of her illegitimate child

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.)

Ordered that the Commission be requested to have steps taken to compel the Westport Union to pay into the Union the amount so long due to this Board, the Board are much in want of money, the result of which is that supplies are much more expensive upon the Board than they would be had, if the Board had cash in their hands

Ordered that the Board feel dissatisfied at the Collectors not having complied with the order of the Board to lodge detailed returns of each party owing rate in their several Collections, with the Clerk.

The Board request the attendance of Stephen W. Donoghue on next Tuesday day, in order that he may explain why he is making no Collections of the amount due on this old Union in the Roundstone Division.

Ordered that in future the Committee not to allow any Grooms out of the Workhouse. That if any Groom has business to take him out of the house, he must apply for his discharge in the usual way.

Proposed by W. Scully, seconded by J. Manning Resolved that the Clerk be directed to forward the Bonds of Pitt-Mullin, and B. Rury to W. J. C. Cahillan with instructions to them to apply to the Committee of each Collector informing them that he has received orders from the Relief Board of Guardians to take immediate proceedings against them for the balance due on their Collection accounts, unless they, the Collectors, lodge the amount to the credit of the Union, or show good cause why any portion should remain outstanding.

Ordered that Mr W Conroy & Mr Kearns P O be paid on this day with the balance of their salaries to 29th Sept 1854 -

Ordered that inasmuch as the Clerk has reported to the Board that a charged balance of 100/- remains on hands of Pat Mullin the Clerk ordered of 100/- and that such balance has not been as yet lodged to the credit of the Union. That the Clerk be directed to apply to Pat Mullin for an explanation of the circumstance and that he be also called upon to attend the meeting of the Guardians on next Board day, and satisfy the Board why so large a balance remains. £99.13.10 1/2 is outstanding in his Collections

It appears that a horse named Pat Bunks was found dead on the 23rd Octal bet near the Police Station & letterjacks, and the Board are informed that said person was buried in the most unchristian and improper manner, and that there are reports also in circulation which render it necessary to know why an inquest was not held, and we require our H. Office to give a report of all the circumstances, and we also request the Police to send a report as to the death and burial of said party

Ordered that the Comrs be requested to transmit to the Board copies of the Communications between the Hospitals and the Commissioners or the Law Officers of the Union, as the same is, inasmuch as the Board have received on this subject the accompanying Communi-

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

(Signed) _____ Clerk of the Union.

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

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

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

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

Items from the Clerk of Petty Sessions—

Ordered that the Clerk be allowed the sum of five pounds for his services under the Parliamentary Voters Act and that the Commissioners be requested to sanction it.

John King

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District	£
_____ District	£

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject,)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1851, 25,389.

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 185_____.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 9 and under 15 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . .														
Temporary Buildings, . . .														
Additional Workhouse, . . .														
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .														
Fever Sheds, . . .														
Total, . . .														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			18	41	16		22	28	2	2	2	26	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital, Total, . . .	In separate Wards with other Inmates, Total, . . .
Admitted during the Week, . . .			2									8		
TOTAL, . . .			20	41	16		22	28	2	2	2	34		
Discharged during the Week, . . .														
Died, . . .														
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .														
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			20	41	16		22	28	2	2	2	34		

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 185_____.

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. 1757 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.

Table with columns: Name of Collector, Electoral Division, Collected and Lodged, Uncollected. Rows include Francis Mullen, Joseph M'Donnell, Stephen M'Donough, Patrick Mullen, and a Total row.

Handwritten notes: Balance favor of Union, Amount due £23.0.0, Note do £45.2.3 1/2, £68.10.9 1/2

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, £54.12.3

Paid during the week, £88.2.0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £68.10.1

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:—

Large table with columns: Name of each Collector, Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts, Collected and Lodged, Total, Remaining, Total. Rows list various districts like Clifden, Derrylea, Inishbofin, Sillerna, Ballinakill, Cleggan, Cushkillery, Rinvyle, Bennowen, Derrycunlugh, Dunloughan, Errislanen, Bencorr, Illion, Moyrus, Roundstone, Knockboy, Owengowla, Skannive, and a final Total row.

Handwritten notes: Corn rate of 4s 6d, Rate £3.11.0 ✓

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 lodge d.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 20 s. 11 d. 11

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 21. 4. 10

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1. 9

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - 2. 0 3/4

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 lb Mead
 200 lb Meat
 200 lb Milk
 5 lb Tea
 5 lb Sugar
 5 lb Rice
 1 lb Pepper
 6 lb Salt
 2 lb Must
 6 lb Butter
 2 lb Soap

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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.						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. 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.

15 James Crawford Laundry 53 8 ✓

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

2. Establishment Account.

32 J. Thomas & Co. 2 15 11 ✓
 33 W. Briggs do 11 5 11 ✓
 34 R. C. King & Co. for Relief Fund 2 14 3 ✓
 36 The Leonard & Co. for Relief Fund 1 0 0 ✓
 37 P. Ralph repairs of boots 2 15 0 ✓
 38 P. St. Aubert's Repairs of boots 3 6 0 ✓
 39 D. Mullins do 1 10 0 ✓

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

31 *Johnston*

£	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 Mill supplied for past week was deficient in quantity and inferior in quality—
Ordered the Clerk to the attention of the Committee to draw note, and to request their vote in opposition—

The Medical Officer reports the necessity of procuring clothes for the female patients
Resolved to purchase a quantity of old clothes which respectfully request to be condemned this day

Required for Women's Clothing	} £ 6 10/6
200 yds of Ribband	
100 " " Ribband	} for
For Women's Shoes	

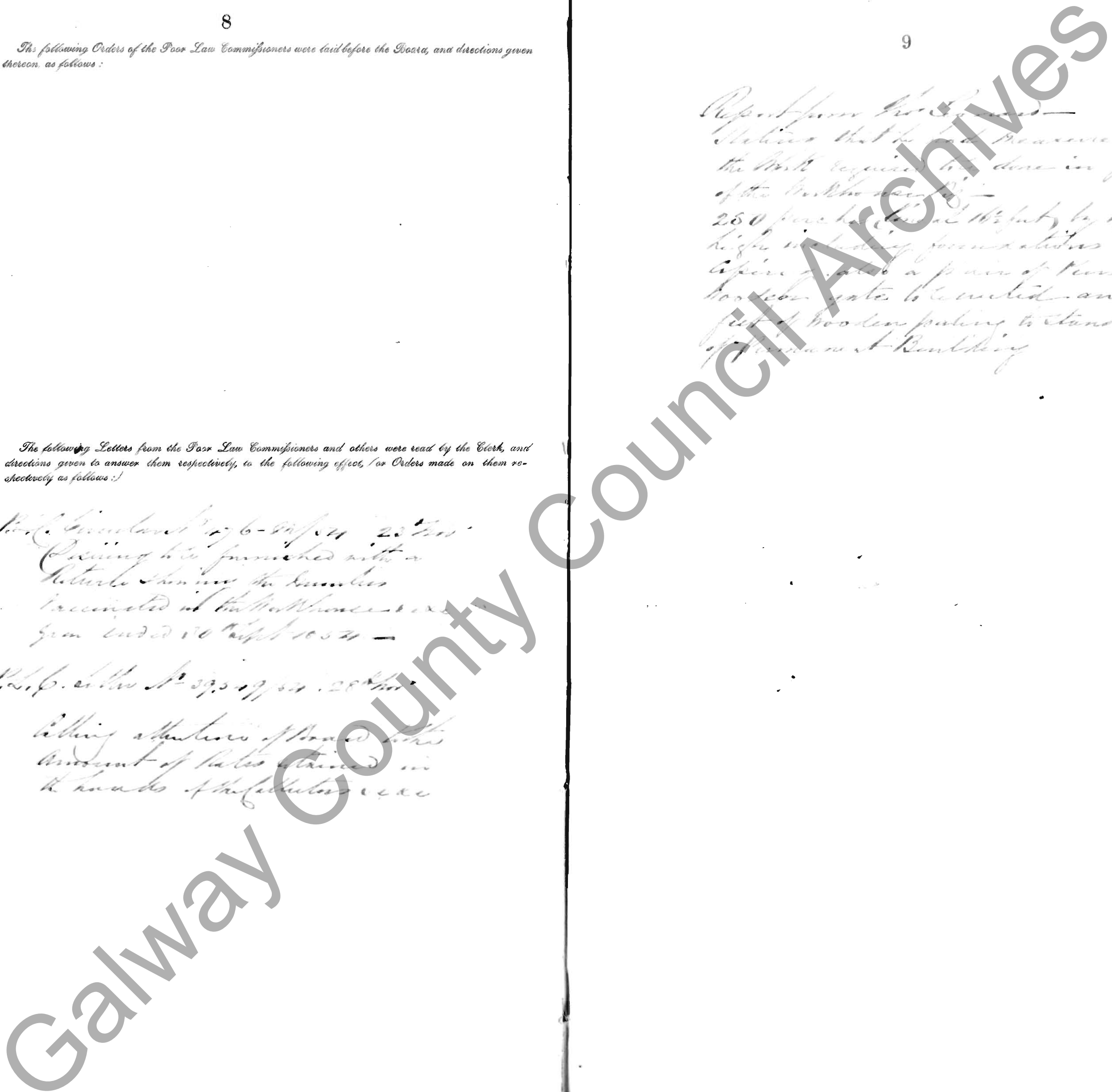
The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

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:)

Wm. Simons Esq 27th 6-8/54 23rd Nov
Prising him furnished with a
Notice showing the numbers
vaccinated at the Workhouse & etc
from 1st Jan 1854 to 10th Sept 1854 -

Wm. P. Esq 27th 6-8/54 28th Nov
Calling attention of Board to the
Amount of Rates retained in
the hands of the Collectors & etc

Report from Mr. [unclear]
Stating that he had measured the
Work required to be done in front
of the Workhouse -
250 feet high at 10 feet, by 1 foot
high including foundations and
apiece of a pair of New and
hoop iron gates to be erected and 220
feet of wooden paling to stand in front
of the same at Bantking



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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Delts disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Ordered that the Commissioners be requested to order the Completion of the Boundary Wall &c in front of the Workhouse to be commenced.

The Guardians are not in a position to advance the necessary funds even on the condition of being repaid by the Commissioners and as the Work is one of great necessity the Board respectfully urge on the Commissioners that it be undertaken at once. - JHB

Ordered that the painter be directed to get the windows glazed, and that the Schoolmistress be cautious in allowing the schoolroom windows to be kept in repair. JHB

Ordered that the following articles be condemned, but the Blankets and Rugs not to be sold as old rags but to be kept to make up missing clothing, 81 Blankets, 67 Rugs, 50 Shirts, 46 Shirts 44 shifts, 67 Petticoats, 150 Responses 4 Bed ticks. JHB

[Handwritten signatures: J. Smith, J. J. Archer Jr., J. J. Archer]

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.)
(No. 27.)

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

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

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

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

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

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

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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

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

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

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

District £
District £

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1851, 25,389.

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

day of Decr 1854

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.	Inmates under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	No. of Lunatics in Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . .	100	227												
Temporary Buildings, . . .														
Additional Workhouse, . . .														
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, . . .	11													
Total, . . .	111	227												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			20	45	16	5	21	17	22	24	22	22	20	
Admitted during the Week, . . .			4	1								8		
TOTAL, . . .			24	46	16	5	21	17	22	24	22	28		
Discharged during the Week, . . .														
Died, . . .														
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .														
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			28	51	16	5	23	17	22	24	22	27		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the day of Decr 1854 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 6 day of Decr 1854

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

R. H. Blakey & Co. Wm. Hunt & Co. Wm. Ashford

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

To The Chairman and Guardians of the Clifden Union,

Gentlemen,

I propose cleaning and repairing thoroughly the four clocks in the workhouse, and furnishing same, for twelve months (well treated) for the sum of 10/6 per clock

Your Ob. Servant
Patt. Ralph,
Watchmaker
Respect.

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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, - - -		
Joseph M'Donnell, - - -	Rinvyle, - - -		
Stephen M'Donough, - - -	Roundstone, - - -		
Patrick Mullen, - - -	Ballindoon, - - -		
	Total.		

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.				
Clifden, Derrylea, Inishbofin, Sillerna,	Clifden,									45	0	8					
	Derrylea,																
	Inishbofin,									14	8	11					
	Sillerna,									8	9	0					
															62	14	3
Ballinakill, Cleggan, Cushkillery, Rinvyle,	Ballinakill,									14	17	1/2					
	Cleggan,									4	0	9					
	Cushkillery,									6	16	0					
	Rinvyle,									20	3	0					
															58	19	11
Bennowen, Derrycunlagh, Dunloughan, Errislanen,	Bennowen,	11	0	0						22	0	10 1/2					
	Derrycunlagh,										6	8					
	Dunloughan,	13	13	4						30	16	7					
	Errislanen,	5	8	1/2						16	8	1/2					
										30	17 1/2				69	12	3
Bencorr, Illion, Moyrus, Roundstone,	Bencorr,																
	Illion,																
	Moyrus,										7	0					
	Roundstone,									42	15	7 1/2					
Knockboy, Owengowla, Skannive,	Knockboy,									27	7	9 1/2					
	Owengowla,									29	2	7 1/2					
	Skannive,									97	10	0					
															197	3	3 1/2
	Total																

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 21 s. 11 d. 11

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 22. 8-4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1-9

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

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 Mead
 44 " Meat
 800 qts Sails
 3 lb Tea
 28 " Sugar
 1 " Pepper
 8 Cwt Lye Meal
 4 " Ind' do
 6 lb Anises
 21 " Soap
 2 " Starch

1/2 lb Blue

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.					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. 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.

40	In ready Cash, D	110	0	✓
41	James Chey Ant of Paris	46	0	✓
42	Red Enamel Buckets	17	0	✓
43	Putt Making Carpenter	28	0	✓
44	Thos Ferry Brewer	12	5	✓

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

	£	s.	d.
145 Subvent Cases for services	3	0	2

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 Milk supplied for the past week was inferior in quality and deficient in quantity.

Ordered that the Master use the contract as usual in such cases.

The Glazier refuses to repair the windows at the contract price.

Resolved that tenders for glazing be invited for four or six boardings.

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 N^o 40243/54 - 4th Dec
 Requesting to be informed for what period in the allowance of L⁶ to remunerate the Clerk of the Union for his services under the Parliamentary rules set—

P.L.C. Letter N^o 40900/54, 5th Dec
 Stating that the Jurisdiction relating to the completion of the boundary walls will receive the Commissioners' consideration—

P.L.C. Letter N^o 40930/54 - 5th Dec
 Desiring to be informed how the deficiency in the Milk was supplied & stating that the Commissioners presumed the Contractor has been charged with the cost of the substitutes provided—

Ordered that the Comrs^{rs} be informed that the deficiency in the Milk was 6 quarts—

P.L.C. Letter N^o 40212/54 - 5th Dec
 Desiring to be informed if Collector T. Muller has complied with the order of the Board of Jurisdiction of the 2nd November &c &c

P.L.C. Letter N^o 40211/54 - 5th December
 Stating in reply to Jurisdiction's resolution requesting to be furnished with copies of any Communications which passed between the Commissioners and the Magistrates or Law Officers of the Crown relative to proceedings against Messrs for the procurement of an illegitimate child in the Workhouse, that they (the Commissioners) have not been in Communication either with the Magistrates or the Law Officers of the Crown on the subject—

P.L.C. Letter N^o 40213/54 - 5th Dec
 Accompanying Curia to be amended and signed by P.L.C. officers and persons appointed Schoolmasters in the Workhouse—

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.)

Ordered that the attention of the Commissioners be again called to the debt due by the Westport Union as contained in resolutions of Guardians dated 22nd November 1857 and that they be requested to call upon the Westport Board to pay the amount at once.

Ordered that the P. L. Commissioners be informed that the allowance of £6- to the Club of the Union for remunerations under the Poor Law Amendment Act is for the year ended October 1857.

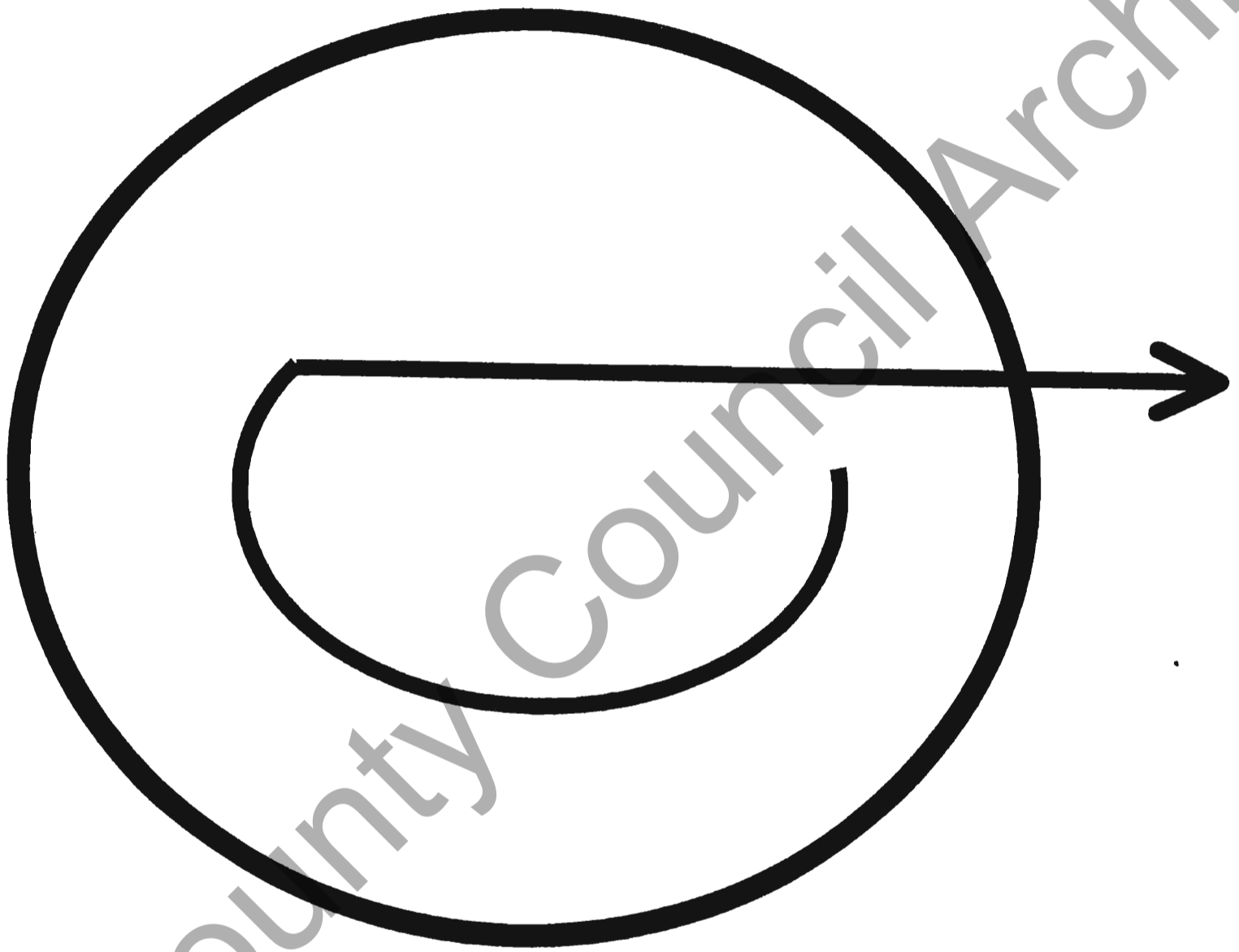
Ordered that Pitt Scullion be called on to explain this occurrence, and the resolution be ordered to take further proceedings.

Martin & Mart Chairman
Henry Hildbrand
J. M. Sealy.

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

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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