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**CLIFDEN POOR LAW UNION**

**BOARD OF GUARDIAN MINUTES**

**GPL3/33**

**3 May 1865 – 10 January 1866**

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MONTHLY  
BOOK

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PRESENT: In the Chair, Wm. Jones Esq. v.l.

Other Guardians: Thos. Prior Esq. J.P.  
W. C. Smith Esq. Thos. Meredith Esq.  
Wm. Wall Justice de Shea  
G. R. Broughton James O'Neil  
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The Minutes of said Meeting were read and Signed.

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 Other Guardians: *Thos Prior Esq J.P.*  
*Wm Smith Esq* *Thos Meredith Esq*  
*Wm Wallace* *James Shee*  
*G. R. Broughton* *James O'Neil*  
*A. Morris* *Michl Malley*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4713 to No. 4834 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week . . . . . £ 49: 8: 1

And during the week . . . . . £ 113: 18: 9

And that the Balance on the Account favour of the Guardians was, £ 242: 12: 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
G Brennan	Bunowen	7	5	10				5	2	15	11				
	Clippen	2	3	11				13	3	7	11				
	Derryvanta	"	"	"				4	0	18	7				
	Derryvlea	"	"	"				1	6	11	11				
	Doonlonghan	18	6	7				5	6	5	3				
	Triskanan	"	4	3				2	4	2	6				
	Sillern	"	"	"				2	6	5	1				
					49	8	1					3	50	5	2
P. P. P.	Bencor							2	3	0	4				
	Ellin							9	1	7	4				
	Knockboy							9	8	8	2				
	Moyrus							1	3	3	0				
	Owenjwla							6	1	1	0				
	Romdeton							3	9	5	9				
	SKanvra							2	1	1	0				
												2	12	4	7
McDonnell	Ballinakilla							6	5	1					
	Chygan							4	7	1					
	Cashkilly							2	1	3	0				
	Brishkoffin							3	5	1	6	9			
	Renvyle							2	1	1	1				
												7	0	15	0
					49	8	1					6	33	4	10

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

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



The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting amounting to £ 4 - 4 - 6 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 17 - 13 s. 2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . . £ s. d.

16 : 7 : 7

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . . . : 2 : 0

Average Cost in Infirmary, . . . . . : 3 : 7

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, . . . . . : 3 : 7

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

800 lb Bread	1 Blue
81 " Meat	1 gal Whisky
2 1/4 " Tea	538 qt milk
24 " Sugar	15 Sheepheads
2 " Soap sugar	1 doz Porter
56 " Rice	25 Boxes Turp
4 " Candles	
112 " Soap	
4 " Starch	

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 24 day of April 1865, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	£	1	-	70
In kind,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total,	-	-	-	£	1	-	10

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.	
			Article and quantity.	Value.				Article and quantity.	Value.
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.			£ s. d.		£ s. d.
No. I.	C. King				Bt. forwd.				
No. II.					No. X.				
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Car. forwd.					Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

2	R Stanton Medicines	50	0	0
3	John Ruske Salvoyn onase	10	0	0
11	Nick Bonally poundap	10	0	0
12	Patrick Py do	10	0	0
13	George Brennan do	20	0	0
14	John Ruske small ap	4	4	6
1	George Robinson Roundton Pieper	15	0	0
4	Stephen Ridge do	3	0	0

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

3. Workhouse Invoices Account.

		£	s.	d.
5	John E. Bolancon	28	16	1
6	Joseph Gorham	28	17	1
7	John Boyce	11	6	8
8	Oliver W. S. M. M. M.	7	7	3
10	John E. Prendergast	5	2	6

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
9	Leon King	5	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 were made thereon as follows:—

The meat contractor was unable to supply meat as required last week. There was none to be had in town meat was obliged to take butter in lieu ordered that butter be not accepted in lieu of meat in future —

James Prendergast refused to supply out meat & that Leonard M. M. M. M. meat unless at an advanced price ordered that fresh tenders be called for. The medical officer reports as very inferior and quite unfit for the patients use —

The tea is a very poor article, and the supply of meat irregular for past week —  
Rays much required for Hospital beds ordered that the port wine be returned also the tea and white quality procured — Rays adjourned to next Monday



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 (see Orders made on them respectively as follows:)

Poor Law Commissioners letter No 7721 21 April Forwarding copy of letter addressed them by Mr Peter Hickey relative to meat contract &c

Resolved in reply to Comms letter we beg to say that the tenders for meat were as follows viz -

	Hickey	Loyce
Beef & mutton sheepheads	07 1/2 per lb	07 5 per lb
1/4 of veal Beefheads	1 9 each	8 1/2 each
Beef hearts	1 10 "	9 "
	1 10 "	11 8 "
	1 3 "	

under the above circumstances we considered that the two tenders were on the whole about equal & Loyce having been our last contractor we considered him entitled to the preference and accepted

it from the purest motives -

Signed - J Shein  
In Matter

Re Comms letter No 7943 Dated 25 April 65 Requesting to be informed of the contract price of the Tea supplied for use of the workhouse in matter -

The Clerk stated the contract price to be 2/4<sup>5</sup>/<sub>4</sub> per lb

Statement of the undersigned -

That Michael Connolly be discontinued as poor Rate collector under the following circumstances -

That on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of April last Owen McDermot of Streamstown the present contractor for supplying turf to the Clifden workhouse voluntarily stated to me that the said Michl Connolly was in partnership with him in the said contract for supplying turf and that in consequence of firing part of the said turf contract to the said Michl Connolly that Walter Conroy Michl Connolly's brother-in-law who was then a guardian of the Clifden Electoral Division of the Clifden union gave him the said Owen McDermot turf free of charge as was proposed by Nicholas Bodkin Surety of Walter Conroy who was then Receiver on the Streamstown property where the said turf was cut and the said Bodkin was then also a guardian of the Electoral Division of Silman as also another



Brother-in-law of the said Michael  
Councilly

Signed Samuel Freyer  
Resolved that the attention of the Poor  
Law Commissioners be called to the above  
statement of W S Freyer and that they  
are asked to direct an inquiry into  
the truth of same with a view of  
stopping such practice

This is Prior  
Michael Waller

The tender of John Geraghty to  
supply turf for 12 months  
at 8d per Box was accepted

Ordered that the decrees obtained against  
the putative fathers of illegitimate  
children be put in force at once -

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set  
forth in the Application and Prepart 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 Policing Officer's Books relieved by order of the  
Guardians was - - - - -

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

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

Ordered that the Doctor be requested to  
to inspect the infirm wards, and  
see if there are any persons there  
who are ineligible

Ordered that tenders be inserted for  
carriage of paupers to workhouse

W. Robinson Chairman

Walter J. Wall

J. Young Prior

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday the  
10 day of May 1865

(Signed) Wm. Murrell  
 Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the \_\_\_\_\_ UNION,  
on \_\_\_\_\_ day, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186 \_\_\_\_—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_.

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

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

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

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

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



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

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

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

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Total, . . . . .	822	152													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			8	15	27	39	6	18	15	3	16	147	In Work-house Hospital, } 24 In Fever Hospital, } 9 Total, } 33	In separate Wards, } — In Wards with other inmates, } 1 Total, } 1	
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			1	5	—	4	1	1	—	1	4	17			
TOTAL, . . . . .			9	20	27	43	7	19	15	4	20	164			
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			—	4	—	3	—	1	1	—	3	12			
Died, . . . . .			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			—	4	—	3	—	1	1	—	3	12			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			9	16	27	40	7	18	14	4	17	152			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6 day of May, 1865, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 10<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1865

PRESENT: In the Chair, Geo Robinson Esq JP

Other Guardians: Thos J Prior Esq JP  
W J Wale Esq J W Donnell Esq  
S. Freyer Esq

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4735 to No. 4751 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Spent during the week . . . . . £ : :

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

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 Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 15 - 14s. 3d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . . £ s. d. 16 : 4 : 3

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . . . : 1 : 11

Average Cost in Infirmary, . . . . . : 3 : 8 1/2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, . . . . . : 3 : 8 1/2

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

800 lbs Bread	4 cwt O. meal
81 " Meat	4 " L meal
24 " Tea	549 qts milk
24 " Sugar	15 Sheepheads
2 " Soap sugar	1 doz Potatoes
2 " Pepper	25 Boxes Turp
4 " Arrowroot	
2 " 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 6<sup>th</sup> day of May 1865, 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.	Article and quantity.	Value.
No. I.						Bt. forwd.					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forwd.						Total.					

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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







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

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

Read Comrs letter N<sup>o</sup> 8807 Dated 8 May 65  
Relative to contract for meat  
Tea &c

The Master must see that proper goods are received from the contractors such as wine Tea meat &c

Read Comrs letter N<sup>o</sup> 8807 8<sup>th</sup> May 65  
Referring to statement of W S Freyer  
relative to collector Connolly &c  
Mr Connolly to be furnished with  
a copy of Mr Freyer's statement and  
to send a written explanation by  
this day week to the Board

Read Comrs letter N<sup>o</sup> 8754 4 May 65  
Relative to statement of Dr Painter that  
a few chairs are required for his Dis-  
pensary -  
Ordered that he get 3 chairs -

Read letter from Dr Safford stating  
that Simon Holleran and John Davis  
of Rossadilisk neglected to bring  
their children to him on the 8<sup>th</sup> day  
after vaccination -  
The Relieving Officer to take  
the necessary measures to compel them  
for not complying ~~for~~ with compulsory  
vaccination act -

Walter J. O'Connell

Joseph G. O'Connell  
Samuel Freyer

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

The number of Provisionar Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - -

Ditto disallowed - - - - -

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

The number of cases of provisionar 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  
day of

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the

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

*Clerk of the Union.*

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the \_\_\_\_\_ UNION,  
on \_\_\_\_\_ day, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186 \_\_\_\_—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_.

_____ District, . . . . .	£
_____ District, . . . . .	£

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] The Board elected the following Post-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 \_\_\_\_\_

Clifden UNION.

Population in 1861— Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 13<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1865.

Table with columns: Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided, No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date, Total No. in each building on the above date, Able-bodied, Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working, Boys and Girls, above 9 and under 15 years of age, Children above 2 and under 9 years of age, Children above 2 and under 5 years of age, Infants under 2 years of age, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 13<sup>th</sup> day of May, 1865, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 17<sup>th</sup> day of May 1865

PRESENT: In the Chair, W. Wall Esq. Other Guardians: Mr. J. Prior Esq. & P. M. R. Hart Esq. J. McDonnell & Saml. Freyer Esq.

Galway County

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4752 to No. 4760, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week £ 165: 5: 8

And during the week £ 69: 3: 4

And that the Balance on the Account favor of the Guardians was, £ 238: 15: 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.

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
J. Brennan	Burrowen							52	15	11			
	Chifden							133	7	11			
	Derry, cum Co.	38	5	7				2	11	0			
	Derry, cum Co.	3	5	3				13	6	8			
	Doonman	7	13	0				48	12	3			
	Eriskany							24	2	6			
	Sillerna	12	5	3				13	19	10			
					61	9	1				288	16	1
P. Mc	Dunco	17	14	0				5	6	4			
	Elliott	4	12	4				5	5	0			
	Knockboy	50	19	4				47	8	10			
	Moyrus	-	1	3				13	1	9			
	Quinowla	6	1	8				-	9	4			
	Romastone	15	6	11				23	18	10			
	Skerrive	9	1	1				12	17	11			
					103	16	7				108	8	0
M. Connolly	Ballinacilly							10	5	1			
	Cheslar							4	7	1			
	Cashkiller							2	13	0			
	Mishboppin							35	16	9			
	Renvyle							21	13	1			
											70	15	0
											165	5	8
											467	19	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 Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 18 - 2 s. 8 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . . 16 : 4 : 10

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . . . : 1 : 11

Average Cost in Infirmary, . . . . . : 3 : 6 1/2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, . . . . . : 3 : 6 1/2

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

700 lbs Bread	2 cwt Meal
83 " Meat	1 doz Wine
2 1/2 " Tea	2 " Porter
24 " Sugar	28 Boxes Turf
2 " Soap sugar	
4 " Candles	
1 gal Whiske,	
548 qt Milk	
15 Sheep heads	

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 13 day of May, 1865, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	-	13	-	10
In kind,	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total,	-	-	-	-	£	-	13 - 10

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.	C King					Bt. forwd.					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forwd.						Total,					

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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





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

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

St. James letter N<sup>o</sup> 7509 Dated 12<sup>th</sup> May 65  
Requesting to be informed of the result of the proceedings directed to be taken against defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act -

Leipden

17 May 1865

Gentlemen

On the 16<sup>th</sup> inst I attended the Leipden Petty Sessions and prosecuted 2 parties under the Compulsory Vaccination Act. The ~~Board~~ <sup>Magistrate</sup> taking into consideration that it was the first prosecution of the kind in this District took a lenient view and fined the parties 1<sup>st</sup> each and forthwith at the same time they announced their determination to inflict the full

penalty for any future infringement of the law. I trust this salutary caution will induce the people to be more strict in the observance of the vaccination Act -

Your obedient servant  
The Board of Guardians  
Leipden Union  
W. R. Saffield  
R.D.

Re former letter N<sup>o</sup> 9455 Dated 16 May 65  
Relative to report of Dr King R.L.S.  
and requesting to have the several matters referred to in his report - proceeded with at once -  
advised to this day week

Read letter from Secretaries of Education  
relative forwarding extracts from District Inspector's report -

"The literary course is suitable and the proficiency fair. There is no industrial instruction. The infant portion seem well attended to and the moral training appears to be successful except in the cases of two insubordinates who should certainly be handed over for punishment to the Master -

"The teacher, Miss Reilly entered the current course of training in the Marlboro Street Establishment, but has not been permitted to complete the term which is much to be regretted. School on the whole rather promising -



Read letter from Wm Connolly, V.P. Collector  
 acknowledging receipt of Clerk's letter  
 relative to charges made against him  
 by W S Freyer, and stating that  
 he was suddenly called away to  
 erect a breach on the Clifden &  
 Dallinghill roads, and requesting  
 Board to kindly allow until 24<sup>th</sup>  
 next to send in his explanation

Resolved that W Connolly, V.P. Collector  
 letter in answer to the Board  
 calling for an explanation relative  
 to the W.P. Contract is not considered  
 at all satisfactory, and that as it  
 seems to us that he had to do with the  
 W.P. Contract contrary to law. We  
 are of opinion & do hereby call on and  
 require the Poor Law Commissioners to

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was . . . . .

Ditto disallowed . . . . .

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

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

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

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

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

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

order a sworn inquiry to be at once  
~~stituted~~ held into the facts of the case  
 and thus stop officers of the union being  
 engaged in, in any manner in contracts  
 of the union -

Thos. Prior  
 Joseph W. Donnell

On the 10<sup>th</sup> May 1865. Doctor Croker  
 King came into the Clerk's room, after  
 the Board was over & while three members  
 of the Board were sitting in it. The  
 members were W. Joseph W. Donnell, W. Freyer  
 & W. Prior, and then Doctor Croker King  
 stated that he thought the Clifden Board  
 did nothing, but take up their time in  
 quarrelling & squabbling among themselves,  
 - some further observations were made  
 that escaped our memory.

Thos. Prior  
 Joseph W. Donnell  
 Samuel Freyer

Resolved that we look upon the observations  
 of W Croker King & I as stated by  
 the above gentlemen to be most un-  
 warrantable and improper towards any  
 body of gentlemen - and feel it a  
 duty we owe ourselves to inform  
 the Commissioners - that we cannot  
 recognise W Croker King as Inspector  
 of this union henceforward until he  
 makes an ample apology for the  
 gross insult offered to this Board  
 We may add this is the first time



The Board has ever been  
offered an insult by a poor law  
Inspector -

Signed

Martin R Hart  
Thos Prior -

Resolved that Thos King be charged to  
Clifden Electoral Division

Joseph McDonnell  
Thos Prior

amendment that Thos King having been  
ten and a half months out of the union  
within the last 18 months and he having  
no fixed residence in the union but  
living at intervals in the Clifden  
division and at other intervals in the  
Silerua Division he is legally chargeable  
on the union at large

Martin R Hart  
Samuel Freyer

For amendment Messrs Hart & Freyer 2  
Resolution Messrs Prior McDonnell Chairman 3

Thos Prior Chairman

Thos Prior

Thos. Mearns

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday the  
14 day of May 1865

(Signed) John Mearns

Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the \_\_\_\_\_ UNION,  
on \_\_\_\_\_ day, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186 \_\_\_\_—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_.

_____ District, . . . . .	£
_____ District, . . . . .	£

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

The Board elected the following 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 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

Caliper UNION.

Population in 1861—

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 20th day of May 1865

Table with columns: Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided, Aged and infirm persons, Boys and Girls, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS.

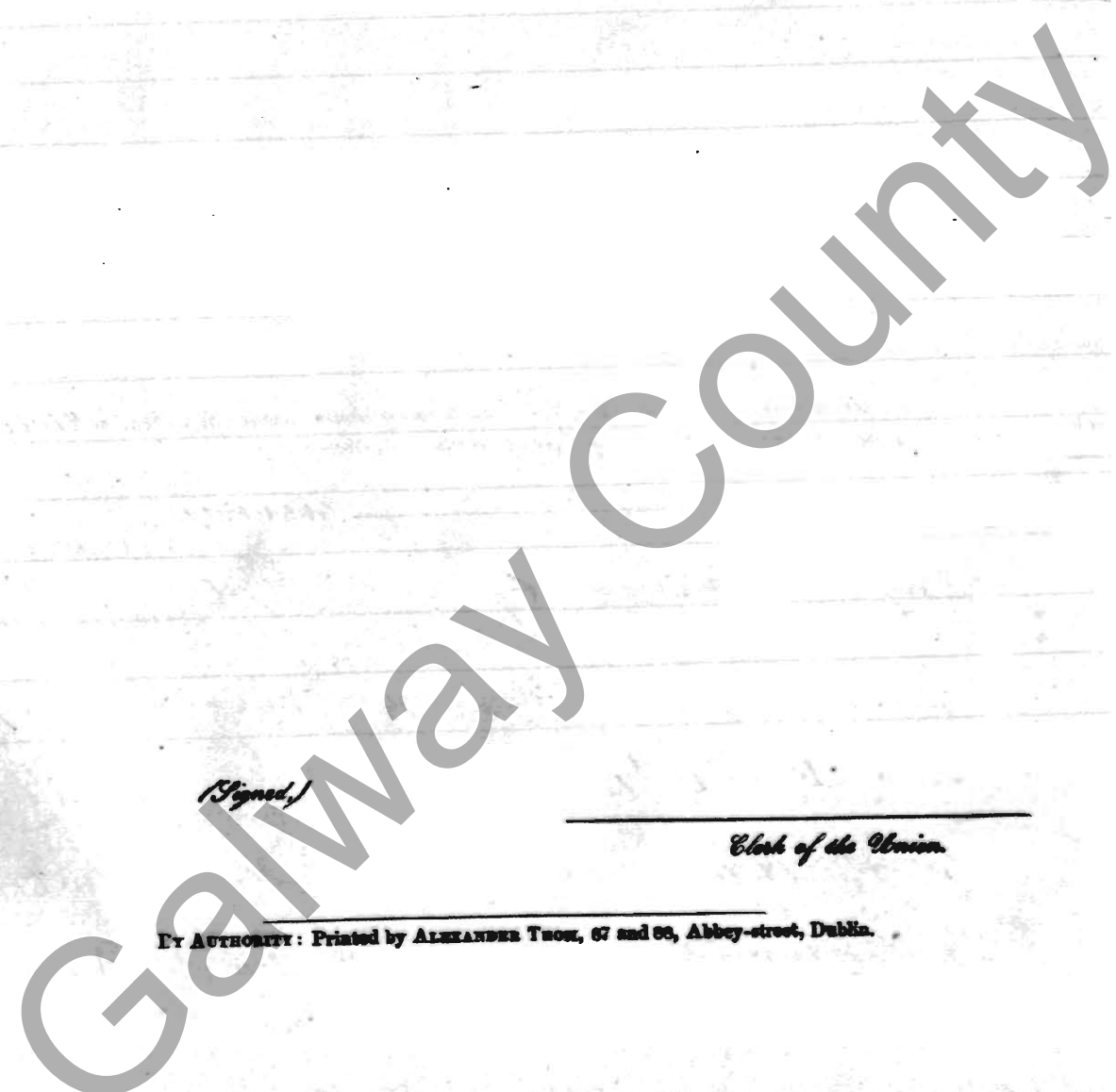
RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20 day of May 1865, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, Total relieved out of the Workhouse, RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, Total relieved out of the Workhouse.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 24th day of May 1865

PRESENT: In the Chair, Geo L Robinson Esq & P, Other Guardians: Mr J Prior Esq & P, Mr Wall Esq, Mr R Part, Mr R Broughton, A J Morris Esq, Joseph McDonnell, Jastick Shan, Mrs Meredith

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



The Warehouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4761 to No. 4767 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

£ : :

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

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 Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 15 18s. 70d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . . £ 6: 5: 1

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average Cost in Infirmary, . . . . . : 3: 5 1/2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, . . . . . : 3: 5 - 1/2

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

700 lbs Bread	4 cwt Meal
81 " Meat	4 " Meal
2 1/2 " Tea	553 qts Milk
24 " Sugar	15 sheep heads
2 " Soap Sugar	28 Boxes Tubs
1 " Pepper	
4 " arrowroot	
4 " Candles	
1 doz Tubs	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 20 day of May 1865, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money	-	-	-	-	15	4
In kind	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	-	15	4

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		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.	C King					Bt. forwd.					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forwd.						Total.					

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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





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

Rd General letter N<sup>o</sup> 9653 Dated 23 May 65  
Forwarding letter addressed therein by  
Mr Peter Hickey relative to meat  
contract &c

Ordered that it appears there was a mistake  
in accepting Joyce's tender instead of  
Hickey's for meat only the former at  
5<sup>d</sup> and the latter at 4<sup>d</sup> per lb but  
owing to Joyce's tender for the remaining  
goods being less than Hickey's the Board  
thought it better to give the whole contract  
to one contractor.

Mr Hickey's letter returned herewith

Rd General letter N<sup>o</sup> 9924 Dated 23 May 1865  
Relative to complaint against  
Michael Connolly Poor Rate collector

Read letter copy of letter addressed the P.L.  
Commissioners by Mr M Connolly relative to the  
Meat Contract &c

Resolved Having read Connolly's explanation  
to the Board this day dated 19<sup>th</sup> Inst  
we can see no way of avoiding a sworn  
inquiry investigation which we hereby  
request the Commissioners to direct to be  
held as soon as possible

Signed

Thos R. In  
C R Droughton

Rd General letter N<sup>o</sup> 9784 Dated 23 May 1865  
Relative to observations of Dr King P.L.  
and directing Board's attention to their  
letters of 16<sup>th</sup> Inst relative to repairs of  
Workhouse &c

Resolved That we consider the Resolution  
of the Board charging Dr Croker King  
with insulting the Board of Guardians  
of the Cliphden Union unbecomingly  
and displaying a want of courtesy  
unworthy of this Board. First because  
the statement volunteered by these three  
gentlemen on which alone the charge  
is founded should in courtesy have  
been first transmitted to Dr King  
asking him for an explanation and  
Secondly we have the fullest confidence  
in Dr Croker King Poor Law Inspector  
in his integrity and good feeling and  
we consider him incapable of opposing



an insult to our body And we now direct that the Resolution referred to be expunged from the Minutes of last Board day -

Signed  
J Shea  
Thos Meredith

Amendment That Dr Croker King having disclaimed any intention of giving any personal offence whatever to the Guardians or any member of the Board in the language made use of by him - The Board readily accept Dr Kings explanation

Signed  
Mr R Hart  
Thos Prior

For amendment Messrs W Donnell  
Prior Hart & Morris - 4

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 Policing Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	-
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered	-	-	-

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

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against amendment Messrs Wall, Meredith  
Shea, Droughton & Chairman - 5

For Resolution Messrs Wall, Meredith  
Shea, Droughton & Chairman - 5  
against Messrs W Donnell, Hart  
Prior & Morris - 4

Referenced letter N<sup>o</sup> 9924 Dated 23 May 65  
Requesting to be informed of the result  
of the Proceedings directed to be taken  
against defaulters under compulsory  
vaccination act -

Read letter from Dr Suggs stating  
that he vaccinated the child of Martin  
Dunne of Ballynaboy on the 15<sup>th</sup> Inst  
and that he neglected have him  
inspected on 8<sup>th</sup> day -  
Who prosecuted -

The lists of defaulters under compulsory  
vaccination list act were placed in  
hands of Relieving officer, who  
reports the Clerken list completed  
the parties having either died left  
the county or complied with the act.

Joseph McNeill Chairman  
Patrick Donoghue  
J Shea



Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Wednesday* the  
*31* day of *May* 1865

(Signed) *John Burke*

*Clerk of the Union.*

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the \_\_\_\_\_ UNION,  
on \_\_\_\_\_ day, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186 \_\_\_\_—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_.

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

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

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to 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 \_\_\_\_\_

Messrs Prior & Robinson attended so meeting 31<sup>st</sup> May 1865

Wm Morris Clerk of Union

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union

Clifden UNION.

Population in 1861—

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of June 1865.

Table with columns for accommodation, age groups, sex, and return of sick and lunatics. Includes rows for Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, and totals for remaining, admitted, discharged, and 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 3 day of June 1865, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns for Relief District, Number of cases relieved, and Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Lists districts I through IX and totals for cases and persons.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 7<sup>th</sup> day of June 1865.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Joseph McDonnell Esq, H Wall Esq DDC Other Guardians: Wm Prior Esq JP, Jartide Sheu Esq, Patrick McDonough, W R Hart, C R Broughton Esq, A J Morris "

The Minutes of said Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4768 to No. 4791, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week . . . . . £ 73 : 1 : 11

Said during the week . . . . . £ 189 : 3 : 1

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was, £ 222 : 13 : 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
G Brennan	Bennowen	9	13	7				4	3	2	4			
	Clifden	4	10	11				12	8	17	0			
	Derrycunla							2		11	0			
	Derrylea	2	17	6				10	9	2				
	Duonlonghan							48	12	3				
	Eriskinan	2	11	3				21	11	3				
	Sillerna		6	9				13	13	1				
					20	0	0					268	16	1
R P Ly	Beacor							5	6	9				
	Ellon							5	5	0				
	Kuorkboy	43	0	0				4	8	10				
	Moyrus							13	1	9				
	Omeagowla									9	4			
	Romdstone							23	18	10				
	Skarnive	43	0	0				12	17	11				
					43	0	0					65	8	0
M Connolly	Ballinakilla	2	4	1				4	1	0				
	Chelvar		2	11				4	4	2				
	Buskillera	2	13	0				0	0	0				
	Mishboppa							35	16	9				
	Renvyle	5	7	11				16	11	2				
					10	7	11					60	13	12
					73	1	11					394	17	3

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

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



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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 14 - 8 s. 6 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . . £ s. d. 16 : 3 : 7

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average Cost in Infirmary, . . . . . : 3 : 6

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, . . . . . : 3 : 6

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

80 lbs Bread	4 cwt Meal
80 " Meat	536 qts Milk
2 1/2 " Tea	15 Sheep heads
24 " Sugar	1 doz Wine
2 " Soap sugar	1 " do Porter
1 " Ketchup	28 Doz Nut
4 " Candles	
4 cwt Meal	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 3 day of June 1865, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money	-	-	-	1	3	10	
In kind	-	-	-	-	-	-	
Total	-	-	-	£	1	3	10

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. forwd.				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. 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:

Visited the House on 2<sup>nd</sup> June and I would strongly recommend the Board partitions of the front yards to be repaired. a small sum would suffice and a little paint ordered for the Master who would get the Boys in the House to paint them  
The doors should be hung and

locked at present it looks dilapidated and a small sum will remove all that - There is a chimney split at the top over a dormitory and I would recommend the parties to be removed to another dormitory until repaired as I consider this dangerous. Much whitewashing has been done and the children seem clean and well -

Signed Gustave Shea  
Ordered That Mr Roberts be requested to furnish the estimate of repairs &c with as little delay as possible

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):
- Rd Murray letter N<sup>o</sup> 9784 25 May 1865  
Relative to Workhouse School and  
to the fact that there is no "industrial  
employment"  
Referred to Schoolmistress for explan-  
ation on this day week —
- Rd Murray letter N<sup>o</sup> 9869 26 May 1865  
Relative to collection of rates &c  
Ordered That the collectors be called upon  
to close their accounts forthwith —
- Rd Murray letter N<sup>o</sup> 10 218 30 May 65  
Relative to Complaint against  
Messrs Connolly Poor Rate Collectors  
&c —

Resolved That in answer to the Commsr letter  
N<sup>o</sup> 10 218 - The Board have again strongly  
to call on the Commissioners & request of  
them to order a sworn inquiry to be held  
into the complaint made against Collector  
Connolly of being implicated in turf  
contract entered into by Mr McDermot  
or in the profits of said contract and  
delivery of said turf to the Workhouse  
which facts the said contractor Mr McDermot  
has plainly stated to Mr Freyer and also  
Thos Prior one of the Board & says he  
will prove it

Thos Prior  
Joseph McDonnell

For Resolution Messrs Prior, Broughton McDonnell  
and McDonnell ————— 4  
against Messrs Shea, Morris, Hart  
& Chairman ————— 4

Read letter from James Martin Esq R.S.A  
fixing 7<sup>th</sup> Inst for audit of accounts  
for past half year —————

Clifden 7<sup>th</sup> June 1865

Gentlemen

On last visiting the workhouse  
I found that a little child, Cannon,  
entered as a Protestant had been  
tempted with by some person or persons  
His first words to me were "sworn like  
take a catholic said that you know enough  
can you bless yourself. He said yes & ran  
through the letter form generally used by  
Roman Catholics, which he said had been



taught him in school. I asked him if he had gone to chapel he said he had on the previous Sunday - we like to go again for he had plenty of funds -

and I take watch lest should unsettle the faith of a Roman Catholic with full reasoning powers & yet be unable to guard better children in the Protestant faith -

would it be too much to ask permission to send one of our lay agents occasionally to instruct the Protestant inmates as my duties being very arduous I cannot spare sufficient time. I have greater boldness in asking this favor. Since lay agents or assistants - the nuns are permitted to the Roman Catholic Lady

Hoping this will meet with your attention.  
I am gentlemen. yours obliged  
Chas R Campbell  
Pro Chaplain

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 Policing Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was . . . . .

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

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

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Resolved that the Master and Schoolmistress be called on for an explanation to Rev Mr Campbell's letter respecting the ~~temporary~~ tampering with the Child Cannon. on this day week -

Signed J Shea  
Walter Swoll

For Resolution Messrs Shea & Chairman 2  
against Messrs Prior, Mr Donnell, Hart  
and Mr Donogh 4

Resolved that the Master and Schoolmistress be called before the Board to have an explanation on the Rev Mr Campbell's letter

Mr R Hart  
Joseph McDonnell

For Resolution Messrs Shea - Mr Donnell, Hart  
Mr Donogh and Chairman 5  
against - Mr Prior 1

The Master & Schoolmistress were called before the Board and required to send in a written explanation on next Board day -

The finance business was adjourned to next Board day -

Walter Swoll  
Joseph Shea  
Michael Maloy



Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Wednesday*, the  
*14* day of *June* 1865

(Signed) *John Purcell*

Clerk of the Union.

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(No. 27.)

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the \_\_\_\_\_ UNION,  
on \_\_\_\_\_ day, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186 \_\_\_\_\_.—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_.

_____ District.	.....	£
_____ District.	.....	£

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

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

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

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



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

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

Clifden UNION.

Population in 1861—

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of June 1865.

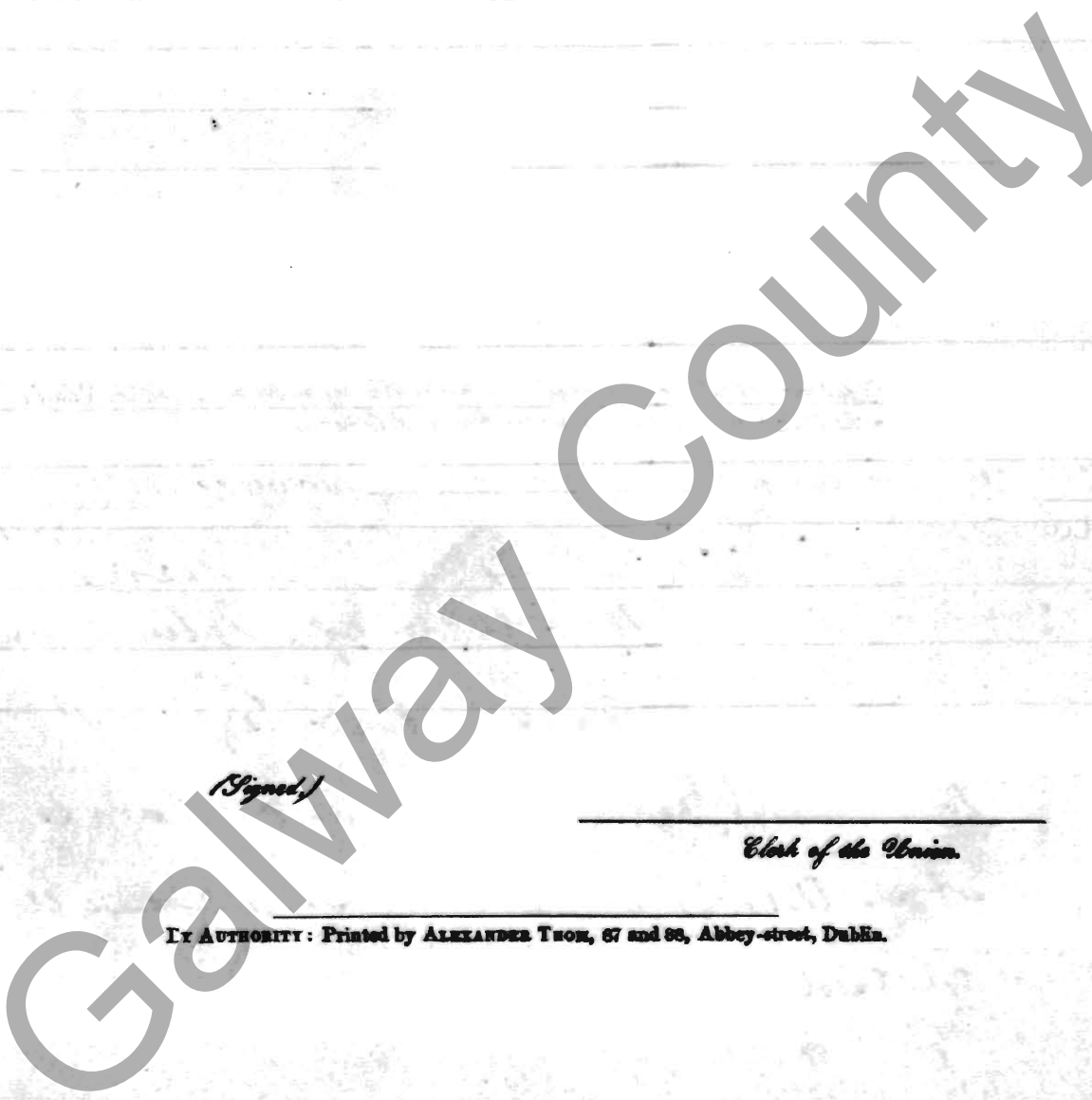
Table with columns for accommodation types (Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, etc.), age groups (Able-bodied, Aged and infirm, etc.), and return of sick and lunatics. Includes sub-tables for hospital admissions and discharges.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10 day of June 1865, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns for Relief District, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, and Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Includes rows for districts I through XVII and a total row.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 14<sup>th</sup> day of June 1865.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr Wall Esq. Other Guardians: Mr R Hart Esq, Mr J Morris, Mr J Poir Esq, Mr Bagin Esq, Mr Wickes Esq, Mr J. Shee.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4752 to No. 4881, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week . . . . . £ 40 : 0 : 0

Paid during the week . . . . . £ 0 : 0 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account *from the Guardians* was, £ 262 : 13 : 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
J. Brennan	Berronaw	18	1	0				25	1	4			
	Caligden	20	19	1				107	17	11			
	Derryculin							2	11	0			
	Derrylea							10	9	2			
	Doonlonghwa		19	11				47	12	8			
	Ernstanaw							21	11	3			
	Sillernaw							13	13	1			
					40	0	0				228	16	1
P. J. J.	Burrow							5	6	4			
	Ellion							5	5	0			
	Kusokbo							4	8	10			
	Moyrus							13	1	9			
	Onneowla									9	4		
	Roundston							23	18	10			
	Skannin						12	17	11				
											65	8	0
McConnell	Ballinakilla							4	1	0			
	Caligden							4	4	2			
	Cash Kelly												
	Mishboppin							35	16	5			
	Reewyle							16	11	2			
											60	13	11
					40	0	0				352	17	3

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



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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 19 - 8 s. 2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . . £ 18 : 0 : 0

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . . . : 2 : 0

Average Cost in Infirmary, . . . . . : 3 : 5

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, . . . . . : 3 : 5

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

800 lbs Bread	1 gal whisky
79 " Meat	549 qts milk
2 1/2 " Tea	15 sheepheads
24 " Sugar	2 cwt Laurel
2 " Sugar	2 doz Ports
4 " Candles	25 Boxes Wort
112 " Soap	
7 " 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 10 day of June 1865, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	1	2	0
In kind,	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total,	-	-	-	1	2	0

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.	C. Kelly				Bt. forwd.				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. 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.

15	Alen S Kerr.	Vaccination Revoyh Dix	28	0	0
17	Alen Bewke	Insurance	6	10	0
22	Alen Bewke	Sal mape	10	0	0
25	Barth Lydon	lime	1	8	0
26	Denis Muller	Cooffins	1	6	10

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

3. Workhouse Invoics Account.

		£	s.	d.
18	John E. Edanson	23	2	0
19	Joseph Gohaw	18	3	2
20	John Joyce	13	17	2
21	John J. Pendergast	7	17	1
22	James W. Darnest	4	4	0
23	Thos. Landon Jr.	6	9	0

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoics Account.

	£	s.	d.	
16	Con King	5	0	0
	Out-door Relief			

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoics 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 Minister and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

Required  
2 Barrels of lime  
Ordered



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

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

The Clerk omitted to state on minutes of last Board day - 7<sup>th</sup> Inst. that previous to entering into business a Resolution for the adjournment of the Board was proposed -

For adjournment	Mr Prior	1
Against	Mr Shea	1

Messrs Mr Dona & Mr Donnell declined to vote

The Clerk submitted letters of explanation from Messrs and schoolmistress relative to complaint of Rev Mr Campbell. which were considered contrary to resolution of last Board day proposed by Messrs Wall & Shea - The Chairman declined to entertain them -

Read letter from schoolmistress stating in reference to complaint of Inspector of Schools that the children make and mend all their own clappings and also assist in the general work of the Establishment which she considers is as much as they are able to do there being but a very few children

Cliffden  
14 June 1865

Gentlemen  
The following parties have neglected to bring their children to me on the 8<sup>th</sup> day after vaccination for inspection. I suggest their being summoned to Petty sessions for said neglect  
your obt servant

W<sup>m</sup> Saffield  
Referred to W<sup>m</sup> Saffield to refer us to the act authorising the Board to prosecute -

Is it according to law that parties should be vaccinated a second or third time at the public expense. on being vaccinated once successfully & same party coming to a Dispensary or one or two or three years after can the Dr again vaccinate at the public expense

I move the Commission  
be asked the above questions  
Thos Prior  
For Mr Wall. Prior. Messrs Wall, Mark and Morris - 6

against the same

*Walter S. Wall*

*W. S. Wall*

*W. S. Wall*

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

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

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

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

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

*Clerk of the Union.*

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the \_\_\_\_\_ UNION,  
on \_\_\_\_\_ day, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186 \_\_\_\_\_—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_.

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

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

The Board elected the following Post-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 \_\_\_\_\_

Galway County

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Clifden UNION.

Population in 1861—

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of June 1865.

Table with columns: Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided, Aged and Infirm persons, Boys and Girls, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS. Rows include Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, Total, Remaning on previous Saturday, Admitted during the Week, Discharged during the Week, Died, Total Discharged and Dead, REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17 day of June 1865, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1., Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1., Total relieved out of the Workhouse, RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1., Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1., Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Rows include No. I to No. IX, Car. forward, TOTAL.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 21st day of June 1865.

PRESENT: In the Chair, W. Wall Esq D.V. Other Guardians: Thos J. Prior Esq JP, J. F. Sheehy Esq Capt. Acheron, H. C. Smith

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Warehouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4802 to No. 4815, 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:

Large empty grid area for notes or reports.

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 . . . . . £ : :

Spaid during the week . . . . . £ : :

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.					
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
<i>Rate made up</i>																

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



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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 16 - 15s. 3 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . . £ s. d. 17 : 14 : 8

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . . . : 2 : 0

Average Cost in Infirmary, . . . . . : 3 : 7½

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, . . . . . : 3 : 7½

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:

80 lb Bread	4 cwt meal
2½ " Tea	4 " Meal
2½ " Sugar	583 qts Milk
2 " loaf sugar	15 Sheepheads
56 " Rice	1 doz Wine
4 " arrowroot	1 " Port
4 " Candles	16 Boxes Soap
4 " Starch	
1 gal Whiskey	

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 17<sup>th</sup> day of June 1865, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	£	s.	d.
In kind,	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total,	-	-	-	£	18	0

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. forwd.				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. 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.

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

£            s.            d.

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

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

*The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:  
Visited the School on 19<sup>th</sup> Inst found it clean and business going on well. I would recommend that the Head line Copies supplied by the Commissioners of Education be used by the Schoolmistress for Copies for the Children - The Water pipe is leaking and causing great waste of water and*

*labor*

*Jartside Shea*

*ordered that the Head line Copies referred to be used in future*

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





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

R L Comms Civ letter N<sup>o</sup> 78. Dated 8 June 1865  
Forwarding copy of Superannuation of  
Union Officers Rice —

R L Comms letter N<sup>o</sup> 11633 Dated 19 June 1865  
Relative to remuneration of medical  
officers for revaccination &c

R L Comms letter N<sup>o</sup> 10281 Dated 19 June 65  
Requesting to be informed of the  
result of proceedings against ~~against~~  
Martin Duane a defaulter under  
Compulsory Vaccination Act —

Martin Duane attended with his  
child for inspection - & no proceedings  
were instituted

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

R L Comms letter N<sup>o</sup> 11633 Dated 20 June 1865  
stating that such of the female children  
as are of sufficient age should be re-  
gularly instructed in sewing &c —  
That the schoolmistress be directed  
to have the elder children ~~kept~~ ~~but~~  
employed in making new clothes &c &c

R L Comms letter N<sup>o</sup> 11633 Dated 20 June 1865  
Relative to Complaint of Rev W. Campbell  
& stating that some explanation can be  
received from schoolmistress & master &c

Resolved That the letters referred in Comms  
letter be opened and read —

A. G. Gibson  
& Shen

Gentlemen

In reply to Rev W. Campbell's  
letter relative to the Cannon I beg re-  
spectfully to state, that I am perfectly  
ignorant of the matter set forth in his  
letter. I never directly or indirectly inter-  
fered in the Religious opinions of any  
pauper nor would I permit any one  
under my control to do so. I have made  
strict inquiry and I cannot discover any  
party having interfered with him as to his  
attending chapel it appears he did so  
without notice along with the crowd  
of other boys. But I will take particular  
care that such a thing will not again  
occur —

I am Gentlemen. your Obedt Servt  
Wm. Pearce  
Master of Workhouse



Gentlemen  
 In answer to the charge brought by the Rev Mr Campbell regarding the child Thomas Cannon, she respectfully to inform the Board that I have not in any way interfered with his religious neither am I aware of his having gone to Mass. I always left him in the schoolroom when took the other children to Chapel. Having mixed so much with Roman Catholic children he might possibly have learned the prayers without my knowledge. however I shall be more cautious in future.

Yours obedient servant  
 Ellen Kelly  
 Schoolmistress

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

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

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

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Ordered that the explanations of the schoolmistress be considered satisfactory

Read letter from Schoolmistress requiring supply of school requisites -

Ordered that the Schoolmistress be directed to apply next finance day for amount of requisites in proper form -

Read letter from J. A. Roberts Esq C.E forwarding Specification of necessary repairs of Workhouse &c and stating that if the Guardians will give him notice of the day on which they will receive tenders he will make it his business to attend their meeting &c

Ordered that tenders be advertised for this day fortnight for the general repair of Workhouse according to specification furnished this day by Mr Roberts C.E -

Ordered that the West window of Board room be opened and repaired -

Read letter from Mr Supple M.D. forwarding Copy of compulsory vaccination act referring Board to sections 2. 8. & 13 that it is of the utmost importance that children vaccinated should be brought for inspection on 8th day &c



Ordered That all parties not  
complying with vaccination acts be  
prosecuted by the Relieving Officer -

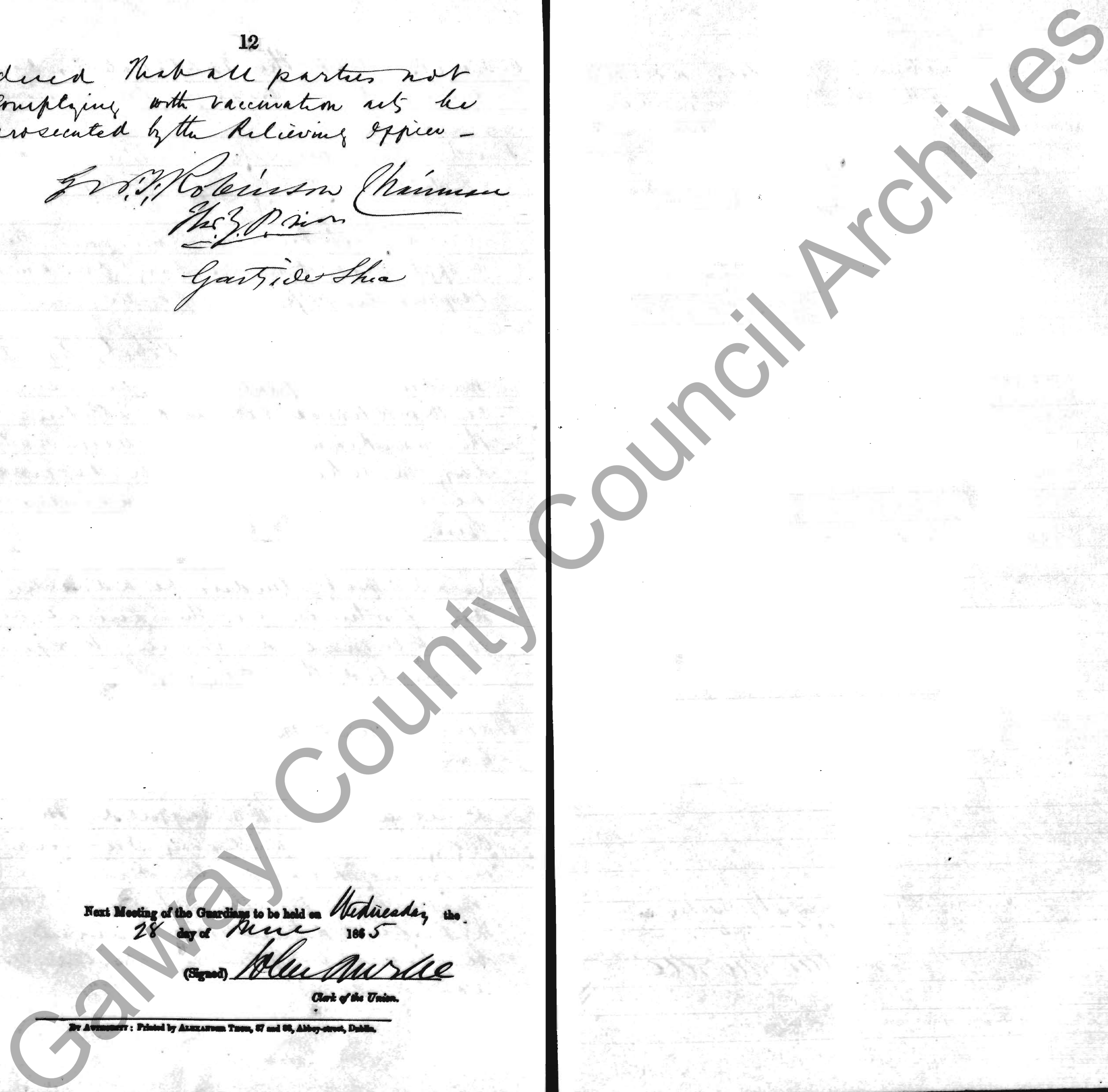
*W. J. Robinson* Chairman  
*Thos. J. P. O'Brien*

*Gartside Shea*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Wednesday* the  
*28* day of *June* 1865

(Signed) *Blair Currie*

Clerk of the Union.



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(No. 27.)

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the \_\_\_\_\_ UNION,  
on \_\_\_\_\_ day, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186 \_\_\_\_—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 186 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 186 .

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

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

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

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

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

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



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

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

*Clifden* UNION.

Population in 1861—

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *24* day of *June* 1865.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse, . . .	790	142														
Temporary Buildings, . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .	32	7														
Fever Sheds, . . .																
Total, . . .	822	149														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			10	18	32	40	7	16	16	1	21	161	In Workhouse, } 28 Hospital, } In Fever Hospital, } 7 Total, } 35	In separate Wards, } In Wards with other inmates, } 2 Total, } 2		
Admitted during the Week, . . .			1	-	1	-	-	-	1	-	-	3				
TOTAL, . . .			11	18	33	40	7	16	17	1	21	164				
Discharged during the Week, . . .			2	3	-	2	-	-	1	1	3	12				
Died, . . .			-	1	-	1	-	-	-	-	1	3				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			2	4	-	3	-	-	1	1	4	15				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			9	14	33	37	7	16	16	1	17	149				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *24* day of *June* 1865, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		
No. I.	10	30					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
forward	10	30					TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Wednesday* the *28<sup>th</sup>* day of *June* 1865.

PRESENT: In the Chair, \_\_\_\_\_  
Other Guardians: *John Jones Esq JP* attended to meeting  
*John Smith Clerk*

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

The Warehouse 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:

Large empty table grid with faint text, likely for recording minutes or reports.

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 £ 47: 1: 9

And during the week £ 49: 4: 5

And that the Balance on the Account *favor* of the Guardians was, £ 160: 11: 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
J. Brennan	Berronlin	4	3	4				20	18	0			
	Chidren	25	12	11				8	2	5			
	Deeryculla							2	11	0			
	Derrylea	5	1	7				5	7	7			
	Doonloughan	3	6	8				44	5	8			
	Erristawan	3	7	7				17	13	8			
	Silliana	4	19	8				8	13	5			
					47	19					18	14	4
R. P. [unclear]	Burcor							5	6	4			
	Ellison							5	5	0			
	Kuortboy							4	8	10			
	Moynas							13	1	9			
	Omelgolla							9	4				
	Ronudetan							23	18	10			
Sherrin							12	17	11				
					0						65	8	0
McConnell	Ballinakil							4	1	0			
	Chilgan							4	4	2			
	Cuthkellan							35	18	9			
	Richbospe							16	11	2			
					0						60	13	1
					47	19					307	15	6

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

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



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

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

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

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

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . . : :

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average Cost in Infirmary, . . . . . : :

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, . . . . . : :

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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



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

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

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - -

Ditto disallowed - - - - -

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

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

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

The number of other applicants in the Pochieving 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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as held at the Guardians' Meeting on the 12th day of 1851

(1851)

Clerk of the Union

By Appointment: Printed by Alexander Thom, at the 'Printing Office' of the Guardians of the Union.



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

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

*Clerk of the Union.*

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the \_\_\_\_\_ UNION,  
on \_\_\_\_\_ day, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186 \_\_\_\_\_.—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District,

Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_: Amount £

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_.

_____ District, . . . . .	£
_____ District, . . . . .	£

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

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

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

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board and objections 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:)

Special Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ stating that \_\_\_\_\_

*Widener* UNION.

Population in 1861—

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 1<sup>st</sup> day of July, 1865.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building in each date.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 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 Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . . . .	790	146												
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .														
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	32	4												
Fever Sheds, . . . . .														
<b>Total, . . . . .</b>	<b>822</b>	<b>150</b>												
Remaining on previous Saturday, } as per last Return, . . . . .			9	14	33	37	7	16	16	-	17	149	In Workhouse Hospital, } 30 In Fever Hospital, } 4 Total, } 34	In separate Wards, } - In Wards with other inmates, } 2 Total, } 2
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			1	2	-	3	-	1	2	1	2	12		
<b>TOTAL,</b>			<b>10</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>33</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>7</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>161</b>		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			1	2	1	3	1	-	2	-	1	11		
Died, . . . . .														
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			1	2	1	3	1	-	2	-	1	11		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			9	14	32	37	6	17	16	1	18	150		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186 , 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.
o. I.	10	30					Bt. forwd.						
o. II.							No. X.						
o. III.							No. XI.						
o. IV.							No. XII.						
o. V.							No. XIII.						
o. VI.							No. XIV.						
o. VII.							No. XV.						
o. VIII.							No. XVI.						
o. IX.							No. XVII.						
forward	10	30					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 5<sup>th</sup> day of July, 1865.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Geo S Robinson Esq & P  
Other Guardians: Thos J Prior Esq & P  
W S Wall Esq Charles Shea Esq.  
G R Droughton "

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

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4806 to No. 4820, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week £ : :

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

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 £ 4 - 4 - 11 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 Account.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 12 - 19s. 9 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . . £ s. d.  
 16 : 18 : 3

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . . . : 2 : 0

Average Cost in Infirmary, . . . . . : 3 : 7

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, . . . . . : 3 : 7

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

700 lb Bread	4 cwt meal
2 1/2 " Tea	4 " Meal
24 " Sugar	15 Shupheads
2 " Soap sugar	2 doz Potatoes
1 " Pepper	22 Boxes. Milk
4 " Candles	
90 " Meat	
1 gal Whisky	
520 gals Mille	

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

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

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

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

In money.	-	-	-	-
In kind.	-	-	-	-
Total.	-	-	-	£

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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. forwd.				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Cat. 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.
36	C & Payne Roundstone Disp	27	0	0
37	Alan Kerr Receipt Disp	22	0	0
38	Alan Kerr do	4	0	0
27	W H Supplied Clifton Disp	20	0	0
39	M J Paints do	15	0	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

		£	s.	d.
27	W H Supplied. SW. O Salary	35	0	0
28	Wm R. P. McManus "	11	5	0
29	Wm Kearney "	7	10	0
30	Wm Concanan "	5	0	0
31	Ellen Reilly "	3	0	0
32	Wm Logarty "	3	0	0
33	Wm McDermott "	3	0	0
35	John Burke postage	3	0	0
34	Conking Salary	5	0	0
49	John Burke "	5	0	0
46	W H - Supplied Ripitation	13	5	6

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

3. Warehouse Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
40	John Edmondson	28	15	10
41	Joseph Johnson	24	6	3
42	Owen McDermott	4	14	3
43	John & Pendergast	11	3	0
44	John Joyce	7	5	5
45	Michael Lydon	2	10	0
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48	John Quill	4	11	11

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
47	John King	5	0	5

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:—

Master reports that Anne Doland and Mary Loomis broke two panels in gate of laundry yard. Also a pane of glass ———

Who presented ———



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

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

R.L. Commrs letter N<sup>o</sup> 12035 Dated 27 June 1865  
Requesting to be informed whether Mr. Roberts offer to attend the Guardians meetings and afford his assistance was accepted  
re

Mr Roberts to be requested to attend on this day week —

R.L. Commrs letter N<sup>o</sup> 12536 4 July, 1865  
Relative to the collection of Rates &c

Resolved That all Poor Rate Collectors be ordered to attend the Board with their Books on next Board day and bring with them a list of all parties that have not paid their rates for inspection of the Board and further the Collectors are hereby

noticed that themselves and their sureties, will be taken immediate proceedings against for all unpaid Rates —

Signed Thos. Whittall

Read letter from Clerk of Waterford Union, forwarding copy of resolution, adopted by Waterford Board of Guardians relative to help cost of schoolmasters & salaries of medical officers in unions &c — which was approved of

If the Doctor orders bathing for John Flaherty, the Board to give him a pass for that purpose —

Ordered any party applying for children and taking them out of the House for employment are for the future to supply them with clothes —

Tenders for repairs of House adjoined to this day week and further tenders advertised for Mr Roberts to be written to and requested to attend this day week —

The Clerk to write to Reedy and Mr Dowel to send a tender for 18 Board room chairs and an arm chair —

The Commissioners be requested to order a new Election of Guardians for Kenyale the late Guardian Mr James O'Neill having died —