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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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187 \_\_\_\_—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 \_\_\_\_\_ 18\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 18\_\_\_\_.

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

*Clifton*

UNION.

Population in 1861—

Present Net Annual Value,—£

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *29* day of *October* 1870.

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 6 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse, . . . . .	740	134														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	32	3														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
Total, . . . . .	822	137														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			6	15	29	35	75	2	19	5	71	137	In Workhouse Hospital, 30	In separate Wards, 1		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			"	"	"	"	1	3	1	"	"	5	In Fever Hospital, 3	In Wards with other Inmates, 1		
TOTAL, . . . . .			6	15	29	35	76	5	20	5	76	142	Total, 33	Total, 1		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			1	1	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	2				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	2				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			1	1	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	2				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			5	14	29	34	76	5	20	5	9	137				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the *29* day of *Oct* 1870, 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.	8	10					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	2	6					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.	10	16					TOTAL, -						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Wednesday* the *2nd* day of *November* 1870.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *John C. Jones Esq JP. V.L.*

Other Guardians:

*James Graham Esq*

*Thomas Meredith Esq*

*Edwin Pyre "*

*Will Hart "*

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.



The Warehouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1883 to No. 1887, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week, — — — — £ : :

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 16 s. 12 d. 8

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 17 : 10 : 10

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was - : 2 : 3

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - : 4 : 7

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - : 4 : 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 lbs Bread  
 12 4 Butter  
 80 " Meat  
 7 " Tea  
 44 " Sugar  
 8 " Candy  
 4 " Starch  
 2 wt Opium  
 1 " Soap  
 13 Sheepheads

570 yds Nails  
 12 yds Rope  
 40 boxes Soap

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 24 day of Oct 1870, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money	-	-	-	-	£	s.	d.
In kind	-	-	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	-	£	13	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, Cheques on the Treasurer and Orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

£   s.   d.

£	s.	d.

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

£   s.   d.

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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



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

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

Resolved that an order will be issued for the election of a guardian for New Electoral Division—

Resolved that the Clerk be directed to write to the Very Rev Canon R. W. Mannus with queries for person who may be appointed R. W. Collector for Bishopscott.

Resolved that the Clerk be directed to write to the Very Rev Canon R. W. Mannus with queries for person who may be appointed schoolmaster of workhouse.

Resolved that a copy of letter from Very Rev Canon R. W. Mannus with their reply be forwarded to the Commissioners.

Resolved that the Clerk be directed to write to the Commissioners with the following letter:—  
Resolved that the Clerk be directed to write to the Commissioners that

The Very Rev Canon R. W. Mannus has continued to discharge the several and onerous duties of his office as Roman Catholic Chaplain to the workhouse up to this date. That it was clearly understood by the Board when he sent in his resignation on the 27th June last, that he would be paid his salary until the appointment of a successor, and that fact was communicated to the Very Rev gentleman through our respected Chairman and we therefore very respectfully request the Commissioners to accede to the earnest wishes of this Board and allow the payment of his salary to this date.

Edwin J. Eyre  
Thomas Meredith

Resolved that the Clerk be directed to write to the Very Rev Canon R. W. Mannus requesting he would kindly continue his services as Roman Catholic Chaplain, pending the decision of the Commissioners.

Resolved that the Commissioners letter relative to the appointment of a schoolmaster be answered to this day fortnight.

Resolved that the Clerk be directed to write to the Commissioners with the following letter:—  
Resolved that the Clerk be directed to write to the Commissioners that



R.S. Commrs letters Nos <sup>10</sup> 26-950, 27-130, Dated 18 Nov 1870  
stating that they cannot sanction the  
appointment of Messrs P & G as agents  
for Poor Rate collectors -

Resolved that in reply to Commissioners letter  
relative to collectors Grafty and P & G  
the Board unanimously request the  
sanction of the Commission, to their  
reappointment as they have been  
at all times faithful officers tho some-  
times unavoidably slow in collecting  
rates from the poorer classes of rate-  
payers -

R.S. Commission letter No 27-155. Dated 18 Nov 1870  
Relative to payments made to Dr Hart  
and requiring Clerk explanation &c  
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The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set  
forth in the Application and Report Books.

- The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - -
- Ditto disallowed - - -
- The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -
  
- The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - -
- Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - -
- The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the  
Guardians was - - -
  
- The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - -

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

The Clerk explained the circumstances  
of the payment of the Cheques and  
stated he would address the  
R.S. Commission on the subject -

Finance approved to this day week

The Clerk stated that the Poor Rate  
collectors had lodged the monies in  
their hands -

Read letter from Dr Hart of Mushboffin  
&c -

Thos Jones Char  
Maurice Hart  
James O'Connell

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_, the

\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 187 .

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

Clerk of the Union.

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NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

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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  
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\_\_\_\_\_ 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 18\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 18\_\_.

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

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District, No. \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Clifden

UNION.

Population in 1861—

Present Net Annual Value,—£

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 5<sup>th</sup> day of November 1870.

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 Night Lodgers or Casuals and Observations.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the 5<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1870, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table detailing destitute persons relieved out of the workhouse, categorized by relief district and type of relief (e.g., Bt. forwd., No. X, etc.).

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 7<sup>th</sup> day of November 1870.

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

M. H. Hart Esq.

Mr. Meredith Esq.

James Wham

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1888 to No. 1915, 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 Debts 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 £ was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 18 s. 12 d. 5

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account. and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 18 : 10 : 8

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was - : 2 : 3

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - : 4 : 7

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - : 4 : 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 lbs Bread  
4 " Butter  
80 " Meat  
8 " Tea  
48 " Sugar  
8 " Candles  
14 " Potatoes  
2 wts Meal  
2 " Omeal  
1 " Rice

100 lbs Milk  
10 Sheep heads  
12 Bolls Potatoes  
5 " Sheeps  
2 " Fat  
40 Boxes Soap

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 1871 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

7 Edw. Owen Salary,

3 2 6

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





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

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

Re former letter No 27.883 Dated 8<sup>th</sup> November 1870  
stating that the Commissioners must withhold their sanction of the appointment of Messrs Gray and Rye as Poor Rate Collectors -

Resolved to reply to former letter declining the sanction of Poor Rate Collectors Gray and Rye the Board would again <sup>lieg</sup> <sup>to</sup> bring the matter under the <sup>consideration</sup> of the Commissioners - the Board feel that the collectors having been now in their service for many years viz Mr Rye for the last 15 years and Mr Gray for 3 years that during these periods we never had cause to upbraid them with the slightest impropriety that though in some instances they did not bring in the

Rate, as quickly as might be expected, it is a fact that they collected their Rate without harshness. However <sup>in</sup> many instances to take legal proceedings which of course would cause much delay, and this had certainly entailed on themselves much additional trouble that the advertising for new officers would put back the collection for some time to come - Under all the circumstances the Board trust the Commissioners will give the collectors a trial for the present by sanctioning the appointment of Messrs Gray & Rye

For Resolution Messrs Hart Chairman 3  
Mr Meredith - declined to vote

The Clerk submitted list of <sup>34</sup> defaulters under compulsory Vaccination, from Dr Hart of Rushboffin -

Ordered that the relieving officer accompanying Dr Hart in the Island of Roffin and notice all those parties who have not yet brought their children to be vaccinated that that they will be brought to the next Court at Louisbury if they not forthwith cause their children to be brought to the Dr for vaccination -

Ordered that the finance business be adjourned to this day week -



The Clerk submitted result of stock-taking from which it appeared that there were 7 mens caps 2 women shifs 2 w. aprons and 2 kerchiefs in excess of stock on hand. and that the following were deficient - viz  
 3 sheets. 3 mens coats 2 mens vests 1 mens trowler 1 suit of boys cloths - and on Provision are 150 lb Bread and 1/2 lb of Tea

Resolved that the Stock as taken by Messrs Pham & Meredith and the Clerk be entered on the Book and approved of. that we allow the deficiency of 150 lb of Bread and 1/2 lb of Tea and that any deficiencies in future be charged to the waste

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 Pevsleving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was . . . . .

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

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

ordered that the condemning of the clothing. Bedding to be adjourned to this day week and that the following articles be ordered -

- 30 prs Blankets
- 60 yds Sheetting
- 40 " Tickers
- 12 Kups
- 100 yds Calico
- 40 " Jynize
- 30 " Linings Calico
- 18 Kerchiefs -

Walter Wall

Martin J. Shaw  
 W. J. Shaw

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_, the

\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 187 .

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

*Clerk of the Union.*

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Messrs Dwyer & Hart attended  
 and subsequently  
 Messrs Johnson & Hart Lym  
 attended. To meeting  
 Wm Scott  
 10 Dec 1870

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the \_\_\_\_\_ UNION,  
 on \_\_\_\_\_ day, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 187 .—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 \_\_\_\_\_ 18\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 18\_\_\_\_.

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

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

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

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

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



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

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Blifden UNION.

Population in 1861—

Present Net Annual Value,—£

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 19<sup>th</sup> day of November 1870.

Table with columns for Number of Inmates, Aged and Infirm persons, Boys and Girls, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, and OBSERVATIONS. Includes rows for Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Permanent Fever Hospital, and Total.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the 19<sup>th</sup> day of November 1870, 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 No. I through No. IX and Car. forwd.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of November 1870.

PRESENT: In the Chair, W. S. Wall Esq. D.V.L.

Other Guardians:

M. H. Hart Esq.
Wm. Lydon Esq.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1906 to No. 1910, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ : :

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<p style="text-align: center; opacity: 0.2; font-size: 48px; transform: rotate(-30deg); pointer-events: none;">Council Archives</p>													

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



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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 17 s. 14 d. 11

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 18 : 19 : 8

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was - - - : 2 : 3

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - : 4 : 1

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - : 4 : 1

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:—

840 lbs Bread	2 Beef
6 " Butter	12 Sheepheads
74 " Meat	2 Bats Cherry
8 " Tea	2 " For
44 " Sugar	12 " For
8 " Spiced	48 Bones
1 " Blue	
2 Cwt O'Meal	
2 " L'meal	
640 qts Milk	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 9 day of NOV 1870, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	- - - - -	£ s. d.
		- 13 - 6
In kind,	- - - - -	- - -
Total,	- - - - -	£ - 13 - 6

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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



3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.


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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.


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

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

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

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Master suggests that a large heap of Manure  
in top house yard of Workhouse be  
disposed of  
Or should it is rather soon to be it yet

There is a quantity of manure for disposal  
above what is required for manure  
use -

Ordered that the Master report on this day  
week the quantity on hand

The mill was 43<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> qt shot for the  
past week - Tea and Butter were  
substituted

The Mill was not delivered

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

On 16<sup>th</sup> Inst. until 10<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of AM. Master  
has frequently complained to Contractor  
of late deliveries -

Ordered that the Mill Contractor's  
attention be called to this report  
and a copy of it sent him -

Required

- 4 Doz Iron Spoons
- 1 " Scissors
- 1/2 gal Prepared Oil
- Chalks of Lime
- 2 Lamps

Ordered

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

RD Commrs order, Dated 14<sup>th</sup> Nov 1870  
Relative to appointment of  
"The Poor Law Union Apothecary"

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 Commrs letter N<sup>o</sup> 27 884. Dated 15<sup>th</sup> Nov 1870  
Acknowledging receipt of copy of  
Dr Hart's letter relative to Dappa  
Dispensary &c

RD Commrs letter N<sup>o</sup> 27 405. Dated 14<sup>th</sup> Nov 1870  
Relative to registration of Deaths  
&c  
Referred to Master of Workhouse.

RD Commrs letter N<sup>o</sup> 27 089 Dated 15<sup>th</sup> Nov 1870  
Regarding "£174:19:1 Parliamentary  
grant. Medical & Educational  
purposes -  
Receipt duly signed by Chairman  
two Guardians & Clerk is forwarded  
herewith -

RD Commrs letter N<sup>o</sup> 27 885. Dated 15<sup>th</sup> Nov 1870  
Relative to Chaplain of Workhouse -  
&c

Resolved in reply to Commrs letter the  
Guardians request the Commrs  
would be pleased to appoint a  
Catholic Chaplain to the Workhouse  
as the Guardians feel they have no control  
in the matter -

Signed  
Wm Lydon Esq  
James Johnson

RD Commrs letter N<sup>o</sup> 28 342. Dated 15<sup>th</sup> Nov 1870  
Declining to sanction the appointment  
of Messrs Grogan & Co as R. Collectors,  
and requesting that immediate steps  
be taken to advertise for and appoint  
new officers -

Ordered. That in reply to Commrs  
letter, the Clerk be directed to advertise  
for new Rate Collectors, for this day,  
fortnight - and at the same time the  
Board of Guardians desire to bring  
the cases of Messrs Grogan & Co  
again before them, for their  
more favorable consideration, in-  
as much as they consider that whatever  
difficulties may have arisen hitherto  
in consequence of our Treasurer  
"the Provincial Bank" being in  
Galway - they consider now that



they have removed their account to ledger, collections will be more easily lodged for the future and they feel satisfied it will be very difficult to procure more satisfactory men -

Recd letter from Mr P Pze P.M. collector

Recd letter from Secretaries of National Education with extract from report of Inspector of National Schools -

"I have much pleasure in being able to report that this school continues to be taught with much care in both the male and female departments taking the age of the children into account

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Nil 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 Pevolving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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

I am satisfied with the proficiency attained by the children in all subjects of the course "

Messrs Wall, Johnson and the Clerk were deputed to examine the old clothing &c and report at next meeting what quantities are to be condemned -

Insurance approved to this day week

Walter Wall  
James Johnson  
Chas. Stewart



Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_, the

day of \_\_\_\_\_ 187

(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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187 \_\_\_\_—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:*

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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 \_\_\_\_\_ 18\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 18\_\_\_\_.

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

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

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

*Clifton* UNION.

Population in 1861—

Present Net Annual Value,—£

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26<sup>th</sup> day of November 1870.

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	140													
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .															
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .	32	15													
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .															
Fever Sheds, . . . . .															
Total, . . . . .	822	155													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			6	18	31	35	74	5	23	5	14	154	In Work-house Hospital, 26	In separate Wards, -	
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			4	-	1	4	1	-	-	-	-	10	In Hospital, 15	In Wards with other inmates, 1	
TOTAL, . . . . .			10	18	32	39	18	5	23	5	14	164	Total, 41	Total, 1	
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			2	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	2			
Died, . . . . .			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			2	2	-	1	1	-	-	-	1	2			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			8	16	32	38	17	5	23	4	12	155			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the 26 day of November 1870, 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.	3	7					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	6	8					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.	9	15					TOTAL, -						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 30<sup>th</sup> day of November 1870.

PRESENT: In the Chair, W. Wall Esq. G. J. Robinson JP  
Other Guardians: Charles Stuart Esq Samuel Payer Esq  
James Forham "  
W. H. Hart "  
Mrs. Meredith "

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Galway County

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1917 to No. 1924, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week, — — — £ : :

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

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

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



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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 20 s. 17 d. 3

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 20 : 8 : 4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was - : 2 : 3 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - : 4 : 1

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - : 4 : 1

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

900 lb Bread  
 18 " Butter  
 74 " Meat  
 12 " Tea  
 60 " Sugar  
 2 " Syrup  
 2 " Pepper  
 10 " Caudle  
 112 " Soap  
 4 " Starch

200 lb Meal  
 2 " Meal  
 1 gal Whisky  
 650 lb Nettle  
 12 sheep heads  
 2 dobs Brand  
 2 " Cherry  
 10 lbs Potatoes  
 50 Bones Wurf

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

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

9 lb White Arrow Small size 23 0 6

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

3. Warehouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

8	I & J Weekly out Relief	3	0	0
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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:

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

Sixty Stone of mion may be sold  
Ordered. To be sold—

The supply of milk was 141 quarts  
deficient for past week - Tea &  
Sutta were substituted

Approved —

Kate Finegan who attends Divine  
Service at the Protestant Church  
has on 3 occasions overstayed her  
time - She is likewise a reputed  
prostitute



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 (as Orders made on them respectively as follows):—

RD Commrs letter N<sup>o</sup> 29, 205 Dated 16<sup>th</sup> Nov 1870  
Forwarding Correspondence relative  
to Roman Catholic Chaplaincy of  
Workhouse &c

Resolved that in as much as the duties  
of R. C. Chaplain have been per-  
formed by the Very Rev W. W. W. W. W.  
or his Curate, since the date of  
his resignation of such office to his  
appointment by the Commissioners  
the Guardians trust the Commissioners  
will sanction the payment of the  
increased salary to the very Rev W. W. W.  
from the date of his  
resignation —

RD Commrs letter N<sup>o</sup> 29, 721. Dated 29<sup>th</sup> Nov 1870  
stating that they are not prepared  
to permit the sanction appointment  
of either Mr P. or Mr G. again — RD Commrs

RD Commrs letter N<sup>o</sup> 29, 722 Dated 29<sup>th</sup> Nov 1870  
Forwarding leaf of Minutes of 2<sup>nd</sup>  
Inst for correction. &c

The Clerk stated that he did not consider  
he would be justified in attending Dr  
Hart's written statement. but that he  
informed the Board of their meeting  
of 2<sup>nd</sup> November - that Dr Hart had  
his permanent residence on the  
Island of Rappin until the 7<sup>th</sup>  
of October, and that this fact was  
communicated to the Commissioners  
in a letter addressed them by the  
Clerk, dated 3<sup>rd</sup> November.

The leaf of minutes with  
amendments returned herewith.

Ordered that we cannot see  
in what way the Clerk could  
have corrected the omission referred  
to in Dr Hart's letter, as to the date  
of his residence in Rappin further  
than he had done at the time  
Dr Hart's letter had been laid  
before the Board of Guardians  
and subsequently reported to the  
Commissioners —

Ordered that the following articles of  
clothing &c be condemned —

29 Sheets	50 Blankets
13 Bed Licks	20 Rugs



16 Mens Coats	11 Boys Coats
11 " Vests	11 " Vests
18 " Trowsers	28 " Trowsers
36 " Caps	22 " Shirts
32 " Shirts	20 women gowns
20 pair Boots	35 " Petticoats
8 " Petticoats	43 " Shirts
23 " Shirts	24 " Kerchiefs
18 " Bibs	29 Shoes

Resolved that having on the 19<sup>th</sup> Oct last formed the Clifden Board of Guardians into a Burial Board under the Burial Act, we requested the Census would be good enough to give us their advice on the Subject as it is of much importance to the Union, the Clifden Burial Ground being in a most dangerous state and in healthy state such as

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 Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was . . . . .

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

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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is not fit to mention in a resolution that the Commissioners be again requested to give their directions on the Subject.

Signed  
M. H. Hart  
J. C. Jones

Clifden  
29 November 1870

Gentlemen

In accordance with your instructions, I have to report that I have served all vaccination notices in Dr. Hart's district and when serving I ascertained that one of the children named in the Dr.'s list of defaulters is dead and two persons, one in West gr. and one in Middle gr. that I could not find out

I am Gentlemen &c  
Wm J. Connolly  
R.D.

Ordered that Mr Charles Stuart be elected a member of Hornstone Dispensary Committee in room of V. Blake deceased that Francis Costelloe be elected for Clifden and J. Lanning for Newry Dispensary in room of S. Shea deceased

J. J. Rossary (Chairman)  
Martin R. Hart  
Chas Stewart

Next Meeting of the Gwardians to be held on Wednesday, the  
7<sup>th</sup> day of December 1870.  
 (Signed,) John Purvis  
 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187 \_\_\_\_—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  
Procquisition 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 18\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 18\_\_\_\_.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Clifton UNION.

Population in 1861—

Present Net Annual Value,—£

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of December 1870.

Table with columns for Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided, Aged and infirm persons, Boys and Girls, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, and OBSERVATIONS. Includes sub-tables for NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS 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<sup>rd</sup> day of December 1870, 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. Lists districts I through IX and a Car. forwd. row.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 7<sup>th</sup> day of December 1870.

PRESENT: In the Chair, G. J. Robinson Esq. St. J. P. Esq.

Other Guardians:

- List of names of other guardians including J. McDonnell Esq., W. Stewart, J. Brown, Mr. L. J. Esq., Mr. H. Hall Esq. St. J. P., Annan, J. Graham, Mr. H. Hart Esq., Capt. Adenon, Mr. Ball, Mr. H. Bampton Esq., Mr. Meredith, and Mr. Hazell.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1925 to No. 1928, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ : :

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

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 Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1925 to No. 1978, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - £ : :

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

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 21 s. 16 d.  $\gamma$

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 30 : 18 : 1

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was - : 3 : 11 $\frac{1}{4}$

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - : 4 : 11 $\frac{1}{4}$

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - : 4 : 11 $\frac{1}{4}$

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

900 lbs Bread  
8 " Butter  
50 " Meat  
10 " Tea  
52 " Sugar  
1 " Soap Sugar  
10 " Candles  
1 gal Whiskey  
670 qt Milk  
12 Sheepheads

1 Cwt Rice  
2 " Meal  
2 Bats Sherry  
12 " Potatoes  
50 Boxes Turf

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of December 1870, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - - £ s. d.  
In kind, - - - - - - - - -  
Total, - - - - - £ - 17 - 6

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By 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.	
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No. I.					Bt. forward				
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No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

10 S. Rusk Salary on acc 27 0 0

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





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

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

Mr. Pinner's letters Nos 30349 & 30551. were adjourned for consideration to next Board day—

Read letter from Mr James Fordeau resigning his office as Poor Law Guardian for Bournemouth Electoral Division of this Union—

Accepted—

Read letter from Mr Conking referring to his services as relieving officer. He states that he is very satisfied with the Board and hoping they would favourably consider his application for the office of Poor Rate Collector—

Having read the Commissioners letter dated the 6th inst. to Geo J Robinson Esq Resolved that the Board of Guardians of Cliphem Union having reason to be satisfied with their collectors Pge & Jenapty. we elect them to their late offices as collectors. The Board having ascertained that any apparent delay in the lodgement of money collected was owing not to any fault of the collectors but to the difficulty of obtaining means of sending money chiefly in coin to the Bank at Falway and also that since the establishment of a Bank at Cliphem they have not delayed in any one instance to make their lodgements with regularity

Signed  
A E Acheson  
C R Moughton

Mr Clarke with Board's permission read the several Resolutions and Commissioners letter relative to Messrs Pge & Jenapty and stated that this resolution was irregular and if adapted would materially affect the true interests of the Union &c

For Resolution Messrs Moughton, Mrs. Hart, Acheson and Chairman—5  
Against—Messrs Parker, Brown, Hall, Wall, Agell, M. S. M. S. M. S.



Stuart and Meredith - 8

Mr Wm Lydon declined to vote

Resolved that Mr James Graham be appointed Poor Rate Collector of the District lately collected by Mr Lydon including the Island of Kishkoppin

Signed J. C. Hall

J. J. Graham

Resolved that Mr King be elected Rate Collector for the District formerly held by Mr Lydon with the addition of Kishkoppin

Signed

W. Wall

A. J. Adeson

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

Do. ditto disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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 Mr P. H. McDonogh who proposed to collect for the District at 3 1/2 in the £ be elected -

Signed

Mr Lydon &

Mr C. B. O'Connell

Resolved that the names of the several parties tendering for the collection of Rates together with the amounts at which they tender be sent to the Comers with a request that they select one of them as collector as by the Comers letter of 6 Dec 1870 it would appear they have a better knowledge of persons in this Country than the Board of Guardians

Signed

Mr C. B. O'Connell

A. J. Adeson

- For Resolution Messrs Adeson, O'Connell and Drompton 3
- Against Resolution Messrs Graham, Browne, Wall, McDonogh, Stuart, Meredith, Hall and Chairman 8
- Messrs Lydon & Hart declined to vote
- The three candidates proposed and seconded were put to the Board and then appeared for Mr J. Graham - Messrs Graham, Browne, McDonogh, Hart & Hall 5
- For Mr King Messrs Wall & Adeson 2
- For Mr P. H. McDonogh Messrs Lydon & Hart 2



Messrs Hazell. Brompton. Stuart. Meredith  
& Chairman declined to vote -

Mr James Johnson was declared collector  
for Electoral Division of Ballinacilla  
Bunmen. Clifden. Clifden. Cashilly  
Dunneela. Dingle. Dooloughan  
Quilman. Knappe. Killana absent in  
the £ & for the Division of Duffin  
at 12 in the £

Mr Conking was declared collector  
for Koyubstone (Koyes District by  
the Chairman who was suddenly  
called away. No order was made  
in writing and the following  
Resolution passed by several  
Members of the Board would  
not be entertained by Mr Jones  
R.C. who occupied the Chair  
for a short time after the  
Chairman left  
The proposer Edmund Connally who proposes  
to collect. Koyes District at 5<sup>th</sup> in the  
found his securities being not solvent

Signed  
Edmund Connally  
C. A. Brompton

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday the  
14<sup>th</sup> day of December 1870.

(Signed,) Edmund Connally  
Clerk of the Union.

Finance adjourned to this day, week

Walter Wall  
Thos Meredith  
Chas Stewart

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(No. 27.)

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the \_\_\_\_\_ UNION,  
on \_\_\_\_\_ day, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 187 \_\_\_\_—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 \_\_\_\_\_ 18\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 18\_\_\_\_.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

*Leliphen* UNION.

Population in 1861—

Present Net Annual Value,—£

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of December 1870

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	No. in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Workhouse, . . . . .	790	139													
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .															
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .															
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	32	15													
Fever Sheds, . . . . .															
<b>Total, . . . . .</b>	<b>822</b>	<b>154</b>													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			9	17	32	37	18	5	23	4	12	16	7		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .															
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>9</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>5</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>4</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>7</b>		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			1			1									
Died, . . . . .															
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			1			1									
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			8	17	32	36	18	5	23	3	12	15	7		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of December 1870, 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.	9	17					Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	3	13					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.	12	30					TOTAL, -						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of December 1870.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Walter L Wall Esq D.V.C*

Other Guardians:

*Estuark Esq*

*Mrs Meredith Esq*

*Mrs Lydon Jr "*

*Chas Boughton "*

*M R Hart "*

*Samuel Greer "*

*Mrs Haged "*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - £ : :

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

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

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



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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 21 s. 4 d. 3

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 20:18:5

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was - : 2:14 3/4

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - : 4: 4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - : 4: 4

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

900 lb. Bread  
 4 " Butter  
 84 " Meat  
 8 " Tea  
 44 " Sugar  
 2 " L. Sugar  
 10 " Candles  
 4 " Starch  
 2 cwt O. meal  
 1 gal Whisky

600 qt. Milk  
 10 Sheepheads  
 2 Dats Sherrin  
 12 " Kote  
 60 Boxes Infy

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<sup>th</sup> day of Dec 1870, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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





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

Rd Pymms letter N<sup>o</sup> 30 349. Dated 6<sup>th</sup> Dec  
Relative to Burial pounds ad-  
Causiduation adpurned for a fortnight.

Rd Pymms letter N<sup>o</sup> 30 531. Dated 6<sup>th</sup> Dec 1870  
Forwarding extract from report of  
a Dr Hart Medical Officer of Rappin

The Clerk stated that he had written  
to the Secretary of the Cowpock  
Institution relative to Dr Hart's  
Complaint and was informed  
that "Bishbop's was not on the  
list of Dispensaries subscribed for"

Ordered that the Clerk pay the  
usual subscription to the Cowpock  
Institution for Bishbop's in  
Dispensary

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 Pymms letter N<sup>o</sup> 30 475. Dated 13 Dec 1870  
Sanctioning appointment of Mr James  
Phelan as Poor Rate collector -

Rd Pymms letter N<sup>o</sup> 30 349. Dated 7<sup>th</sup> Dec  
Relative to payment of salary of  
R. G. Chapman - &c

Rd Pymms letter N<sup>o</sup> 31 013. Dated 13<sup>th</sup> Dec 1870  
Stating that they cannot approve the  
appointment of Mr Conking as Poor  
Rate collector -

Resolved that Edward Connolly of  
Ardstone be appointed Poor Rate  
collector for the Electoral Divisions  
of Buncor. Sliam. Knockboy.  
Moynis. Owen & O'Lea. Wundetan  
and Skannine at Four pence  
in the £ -

The collectors warrants for Electoral  
Divisions of Ballynabille. Buncor.  
Blighan. Clipden. Cusackilly.  
Duneculla. Dyllea. Doonlongan  
Quistaran. Kenuffe & Kellern  
were duly signed by the Chairman  
and two guardians and  
the seal of the Union applied

Ordered that the usual & may fare  
be supplied to the Paupers  
not to exceed £ 5-0-0



Read Circular relative to appointment  
 of Poor Law Union Apothecary. &c  
 Resolved that we fully approve of  
 the course proposed to be adopted  
 by the Poor Law Commissioners in  
 appointing a Poor Law Union  
 Apothecary, as we are fully  
 satisfied it will be a great benefit  
 to the recipients of medicine, as well  
 as be a great saving to all Ireland -  
 and that any opposition to it must  
 be caused by great mistake on  
 the part of those who oppose it

Signed  
 Martin R. Hart  
 M.D. Secy Genl

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

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

Ditto disallowed . . . . .

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

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

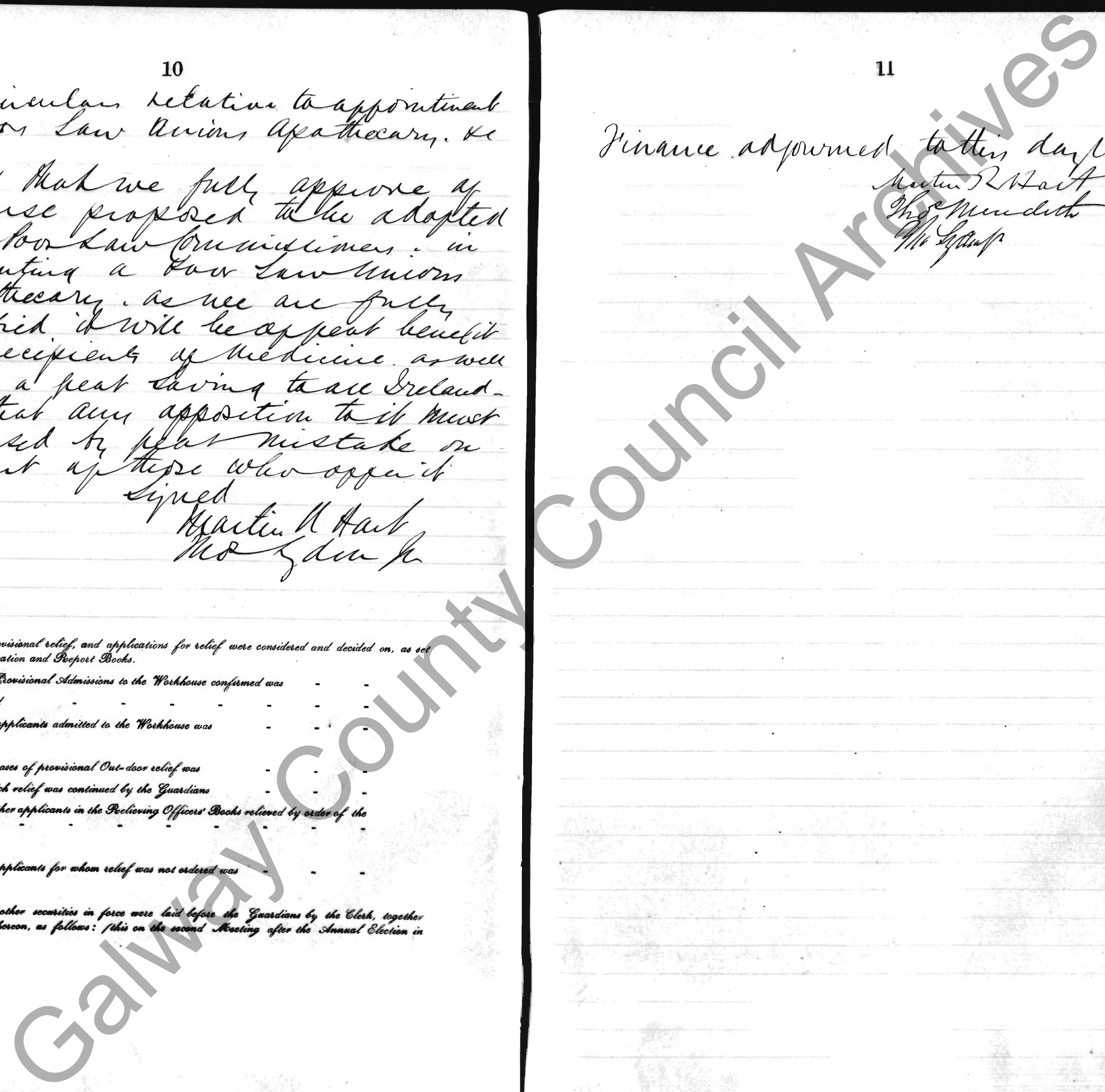
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians . . . . .

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

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

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.)

Finance adjourned to this day week  
 Martin R. Hart  
 Secy General



Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_, the

day of \_\_\_\_\_ 187 .

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

*Clerk of the Union.*

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68, }  
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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the \_\_\_\_\_ UNION,  
on \_\_\_\_\_ day, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 187 \_\_\_\_—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 \_\_\_\_\_ 18\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 18\_\_\_\_.

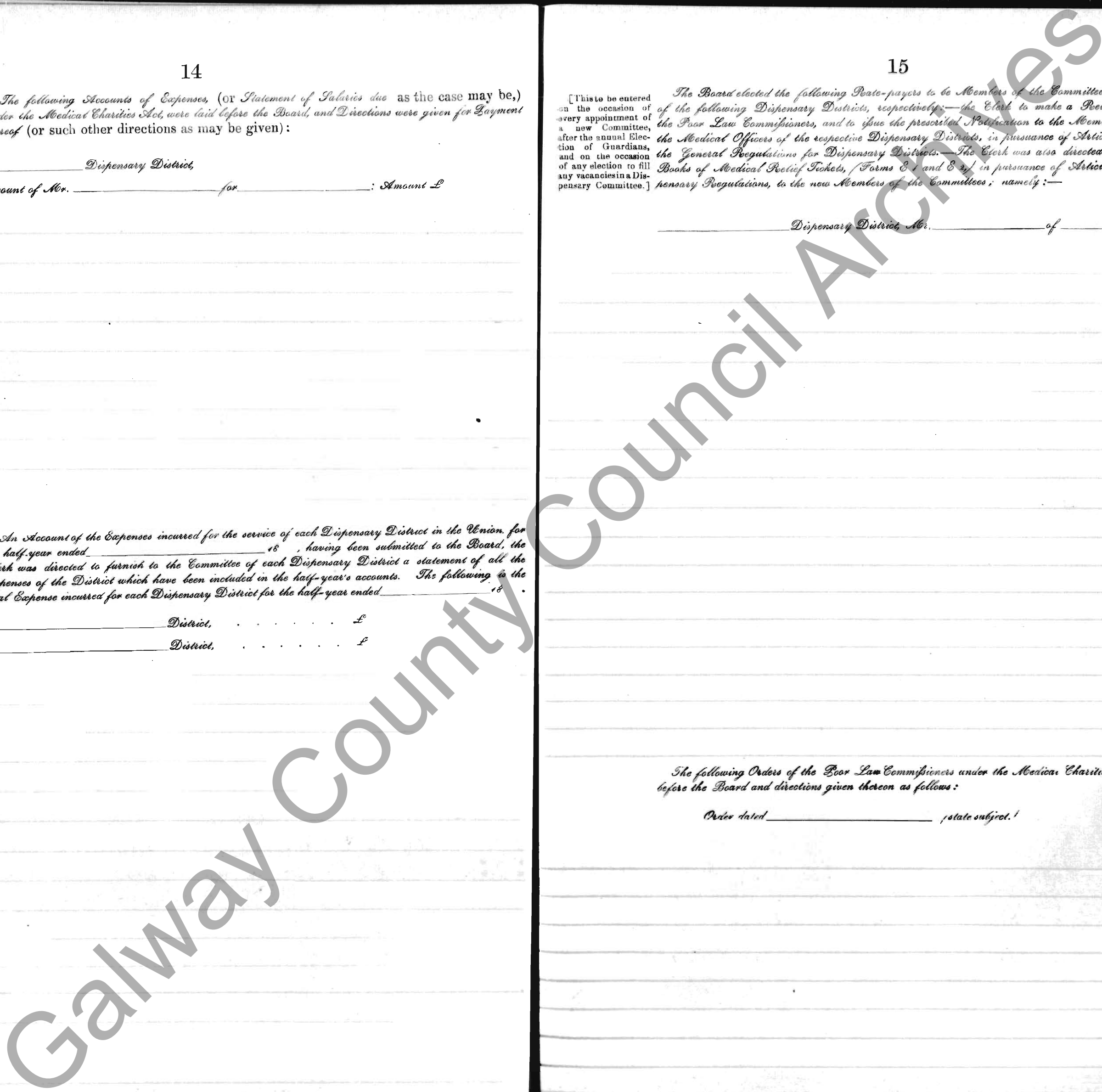
\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £ \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £ \_\_\_\_\_

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committee 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. 1



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 \_\_\_\_\_

*Clifton* UNION.

Population in 1861—

Present Net Annual Value,—£

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *17th* day of *December* 187*0*

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . . . .	790													
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .														
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .	32													
Total, . . . . .	822													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			8	17	32	36	18	5	23	3	12	154	In Workhouse Hospital, 26 In Fever Hospital, 18 Total, 44	In separate Wards, 7 In Wards with other inmates, 1 Total, 8
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			1	—	—	1	1	—	—	—	—	3		
TOTAL, . . . . .			9	17	32	37	19	5	23	3	12	157		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—	—		
Died, . . . . .			—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1		
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			—	—	—	1	—	—	—	—	—	1		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			9	17	32	36	19	5	23	3	12	156		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the *17* day of *Dec* 1870, 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.	9	17					No. X.						
No. III.	3	13					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.	12	30					TOTAL, -						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Wednesday* the *21st* day of *December* 1870.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *M H Harb Esq.* *W H Waring Esq. Dnt*  
Other Guardians: *and John Jones Esq. v.l.*  
*W P Lydon Jr Esq* *Ed Meredith Esq*

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



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1929 to No. 1931, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ : :

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 20. 18. 6

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 20. 18. 6

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was - - - : 2. 5

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - : 4. 1 1/2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - : 4. 1 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:—

900 lbs Bread  
78 " Meat  
76 " Soap  
40 " Sugar  
2 " Syrup  
10 " Candy  
1 gal Whisky  
600 yds Linnen  
12 Sheepheads  
200 lbs Meal

6 Bottle Sherry  
2 " Port  
12 " Port  
70 Bones  
1 gallon Whisky

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 day of Dec 1840, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	-	£	18. 0
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, Cheques on the Treasurer and Orders on Contractors were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		Clothing Account.		£	s.	d.
28	Edward Donahoe	Shoe		2	5	0
29	Edward Coen	Tailor		3	3	0
15	A S Ken	Salary		25	0	0
16	M J Pinter	"		25	0	0
17	A B Kearney	"		25	0	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

11	Very Rev P. Romanus	Salary	11	5	0
12	Rev B Irwin	"	2	0	0
13	Re J Payne	"	4	0	0
14	P J Hart	"	17	0	0
18	M J Power	"	5	0	0
19	Patrick Davern	"	10	0	0
20	Maria Aruen	"	7	0	0
21	Mary Anne King	"	4	5	0
22	Mary Joyant	"	4	0	0
23	William McDermot	"	3	0	0
24	M J Connolly	"	6	5	0

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



3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

25 Joseph Morgan	Salary	5	0	0
26 Wm Curlee	postage	3	0	0

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

27 Wm Flannery	outdoor Relief	3	0	0
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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:

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> 250 M. Dated 17 Dec 1870  
Relative to appointment of "Poor  
Law Union Apothecary" &c

Resolved that in reply to the Commissioners  
letter of 17<sup>th</sup> inst N<sup>o</sup> 250 M. on  
the subject of the appointment of a  
"Poor Law Union Apothecary"  
for all Ireland we reiterate  
the views held by the Board on this  
subject, viz that the course  
pursued by the Poor Law Commission  
in the appointment of such an  
officer will be of the highest  
importance and is calculated  
to do invaluable service - both  
to the sick poor and the Retiring  
Generations and we sincerely  
hope the Poor Law Commission  
will by all means carry out the

project and give it a fair trial

Unanimously  
agreed to

Signed  
Martin R. Hart  
Walter J. Wall

Rd Murray letter N<sup>o</sup> 31,545. Dated 19 Dec 1870  
Relative to proposed appointment  
of E. Connolly as Poor Rate  
Collector &c

Ordered that the Clerk advertise  
for a collector for the Annabrook  
District —

Rd Murray letter Dated 15 Dec 1870  
Relative to out break of Small  
Pox at Belfast —

Walter J. Wall  
The Clerk  
Edwin J. Byrne.

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

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

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

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

*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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187 .

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

Clerk of the Union.

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(No. 27.)

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the \_\_\_\_\_ UNION,  
on \_\_\_\_\_ day, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 187 \_\_\_\_\_.—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 \_\_\_\_\_ 18\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 18\_\_\_\_.

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

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

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

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

Order dated \_\_\_\_\_, state subject.



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

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

25<sup>th</sup> December 1870

Messrs Wall & Hart attended a meeting

Wm Hurst  
Clerk of Union

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Lelipken UNION.

Population in 1861—

Present Net Annual Value,—£

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 31<sup>st</sup> day of December 1870.

Table with columns for accommodation, population by age and sex, and return of sick and lunatics. Includes rows for Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, and various age groups.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the 31<sup>st</sup> day of December 1870, 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 No. I to No. IX and a Car. forwd. row.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 4<sup>th</sup> day of January 1870.

PRESENT: In the Chair, W. Wall Esq D.V.C

Other Guardians:

C. H. Burdett Esq, J. Joyce Esq, W. H. Hart, Wm Hurst Esq, Wm Hurst Esq

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1931 to No. 1934, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - £ : :

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:— 187

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 Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 26 s. 15 d. 6

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 26: 1: 3

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was - : 2: 5 3/4  
 Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - : 4: 2 1/2  
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - : 4: 2 1/2

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

850 lb Bread  
 70 " meat  
 6 " Tea  
 36 " Sugar  
 2 " L. Sugar  
 10 " Candles  
 2 cwt I. meal  
 2 " J. meal  
 1 " Soap  
 1 gal Whiskey

620 qt Milk  
 12 Sheepheads  
 6 Rab Sherms  
 12 " Rates  
 70 Boxes Turp

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 31 day of Dec 1870, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - - £ 1-5-6  
 In kind, - - - - - - - - -  
 Total, - - - - - £ 1-5-6

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

30 Margaret Healden clothing 15 3 4

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

2. Establishment Account.

30 James Darcy rent 7 0 0  
 31 C. Payne Registration 11 15 6

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





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

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

Read Minute letter No 31,546. Dated 20 Dec  
Relative to Defaulters, under  
Compulsory Vaccination Act &  
The Clerk to write to the  
Several Medical Officers on  
the Subject —

Read Minute letter No 31,511. Dated 20 Dec  
Relative to appointment of  
Edward Connolly as Poor Rate  
Collector for Woundstone District

Read Minute letter No 9. Dated 3 Jan 71  
Transmitting copies of  
Correspondence relative to Mr  
James Forham Poor Rate Collector  
referred to Mr Forham

Resolved that Mr Edward Connolly of  
Woundstone be elected as a fit  
and proper person for the office  
of collector of Woundstone district  
at 4<sup>th</sup> in the £

Signed  
Thomas Lydow Jr  
Thos Hazell

Previous to the foregoing resolution  
being put to the Board the Clerk  
stated that notices of the appointment  
being made on this date were not  
posted in the district — but that  
notices were prepared & forwarded  
for posting — stating that the election  
would take place on 11<sup>th</sup> inst.  
Several Members of the Board  
interested in the Woundstone district  
being present it was unanimously  
agreed to elect Mr Edward Connolly  
as that no time was to be lost  
in eliciting the Commission's views  
as to his sanction —

Finance adjourned to this day,  
week —

Martin P. Mout

Martin P. Mout  
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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 conformed 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 Prolieving Officers Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - -

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

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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187 .

(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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187 \_\_\_\_\_—continued.

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*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:*

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forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical  
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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.]

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_____ District,	£
_____ District,	£

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

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

Wm C Jones Esq JP

attended to meeting

Wm C Jones  
11th Jan 1871

Galway County

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Cliffhau UNION.

Population in 1861—

Present Net Annual Value,—£

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of January 1871.

Table with columns for Number of inmates, Aged and infirm persons, Boys and Girls, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, and NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the 14 day of January, 1871, 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.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 18th day of January 1871.

PRESENT: In the Chair, W S Wall Esq. Wm C Jones Esq

Other Guardians: J. Browne Esq, M R Hart, Saml Meyer, J W Donnell, Edwin J Eyre Esq, Mr Lyden, Capt Acheson

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1935 to No. 1950, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - £ : :

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
J. Bohan	Ballinacill	79	11	10				45	13	2				
	Bunowen	14	7	4				146	1	1				
	Claggan	30	3	0				43	14	9				
	Cliffden	171	4	9				528	15	2				
	Cushkilly	6	2	4				44	12	2				
	Dungannon	3	1	11				114	3	1				
	Dunplea	11	14	6				28	18	0				
	Doonoughan	2	1	6				89	3	2				
	Wickham	42	13	7				99	3	7				
	Wickham	11	15	0				57	8	3				
	Wickham	40	2	2				160	3	5				
	Wickham	40	2	2				103	15	9				
						412	18	5				1461	11	8
		Benion							70	9	3			
	Ellim							19	9	7				
	Knockboy							140	1	0				
	Moyus							107	7	5				
	Overlowla							43	18	8				
	Wickham							159	8	1				
	Wickham							99	7	0				
											640	1	0	
					412	18	5				2107	12	8	

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



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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 18 s. 2 d. 6

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 19 : 13 : 7

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was - : 2 : 4 3/4

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - : 4 : 4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - : 1 : 9 1/2

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

800 lb Bread  
 6 " Butter  
 80 " Meat  
 6 " Tea  
 36 " Sugar  
 1 " Soap  
 4 " Quinacrat  
 10 " Candles  
 2 lb Meal  
 2 " Meal

620 qt Milk  
 1 gal Whiskey  
 12 Sheepheads  
 6 Bot Cherry  
 10 " Potatoes  
 60 Boxes Hay

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 14 day of August 1871, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - - £ 1 - 3 - 6  
 In kind, - - - - - - - - -  
 Total, - - - - - £ 1 - 3 - 6

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By 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.	J. J. Connolly				Bl. forward				
No. II.	J. Morgan				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.					Totals.				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

37 Rev in Mallet Straw 14 10 0

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

2. Establishment Account.

35 Thomas Bennett Plumber 7 16 4

36 H. L. Dwyer Vaccine Lymph 2 2 0

35 Mc J. Winter Roundstone Disp 7 10 0

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

3

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

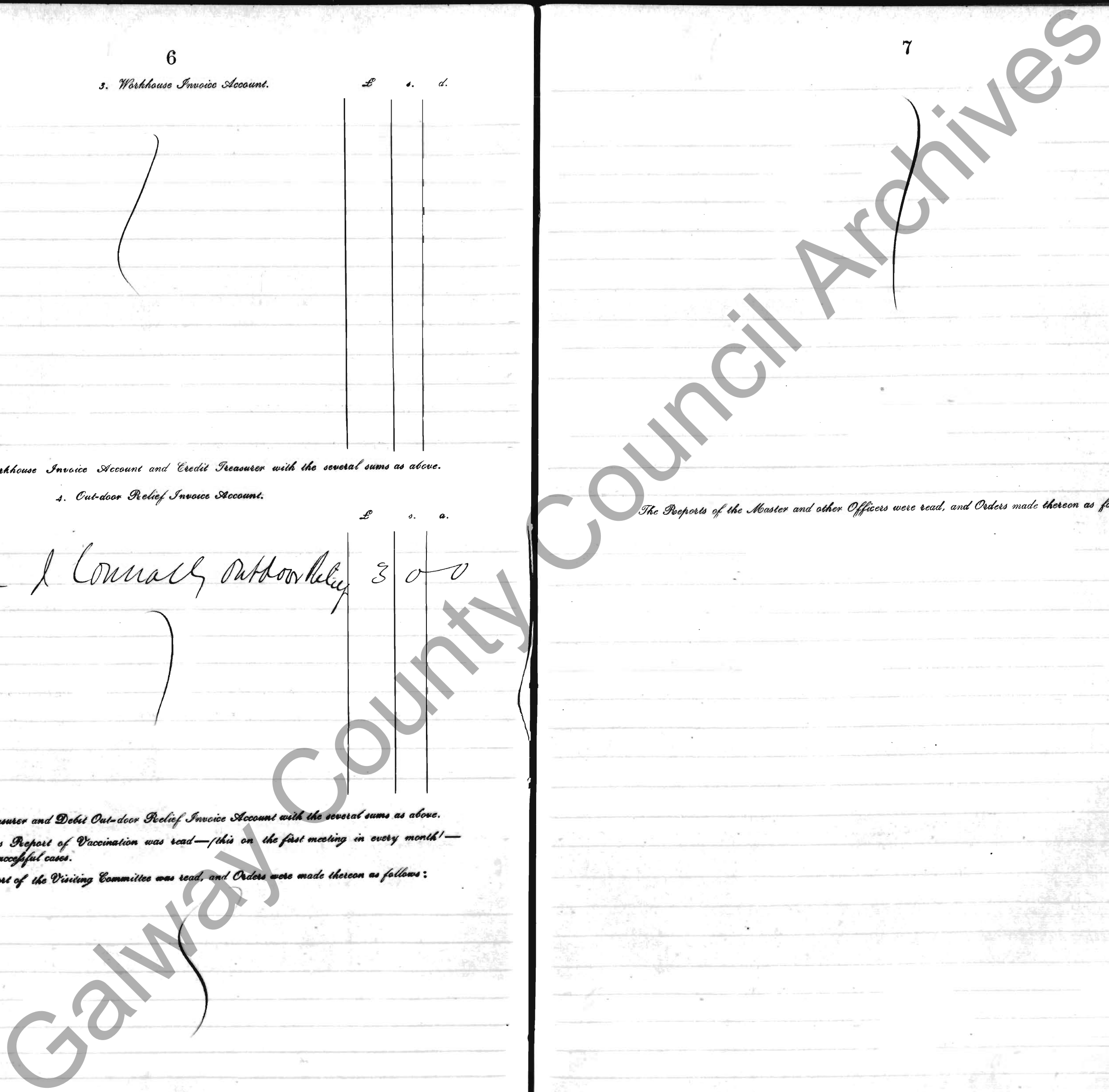
34 Mr J Connors Out-door Relief 3 0 0

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:

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):—

Read Commissioners letter N<sup>o</sup> 9. Dated 5<sup>th</sup> Jan 1871.  
Relative to Mr Stuart's complaint of  
Collector forham —

Read letter from Mr forham stating  
that he simply wrote to Mr Stuart  
sending the amount of his Rates  
and that he would attend at  
his office on certain days to receive  
rates. that he is aware that he  
should apply personally for the  
rates &c

Approved of —

Read Commissioners letter N<sup>o</sup> 5. Dated 5<sup>th</sup> Jan 71  
Relative to appointment of Mr  
Anim Apothecary — &c

Read Commissioners letter N<sup>o</sup> 9 7<sup>th</sup> Jan 1871  
Relative to Defaulters under  
Compulsory Vaccination Act —

Read Commissioners letter N<sup>o</sup> 366. Dated 10<sup>th</sup> Jan 1871  
Relative to appointment of Edward  
Connally, as Poor Rate Collector —  
&c —

Ordered that the Clerk do advertise  
at once for the election of a Poor  
Rate Collector on this day fort-  
night —

Read letter from Dr Kearney. Stating that  
owing to his being evicted out of  
his residence at Kilkerrin he is  
obliged to reside at Carra and  
change the Dispensary there —

Approved on the same terms as  
heretofore —

Resolved that this half year pay for  
the deaf mute Anne Belaney  
be paid in advance when  
called for on usual conditions  
and understanding that the  
parents pay us £2-10-0

### Notice of motion

I give notice that on this day  
fortnight, I will move that  
Dr Hart's salary be increased  
from £70 to £100 a year same  
as the other medical officers  
of this Union. His district being  
a



not remote distinct one and  
having no private practice  
whatever

Signed  
Joseph W. Donnell

Read letter from Dr. Hart relative  
to list of defaulters and  
vaccination act &c

Read letter from Dr. Ryan Station  
that his list of defaulters was  
in preparation

Martin R. Hart  
Edwin Ryan  
Colonel Breughton

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was

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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