



Comhairle Chontae na Gaillimhe  
Galway County Council

# **Galway Poor Law Union**

## **Board of Guardian Minutes**

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12 & 13 Vic., Cap. 104.

# MINUTE BOOK.

*Galway* Union.

THE MINUTE BOOK, in which shall be entered the statistical information laid before the Board of Guardians relating to the inmates of the Workhouse, the collection of the Rates, and the state of the Finances of the Union; Minutes of all Orders received from the Commissioners for administering the Laws for Relief of the Poor in Ireland, and of all Letters received from the Commissioners or other parties relating to the business of the Union, and of all directions given by the Board of Guardians thereon; Minutes of the production and examination of the Register, and all other Books and Accounts which are required to be periodically produced, examined, and signed; Minutes of the Reports of the Visiting and Finance Committees, and of the Clerk, the Master, and other Officers of the Workhouse, and of all directions given by the Board thereon; Minutes of all monies received and paid, all orders and checks given, all accounts examined and allowed, and all salaries ordered to be paid; a statement of the number of cases of provisional relief, and of applications for relief, brought before the Board and considered and decided on by them; as well as all other business, proceedings, and transactions of the Board of Guardians, at any of their Meetings.

*Order of the Poor Law Commissioners.*



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THE BOOKS AND FORMS REQUIRED BY THE IRISH POOR RELIEF AND MEDICAL CHARITIES ACTS.

*Galway*

UNION.

Population in 1861— 50,821

Present Net Annual Value, £ 65,485

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Fever Sheds, . . .														
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Admitted during the Week, . . .			4	5	4	14	1	1	2	4	4	29	In Hospital, 16	Total, 7
TOTAL, . . .			26	119	60	141	48	45	42	81	42	624	Total, 163	Total, 12
Discharged during the Week, . . .			2	7	7	10	1	1	2	3	3	24		
Died, . . .						3						3		
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			2	7	7	13	1	1	2	3	3	27		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			33	112	73	128	47	44	42	79	39	597		

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No. III.	4	4			4	4	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.	8	20	1	1	9	21	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
<i>For</i> Grand Total	18	39	1	1	19	40	Total						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 19<sup>th</sup> day of July 1867.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *James Joyce, Esq.*  
 Other Guardians:— *P. Dooly, James Davis, J. Campbell, M. J. O'Flaherty, + R. N. Somerville.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 9143 to No. 9181 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

*[Large handwritten scribble]*

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 . . . . . £ 4 : 11 : "

Paid during the week, . . . . . £ 42 : 13 : 6

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £ 652 : 8 : 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>[Large handwritten scribble]</i>													

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 78 s. 13 d. 9

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 67 : 1 : 4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average Cost in Infirmary, £ : 3 : 3

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, £ : 4 : 11 1/2

The Master's estimate of Expenditure and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined,

and orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

3100 lb Bread	19.7.6	32 p <sup>ts</sup> P. Wine	2.5.4
65 1/2 lb Meat (off)	1.5.11	3 lb A. Root	2.0
1 Ton oatmeal	12.10.0	14 lb L. Sugar	7.0
1 Ton Indian Meal	8.7.6	4 p <sup>ts</sup> Whisky	7.0
2816 q <sup>ts</sup> Milk	19.1.6	15 lb Tobacco	3.5
17 lb Tea	1.16.10	14 lb Flour	2.10
52 lb Sugar	18.5	3 Bot Brandy (5.0)	9.6
12 lb Corn Flour	6.0	50 Boxes Soap	2.15.3
18 Beef Heads	1.11.6	4 lb Candles	2.0
193 lb Hosp <sup>l</sup> Meat	4.0.5	8 lb Soap	1.1.0
143 Eggs	8.11	(Suppl <sup>r</sup> Order -	
1/2 Barrel Porter	1.1.0	4 p <sup>ts</sup> P. Wine	5.8

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 13<sup>th</sup> day of July 1867, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	-	£	2	17	6
In kind,	-	-	-	-				
Total,	-	-	-	-	£	2	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 Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Order on Contractors.	
		By Cheque on Treasurer.	Value.			By Cheque on Treasurer.	Value.
		£ s. d.	Article and quantity.			£ s. d.	Article and quantity.
No. I.				No. X.			
No. II.				No. XI.			
No. III.	P. Cullinan	2.0.0	124	No. XII.			
No. IV.				No. XIII.			
No. V.				No. XIV.			
No. VI.	M. Hanagan	5.0.0	122	No. XV.			
No. VII.				No. XVI.			
No. VIII.				No. XVII.			
No. IX.							
Car. form		7.0.0		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.

2. Establishment Account.

120. Clerk's Acct.	Wm. Stuck, Clerk, Small Bills	2	13	11
121. Collection	Wm. Kelly, Poundage Fees, to date	35	8	6
123. Emigration	J. P. Lynch, Master, Emigration of Mary McParagh & children	4		

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:

*[Handwritten signature]*

Workhouse Hospital Report.

Admitted during the week	20
Discharged	12
Died	4
Remaining this day	148

Fever Hospital Report.

Admitted during the week	10
Discharged	14
Died	1
Remaining in Hospital	17

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

- That the food and necessaries supplied during the week were of good quality.
- That the Contractor, Mr. Pierce, had delivered 100 tons of Coals up to this morning.
- That Walter Walsh was sentenced by the magistrates at Petty Sessions to one weeks imprisonment for absconding from the Workhouse.
- That he has given 1 lb of Bread extra to the men employed in putting in the Coal, who are at work from 6 o'clock a.m. to 8 o'clock p.m. (Approved)

Required.

- 1 Bot. Malaga Wine, 100-20. nails, 200-12. nails, 100-6. nails -
- Services of a steamer for two weeks - (Ordered)

*[Handwritten signature]*



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

- N<sup>o</sup> 18384/67  
17<sup>th</sup> July
- Enclosing Form to be filled with particulars respecting the proposed Emigration of Mary Mc'Donogh and her children.
- 
- N<sup>o</sup> 89 M/67  
18 July
- Circular Letter informing the Boards of Guardians that a judgment has recently been given in the Court of Exchequer Chamber on the question of the liability of a house which is furnished for letting, but which is not actually occupied, to be rated to the Poor Rate. The Court ruled that the Owner of a furnished house is liable to be rated in respect of the house, even though it remains unlet and unoccupied by a tenant.

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):

From Poor Law Commissioners -

- N<sup>o</sup> 18384/67  
18 July
- Stating with reference to the disposition of the sum lately voted by Parliament in aid of the Medical expenditure and of the Charge for Teachers' Salaries in Unions in Ireland, that the Commissioners have reason to suppose that a portion, equal or nearly so, to one-half the Medical expenditure for the half-year ending 29<sup>th</sup> Sept. next, will be made available by transmission by the Paymaster at Dublin Castle to the Treasurer of the Union soon after the termination of the half-year.

Report of Rate Committee -

Board Room, 15<sup>th</sup> July, 1867.

The undersigned Members of the Committee named on the 5<sup>th</sup> instant to investigate the list of arrears of the last Rate furnished by Mr. W<sup>m</sup> Kelly, Collector of the Galway District, attended this day to discharge this duty; and having made the fullest inquiry they could into the several items in the list, report -

That the total amount of the Warrants placed in Mr. Kelly's hands was £4586:5:2, and that he has lodged £4416:4:1 with the Union Treasurer, and has now uncollected a sum of £440:1:1 - Of the outstanding arrears a sum of £300:2:11 is absolutely irrecoverable; £254:13:5 having been assessed on premises returned as vacant and waste, and £45:9:6 remitted in the course of the Collection in respect of premises which have become unoccupied subsequent to the making of the Rate. The balance of the outstanding rates, £139:18:2, is to be retained on the books and stands against the premises assessed. It is not expected that the whole sum not discharged will be recovered, but, in addition to the admittedly recoverable arrear, it is hoped that circumstances may occur to enable a portion of the doubtful items to be made available.

The Committee have not discharged the rate of 6d assessed on the Convent of the Sisters of Mercy, leaving it.

it, as last year, to be dealt with by the Board.

Last year the sum finally declared irrecoverable, just before the signing of the Rate Books, was £280:2:10. This year, at this date, there is ascertained a positive loss of £300:2:11, which must hereafter be increased by a proportion of the undischarged arrear. Hence it is apparent that property in the Electoral Division of Galway to the Value of over £2000 is wholly unproductive. The Committee recognise the obligation, under the existing Poor Law enactments, of maintaining the destitute poor chargeable to the Galway Division from the productive rateable property thereof; but consider it unjust that the owners and occupiers of property contributing to the funds of the Union, and bearing the divisional burden, should be chargeable with a share of the general expenses of the Union according to the present mode of apportionment, which includes tenements of a large nominal value, lying idle, and yielding nothing towards taxation, and in many cases either ruins or approaching fast progressing to that condition. The Committee do not consider that

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 21

Ditto disallowed " "

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 9

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was 16

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was 5

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.)

this view is opposed to the 64<sup>th</sup> Section of the 1<sup>st</sup> & 2<sup>nd</sup> Vic., Cap. 56, enacting that the rates are to be made on the net annual value, and see no reason why this provision should not be construed to mean the net annual productive value.

Mr. Kelly has discharged his duties in the collection of the rates with his usual efficiency, and is entitled to payment of the balance due him for poundage fees.

(Signed) James Davis  
Joseph Fealy

Order - Approved - with the exception of that portion which relates to the mode of apportioning the expenditure of the Union for rating purposes. Pierce Joyce - Chairman

Resolved - That the rate due on the Consent of the Sisters of Mercy, amounting to £6, be remitted, the premises being used for charitable purposes.

Order of Discharge by Mr. James O'Keefe -

That he will move on this day fortnight that the chargeability of a child named John Kearns be removed from the Electoral Division of Drummore to Galway Division.

## Punishment Book -

John Moore was brought before the Board charged with absconding from the Workhouse on the 11<sup>th</sup> inst. and returning on the 12<sup>th</sup> -

Order - If a place can be procured, he is to get some cast clothes, being of good character, and anxious to go to work -

Kate Dwyer was brought up charged with having assaulted a female pauper named Ellen Cahill -

Order - Assault not proved: admonished to be better conducted in future -

Joseph Gready  
James Davis  
Edward Dwyer

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

26<sup>th</sup> day of

Friday the

July

1867

(Signed)

Thomas Stack

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 Galway UNION,  
on Thu day, the 19<sup>th</sup> day of July 1867.—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 5 March 1867, 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 25 Mar 1867.

<u>Jahomy</u> District	£ 171. 19. 10
<u>Tarloneghmore</u> District	£ 83. 11. 3
<u>Wynmore</u> District	£ 57. 1. 6
<u>Western (former)</u> District	£ 109. 4. 3
<u>Mozcullen</u> "	£ 14. 2. 9
<u>Spiddal</u> "	£ 18. 18. 4
<u>Aran</u> "	£ 47. 12. 6

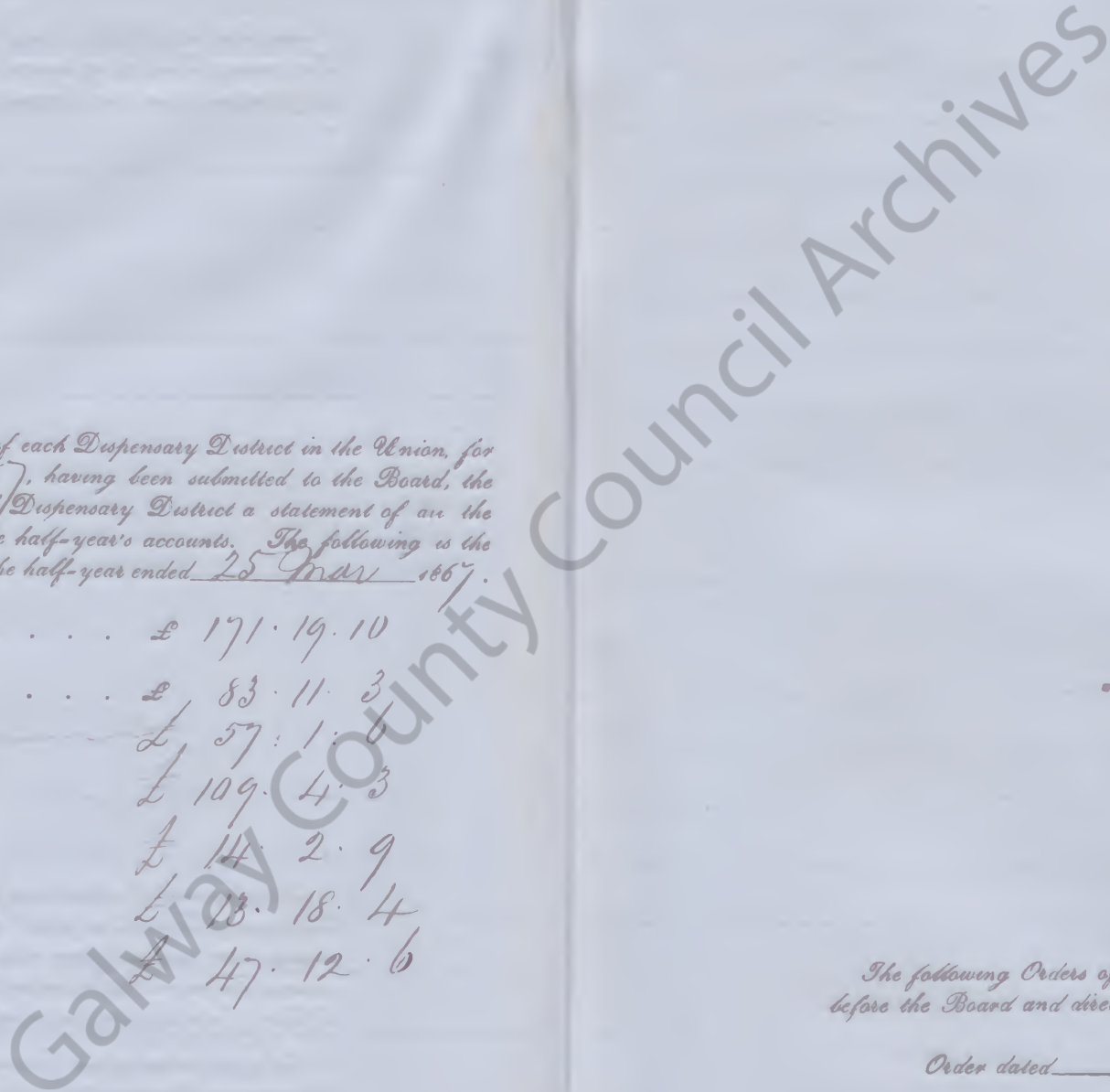
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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 *D. A. Fortham* dated *10<sup>th</sup> July 1867* stating that

requesting payment of the sum of *£9* for the week's attendance in the *Galway Dispensary District* in town of the late *D. Bodkin* -

Ordered.

That the Clerk forward to *D. Fortham*, an extract from the minutes of *1<sup>st</sup> February* last, and inform him that *Mr. Nicholas J. Bodkin* has been paid the balance of salary which remained due to the late *D. Bodkin*; and that the Clerk do also apprise *Mr. Nicholas Bodkin* of *D. Fortham's* claim, and of the answer thereto directed by the Board -

*Joseph Grealy*  
*James Davis*  
*Edward D. Burke*

(Signed)

*Thomas Stack*  
Clerk of the Union.

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Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			<i>6</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>40</i>					
TOTAL, . . . . .			<i>39</i>	<i>116</i>	<i>82</i>	<i>136</i>	<i>48</i>	<i>49</i>	<i>43</i>	<i>80</i>	<i>44</i>	<i>637</i>					
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			<i>8</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>34</i>					
Died, . . . . .						<i>5</i>						<i>5</i>					
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			<i>8</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>44</i>					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			<i>31</i>	<i>111</i>	<i>76</i>	<i>120</i>	<i>40</i>	<i>48</i>	<i>40</i>	<i>77</i>	<i>42</i>	<i>593</i>					

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *20<sup>th</sup>* day of *July* 1867, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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	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.	<i>3</i>	<i>14</i>			<i>3</i>	<i>14</i>	Et. forw.						
No. II.	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>			<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	No. X.						
No. III.	<i>4</i>	<i>4</i>			<i>4</i>	<i>4</i>	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.	<i>7</i>	<i>20</i>			<i>7</i>	<i>20</i>	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Not Car. forw.	<i>16</i>	<i>40</i>			<i>16</i>	<i>40</i>							

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Friday* the *26<sup>th</sup>* day of *July* 1867.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Joseph Grealy Esq.*  
Other Guardians:— *John J. Hill*, *Edward T. Burke*,  
*James Davis*, *Mr. J. O'Flaherty*,  
*J. Keckington jr.*, *Capt. J. E. Lambell*,  
*D. Brodie*, Poor Law Inspector, attended.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4182 to No. 4211 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:

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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 . . . . . £ 4 : 4 : 9

Paid during the week, . . . . . £ 57 : 18 : 9

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £ 800 : 9 : 4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>[Large handwritten scribble]</i>													

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



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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 110 s. 2 d. 5

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ s. d.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . . 66 : 13 : 9

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average Cost in Infirmary, . . . . . : 3 : 4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, . . . . . : 4 : 10 3/4

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:

Suppl. (Stew.) 5/10/67. Summary - 9/1/67

3100 lb Bread ——— 19.7.6	1/2 Bar Poter ——— 1.1.0
16 1/2 lb Meat (Hosp.) — 1.5.11	32 pts P. Wine ——— 2.5.4
16 5/2 lb Meat (Hosp.) — 3.9.0	2 pts Whiskey ——— 3.6
28 1/2 qts Milk ——— 19.9.1	3 Bot. Brandy ——— 9.6
1 ct Salt ——— 1.4	3 lb Arrow Root ——— 2.0
15 lb Tea ——— 1.12.6	15 OZ Tobacco ——— 3.5
48 lb Sugar ——— 17.0	1 Ton Coals ——— 1.3.0
10 lb L. Sugar ——— 5.0	50 Botes Surf ——— 2.15.3
11 lb Corn Flour ——— 5.0	4 lb Candles ——— 2.0
1 ct Licor ——— 17.0	8 1/4 Soap ——— 1.1.0
156 Eggs ——— 9.9	18 Beef Heads ——— 1.11.6

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 20 day of July 1867, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	-	£	3	13	0
In kind,	-	-	-	-				
Total,	-	-	-	-	£	3	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 Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value.
No. I.	P. H. Cullen	3.0.0				No. X.					
No. II.						No. XI.					
No. III.						No. XII.					
No. IV.						No. XIII.					
No. V.						No. XIV.					
No. VI.						No. XV.					
No. VII.						No. XVI.					
No. VIII.						No. XVII.					
No. IX.						Total.					
(car-forward)		3.0.0									

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.
[Wavy scribble]		

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

£	s.	d.
[Wavy scribble]		

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:

[Wavy scribble]

No. 7  
No. 7 House Hospital Report.

Admitted during the week	13
Discharged	9
Died	4
Remaining	148

Fever Hospital Report.

Admitted during the week	7
Discharged	6
Remaining in Hospital	18

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

That the food and necessaries supplied during the week were of good quality—  
 That Mr. Pierce has delivered this week 100 tons of Coals, making in all 200 tons.  
 That in consequence of getting blue Kets washed an extra supply of 14 lbs of Soap will be required—  
 Required—

2 1/2 lb Sole Leather, 2 lb Upper Leather, 1 lb Hemp,  
 2 doz pair of Tipes, 1 lb Zip Nails, 1 lb Heel Spring,  
 2<sup>d</sup> worth of Nails, 2000 shoe Nails, 4 Awl blades,  
 3<sup>d</sup> worth of Wax, 1 lb Wax Candles, 1 pt Sweet Oil,  
 1/2 lb Solder, 1/2 gross Spoons, 1 New Key,  
 Hooks and 2 Keys to be repaired—  
 (Or vero)

[Wavy scribble]

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

Order Dated 23<sup>rd</sup> July, 1867. - Consenting to a Sum not exceeding £4 being applied for the purpose of assisting to defray the expenses of the emigration to New York of Mary McDonagh and her three children, chargeable to Carnmore Electoral Division.

Maiton's Report.

That more ticks and Sheets require to be cancelled, to be used for repairs - Required - 118 of Cotton Balls - (Ordered)

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

From Poor Law Commrs -

N<sup>o</sup> 18661/1867<sup>9</sup> 24<sup>th</sup> July Stating that the Commrs have received a report from their Inspector, D<sup>r</sup> Brodie, of his recent inspection of the Workhouse and on the affairs of the Union generally. That as regard the financial position of the Union it appears that the liabilities will be in excess of the sum provided for by the current rate by about £1050. at the close of the period for which the rate was estimated: that the floor of the female infirm ward, which is in a bad state, requires to be boarded; and also that the brick floor of the shed in which women having illegitimate children are located requires to be repaired: that the blankets in store are quite worn out, and that a renewal of the stock will be required on the approach of winter; with some addition to the number of bed-ticks. That, as complaints are still occasionally made of the quality of the mill, constant supervision is necessary to detect and frustrate any

attempt to supply adulterated mill, and to ensure approved substitutes being provided when the Contractors fail to furnish mill of good quality. That of the quality of the meat supplied by the Contractor, D<sup>r</sup> Brodie states the complaints are continuous and well founded. That meat of good quality it appears is always to be had in the fatway market, and therefore no excuse for not getting a good article; that the Master should be cautioned that he will be held responsible for so serious a dereliction of duty as allowing meat of inferior quality to be received from the Contractor. That with respect to the Schools, D<sup>r</sup> Brodie reports that the progress of the boys is tolerably good, but that the girls are deficient in arithmetic and in their style of handwriting. (No Order)

N<sup>o</sup> 18661/1867<sup>9</sup> 25 July Stating that the Lords Commissioners of Her Majesty's Treasury have assented to an advance from the Parliamentary grant for medical and educational purposes being made at once in respect of the expenditure for those purposes during the current half year. Forwarding a form of certificate of the particulars necessary to be furnished with a view to an advance being made to this Union, and requesting that it may be returned duly filled up and signed. Ordered - Clerk to have the estimate prepared by next Board day.

N<sup>o</sup> 18925/1867<sup>9</sup> 25<sup>th</sup> July Transmitting the usual form of resignation, on receipt of which duly filled up and signed the Commissioners will consider the propriety of accepting Mr James Campbell's resignation of the office of guardian of the Electoral Division of Spiddal -

Read Letter dated 17<sup>th</sup> July 1867 from Mr Thos W. Thompson, complaining of the terms of the resolution passed by the Board of Guardians on the 12<sup>th</sup> instant with respect to the case of the Verruzi. Proposed

Proposed by Mr. John Gill, Seconded by Mr. James Davis.

Resolved - The resolution of the Board passed on the 12<sup>th</sup> instant, to which reference is made in Mr. Thompson's letter, was founded on the facts reported by the Arrear Relieving Officer and admitted by Martin Heron in his letter to the Poor Law Commissioners.

The Board regret to find that Mr. Thompson is not in a position to disavow the acts of his subordinate, in the case of the Herons, but rather attempts a justification based on mere generalities, which the Board decline to discuss.

Read Letter dated 25<sup>th</sup> July, 1867, from the Rev. Charles W. Henry, stating that he was prevented by the Master from entering the Workhouse on Friday last, in consequence of having given a controversial tract to a Protestant inmate, whom he had previously visited; and requesting that the discretion exercised by the Master be over-ruled, &c.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 15

Ditto disallowed " "

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 6

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was 13

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was 4

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.)

Moved by Mr. Martin J. O'Flaherty & seconded by Mr. John Redington Jr. -

The Guardians beg to acknowledge the receipt of the Rev. Mr. Henry's letter complaining of his exclusion from this institution on the 19<sup>th</sup> instant by the Master's orders. - The Guardians deeply regret that the necessity has arisen of conveying to the Rev. Mr. Henry their unqualified disapproval of his conduct in volunteering services in an offensive spirit which are officiously and becomingly performed by the paid Protestant Chaplain of the House, Rev. Mr. Deane; and they therefore deem it their duty to express their entire approval of the Master's action on the occasion referred to - (Carried. mean. Con. -)

Received - Copy of letter dated 20<sup>th</sup> July, 1867, for the removal of Maria Cullen and four children from the Township of Totteth Park, Liverpool, to the forway Union Workhouse -

(Not yet arrived)

Received - Invoice of Medicines ordered for use of the Workhouse, - amount £28:9:1 -

Receipts for the payments made on the 12<sup>th</sup> and 26<sup>th</sup> instant were produced and examined.

Wm. Lupton  
J. H. G. G. G.  
James Davis

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* the  
*2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *August* 186*7*  
(Signed) *Thomas Stack*  
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 Galway UNION,  
on Fri - day, the 24<sup>th</sup> day of July 1867.—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

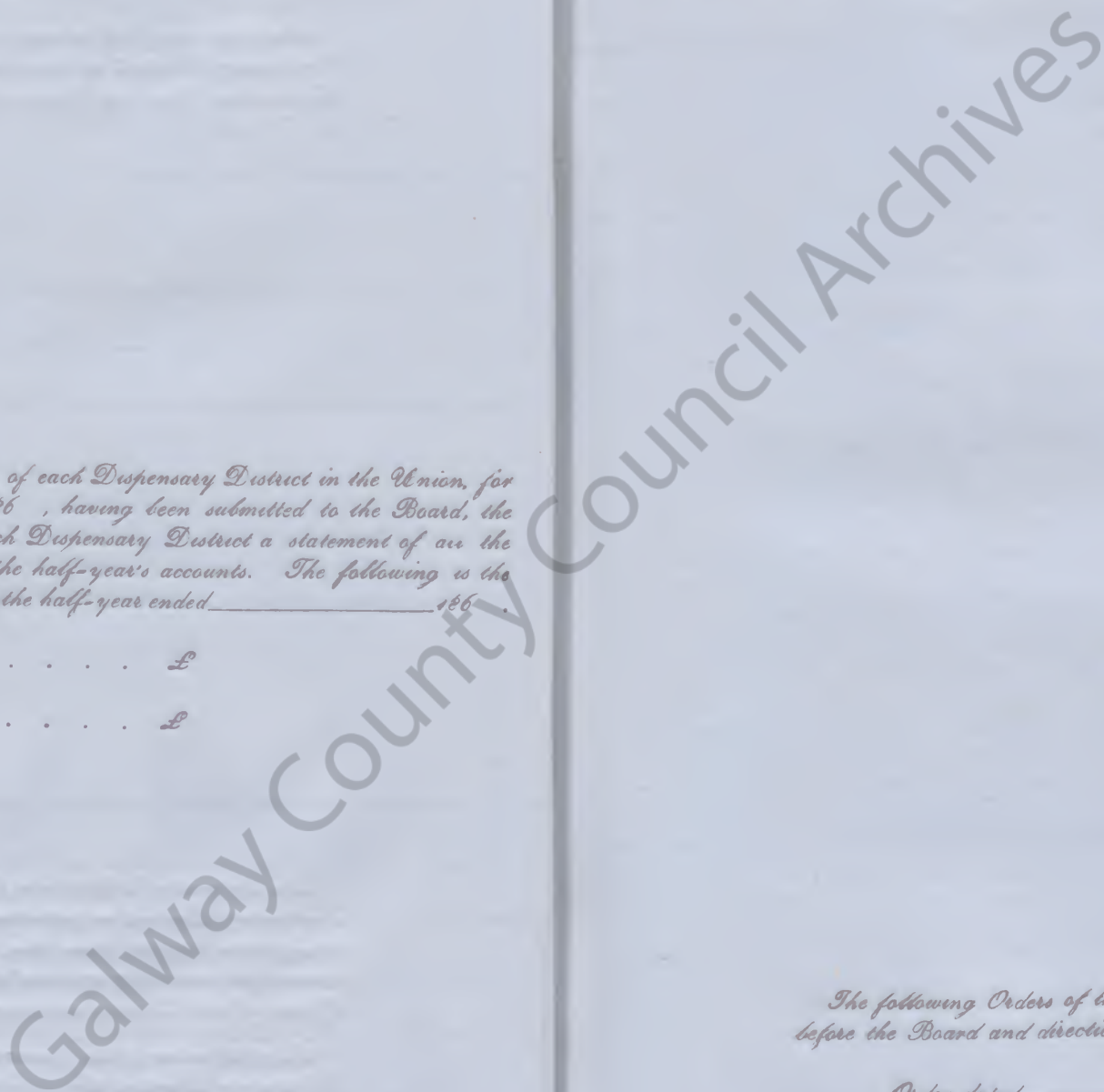
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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 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 Poor Law Commissioners, dated 25<sup>th</sup> July 1867 stating that

drawing the attention of the Board of Guardians and of the Dispensary Committee to the fact that the inscription on the Arrear Dispensary Notice Board is wearing out, as reported by Dr. Storey:-

Received - Report setting forth the 116 cases of successful Vaccination performed by Dr. Duffin in the Inghinmore Dispensary, District during the half year ended 30<sup>th</sup> June last - (The Report was submitted to the Disp. Committee.)

*Pierce Joyce*  
*Joseph Grealy*  
*James Davis*

(Signed)

*Thomas Stack*  
 Clerk of the Union.

*Galway*

Population in 1861— 50821

Present Net Annual Value, £ 65,785

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 27<sup>th</sup> day of July 1867.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	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, . . . . .	816	437												
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	222	126												
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .														
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	444	18												
Fever Sheds, . . . . .														
Total, . . . . .	1082	581												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			31	111	76	120	48	48	40	77	42	59	3	
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .				4	2	4	1		1		1	13		
TOTAL, . . . . .			31	115	78	124	49	48	41	77	43	60	3	
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			5	3	5	3		1		3	2	22		
Died, . . . . .					2	1						3		
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			5	3	7	4		1		3	2	25		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			26	112	71	120	49	47	41	74	41	581		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27<sup>th</sup> day of July 1867, 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	14			3	14	Dist. forward						
No. II.	2	2			2	2	No. X.						
No. III.	4	4			4	4	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.	7	20			7	20	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Dist. forward	16	40			16	40	Total						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 26<sup>th</sup> day of August 1867.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Pierce Joyce*

Other Guardians:—

*Joseph Grealy, James Davis, E.D. Burke, Pat<sup>r</sup> Dooley, John Jell, Michael Fallon,*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 217 to No. 234 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:

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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, . . . . . £ 5 : . : .

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £ 795 : 9 : 4

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 Lodgements 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, £ 78 s. 14 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . . £ 66 : 4 : 8

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

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

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

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

3100 lb Bread	19.7.6	1140 2 1/2	8 9
1 St. Flour	2.10	1/2 Btl Porter	1.1.0
65 1/2 lb Meat (off)	1.5.11	32 pts V. Wine	2.5.4
18 1/2 lb Meat (Wasp)	3.16.11	3 Btl Brandy (s.o.)	9.6
18 Beef Heads	1.11.6	6 lb Aw Root	4.0
2848 lb Milk	19.5.10	15 oz Tobacco	3.6
9 lb L. Sugar	4.6	50 Bolls Turf	2.15.3
50 lb Soft Sugar	17.4	40 Candles	2.0
1 ct Salt	1.4	98 lb Soap	1.4.0
16 lb Tea	1.14.8	1 lb Starch	4
6 lb Corn Flour	3.0		

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 27 day of July 1867, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	-	£ 3.9.6
In kind,	-	-	-	-	
Total,	-	-	-	-	£ 3.9.6

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 Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
		£	s.	d.	Article and quantity.			Value.	£	s.	d.
No. I.						Bt. forw'd.					
No. II.	W. Young	2	0	0	137	No. X.					
No. III.	P. Cullinan	3	0	0	135	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.					
Carried forward.		5	0	0		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:

136.	P. Young,	Clothing Account.	£ 2	18	6
		Leather, &c			

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

Clerk's Establishment Account.

135	Mr. Mack, Clerk,	Small Bills	5	13	1
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Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.		
126.	John Morris.	Bread	to 27 July	78	15	0	} 126.126
	Do.	Milk	"	47	1		
	Do.	Candles &c	"	16	6		
127	J. Sullivan	Meat	"	24	7	6	
128	J. Hughes	Milk	"	10	8	9	
129	J. Laine	Milk	"	11	7	8	
130	J. Lyons	Milk	"	8	6	14	
131	J. Linnhan	Ten &c	"	8	1	0	
132	J. J. Pynn	Rice &c	"	5	3	0	

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.

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

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

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

General Hospital Report

Admitted during the week	6
Discharged	1
Remaining in Hospital	23

Workhouse Hospital Report.

Admitted during the week	10
Discharged	12
Died	2
Remaining in Hospital	144

*[Handwritten flourish]*

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

That the provisions, and necessaries supplied during the week were of good quality.

That a woman named Mary Burke, who some time before her last admission became a Protestant, requested yesterday to have the Catholic Chaplain sent for, as she was sick; that he questioned her whether any person endeavoured to influence her to do so, and that she replied, no one did; that he therefore sent for the Rev. Mr. Dooley who attended her. Ordered—That the religious denomination of this woman be changed to Roman Catholic.

Required—2000 shoe-nails, 2oz Cabbage seeds, 1 Bot Flouts, 3oz brass wire; Repair of binding of old Registers services of the shoemaker for two weeks longer—  
(Ordered)

Mission's Report.

Clothing made—12 mens shirts, 16 women's chemises,  
Required—2lb Thread—  
(Ordered)

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



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

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 1<sup>st</sup> August, 1867 N<sup>o</sup> 96-1867, requesting a return showing particulars respecting the rates made and any new rates agreed upon in the Union.

Read Letter from William Cleaver, Clerk to the Guardians of the Township of Sotter Park, Liverpool, dated 26<sup>th</sup> July, stating in reply to Clerk's letter of 23<sup>rd</sup> July, that Maria Cullen and her children have ceased to be chargeable to the Township.

(The receipt of an order for the removal of this family was entered on Minutes of 26<sup>th</sup> ult.)

Read Letter dated 29<sup>th</sup> July, from Michael Flanagan, Relieving Officer for Aran Islands, stating that Henry Berry is now recovered from his illness; that he still seeks out door relief, and has refused a ticket of admission to the Workhouse offered to him with a note of conveyance.

Ordered-

That the Relieving Officer use his own Discretion in the case, taking care to keep within the Law.

Read Letter from Miss Conway, Workhouse Doctor, requesting a fortnight's leave of absence from Tuesday next. (Granted)

Received - Copy of Order, dated 7<sup>th</sup> June, 1867, for the Removal of Margaret Walsh from Edinburgh to the Fabrig Workhouse -  
(Copy of Order and particulars herewith)

Ordered - That the Widow Griffin get the Clothing brought into the Workhouse by the latest Post - Griffin, her husband, a deceased inmate.

Ordered - That a sum of One Pound be expended in the purchase of Clothing for John Keese, an inmate of the Workhouse for the last five years, & enable him to leave.

An Estimate of the Cost of the Salaries of the Medical Officers of the Union and of Medical and Surgical Appliances, and the Salaries of the Schoolmaster and Schoolmistress, for the Current half year, was laid before the Board and signed by the Chairman.

Ordered. That the Visiting Committee be summoned to meet on Saturday next, at one o'clock, to take into consideration and report the repairs recommended by the Commissioners in their letter of 24<sup>th</sup> ult. -

M<sup>r</sup>. James D'Arcy not being in attendance, his notice of motion to remove the charge-ability of a pauper from Crommord Electrical Division dropped. -

H. Redington Ch<sup>m</sup>.  
J. G. G. G.  
J. G. G. G.

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	-	-	-	-	17
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-	-	"
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	-	-	8
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	-	-	11
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	-	-	"
The number of other applicants in the Declining Officer's Book relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	-	-	"
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	-	-	-	-	1

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* the  
*9<sup>th</sup>* day of *August* 186*7*  
(Signed) *Thomas Stace*  
Clerk of the Union.

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(No. 27.)

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway UNION,  
on Fri- day, the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of August 1867.—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 Northcullery  
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:

To be forwarded to the Contractor.

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 £

Registration Expenses -

- 133. Galway, - Dr. Conidine, Fees, q<sup>r</sup>. to 30 June 12:5:0
- 134. Turloughmore. Dr. Duggan, Fees, . . . . . 3:18:0

*[Handwritten flourish]*

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £

\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £

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

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

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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 \_\_\_\_\_



*John Redington*  
*Joseph Healy*  
*And fill*

*Thomas Haes*  
 Clerk of the Union.

(Signed)

Population in 1861— 50821

Present Net Annual Value, £ 60,485 -

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of August 1867.

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.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idlots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse, . . . . .	816	424													
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	222	111													
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .															
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	44	21													
Fever Sheds, . . . . .															
Total, . . . . .	1082	536													
Remainng on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			26	112	71	120	49	47	41	74	41	281	In Workhouse } 146 In Hospital } 21 In Fever Hospital } 21 Total, . . . . . } 167	In separate Wards } 5 In Wards } with other Inmates } 7 Total, . . . . . } 12	
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			7	3	8	9	2					29			
TOTAL, . . . . .			33	115	79	129	51	47	41	74	41	610			
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			5	10	5	12	2	3	4	4	6	57			
Died, . . . . .					1	1				1		3			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			5	10	6	13	2	3	4	5	6	64			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			28	105	73	116	49	44	37	69	35	536			

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 August 1867, 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.	1	8			1	8	By forw.						
No. II.	1	1			1	1	No. X.						
No. III.	4	4			4	4	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.	6	13			6	13	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
<i>J.H.</i> Clerk of the Union.	12	26			12	26	Total.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 9<sup>th</sup> day of August 1867.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *John Redington*  
 Other Guardians:— *John Hill* *Joseph Healy*  
*Rich<sup>d</sup>. Carter* *Mich<sup>d</sup>. Fallon*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 9235 to No. 9253 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:

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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 . . . . . £ 4 : 4 : 4

Paid during the week, . . . . . £ 224 : 1 : 14

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £ 571 : 8 : 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Lodgements 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.

*[Large wavy scribble]*

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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, £ 58 s. 9 d. 2

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . . 65 : 7 : 9

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . . . : 2 : 2 1/4

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

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, . . . . . : 4 : 3 1/2

The Master's estimate of <sup>Healthy Inmates</sup> Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, . . . . . : 1 : 8 1/2

and orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

3100 lb Bread	19.7.6	1/2 Bbl Porter	1.1.0
652 lb Meat (1/2 pro)	1.5.11	32 pt P. Wine	2.5.4
185 3/4 lb Meat (1/2 pro)	3.17.6	1 Bbl Brandy	3.2
1 Ton <sup>Pat</sup> <del>London</del> Meat	12.10.0	2 A Alcohol	1.4
2820 qt Milk	19.2.0	8 A L. Sugar	4.0
17 lb Tea	1.16.10	15 oz Tobacco	3.5
2 A Sugar	18.5	1 Ton Coals	1.3.0
8 A Cornflow	4.0	50 Boxes Inf	2.10.5
18 B. Acid	1.11.6	4 A Candles	2.0
4 A Pepper	2.4	84 lb Soap	1.1.0
126 Eggs	7.11		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of August 1867, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

				£	s.	d.	
In money,	-	-	-	2	11	0	
In kind,	-	-	-				
Total,	-	-	-	£	2	11	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 Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value.
No. I.						Bt. forwd.					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forwd						Total.					

Credit Treasurer with 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.

*[Handwritten signature]*

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

2. Establishment Account.

*[Handwritten signature]*

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

3. Warehouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

3

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

3

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:

3

Medical Reports -

Remaining in the Infirmary — 144  
Remaining in Fever Hospital — 24

The Reports of the Master and other Officers <sup>was</sup> read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—

That the food and necessaries delivered during the week were of good quality -

That he could not get a Carpenter to execute the work ordered at the Fever Hospital less than 30/-, which he considers excessive -

Ordered. That the Master get the work done as cheaply as possible -

Ordered. 2 Lbs Straw . 1/2 gal Colza oil,  
1 A Wax Candles, 1 Bot. Malaga wine -

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

Copy of Order, dated 7<sup>th</sup> August, 1867, for an Election to supply a vacancy in the Office of Guardian for the Electoral Division of Spiddle.

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

From Poor Law Commrs

N<sup>o</sup> 97-M/67  $\frac{1}{2}$  Circular letter, ~~copy~~ dated 1<sup>st</sup> August, 1867, on the subject of the Parliamentary grant for Medical and Educational purposes. Stating that it appears that it has been determined that the Vote of the present Session shall be distributed on the same principle as the Vote for the same purposes in England.

N<sup>o</sup> 19973/67  $\frac{1}{2}$  Intimating their acceptance of Mr. James Campbell's resignation of the Office of Guardian for the Electoral Division of Spiddle; Stating that an Order will be issued for an Election to supply the vacancy caused thereby.

N<sup>o</sup> 19973/67  $\frac{1}{2}$  Enclaving Copy of an Order for supplying the vacancy in the Board of Guardians of this Union, above referred to.

N<sup>o</sup> 20097/1867  $\frac{1}{2}$  Stating, with reference to the Certificate of the 8<sup>th</sup> August  $\frac{1}{2}$  estimated expenditure in the Galway Union for the half year ending 29<sup>th</sup> Sept. next on account of Medical and Educational purposes, that it appears an item has been included for something more than the salaries of the Medical Officers of the Dispensary Districts of Galway and Moycullen. Enclaving the Certificate together with a form for an amended one.  
Order - Consideration postponed to next Meeting.

N<sup>o</sup> 20,196/1867  $\frac{1}{2}$  Forwarding a copy of a letter and of the 8<sup>th</sup> August  $\frac{1}{2}$  Communications therewith enclosed which they have received from the Rev. Charles W. Henry, together with a copy of a letter they have addressed to him in reply. (\*)

Read Letter from Mr. Thomas Stack, Clerk of the Union, requesting leave of absence <sup>for the benefit of his health</sup> until the 16<sup>th</sup> instant.  
Resolved - That the Clerk, Mr. Thomas Stack, be allowed leave of absence until the 16<sup>th</sup> instant, and that Mr. Gerard Stack be allowed to act as Clerk during his absence.

Received Copy of an <sup>Order</sup> ~~Memorandum~~, dated 24<sup>th</sup> July, 1867, for the Removal of Bridget Cook and her two children from the Parish of Liverpool, in the Borough of Liverpool, to the Galway Workhouse.  
(Bridget Cook and children not yet arrived.)

(\*)  
N<sup>o</sup> 20076-M/67  $\frac{1}{2}$  Transmitting Form for a Return called for by the 8<sup>th</sup> August  $\frac{1}{2}$  Order of the House of Commons of the number of persons who receive Relief in each P. L. Union in Ireland during the Quarter ended 31<sup>st</sup> March last, and the Cost of Out-door Relief.

William Walsh, a deaf mute aged 10 years, was brought before the Board as an applicant for admission to the Workhouse, with a view to his being sent to the Catholic Institution for the Deaf & Dumb, Dublin.

Mr. John Gill moved - That William Walsh be admitted to the Workhouse.

Amendment -

Proposed by Mr. J. Grealy -

That the Consideration of this question be postponed until there is a fuller Board.

A division was taken on the amendment, and there appeared

for the amendment - 2  
against - 3

The original motion was then put and Carried nem. con.

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	-	-	12
Ditto disallowed	-	-	"
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	3
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	11
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	"
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	"
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	-	-	4

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 Martin and Mary Geany, who are inmates of the Workhouse for two and a half years and now wish to leave, be provided with clothing on leaving, and that the Matron do purchase clothing for them to the amount of Ten Shillings.

The Chaplain's Book was produced - It contains only the usual entries.

Receipts for the payments made at last Meeting were produced and examined.

Sturbridge Stn  
Joseph Grealy  
Pat Dooley



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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* the  
*16<sup>th</sup>* day of *August* 1867

(Signed) *Gerard Low Stackett*  
Clerk of the Union. *pro tem*

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway UNION,

on Fri - day, the 9<sup>th</sup> day of August 1867.—continued.

(No Proceedings)

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District,

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

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

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

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

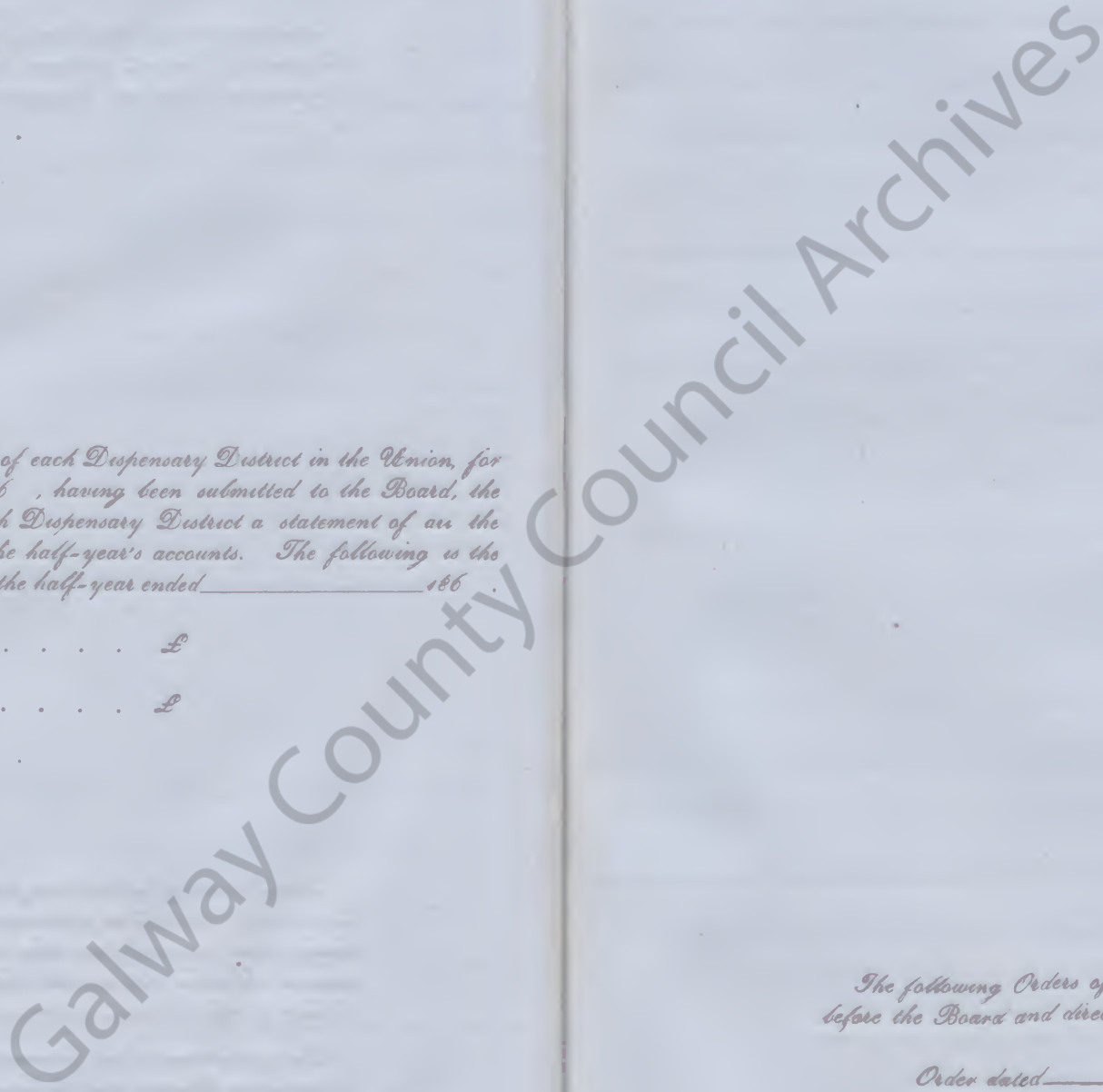
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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

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

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

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



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

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

Population in 1861— 50821

*Galway*

UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £65785.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of *Aug* 1867.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	So that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . . . .	816	342												
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	222	121												
Additional Workhouses, . . . . .	44	22												
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .														
Total, . . . . .	1082	535												
Remainng on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .	28	105	73	116	44	44	37	69	35	556		In Workhouse Hospital, 142	In separate Wards, 5	
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .	4	2	4	4	3	1	.	.	.	18		In Fever Hospital, 22	In Wards with other inmates, 7	
TOTAL, . . . . .	32	107	77	120	52	45	37	69	35	574		Total, 164	Total, 12	
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .	6	7	3	9	1	1	1	6	2	36				
Died, . . . . .				2	1	.	.	.	.	3				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .	6	7	5	10	1	1	1	6	2	39				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .	26	100	72	110	57	44	36	63	33	535				

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 *Aug* 1867, 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.	1	8			1	8	Bl. Ford.						
No. II.	4	4			4	4	No. X.						
No. III.	1	1			1	1	No. XI.						
No. IV.	.	.			.	.	No. XII.						
No. V.	.	.			.	.	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	7	13			7	13	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Bl. Ford.	13	26			13	26	TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 10<sup>th</sup> day of *August* 1867.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *John Redington Esq (VC)*  
 Other Guardians:—  
*James Davis, Joseph Fealy, Pat<sup>r</sup>. Dooley, M. J. O'Flaherty, Rich<sup>d</sup>. Carter, W. M. O'Connell.*

*(Signed)*  
*Edward Lovell*  
 Clerk of the Union. *per tem.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 9254 to No. 9267 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 . . . . . £ " : : "

Baid during the week, . . . . . £ " : : "

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £571 : 8 : 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Lodgements 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.	

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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, £ 55 s. 13 d. 1/4

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 62 : 16 : 9

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ : 3 : 2 3/4

Average Cost in Infirmary, £ : 3 : 4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, £ : 3 : 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:

2400 lb Bread	18.2.6	7 lb Corn Flour	3.6
66 1/2 lb Meat (offal)	1.6.4	138 eggs	8.8
183 lb Meat (Hosp.)	3.16.3	1/2 Bbl Poter	1.1.0
18 Beef Heads	1.11.6	24 pbs P. Wine	1.14.0
1 Ton Indium Meat	8.7.6	15 lb Tobacco	3.6
2680 lbs Milk	18.3.0	50 Boxes Turf	2.15.3
1 H. Flour	2.10	6 lb Candles	3.0
7 lb L. Sugar	3.6	84 lb Soap	1.1.0
56 lb Soft Sugar	19.10	4 St. W. Soda	4.6
1 ct Salt	1.4	(Suppl Order)	
17 lb Tea	1.16.10	2 lb Soft Sugar	8
1 ct Rice	17.0		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 10 day of Aug 1867, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	2.9.6
In kind,	-	-	-	
Total,	-	-	-	£ 2.9.6

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

Credit Treasurer with 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.
	Extern Hospitals and Asylums.			
139.	Catholic Deaf & Dumb Institution, Dublin			
	Halfyear Maintenance of Maryanne Walsh - 1/2 year from 13th August	7	10	"

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

	2. Establishment Account.			
142.	Mrs. Stack, Clerk, School Requisites	4	4	11
140.	Mrs. Stack, Clerk, Small Bills	1	12	"

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

*[Handwritten signature]*

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

*[Handwritten signature]*

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:

*[Handwritten signature]*

Medical Officers Reports—

Number in Workhouse Infirmary this Day— 140

Number in Fever Hospital this Day— 19

*[Handwritten signature]*

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

That the provisions and other necessaries supplied during the week were of good quality—

Required for use of the Workhouse—

- 4 Barrels Limes, 2 Carts Sand, 1/2 gal Ink,
- 5 Bot. Lemonade, 18 3/4 lb Sole and 1 lb Upper Leather,
- 1 lb Hemp, 1 Doz pair Taps, 1 lb Fish Nails,
- 3 lb worth Wax, 2 lb worth Hairs, 1 Ink Bottle,
- 50 gp Stranding— (Ordered)

*[Handwritten signature]*



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 Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, dated 9<sup>th</sup> August, 1867. No 98-M67, forwarding a form for a statement of the amount of Medical and Educational Expenses for the Halfyear ending 29<sup>th</sup> Sept. next, to be filled up and returned after the close of the Halfyear.

Pointing out that, in making estimates of rates for the future, the full amount of Medical and Educational Expenses of the Union should be provided for, inasmuch as the grant will not be payable until the expenses shall have been incurred.

Proposed by Mr. Martin J. Flaherty, &  
Seconded by Mr. James Davis -

Resolved - The Board of Guardians must respectfully dissent from the view conveyed by the Commissioners' Circular of the 9<sup>th</sup> inst., requiring the Board to exclude from its estimate for the ensuing year the money granted in relief of the medical and educational expenses, under the recent act of parliament on the subject, and for this reason that the principle involves not only the trouble and vexation of levying a superfluous extra rate, but also the unnecessary cost of collection -

(Adopted unanimously)

Resolved - That the certificate of the estimated amount of medical and educational expenses in this Union for the current halfyear, signed at the Guardians' meeting on the 2<sup>nd</sup> instant and returned with the Commissioners' Letter of the 8<sup>th</sup> inst., be again transmitted by the Clerk together with an explanation of the items adverted to by the Commissioners -

Read Letter from Mr. James Martin, dated 13<sup>th</sup> August, giving notice that he will attend on the 21<sup>st</sup> instant to audit the Union accounts for the past halfyear -

Resolved - That Dr. Dray Fannon be admitted to the Workhouse, with a view to being sent to St. Mark's Ophthalmic Hospital, Dublin, for treatment for disease of the eyes.

Ordered. That a wooden leg be procured for Joseph Daly, who has suffered amputation in the Workhouse.

Ordered. That 5/- be expended in the purchase of clothing for Bridget Connor when leaving the House.

Ordered. That 10/- be expended in the purchase of clothing for Thomas Cottingham to enable him to leave the House.

Ordered. That Hugh Carroll be supplied with a pair of shoes on leaving the House.

The Chaplain's Book was produced and an entry of the baptism of a legitimate child read.

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	-	-	-	10
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-	"
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	-	11
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	-	8
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	-	"
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	-	"
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	-	-	-	4

The Bonds and other securities in force were read 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.)

Punishment Book.

Ordered. That Mary Higgins charged with assaulting two other female inmates and threatening them with further injury be sent before the magistrates.

A requisition for Books &c for the use of the female school amounting to £4.4.11 was laid before the Board and ordered to be supplied.

Joseph Gace by  
James Davis  
Clerk

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the  
23<sup>rd</sup> day of August 1867  
(Signed) Thomas Stac M  
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 Galway UNION,  
on Fri day, the 16<sup>th</sup> day of August 1867.—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):

141  
Account of Dr. Stoney Dispensary District for Vacancies. Amount £ 3: 1: 0

Thos. H. Grealy  
James Davis  
Edward D. Nash

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Population in 1861— 50821

*Galway*

UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 65,485

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of *August* 1867.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	So that no building in each case is included in each case.	Total No. in each case.	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.	Lunatics under 3 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, . . . . .	816	378													
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	222	112													
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .															
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	44	17													
Fever Sheds, . . . . .															
Total, . . . . .	1082	507													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			26	100	72	110	57	44	36	63	33	535	In Work-house Hospital, } 136 In Fever Hospital, } 17 Total, } 153	In separate Wards, } 5 In Wards with other inmates, } 7 Total, } 12	
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			4	3	3	6			2	1	1	20			
TOTAL, . . . . .			30	103	75	116	51	44	38	64	34	555			
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			6	10	8	8	3		4	3	5	47			
Died, . . . . .						1						1			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			6	10	8	9	3		4	3	5	48			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			24	93	67	107	48	44	34	61	29	507			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of *August* 1867, 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.	1	8			1	8	Et. for. d.						
No. II.	1	1			1	1	No. X.						
No. III.	3	3			3	3	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.	6	7			6	7	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Et. for. d.	11	19			11	19	Et. for. d.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Friday* the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of *August* 1867.

PRESENT: In the Chair,

*Joseph Freely*

Other Guardians:—

*James Davis, James Fahy, E. L. Purser, M. J. O'Mahony, Michael Fallon*

*(Signed)*

*Thomas Stack*  
Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1208 to No. 1282 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:

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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 . . . . . \* £ 2 : " : "

Paid during the week . . . . . £ 13 : 6 : 11

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £ 560 : 1 : 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

\* Relief by way of Loan, see Clerk -

The Lodgements 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. 13 d. 3

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 60 : 16 : 1

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, " : 3 : 4 1/2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, " : 3 : 10

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:

2800 lb Bread	17. 10. 0	1/2 Bbl Porter	1. 1. 0
66 1/2 lb Meat (off)	1. 6. 4	28 pts Wine	1. 19. 8
8 lb Loaf Sugar	4. 0	2 Btl Brandy	8. 4
2578 lb Milk	17. 9. 2	2 lb Arrow Root	1. 4
1 ct Salt	1. 4	15 lb Tobacco	3. 6
18 Beef Heads	1. 11. 6	1 Ton Coal	1. 3. 0
168 lb Meat (Hosp <sup>l</sup> )	3. 10. 0	50 Bots Turf	2. 15. 3
18 lb Tea	1. 19. 0	6 lb Candles	3. 0
56 lb Sugar	19. 10	8 lb Soap	1. 1. 0
6 lb Corn Flour	3. 0	(Supp <sup>r</sup> Order)	1. 5
440 Eggs	8. 9	1 lb Sift Sugar	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the ~~13~~ 14<sup>th</sup> day of August 1867, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	-	1. 12. 6
In kind,	-	-	-	-	
Total,	-	-	-	-	£ 1. 12. 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 Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.						Bt. forwd.					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forwd.						Total,					

Credit Treasurer with 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.

J. J. Lynch, Master, to purchase clothing for Mary Comer and children

£	s.	d.
2		

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.
<i>[Handwritten scribble]</i>			

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

	£	s.	d.
<i>[Handwritten scribble]</i>			

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

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

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

*[Handwritten scribble]*

Medical Officers Reports -

N<sup>o</sup> in Workhouse Hospital — 142.  
 N<sup>o</sup> in Fever Hospital — 13.

*[Handwritten scribble]*

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—  
That the food and necessaries supplied during the week were of good quality.

That the Matron has returned from leave of absence and resumed her duties.

Required - a suit of clothing for an infant born in the Workhouse.

- 1 Jar of Ink,
- 6 Bot. Linnæus,
- 1 B. Wax Candles.

(Ordered)

*[Handwritten scribble]*

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:

From Poor Law Commissioners -

No. 20727/1867  
17th Aug. Requesting Clerk to forward copy of Warrant and particulars relating to the removal of Bridget Cook and her two children from Liverpool to this Union -  
(Forwarded)

No. 21394/1867  
22nd Aug. Transmittin<sup>a cheque</sup>g to the Board of Guardians for £287:19:2 on account of the estimated expenditure for medical and educational purposes during the current halfyear.  
(See Resolution)

No. 21488/1867  
22nd Aug. Forwarding a copy of a letter from Mr. Thos. Eyre Lambert requesting to have his name placed on the list of officio guardians of the Union in room of the late Mr. Walter Lambert -  
(Mr. Lambert's name has been placed on the list.)

No. 21648/1867  
22nd Aug. Forwarding the Returning Officer's Account of Expenses attending the election of a guardian for the Electoral Division <sup>of Spiddal</sup> in the present month, amounting to £0:8:9 for payment by the Board of Guardians.

Read Letter from Miss Shaughnessy, Schoolmistress requesting one week's leave of absence, and stating that the doctor will take charge of the children during that period.  
(Granted)

Received - Copy of a Warrant, dated 20th August, for the Removal of Mary Gynn and 4 children from Gateshead Union, Co. Durham, to the Jubilee Workhouse.  
(Not arrived)

Proposed by Mr. James Davis, Seconded by Mr. John Gill, and Resolved -

The Guardians observe that the sum estimated by the Commissioners for Dispensary and Workhouse medical expenses and Teachers' salaries for the current halfyear <sup>is deficient</sup> by £31:0:4 - This error the Guardians apprehend must have arisen through some inadvertence on the part of the Commissioners in furnishing wrong data on their own responsibility, a circumstance which might have been avoided by previously applying to the Guardians for information on the subject, and they now feel that the Commissioners are bound to indemnify the Guardians against any loss.

Ordered - That the Doctor be authorized to discharge Biddy and Mary Connolly, chargeable to Barna R.D. in charge of Sally McDonagh.

Ordered - That a cheque for £2 be drawn in favor of the Doctor to purchase clothing for Margaret Connell and her three children, to enable them to leave the Workhouse.

Ordered - That a sum of 5/- be expended in the purchase of clothing for an inmate of the Workhouse named Drayanne Arthur to enable her to leave.

Ordered - That Mr. James Fahy's name be added to the List of Members composing the Visiting Committee.

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	-	-	-	10
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-	5
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	-	10
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	-	1
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	-	1
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	-	10
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 Abstracts of the accounts of the Union for the past halfyear, certified by the Auditor, were laid before the Board, and signed by the preceding Chairman -

James Davis  
Chairman  
James Fahy

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* the  
*30<sup>th</sup>* day of *August* 1867  
(Signed) *Thomas Stack*  
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 Galway UNION,  
on Fri-day, the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of August 1867.—continued.

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

*No Proceedings*  
An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the  
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a  
Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon  
as follows:

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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



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

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

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Galway UNION.

Population in 1861— 50,821 — Present Net Annual Value, £ 65,485 —

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1867.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	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, . . .	816	369													
Temporary Buildings, . . .	222	97													
Additional Workhouse, . . .															
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .	444	13													
Fever Sheds, . . .															
Total, . . .	1082	679													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			24	93	17	107	48	44	34	61	29	507	In Workhouse } 138 Hospital, } In Fever } Hospital, } 13 Total, } 151	In separate } 5 Wards, } In Wards } with other } Inmates, } 1 Total, } 12	
Admitted during the Week, . . .			1	1	3	4	2					11			
TOTAL, . . .			25	94	20	111	50	46	34	61	29	518			
Discharged during the Week, . . .			2	10	7	7	2	3	2	2	3	38			
Died, . . .							1					1			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			2	10	7	7	3	3	2	2	3	39			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			23	82	63	107	45	43	32	59	26	479			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24<sup>th</sup> day of Aug 1867, 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.	1	8			1	8	Rel. forwd.						
No. II.	1	1			1	1	No. X.						
No. III.	2	2			2	2	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.	7	13			7	13	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Rel. forwd.	11	24			11	24	Forwd.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 30<sup>th</sup> day of August 1867. Friday

PRESENT: In the Chair, James Davis Esq  
 Other Guardians:— John Gill, James Fahy,  
 Michael Fallon, P. J. Fealy.

(Signed)

*James Stack*  
 Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 7287 to No. 7312 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 . . . . . £ 287 : 19 : 2

Paid during the week, . . . . . £ 2 : " : "

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £ 846 : " : 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

\* Turn Parliamentary Grant, through Poor Law Comrs

The Lodgements 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.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 00 s. 13 d. 10

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . . £ 59 : 3 : 3

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . . . £ 2 : 3 3/4

Average Cost in Infirmary, . . . . . £ 3 : 4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, . . . . . £ 4 : 10

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:

2500 lb Bread	15 12 6	146 Eggs	9 2
66 1/2 lb Meat (offn)	1 6 4	1/2 Bar Porter	1 1 0
153 3/4 lb Meat (Hosp <sup>l</sup> )	3 4 11	28 pts Wine	1 19 8
18 Beef Heads	1 11 6	2 Bot Brandy	6 4
2384 qts Milk	16 2 11	3 lb An Root	2 0
17 lb Tea	1 16 10	15 lb Tobacco	3 6
52 lb Sugar	17 7	50 Boxes Soap	2 15 3
8 lb L. Sugar	4 0	6 lb Candles	3 0
1 St Flour	2 10	1/2 lb Soap	0 17 0
5 lb Corn Flour	2 6	4 St. N. Soda	4 6
1 cwt Rice	17 0		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 24 day of April 1867, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	-	£ 1 12 6
In kind,	-	-	-	-	
Total,	-	-	-	-	£ 1 12 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 Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.						Bt. forwd.					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forwd.						Total,					

Credit Treasurer with 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:

From Hospitals & Asylums . . . . . £ s. d.

144.	Catholic Institution for the Deaf & Dumb, Dublin, Maintenance &c. of Wm Walsh, 1/2 year in advance, with £1 for outfit	8	10	0
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Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

148	L. L. Ferdinand, acc <sup>t</sup> Printing Contract	18	0	0
	Clerk's Acc <sup>t</sup> -			
145	W. Stack, Clerk, Small Bills	4	9	9

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:

*Nation's Report.* That the bedticks and sheets require to be repaired, and that it is necessary to cancel some old articles for the purpose.

Ordered - Clerk to Summon the Visiting Committee to meet on Tuesday next at 12 o'clock.

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

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, dated 29<sup>th</sup> August, 1867, N. 22024/1867, advising to the Guardians' resolution of 23<sup>rd</sup> inst. and with reference to the amount remitted by the Commrs in aid of the medical and educational expenses of the current half year; and stating that the estimate laid before Parliament was necessarily made from the accounts of a previous period, and that no error exists in it so far as the Commissioners are aware -

Read Letter from Secretary to Catholic Institution for the Deaf and Dumb, Dublin, dated 23<sup>rd</sup> August, stating that the Committee have agreed to receive William Walsh into the Institution; enclosing account for half year's pension and outfit, amount £8.10.0.

Ordered - That a cheque be drawn for the amount, and that 1/6 be allowed for the boys' transmission to Dublin.

Ordered - That a suit of clothing be provided for the Porter of the Workhouse - Cost not to exceed £4.

Ordered - That the Clerk prepare an estimate of new Rates required for year ending 29<sup>th</sup> September, 1868, and that same be considered by the Board on Friday, the 20<sup>th</sup> Sept. next.

Ordered - That Mr. Kelly close his collection finally by the 20<sup>th</sup> September next; and that the Rate Committee be requested to attend on the Monday following to make a final revision of the arrears lists.

Ordered - That the following sums be expended in the purchase of clothing for the under-named inmates of the Workhouse to enable them to leave the Workhouse: -

15/-	for Sally Fahy and child,
12/6	for Ann Walsh and child,
7/6	for Mary O'Donne W.

Proposed by Mr. John Silk, and Seconded by Mr. P. J. Grealy -  
Resolved -

The Board of Guardians of the Galway Union have good reason to believe that Mr. James Moore's Services as Flax Instructor in this Union have been beneficial towards inducing the cultivation of Flax, and that he has afforded full satisfaction to all who have requested his advice and assistance.

Those who have sown Flax under his directions are anxious to have the benefit of his instructions during the critical time of sowing and stepping, having confidence in his practical knowledge of every branch of Flax Culture.

The Board therefore trusts that Mr. Moore's services will continue available to the Flax sowers in this locality during the remainder of this season, and consider his services in future seasons likely to lead to a gradual and steady increase in the growth of Flax -

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were <sup>passed, rem. con.</sup> considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	-	-	-	-	7
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-	-	-	"
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	-	-	-	8
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	-	-	-	9
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	-	-	-	"
The number of other applicants in the Preleving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	-	-	-	"
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	-	-	-	-	-	1

The Bonds and other securities in force were read 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 Consideration of the deficiency of Oatmeal and Indian Meal, and of the produce of Bann Bread from those articles, be postponed to next Meeting -

Wm. Joyce  
Joseph Grealy  
James Grealy

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* the  
*6<sup>th</sup>* day of *September* 186*7*  
(Signed) *Thomas Stack*  
Clerk of the Union.

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(No. 27.)

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Lapraugh UNION,  
on Fri day, the 30<sup>th</sup> day of August 1867.—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 Proycullen  
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of 2<sup>nd</sup> inst.  
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):

146) Merrymount Dispensary District  
Account of Dr. Duggan for Vacancies: Amount £ 5. 16. 0

147) Crummore District  
D. Hughes . . . . . £ 3. 16. 0

*Wm. Hughes*  
*James Kelly*  
*James Kelly*

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

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

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

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

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

Population in 1861— 50,821

Present Net Annual Value, £115,485

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the ~~31~~<sup>31</sup> day of Aug 1867.

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, . . . . .	816	89																									
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	222	360																									
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																											
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	44	11																									
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																											
Total, . . . . .	1082	1460																									
Remainng on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			23	84	63	104	45	43	32	59	26	479															
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			1	9	2	2	1	3	2	4	5	54															
TOTAL, . . . . .			24	93	65	106	46	46	34	63	31	508															
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			3	15	7	2	3	6	1	5	5	47															
Died, . . . . .						1						1															
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			3	15	7	3	3	6	1	5	5	48															
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			21	78	58	103	43	40	33	58	26	460															

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 31 day of Aug 1867, 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.	1	8			1	8	Et. forwtd.						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.	1	1			1	1	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.	8	15			8	15	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwtd.	11	24			11	24	Total.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 0 day of September 1867.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Pierce Joyce Esq.

Other Guardians:—

John Redington (U.C.) who occupied the Chair before the arrival of the Chairman.  
Joseph Grealy. Capt R. Lambert.  
James Harris, James Fahy, and  
M. J. O'Flaherty.  
D. Brodie, Poor Law Inspector, attended.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

(Signed,)

Thomas Stack

Clerk of the Union.

The Warehouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 9303 to No. 9327 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 . . . . . £ 6 : " : 7

Paid during the week, . . . . . £ 30 : 19 : 9

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £ 815 : " : 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Lodgements 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.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 57 s. 11 d. |

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . £ 55 : 12 : 10

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, . . . . . : 3 : 4 1/2

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

2200 lb Bread	13.15.0	4 lb Pepper	2.4
5 1/2 lb Meat (pigs)	1.3.7	163 Eggs	10.2
14 1/2 lb Meat (hops)	2.6.3	1/2 Brl Porter	1.0.6
18 Beef Heads	1.11.6	28 pts P. Wine	1.19.8
1 Ton Oatmeal	12.10.0	3 Bot Brandy	9.6
2306 qts Milk	15.12.4	2 pts Whiskey	3.6
1 ct Salt	1.4	15 lb Tobacco	3.6
15 lb Tea	1.12.6	1 Ton Coats	1.3.0
42 lb Sugar	14.11	50 Boxes Soap	2.15.3
8 lb a. Sugar	4.0	6 lb Candles	3.0
5 lb Corn Flour	2.6	70 lb Soap	17.6

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 April 1867, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	-	1.9.6
In kind,	-	-	-	-	-
Total,	-	-	-	-	£ 1.9.6

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

Suppl. Orders.  
 2 Bot Brandy . . . 6.4  
 1 lb Tobacco . . . 3

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 Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.						No. X.					
No. II.						No. XI.					
No. III.	V. Callinan	2.0.0	(164)			No. XII.					
No. IV.						No. XIII.					
No. V.						No. XIV.					
No. VI.						No. XV.					
No. VII.						No. XVI.					
No. VIII.						No. XVII.					
No. IX.											
Car. forwd		2.0.0				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.

(164) P. Jeaney, Leather, &c	£	s.	d.
	2	15	1

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

2. Medical Account.

162 Michl. Oughan, Coffins, (17x10)	£	s.	d.
	2	12	4

Clerks Acct.

163 Thos. Stack, Clerk, Small Bills	£	s.	d.
	8	3	8

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

3. Warehouse Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.
149	John Morris	Bread, #	93	15	0
	Do	Milk	50	17	10
	Do	Candle, t <sup>c</sup>		17	8
150	Gas. Sullivan	Meat	31	13	11
151	Ellen Sweeney	Meal	62	12	6
152	Thos. Hughes	Milk	11	17	5
153	Thos. Laine	Milk	14	4	7
154	In. O'Connell	Milk	9	9	7
155	In. Linnihan	Tea t <sup>c</sup>	9	17	
156	Wm Costello	Wine t <sup>c</sup>	35	8	1
157	J. J. Fynn	Rice t <sup>c</sup>	5	78	10
158	A. Guinness & Co.	Porter	9	4	6

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.
159	M. O'Malley	Infy	23		2
160	Gas Compy	Gas, 2 mos	5	1	8
165	Lynch (Master)	Purchase of Potatoes	5		



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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:

Medical Reports -  
Workmen.

No. in the Infirmary this day — 131  
An air pillow is very much required  
for Margaret Walsh. (Ordered)

Fever Hospital.

Admitted during the week	3
Discharged	4
Died	1
Remaining in Hospital	9

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

That the provisions and necessaries supplied during the week were of good quality.

Ordered. That potatoes be included in the advertisement for provision contracts.

Ordered. 3 lb Black Tin, 2 pair butt hinges and screws,  
200. 6. Nails, 1 pt. Sweet oil, 6 Bot. Lemonade,  
1 chicken.

Matron's Report -

Made - three Suits of clothing for children  
leaving the House  
Repaired - 10 mens shirts - 20 bibs.  
Required -  
1 lb cotton balls for repairs -  
(Ordered)

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

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

From Poor Law Commrs

No. 100. In/67  
2<sup>d</sup> Sept. Requesting particulars respecting the Rates made and any new rates agreed upon in the Union.

No. 22461/1867  
5<sup>th</sup> Sept. Requesting Clerk to forward a copy of the Estimate of a new rate when approved by the Guardians.

Read Letter from Mr. John Barton, dated 30<sup>th</sup> August, stating, by direction of Sir Wm. Wilde, that Mary Gannon is not susceptible of improvement by treatment in St. Marks Hospital; that the charge for her maintenance for 11 days is 11/- and return expenses 11/6; to take £1.2.6.

Ordered. That the Schoolmaster be allowed one days leave of absence - on Friday, the 13<sup>th</sup> instant.

Upon the applications of inmates of the Workhouse for clothing to enable them to leave the Workhouse, the following sums were ordered to be expended for that purpose:-

10/- for John Connelly,  
10/- for Bridget Doherty,  
10/- for Sarah Stone, &  
10/- for Catherine Stone -

" Report of Visiting Committee -

Workhouse, Tuesday,  
3<sup>rd</sup> Sept. 1867.

Present - Patrick J. Grealy, and James Fahy -

" The Committee examined the worn out clothing in store, and recommend to be cancelled for the purpose of repairs -

100 shirts,	50 Women's Petticoats,
30 Ticks,	100 " Shifts,
50 Mens Shirts,	30 " Aprons,
20 Girls' Frocks,	

" The able-bodied male inmates were brought before the Committee, who recommended that the following persons be called before the Board, to determine whether they should not be discharged -

Michael Connor, Tom Connelly,  
Pat Connelly, William Keane, Ann Harmon,  
and Ned O'Donnell.

" The Committee recommended the Trustee to purchase clothing to the value of 12/6 for a school girl named Mary Daly, who has been several years in the Workhouse, to enable her to go service -"

The report of the Committee was adopted by the Board, and the men named were called before the Board, and it was

Ordered. That, Michael Connor, Tom Conneely, Pat Connell, William Keane, and Tom Hannan be discharged from the Workhouse on Monday next being able-bodied and employment for them available.

The Chaplain's Book was produced, and an entry of the baptism of an illegitimate (but born in the Workhouse) read.

Receipts for the payments made at last meeting were produced and examined.

The consideration of the subject of the deficiency in the stock of meal, and of the produce of Brown Bread from Outment and Indian Meal, was further adjourned to the 27<sup>th</sup> inst.

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 12

Ditto disallowed " 13

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 6

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

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was 3

The Bonds and other securities in force were read 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 Clerk advertise for new Contracts for Provisions, including Potatoes, Second quality Flour, and Whole-meal Bread; tenders be considered this day fortnight - and for Contracts for Clothing and Establishment Necessaries, the tenders for those articles to be considered on the 27<sup>th</sup> Sept.

Resolved. That the Poor Law Commissioners be requested to issue an order for the election of a Guardian for the Electoral Division of Fughim, in room of Capt Thos. E. Lambert, whose name has been placed on the List of ex-officio Guardians of the Union.

Wm Joyce  
Wm Gately  
James Foley

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* the *13<sup>th</sup>* day of *Sept* 186*7*  
(Signed) *Thomas Stack*  
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 Galway UNION,  
on Fri day, the 5<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 1867.—continued.

(As Proceeding)

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

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

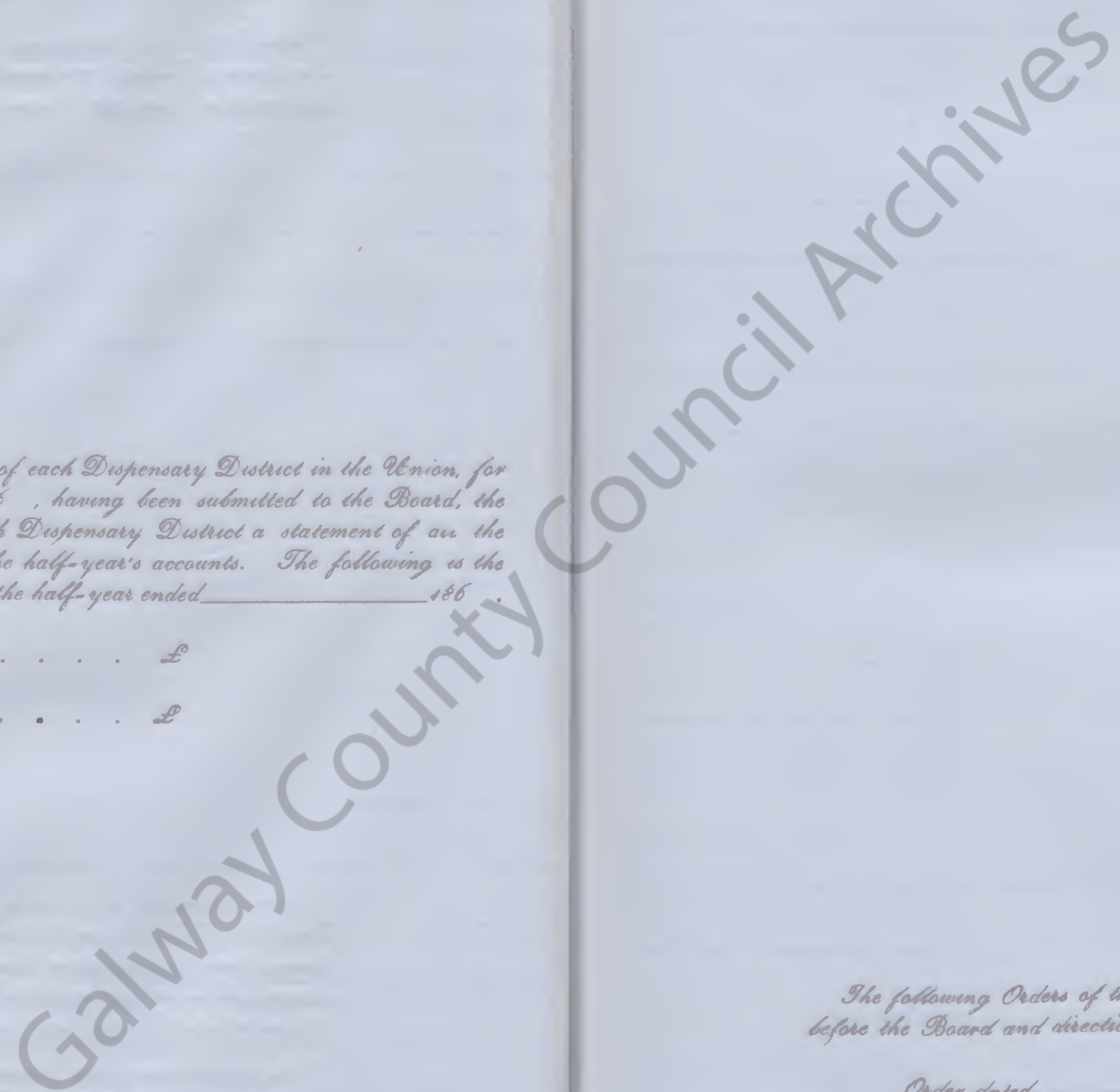
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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

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

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

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



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

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

Population in 1861— 50821

*Sabray*

UNION.

161

Present Net Annual Value, £ 652485

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 7<sup>th</sup> day of *Sept* 1867.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building in each case.	Total No. in each building at 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, . . . . .	876	342												
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	222	88												
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .														
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	444	10												
Fever Sheds, . . . . .														
Total, . . . . .	1062	460												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			25	75	54	100	46	43	33	58	26	460	In Workhouse Hospital, 138 In Fever Hospital, 10	In separate Wards, 5 In Wards with other inmates, 7
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			4	3	4	4			1	1	3	20		
TOTAL, . . . . .			29	78	58	104	46	43	34	59	29	480	Total, 140	Total, 12
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			2	9	3	6	3	6	3	4	1	37		
Died, . . . . .					2	1						3		
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			2	9	5	7	3	6	3	4	1	40		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			27	64	53	97	43	37	31	55	28	440		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 7<sup>th</sup> day of *Sept* 1867, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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No. I.	1	8			1	8	<i>Dist. forward.</i>						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.	1	1			1	1	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.	5	7			5	7	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
<i>Sof.</i> Can. form.	7	16			7	16	<i>Dist. forward.</i>						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of *September* 1867.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Pierce Joyce Esq.*

Other Guardians:—

*Mr. Redington, James Davis, Joseph Leahy, Mr. Gill, E. D. Burke, James Fahy, Mr. J. Fallon, Mr. Redington jr., J. E. Lambert, Francis Blake.*

(Signed,)

*Thomas Stack*  
Clerk of the Union.

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

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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 . . . . . £ 0 : 4 : 7

Paid during the week, . . . . . £ 59 6 : 15 : 10

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £ 418 : 4 : 8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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Average Cost in Infirmary, : 3 : 5

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, : 5 : 11 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:

2200 lb Bread	13.15.0	32 pts V. Wine	2.5.4
59 1/2 lb Meat (Wks)	1.3.7	4 Bot Brandy	12.8
146 3/4 lb Meat (Hosp)	3.0.4	2 pts Whisky	3.6
18 Beef Heads	1.11.6	6 lb Arrow Root	4.0
1 Ton Indian Meal	8.7.6	6 lb L. Sugar	3.0
2160 qts Milk	14.12.6	1 St. Sugar	2.10
13 lb Tea	1.8.2	15 lb Tobacco	3.5
42 lb Sugar	14.11	50 Boxes Tinf	2.15.3
2 lb Corn Flour	1.0	6 lb Candles	3.0
1 cwt Sago Rice	17.0	70 lb Soap	17.0
147 Eggs	9.2	1 lb Starch	4
1/2 Bot Porter	1.0.0		

App P Wine 5:8  
53 lb of Brandy 15:10  
1 lb Tea 3

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 7 day of 18/10/57, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	-	1. 1. 0
In kind,	-	-	-	-	
Total,	-	-	-	-	£ 1 : 1 : 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 Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.						By forward.					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.	M. Hanagan	3.0.0				No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
		3.0.0									

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:

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):

From Poor Law Commrs -

No. 102 - M/67  
5<sup>th</sup> Sept. Transmitting a copy of the Act 30 & 31 Vic. C. 146, for regulating the hours of labour for children, young persons, and women employed in Workshops. \* (See next page)

No. 23031/1867  
12<sup>th</sup> Sept. Stating that an order will be issued for the Election of a Guardian for the Electoral Division of Anghime in favor of Capt. Mr. E. Lambert, whose name has been placed on the list of *de officio* Guardians of the Union -

\* Ordered - That the Clerk send a copy of the Commissioners' Circular with the "Workshop Regulation Act, 1867," to the Railway Town Improvement Commissioners -

Read Letter from Mrs. Ellen Sweeney, dated 13<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1867, claiming payment of £1.13.4 for 20 Bays stated to have been damaged in the Workhouse.

Ordered - Clerk to reply that such damage could not have been sustained, as the bays were always emptied and returned by the Carrier.

The Information of Mary Burke before the Magistrates at Petty Sessions on the 11<sup>th</sup> instant, respecting the paternity of her illegitimate child was laid before the Board -

Ordered - That proceedings be taken against Andrew Jeary, the putative father, at next quarter Sessions -

Report of Relieving Officer Cullen - That John O'Flaherty was prosecuted at Petty Sessions on the 9<sup>th</sup> inst. for neglecting to maintain his wife and three children, who are inmates of the Workhouse; and that the Magistrates ordered that he should take out of his family and pay the costs of the proceedings - [It appeared that the woman is a hospital patient and unable at present to leave the Workhouse, and the relief was declared to be by way of loan to John O'Flaherty -]

A requisition for books &c for the Workhouse  
Male School was laid before the Board;  
amount £3:14:5-

Ordered. That applications for School Requisites shall  
in future be made periodically at intervals of  
six months.

Receipts for the payments made at last Meeting were  
produced and examined.

Ordered. That a sum of Five Shillings be  
expended in the purchase of clothing for the  
Child of Honor Boyle, born in the Workhouse.

Wm. Joyce  
Joseph Grealy  
Scriber

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 - 17

Ditto disallowed - - - - - "

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 4

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - 7

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - 7

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - - - 4

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 *Friday* the  
*20<sup>th</sup>* day of *Sept* 186*7*  
(Signed) *Thomas Stack*  
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 Galway UNION,  
on Tu-day, the 13<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 1867.—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 Tortoum  
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:

To be supplied by Contractor.

*Richd. Gandy*  
J. Gandy  
S. Gandy

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:

*[Handwritten flourish]*

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

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

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

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

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

[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 \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

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

**GALWAY UNION.**  
Tenders will be received up to Twelve o'clock on FRIDAY, the 27th instant, for Supplying the Union Workhouse and Six Dispensaries with **MEDICINES & MEDICAL & SURGICAL APPLIANCES**, of the best quality, for Twelve Months, from 29th Instant. The Medicines, &c. must be delivered free of expense at the Workhouse and Dispensary Stations. No charge will be allowed in the invoices for hampers, jars, bottles, &c. The Contractor must arrange to get the empties returned at his own trouble, risk, and expense. Six copies of the accepted Tender will be required for use of the Medical Officers. Forms of Tender will be supplied on application to **THOMAS STACK, Clerk of Union.** Office, Workhouse, 7th September, 1867.

**GALWAY UNION.**  
**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.**  
The Board of Guardians of the Galway Union will, on FRIDAY, the 26th inst, consider Tenders for the supply of the several articles classed under the head of **PROVISIONS AND NECESSARIES**, and on Friday, the 27th inst, for the supply of **CLOTHING MATERIALS AND ESTABLISHMENT REQUISITES.** Lists of the articles required, Forms of Tender, and other necessary information regarding the terms and conditions of contract, can be had on application to **THOMAS STACK, Clerk of Union.** Office, Workhouse, 7th September, 1867.

**GALWAY UNION.**  
**NOTICE TO CONTRACTORS.**  
**THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS** of the GALWAY UNION will, on FRIDAY, the 20th inst, consider Tenders for the supply of the several articles classed under the head of **PROVISIONS AND NECESSARIES**; and on FRIDAY, the 27th inst, for the supply of **CLOTHING MATERIALS, and ESTABLISHMENT REQUISITES.** Lists of the articles required, forms of Tender, and other necessary information regarding the terms and conditions of contract can be had on application to **THOMAS STACK, Clerk of Union.** Office, Workhouse, 7th Sept. 1867.

Signed,

*Thomas Stack*  
Clerk of the Union

Population in 1861— 50,821— *Galway* Present Net Annual Value, £65,485.  
STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of *Sept* 1867.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building as 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, . . . . .	876	345														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	222	77														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	44	11														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
Total, . . . . .	1082	433														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			29	69	53	97	43	37	31	55	28	440	In Workhouse Hospital, 138	In separate Wards, 4		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			2	4	4	5	1	3	1			20	In Fever Hospital, 11	In Wards with other inmates, 7		
TOTAL, . . . . .			29	73	57	102	44	40	32	55	28	460	Total, 149	Total, 11		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			8	4	1	2	3	2		1	3	24				
Died, . . . . .						1	2					3				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			8	4	2	4	3	2		1	3	27				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			21	69	55	98	41	38	32	54	25	433				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of *Sept* 1867, 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.	1	8			1	8	Be-ford.						
No. II.	1	1			1	1	No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.	6	8			6	8	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
<i>Gal</i> Tot. for wd.	8	17			8	17	Totals.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Friday* the 20<sup>th</sup> day of *Sept* 1867.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Pierce Joyce*  
Other Guardians:—  
*John Kedington Sr., J. Gell, P. Dowley, J. J. Leahy, E. D. Burke, G. Proctor, R. Blake, J. J. Leahy, Capt. O'Hara, W. P. Lambert, J. Campbell, F. Blake, Robt. Stephens, J. L. Conyn, M. Fallon, A. W. Blake, J. H. Blake, J. Davis*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Warehouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4358 to No. 4378 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, . . . . . £ 3 . . . . :

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was, £415 : 4 : 8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Lodgements made of Peates 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.
Wm Kelly	Subway North	18	19	6				44	2				
"	" South	16	3	7				37	14	1			
"	" East	16	2					205	7	4			
"	" West	2	5	3				46	17	3			
"	Ballinacorney									3			
"	Barna	1	9	4						1	4		
"	Carronbrownne		6	6									
					55	6	2				383	19	3
Wm Young											1	6	11
					55	6	2				385	6	2

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 60 s. 12 d. 9

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 55 : 5 : 7

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 2 : 4 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary, : 3 : 6

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, : 5 : 7 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:

2200 lb Bread	13.15.0	18 Beef Heads	1.11.6
59 1/2 lb Meat (off's)	1.3.7	32 lbs Mince	2.5.4
170 3/4 lb Meat (Hosp's)	3.11.2	8 Bot. Brandy	1.5.4
2186 qts Milk	14.15.7	6 lb An Root	.4.0
1 ct Salt	.1.4	15 lb Tobacco	.3.6
14 lb Tea	1.10.4	1 Ton Coals	1.3.0
48 lb Sugar	.17.0	50 Boxes Inf.	2.15.3
8 lb L. Sugar	.4.0	6 lb Candles	.3.0
4 lb Corn Flour	.2.0	70 lb Soap	17.6
134 Eggs	.8.5		
1/2 Pint Porter	1.0.6		

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 Sept 1867, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	1.0.6
In kind,	-	-	-	-
Total,	-	-	-	1.0.6

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 Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	H. Cullen	2.0.0				dit. for d.					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.	P. Morris	1.0.0				No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Total		3.0.0				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.

5

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

2. Establishment Account.

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5

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
Synch. Master, to buy Potatoes	5	..	.

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:

Medical Officers Reports -

Workhouse - Admitted during the week	8
Discharged	8
Died	1
Remaining	137

Fever Hospital -

Admitted during the week	2
Discharged	2
Died	1
Remaining	11

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

That the food and other necessaries supplied during the week were of good quality -

That he purchased last Saturday at market 280<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> stone of Potatoes at 3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> per stone.

That a suit of clothes is required for a child born in the Workhouse, whose mother requires her discharge. (Ordered)

That the father of a girl named Griffin who died in the Fever Hospital on the 18<sup>th</sup> instant applied at 11 o'clock p.m. for her remains to be brought home to "wake", and that he refused to give the body - (Approved)

Required - 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> Pounds, legal. Colza oil, 13<sup>lb</sup> White Lead, 3 Bot. Lemonade, 4 Barrels Lime - (Ordered)

Stationer's Report.

Clothing made during the week -

20 Boys' Shirts -

Repaired - 25 Shirts, 20 Men's Shirts -

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

Order dated 16<sup>th</sup> September, 1867, for an election of a Guardian for the Electoral Division of Cloughmore -

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

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, dated 16<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1867, No. 23031/67, forwarding copy of an Order for an Election of a Guardian for the Electoral Division of Cloughmore -

Read Letter from Peter Jones and Son of Dublin, offering American Preserved Inoculated Beef at a cost of 33/- per bale, or 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> per lb.

Read Letter from Mrs. Ellen Sweeney, respecting the alleged damage to her great bags in the Workhouse.

It was proposed to allow her £1 as compensation for the damage -

An amendment to fix the compensation at 10/- was carried by a majority of 10 to 7 -

Read Letter from Hon. Sec. to the Flax Extension Association formed at Belfast, enclosing copy of a circular showing the objects of the Association, and a copy of the Rules framed for its management -

Read Letter from Secretaries to Joint Flax Committee, dated 14<sup>th</sup> Sept., stating that the Committee have come to the unanimous decision that the continued employment of a Flax Instructor in this Union is not advisable -

Resolved. That this letter does not state a single ground for the decision of the Committee, nor any reason why Galway Union should not participate in the benefit of the grant made by Parliament for the employment of Flax Instructors - That the attention of the Committee be directed to the Circular of the Belfast Flax Association, and to the fact of the erection of a new scutch-mill in Galway, and to the nearly completed state of the Galway Bag Factory - That the Clerk write accordingly to the Secretaries, and request that the Committee will reconsider its decision -

Report of Retiring Officer Flanagan - That he has been served with 12 notices of eviction of parties from premises in Dismore S.D. the property of the Dighty family - The notices relate to 17 defendants whose united families number 70 persons -

Ordered - That Sarah Lydon get the clothing of her husband, John Lydon, and that Pat Harty get the clothing of his wife Betty Harty, deceased inmate of the W.K.H. -

Ordered. That 15/- be allowed for the purchase of clothing for Pat Doherty, to enable him to leave the Workhouse and go to service -

An estimate of new rates for year ending 29<sup>th</sup> Sept., 1868, was laid before the Board by the Clerk.

The Board resolved not to pay one-half the cost of medical officers' salaries and medicines, and the whole of the salaries of Workhouse Teachers.

The estimated poundage rates were proportionately reduced, it being agreed to fix the rate on Galway E.D. at 3/0 in the Pound.

	Estimated Poundage	Rate agreed to
Amaghdown	1.2	1.0
Anglin	1.1 1/2	1.0
Balbinaconby	1.2 3/4	1.1
Balbrinkyle	1.1	1.0
Barna	2.1 3/4	2.0
Bellville	1.1 3/4	1.0
Carrmore	1.0 3/4	1.0
Carrabronne	1.3 3/4	1.2
Claregalway	1.4 3/4	1.3

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	-
Ditto disallowed	-	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	11
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	10
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	"
The number of other applicants in the relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	"
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	-	4

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.)

	Estimated Poundage	Rate agreed to
Clarebridge	1.0 3/4	1.1
Deerpark	1.2 3/4	1.1
Furbough	1.7 3/4	1.4
Galway	3.4 3/4	3.0
Inishmore	2.5 1/2	1.9
Kilcommon	1.8	1.4
Killannin	1.8	1.4
Lackaghbeg	1.2 3/4	1.1
Lisconnor	0.10 3/4	1.0
Liskenwatha	1.0	1.0
Magouther	2.0	1.8
Drummore	1.11	1.0
Selma	2.4	2.0
Shivomeena	1.8	1.4
Spiddal	1.10	1.0
Strathally	1.10 3/4	1.0
Sublohyne	1.8	1.4

Resolved - That the Clerk proceed to prepare the rate books with as little as possible, and that he be allowed a sum of £10 to enable him to procure assistance therefor, to which the Board request the sanction of the Comptrol.

Resolved - That the Clerk advertise for Collectors of the new rate, to be appointed on the 11<sup>th</sup> prox. on the same terms as last year.

Resolved - That the Treasurer of the Union be applied to for permission to over-draw the Guardians' account to any extent that may be required, not exceeding £1000.

The following Contracts for supplies of provisions, &c. for 12 months from 29<sup>th</sup> inst. were declared.

Thos. Keams	Keams' butment	£14.0.0 per Ton
John Morris	White Bread	" " 7 @ 40 Loaf
James Johnson	W. Lynn, Beef & Mutton	" " 4 1/2 @ lb
D <sup>o</sup>	" " " (without bone)	" " 5 @ lb
D <sup>o</sup>	" " Beves' Heads	" " 1.10 Each
Dennis Lynch	New Milk. 10 Gals. a day	" " 6 1/2 @ gallon
Thomas Hughes	" " 12 Gals. daily	" " 6 1/2 "
Michael Hughes	" " 10 Gals. daily	" " 6 1/2 "
John Curran	" " 12 Gals. daily	" " 6 1/2 "
Charles Cottingham	" " 10 Gals. daily	" " 6 1/2 "
Thos. Collieran	" " 10 Gals. daily	" " 6 1/2 "
John Morris	" " 62 Gals. daily	" " 6 1/2 "
D <sup>o</sup>	Dipped Candles	" " 6 @ lb
D <sup>o</sup>	Eggs	" " 9 @ Doz
Jas. McManus	Black Tea	" " 2.0 @ lb
D <sup>o</sup>	Soft Sugar	" " 1.16.6 @ cwt
D <sup>o</sup>	Lump Sugar	" " 5 1/2 @ lb
D <sup>o</sup>	W. B. Pepper	" " 5 @ lb
D <sup>o</sup>	Malaga Wine	" " 1.4 @ Bot.
James J. Flynn	Corn Flour	" " 5 1/2 @ lb
D <sup>o</sup>	Port Wine	" " 1.4 @ Pint
D <sup>o</sup>	Claret	" " 1.2 @ Bot
D <sup>o</sup>	French Brandy	" " 3.0 @ Bot.
D <sup>o</sup>	Whiskey - old Malt	" " 1.8 @ Pint
D <sup>o</sup>	Irish Brown Soap	" " 6.0 @ cwt
D <sup>o</sup>	Wax Candles	" " 11 @ lb
D <sup>o</sup>	Starch	" " 3 1/2 @ lb

John Semhan, Rice £11.16.6 per cwt  
 " Arrow Root " 6 1/2 @ lb  
 " Salt " 1.3 1/2 @ cwt  
 " W. Soda " 8.6 1/2 @ cwt  
 Thomas Linn Biscuit " 1.0 3/4 @ Bot  
 " Surf " 1.0 3/4 @ Bot  
 - Every article to be of Best quality -

Ordered. That the Clerk advertise again for tenders for the supply of Indian Meal.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 27<sup>th</sup> day of September 1867.

Thomas Stack  
 Clerk of the Union.  
 (Chairman)  
 James Davis

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1867  
 (Signed) \_\_\_\_\_  
 Clerk of the Union

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(No. 27.)

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway UNION,  
on Fri day, the 20<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 1867.—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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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

Received. Report of 115 Cases of Successful Vaccination performed by D. Connor in the Spiddal Dispensary District. The Report was initiated by A. W. Blake Esq., Chairman of the Dispensary Committee.

D. Connor presented a bill of 5/- for Carbine from his own District to Dr. Freely to borrow sundrily instruments. (Payment refused.)

Wm Joyce  
Joseph Freely  
James Davis

(Signed)

Thomas Stack  
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1861—50821

Present Net Annual Value, £ 657,855

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 21 day of Sept 1867.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each case.	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, . . . . .	876	338												
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	222	87												
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .	744	9												
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .														
Total, . . . . .	1082	434												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			21	19	55	98	41	38	32	54	25	433	In Work-house Hospital, 130	In separate Wards, 4
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			3	3	1	4	1	4	2	1	19	19	In Fever Hospital, 9	In Wards with other Inmates, 8
TOTAL, . . . . .			24	22	56	102	42	42	36	56	26	452	Total, 144	Total, 12
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			1	3	4	2			1	4	1	16		
Died, . . . . .						1	1					2		
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			1	3	4	3	1	1	1	4	1	18		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			23	19	52	99	41	38	35	52	25	434		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 21 day of Sept 1867, 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.	2	9			2	9	Do. forward.						
No. II.	1	1			1	1	No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.	1	1			1	1	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	7	13			7	13	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Total	11	24			11	24	Total						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 27th day of Sept 1867.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Pierce Joyce Esq.  
Other Guardians:— John Harrison, Thos. Coakman,  
Joseph Freely, James Fahy, James Davis,  
J. W. Lynch, M. J. O'Leary.

Dr. Bowie, P. L. J., attended.  
Dr. Ryan, Medical Inspector, also attended.  
The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 9364 to No. 9390 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:

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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 . . . . . + £ 56 : 6 : 2

Paid during the week . . . . . £ 4 : 4 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £ 467 : 6 : 10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

+ including £1 per Clerk for Relief by way of loan.

The Lodgements 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, £ 10 s. 3 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 55 : 5 : 2

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, £ : 3 : 8 1/2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, £ : 5 : 9 3/4

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:

2400 lb Bread	17.10.0	20 ph P. Wine	1.6.8
63 lb Meat (Hosp.)	1.4.11	4 Bot Brandy	12.0
18 Reef Heads	1.11.6	15 Oz Tobacco	3.4
17 1/2 lb Meat (Hosp.)	3.14.0	1 St. John	
2140 qts Milk	14.10.6	6 lb Candles	3.0
16 lb Tea	1.12.0	70 lb Soap	16.3
56 lb Sugar	18.3		
10 lb L. Sugar	4.7		
6 lb Corn Flour	2.9		
133 Eggs	8.4		
1/2 ph Porter	1.0.6		

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 27 day of Sept 1867, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	-	£	1.9.9
In kind,	-	-	-	-		
Total,	-	-	-	-	£	1.9.9

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

Credit Treasurer with 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.

17/1 Gerard J. Stack, Schoolmaster,  
Salary to 24<sup>th</sup> Oct. 1867 } 6 16 0

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

3. Warehouse Invoices Account.

£ s. d.

£	s.	d.
[Large scribble]		

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

£	s.	d.
[Large scribble]		

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:

[Large scribble]

Hospital Reports -  
Workhouse -

Admitted during the week - 10  
 Discharged - 13  
 Died - 2  
 Remaining in Hospital - 132

"This Hospital is in a most satisfactory state."  
"A. Colahane"

Fever Hospital -

N. under treatment - 11

"I am happy to be able to report as to the sanitary and satisfactory state of the Hospital. I have discharged one of the nurses. I will greatly thank the guardians to allow me two weeks leave of absence. Dr. F. Fealy will kindly take charge of the Hospital." "A. Colahane"  
 (Leave granted)

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

That the provisions and other necessaries supplied during the week were of good quality.

That he requests the Board will say whether he is to commence the use of Coals after the 29<sup>th</sup> inst. -  
 Order - Use Coals at the rate of 4 tons per week.

That he could not procure Potatoes within the price fixed by the Board, and has not cashed the last Cheque he has received for the purpose -  
 Ordered -

1 Bot Inalaya Wine - 2 lb Max Candles, 12 wall books -  
 100. 20<sup>d</sup> and 100. 12<sup>d</sup> nails. 1 gross of Stubs -  
 73 diamond panes of glass - 1 pane @ 2/-

Stationer's Report

Clothing made - 16 Boys' Shirts -  
 " repaired - 20 Shirts +  
 20 Boys' Shirts -

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

No 23711/1867 }  
20<sup>th</sup> Sept. } Stating in reply to Clerk's letter of 16<sup>th</sup> inst. that as the sum remitted in aid of the medical and educational expenses of the current half year is less than the amount of expenditure, the Credit under each head must be proportionately reduced.

No 20196/1867 }  
26<sup>th</sup> Sept } Requesting Clerk to return the letter of the Rev. Mr. Henry which accompanied the Comm<sup>rs</sup> Letter of the 8<sup>th</sup> ultimo.

No 24124/67 }  
26<sup>th</sup> Sept } Forwarding questions for answers to be signed by Clerk and the persons who may be appointed as Collectors of Poor Rates in the Unions -

No 24124/1867 }  
26<sup>th</sup> Sept - } Expressing their sanction of the proposed allowance of £10 to the Clerk of the Union to enable him to provide assistance in the preparation of the new Rate Books.

Read Letter from Secretaries to Joint Flax Committee dated 26<sup>th</sup> Sept, acknowledging receipt of Clerk's letter of 25<sup>th</sup> instant, respecting the services of a Flax Instructor in this Union, and stating that it would be laid before the Joint Committee on the 27<sup>th</sup>.

Read Letter from W. J. Dennis, Manager, National Bank Galway, dated 26<sup>th</sup> Sept, stating that the Directors of the Bank have sanctioned an advance of £1000 to the Guardians pending the collection of the new rates -

Read Letter from Dr. Gerard J. Stack, dated 27<sup>th</sup> Sept, tendering his resignation of the Office of Schoolmaster of the Workhouse, in consequence of having been appointed Master of St. Belles Workhouse: requesting permission to leave on Friday, 4<sup>th</sup> proximo, and a cheque for his salary to that date -

Resolved - That the Schoolmaster be allowed to leave on Friday next as requested, and that he be paid his salary. - That the Clerk advertise for a classed Teacher to fill the vacant office, at a salary of £25 a year with rations; the election to take place on this day fortnight.

Read Letter from Mr. James O'Flynn dated 27<sup>th</sup> Sept, stating that he was under a misapprehension regarding the terms of the Contract for the supply of Beef Heads, and therefore declines to enter into

into a bond, but will give the required supply of meat until the Guardians get another Contractor and pay the expense of advertisements.

Ordered - Clerk to advertise for a fresh Contract

Read Letter from Mr. John Lemhan, dated 27<sup>th</sup> Sept., stating that he does not intend to enter into a bond for the supply of the articles for which he was declared Contractor at last Meeting -

Ordered - Advertise for a new Contract for these articles.

Mr. Mr. Kearns declined to sign a bond for the supply of oatmeal for 12 months, the period of six months having been specified in his tender -

Resolved - That his tender be accepted for six months and that the Bond be prepared accordingly -

Mr. P. H. Cullen, Returning Officer, reported the receipt of three notices of eviction of parties from cabins and rooms in the Town of Galway -

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 11

Do. ditto dismissed " "

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 13

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was 8

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Book received by order of the Guardians was 1

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was 2

The Bonds and other securities in force were read 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.)

Report of Returning Officer Flanagan - (Arrom)

That the Sheriff, attended by Mr. Thompson and his bailiff and the Constabulary, took up possession from the several persons against whom ejectment decrees had been obtained, as stated in his last report; that the parties were allowed to re-enter into possession as caretakers with a view to further arrangements, except the Berry, eight in number, and Patrick Fahey, whose family numbers eight individuals -

Report of Rate Committee -

That since the last Examination of the lists, Mr. Kelly has lodged £55:6:2, making his total collection £4472:5:11 and leaving ~~£315:14:6~~ £383:19:3 uncollected; that the Committee recommend £68:4:9 to be carried forward to the new books, and £315:14:6 to be declared irrecoverable, viz:

Galway North Ward	£71:3:6
" South Ward	£31:4:0
" East Ward	£169:0:8
" West Ward	£44:4:9
Ballintemple	£315:12:11
Barna	3
	1:4

(Order - Report adopted) £315:14:6

The consideration of the subject of the deficiency in the stock of meal and the provision of bread made of equal parts of oatmeal and Indian meal was further adjourned to Friday next; and the Clerk was directed to take stock of the meal in store on the 20<sup>th</sup> inst. and to ascertain how much, if any, has been supplied by the Contractor in excess of the Board's Orders -

Members Present - Joseph Grealy and James Davis

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Contracts -

There being only one tender for the supply of Indian Meal, the Clerk was directed to advertise again for that article with a view to induce further competition -

The tender of John McDermott to supply all books, forms and printing of every kind required for the service of the Union for year ending 29<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1868. and to publish the Union advertisements in the Galway Express Newspaper, for the sum of £75. was accepted, provided that Mr McDermott shall have the advertisements <sup>inserted</sup> in a newspaper published in Galway on Wednesdays as well as Saturdays.

P. A. Leslie & Co were declared Contractors for the supply of Medicines and Medical & Surgical appliances for one year, at the prices set forth in their tender -

Clery & Co.	Coarse	1.3 per yard
"	Plain Linsey Woollen	1.2 " "
"	Bengal Stripe	9/2 " "
"	Thilled Sheetting Calico	1.4 " "
"	Sheetting Calico	7/2 " "
"	Lining Do	27/8 " "
"	Shirting Do	2 1/2 " "
"	Blankets	2.0 1/2 per lb

C. Neill & Sons	Bed Tickens 4/4	8 1/2 per yard
"	Do 8/4	1.5 " "
"	Woolen Rugs	6.0 each

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

day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186

(Signed)

Chairman of the Union

Marie Collins	Fringe	4.2 per yard
"	Push Flannel	1.5 " "
"	Linsey Woollen	1.3 1/2 " "
E. W. Burke & Son	Check	9 3/4 per yard

Resolved - That an adjourned meeting of the Board be held on Saturday next, at one o'clock, to dispose of the remaining tenders for Establishment Necessaries, &c -

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Monday, the 30<sup>th</sup> September, 1867.

Thomas Stack  
Clerk of Union

Richard Linnell  
Chairman  
Joseph Grealy  
Edward Whelan

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway UNION,  
on Friday, the 27<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 1867.—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 Drumore  
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a  
Procurement from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon  
as follows:

Ordered = to be forwarded to Contractor,  
with instructions to supply -

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the Leitrimore  
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of 13 Sept  
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to  
forward the same ~~as 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 Drumore  
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were  
ordered to be supplied:

1/2 Doz, Coals, 7 Boxes Ink,  
2 gr, Foolscap, 25 envelopes,  
1 Box, Steel pens, 1 gr blotting paper  
1 jar Ink, 7 lb Soap.

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

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

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

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

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

[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 \_\_\_\_\_

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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 Poor Law Comm<sup>rs</sup> to 24286/dated 26<sup>th</sup> Sept 1867  
Noting that

Enclosing a copy of a letter which the Comm<sup>rs</sup> have to Dr. Conolly, the Medical Officer of Inogen New Dispensary District drawing his attention to the subject of his residence, and to the neglect of vaccination as reported by Dr. Roughan -

Read Letter from Poor Law Comm<sup>rs</sup> dated 26<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1867, N<sup>o</sup> 24287, forwarding copies of Letters which they have addressed to the Medical Officers of Galway and Inverloughmore Dispensary Districts, regarding the neglect of the provisions of the Compulsory Vaccination Act in those Districts; and drawing attention to the duty devolved on the Guardians by the 13<sup>th</sup> Sec. of the Act. Ordered. Clerk to call on Doctors Conidine & Duggan to furnish lists of defaulters by Friday next -

Received - Report of 124 Cases of successful Vaccination by Dr. Conidine in the Galway Dispensary District from 20<sup>th</sup> April to 24<sup>th</sup> June, 1867 - (The Report was submitted to the Disch<sup>y</sup>. Committee)

Dr. Roughan, Medical Inspector, drew the attention of the Board to the Comm<sup>rs</sup> Letter of 25<sup>th</sup> July last, N<sup>o</sup> 19213, regarding the Arran Dispensary Notice Board, and an order was made to have the inscription renewed -

Richard Lambert  
Signed, Thomas Stack  
Clerk of the Union.

Galway

Population in 1861 - 50821

Present Net Annual Value, £65485

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186

Table with columns for accommodation, age groups, and return of sick and lunatics. Includes rows for Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, etc., and a summary section for 'RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS'.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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. XVII and a Total row.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Monday the 30<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 1867.

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Revington Esq. J.P.C.  
Other Guardians: - James Davis, P. J. Leahy, Jos. Leahy, John Harrison, James Fahy, Dr. Brodie, P. L. J., attended.

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, . . . . . £ : :

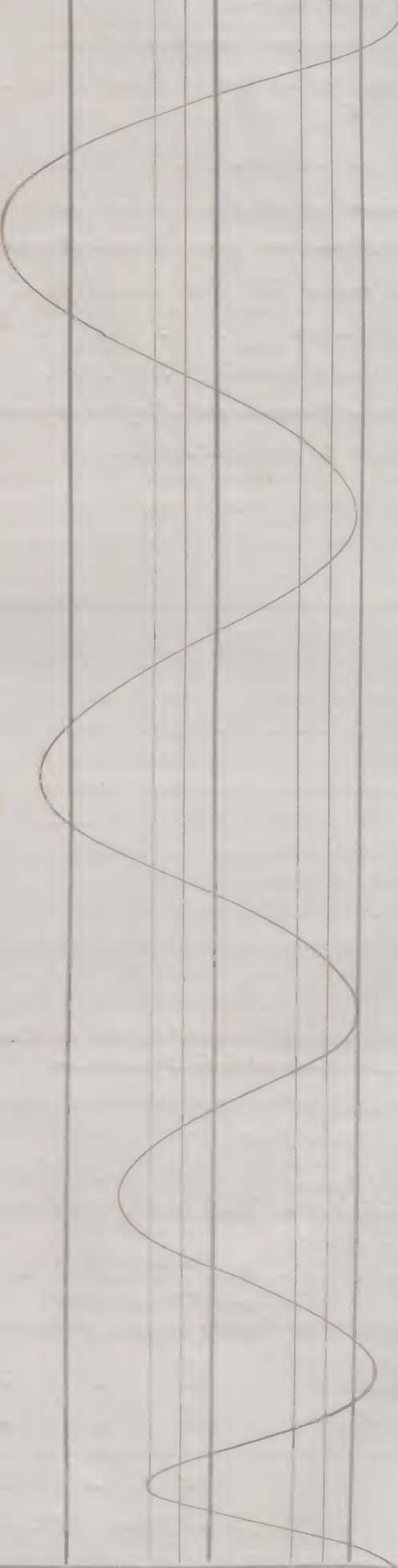
And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was, £ : :

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 Lodgements 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.

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

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

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

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

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was \_\_\_\_\_ : \_\_\_\_\_ :

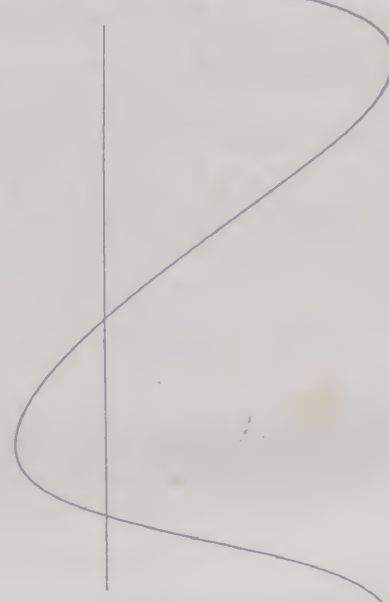
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average Cost in Infirmary, \_\_\_\_\_ : \_\_\_\_\_ :

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, \_\_\_\_\_ : \_\_\_\_\_ :

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



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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186\_\_\_\_, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was \_\_\_\_\_ £ \_\_\_\_\_ 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 Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value.
No. I.						Bt. forwd.					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forwd.						Total.					

Credit Treasurer with 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.

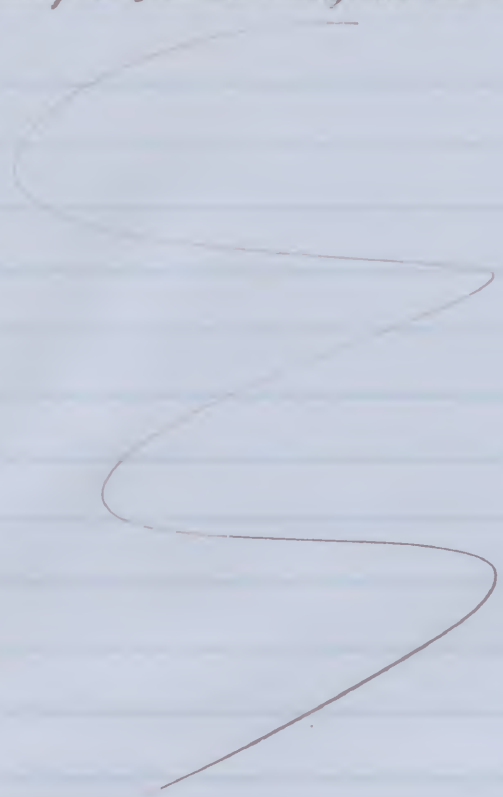
2. Establishment Account.

_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____
_____	_____	_____	_____

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:



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 Letter from Mr. John McDonnell, dated 30<sup>th</sup> Sept., 1867, declining to accept the Printing Contract with the condition attached by the Board on Friday last, vizt that the Union advertisements shall be published in a Galway newspaper issued on Wednesdays as well as Saturdays.

The consideration of the question was referred to next Friday's meeting of the Board.

In accordance with the resolution passed on Friday, the 27<sup>th</sup> instant, the Board proceeded to the consideration of the tenders remaining undisposed of, and the following Contracts were declared: -



Booke & Connor	Minis Caps	1.2 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub> each
Clegg & Co	Boys Caps	.72 "
Do	Check (45 <sup>th</sup> )	1.1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> per yard
William Daniel	Housewife Thread	2.6 per lb
Do	Tape - Broad	4.0 per doz P. <sup>s</sup>
Do	Tape - Narrow	2.6 " "
Henry Dwyer	Bone Studs	" 6 per gross
Do	Combs (Coarse)	1.8 per doz
Do	Iron Spoons	9.0 per gross
Do	Twine	1.0 per lb
Pat <sup>h</sup> Fleming	Shoemakers Thread	1.10 per lb
Do	Best Kids butts	3.0 " "
Do	" Insok Belhies	1.1 " "
Do	" Brugue Skit	1.10 " "
Do	" Dublin Sole Leather	1.10 " "
Do	Shoe Nails	1.10 per thousand
Do	Iron Nails	" 6 per doz
George Rutledge	Swapping Brushes	22.0 " "
Do	Scouring Do	25.0 " "
Do	Whitewash Do	34.0 " "
Do	Iron Spoons No 1	4.6 " gross
Do	Do No 2	10.0 " gross
Do	4 <sup>o</sup> Nails	1.6 " thousand
Do	6 <sup>o</sup> Nails	2.0 " Do
Do	8 <sup>o</sup> Nails	2.10 " Do
Do	12 <sup>o</sup> Nails	4.0 " Do
Do	20 <sup>o</sup> Nails	6.0 " Do
Do	2 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>6</sub> Nails	10.0 " Do
Do	Combs (Fine)	" 10 " Dozen
Do	Colza Oil	4.4 " gallon
Do	Lampblack	" 3 " lb
Do	Sweet Oil	4.4 " gallon
Michael Cluherky	Black Lead Brushes	1.8 " set of 3
Do	Bass Brooms	1.8 each
Do	Prepared Paint	" 4 per lb
Do	Portland Cement	" 8 per Stone
Do	Black Lead	" 4 per lb
Do	White Lead	" 4 per lb
Do	Prepared Oil	4.0 per gal

Pat <sup>h</sup> Greene	3m Platters	Large	4.0 per doz
Do.	Do	Small	2.0 Do
Do	3m Quarts		3.0 Do
Do	3m Pints		2.6 Do
e Michael Crawford	Coffins		" 8 per lineal foot
e Mechl. Higgins	Heath Brushes		1.0 per dozen
Pat <sup>h</sup> Doherty	Water Buckets		2.6 each
Do	Milk "		3.0 "
Do	Hone "		5.0 "
Do	Washing Tubs - 16 gal		5.0 "
Do	Do 18 gal		6.0 "
Do	Repair of Tubs & Buckets		.5 "
Wm Luning	Glazing - Diamond Pans		.12 "
Do	" Square Pans		.3 "
Do	" Do (Four top)		.9 "
Thomas Bennett	Repair of Plumbers Work		8.0.0 Year
J. & J. McLoughlin	Repair of Roofs &c		6.0.0 Year
Pat <sup>h</sup> Owens	Swapping Chimneys		3.0.0 Year
Matthew Clayton	Stationery - as per Tender and Samples -		

Ordered - That the Clerk advertise again for tenders for the supply of Stumps.

Richard Lumber  
Joseph Grealy  
James J. S.M.

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was -  
 Ditto disallowed -  
 The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was -  
 The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was -  
 Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians -  
 The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was -  
 The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered 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 *Friday* the *4<sup>th</sup>*  
day of *October* 186*7*  
(Signed) *Thomas Mack*  
*Clerk of the Union.*

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District,	.....	£
_____ 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 Proclaim 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.)

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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

Population in 1861— 50821

Present Net Annual Value, £ 65205

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 20 day of Sept 1867.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	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,	816	335												
Temporary Buildings,	222	88												
Additional Workhouse,														
Permanent Fever Hospital,	144	16												
Fever Sheds,														
Total,	1082	439												
Remainng on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			23	69	62	99	41	38	35	52	25	73	In Workhouse Hospital, 130	In separate Wards with other Inmates, 4
Admitted during the Week.			6	3	5	5	3			3	2	27	In Hospital, 16	Total, 8
TOTAL,			29	72	57	104	44	38	35	55	27	46	Total, 146	Total, 12
Discharged during the Week.			6	5	3	1	2			1		2		
Died,												2		
Total Discharged and Dead.			6	5	3	1	2			1		2		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			23	67	52	103	42	38	34	55	25	43		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20 day of Sept 1867, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		
No. I.	1	8			1	8	No. X.						
No. II.	1	1			1	1	No. XI.						
No. III.							No. XII.						
No. IV.							No. XIII.						
No. V.	1	1			1	1	No. XIV.						
No. VI.	6	7			6	7	No. XV.						
No. VII.							No. XVI.						
No. VIII.							No. XVII.						
No. IX.													
Car. forw'd.	9	17			9	17	TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 4 day of October 1867.

PRESENT: In the Chair. Capt Richard Lambert, J.P.  
 Other Guardians:—  
Joseph Freely, James Campbell, John Harrison,  
E.D. Burke, Pat. J. Freely, Thos. Kyme,  
Robt. Stephens, Isaac B. Daly, W.M. Farrell,  
Dr. Birkie, Gov. Lane Inspr., attended—

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

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 9341 to No. 9440 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:

That on Saturday, the 20<sup>th</sup> ultimo, he found in the Master's store, in baked bread and meal, 85 lbs Oatmeal and 176 lbs of Indian meal, showing a deficiency of 2764 lbs of the former and 4405 lbs of the latter. That the deficiency includes 15 cwt of Oatmeal and one ton of Indian meal received by the Master in excess of the Board's orders, which the Master has debited himself with in the Division Account for the 29<sup>th</sup> September. That those quantities of Oatmeal and Indian meal are charged in the account presented by the Contractor for payment this day.

(It was agreed to sign supplemental orders for the extra delivery and to pay the Contractor's account. No order was made regarding the deficiency in the Stock which should be in the Master's hands.)

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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 . . . . . £ 1 : 8 : 0

Paid during the week, . . . . . £ 11 : 16 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £456 : 10 : 10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

+ Repayment of Relief per R. V. Ludden

The Lodgements 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, £ 48 s. 8 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 53 : 18 : 8

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 2 : 4 1/2

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

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, : 4 : 5 1/2

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined,

and orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

248 lb Bread	18 : 1 : 8	20 lb P. Wine	1 : 6 : 8
10 lb L. Sugar	4 : 4 : 7	3 lb Brandy	9 : 0
1 lb M. Saffron	14 : 0 : 0	15 lb Mace	3 : 4
1 lb Ind. Meal		5 Buns Inf	5 : 4
1 ct Salt		8 lb Candles	4 : 0
16 lb Tea	1 : 12 : 0	70 lb Soap	16 : 3
49 lb Sugar	16 : 0	4 St. N. Soda	
8 lb Corn Flour	3 : 8	2180 qts Milk - (1/2 28 Sept.)	14 : 15 : 0
1 ct Rice		304 qts Milk - (29 Sept.)	2 : 1 : 3
4 lb Pepper	1 : 8	12 lb Meat (offn) 21 to 29 Sept.	2 : 9 : 10
1/2 lb Butter	0 : 6	190 3/4 lb Meat (Hosp)	3 : 19 : 1
		2 1/2 lb Eggs	9 : 0

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 20 day of Sept 1867, 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.

Suppl. orders - 10 lb Soap Sugar - 1 lb Soft Soap - 1 lb 15 cut. Butter - £ 9 : 7 : 6 - 1 lb 5 cut. Sugar - £ 8 : 7 : 6

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 Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.						Re- forwd.					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.	P. Morris	20	0		230	No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Cash paid		20	0			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:

	Michael O'Malley, Clothing Account	£ 6	18	4
	Establishment Acct			
173	Rev <sup>d</sup> Peter Dooley, R. C. Chaplain, Salary to 29 Sept.	21	5	
172	Rev <sup>d</sup> Dr. Treanor, Prot. Chaplain,	6	5	
174	Thos. Stack, Clerk	27	10	
175	Dr. J. Lynch, Master	15		
176	Mary Connors, Matron	7	10	
	Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.			
	2. Establishment Disbursements.			
177	Mary O'Shaughnessy, Schoolmistress	5		
178	John Cleland, Medical Off <sup>r</sup>	22	10	
179	A. Colahan, D <sup>o</sup>	22	10	
180	R. A. England, Apothecary	17	10	
181	Pat <sup>r</sup> Larkin, W <sup>o</sup> Porter	3		
182	J. Macklin, Infy Nurse	7	10	
183	Eliz. Hogan, Asst D <sup>o</sup>	3	15	
184	Sabina Ryan, D <sup>o</sup>	3	15	
185	Anne Fletcher, F. Hosp. Nurse	3	15	
186	Terence Conyle, Porter	2	10	
187	P. A. Cullen, Relieving Off <sup>r</sup>	10		
188	Wm Gony, D <sup>o</sup>	5		

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.
211	John Morris	Bread to 29 Sept	59	7	67
	do	Milk	32	5	3
	do	Combs &c		17	8
212	Jas. Sullivan	Meat	27	2	11
213	Ellen Sweeney	Meat	38	12	6
214	Thos. Hughes	Milk	8	16	8
215	Thos. Lorie	Milk	11	15	9
216	Jas. Curran	Milk	7	17	1
217	Jas. Lemhan	Tea &c	7	2	4
218	J. J. Fynn	Rice &c	9	9	11
219	Dr. C. O'Hanrahan	Coals	12	1	6
220	M. O'Malley	Turf	12	3	
221	Gas Company	Gas - 1 m. to P. Oct	4	15	9

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account. (Contd)

			£	s.	d.
189	P. Cullinan	Returning off. to 29 Sept	5		
190	M. Griffin	do	5		
191	P. Morris	do	5		
192	Dr. O'Hanrahan	do	2	10	
223	L. L. Ferdinand	Balance for Printing	38		
224	Thos. Bennett	Plumbers Work	3	12	6
225	Jarquharson & Co	Porter's Clothes	4		

Collection -	198. Wm Kelly	Balance of Pompage Fees	1	7	8
Election. Law. &c	174. Thos Stack	Returning off. - 1/2 m to 29 Sept	5		
	149. do	Preparation of Rate Books	10		
Clerk's Acct -	229. do	Payment of Small Bills	20	15	6

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

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

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

Hospital Reports 7

Fever Hospital - Admitted during the week	6
Discharged	2
Remaining	15
Required - 4 Sweeping Brushes, 4 Seaming Brushes, 1 Bass Broom - 1 dyer's brush (Syna) J. Grealy -	
Ordered - 2 Sweeping Brushes, 2 Seaming Brushes -	

Workhouse Hospital.

Admitted during the week	6
Discharged	6
Died	1
Remaining	131

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

- That the food and other necessaries supplied during the week were of good quality.
- That the first delivery of 20 pints of Port Wine by the new Contractor was deficient in measure by an eighth (1/8) in each pint; that he returned it and got 20 full pints.
- That the quantity of milk required in the House being less than that contracted for, that he has used the supply to be taken from the smaller Contractors at one fourth less than the number of gallons specified in their tenders, respectively, and from Contractor Morris at one-half of the quantity he proposed to supply.
- That 162 diamond and 22 square panes of glass are broken in the Windows of the main House and Hospital; and requesting an Order for repairs.
- Ordered - The glazing and lattice work to be repaired.
- Ordered - 1/2 block tin, 100 scupper nails, 8 buckets to be repaired.



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

No. 109 M/67? Transmitting Forms for the Annual Return of  
28<sup>th</sup> Sept. Officers, Guardians, &c. to be forwarded immediately  
after 1<sup>st</sup> prox. in duplicate -

No. 113. M/67? Specifying the items which are to be included  
20<sup>th</sup> Sept. under the head of medical and educational expenses  
in the form of return forwarded with the Commr's  
Circular of 9<sup>th</sup> August last.

No. 24124/1867? Referring to the tenders accepted by the Board on  
30<sup>th</sup> Sept. the 20<sup>th</sup> Sept for the supply of Port Wine, French  
Brandy, and old malt-Whiskey, and stating that it  
appears to be probable that the articles to be  
supplied on the terms specified will be of  
inferior quality, and requesting the attention of the  
Guardians again to the subject. - That it may be  
well to refer the Medical officer of the Workhouse to  
the matter in reference to his duties under Art. 68 of  
the General Workhouse Regulations -

No. 114 M/67? Requesting a return of particulars  
1<sup>st</sup> Oct. respecting the current rates and any rates  
agreed upon in the Union -

No. 24674/67? Transmitting questions for answers, to be  
3<sup>rd</sup> Oct. signed by Clerk and the person who may be  
appointed Schoolmaster of the Workhouse in  
room of Mr. Stack -

Received from Seshie & Co. Invoice dated 30<sup>th</sup> Sept. of  
a perforated air cushion, - price 10/6 -

Read Letter from Seshie & Co. dated 1<sup>st</sup> Oct., enclosing  
account of medicines supplied during the past  
year, amount £ 287: 10: 5 -

Read Letter dated 4<sup>th</sup> October, signed by 4 Mill  
Contractors, complaining that the Workhouse Master  
will not receive from the full quantity of mill  
they tendered to supply. (See Masters Report.)  
(The Board considered the parties had no cause to  
complain)

Report of P. H. Cullen, Returning Officer - That he  
has received notice of the intended eviction of two  
families from the lands of North Bohernmore, the  
property of Dame Sophia Maria Blake, in the  
town and Electoral Division of Galway -

Ordered. That Mary Jersky get the Clothing of her  
daughter who died in the Workhouse Hospital -

Ordered. That Mary Melia get £2 belonging to her in  
the Guardians hands to enable her to apprentice her  
son to a trade -

Ordered - That £7<sup>2</sup><sup>10</sup> be expended in the purchase of clothing for the child of And. O'Keay born in the Workhouse -

The subject of the contract for printing work was taken into consideration, and it was agreed to accept Mr McDougall's without the condition attached by the Board on the 27<sup>th</sup> ult. inasmuch as it was not specified in the advertisement -

Dr. Purdie, Poor Law Inspector, drew attention to the large quantity of broken glass through the House - The Master was admonished to use more energy in preventing such damage -  
Wm. Clegg

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	-	-	1
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-	4
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	-	9
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	-	8
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	-	4
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	-	1
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	-	-	-	1

The Bonds and other securities in force were read 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.)

Joseph Greal

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* the  
*11<sup>th</sup>* day of *Oct* 186*7*  
(Signed) *Amos Stack*  
*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 Galway UNION,  
on Thu day, the 4<sup>th</sup> day of Oct 1867.—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

	Dispensary District,		
200	Galway	Account of Dr. Coristine	for Salary to 29 Sept. Amount £22.10.0
201	"	Dr. Grealy	" " 22.10.0
202	"	Dr. England	" " 7.10.0
203	Jurloughmore	Dr. Duggan	" " 22.10.0
204	Oranmore	Dr. Hughes	" " 22.10.0
205	Moycullen	Dr. Conolly	" " 17.1.6
210	"	Michl Keaddy	Rent to 29 Sept 3.10.0
206	Spiddal	Dr. Connor	Salary " " 17.10.0
207	"	Denis Dr. Intyre	Rent " " 4.10.0
208	"	Jno. Dillane	Rent " " 2.10.0
209	Arran	Dr. Storey	Salary " " 20.0.0

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

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

District.	£
- Sanitary Expenses -	
Oranmore Dist. - 193. Mr. Young (R.O.) Sanitary Insp. - 1/2 year -	£2.0.0
Jurloughmore - 194. P. Cullinan, Do	2.0.0
Moycullen - 195. M. Griffin, Do	2.0.0
Spiddal - 196. P. Morris, Do	2.0.0
Arran - 197. M. Flanagan, Do	2.0.0

Registration Expenses.

Moycullen Dist. 226	M. Griffin. Fees, gr. to 30 Sept	1.14.6
Spiddal " 227	Dr. Connor, Do	2.18.0
Arran " 228	J. Naughton, Do	1.14.6

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

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter from J. Conventry dated 30<sup>th</sup> Oct. 1867 stating that

the list of persons who have neglected to comply with the provisions of the Compulsory Vaccination requires a good deal of time to do it correctly, and that he cannot have it prepared before the 11<sup>th</sup> instant.

Read Letter from Dr. O'Keefe, dated 30<sup>th</sup> Oct. 1867, forwarding a list of persons who have not complied with the provisions of the Compulsory Vaccination Act in the Jarlathmore Dispensary District, and stating that he will furnish a further list so soon as he can spare time to inspect the Register Book of Births in the Custody of the Superintendent Registrar.

Wm. O'Keefe  
J. J. Grealy  
Patrick Grealy

(Signed)

Thomas Stas  
Clerk of the Union.

Galway UNION.

Population in 1861— 50821

Present Net Annual Value, £ 15. 485

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 5<sup>th</sup> day of Oct. 1867.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	So 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, . . . . .	816	337														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	222	87														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .	444	10														
Fever Hospital, . . . . .	—	—														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .	—	—														
Total, . . . . .	1482															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			23	67	52	103	42	38	84	53	25	439	In Workhouse Hospital, 127	In separate Wards, 4		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			4	4	2	1	2	1			1	15	In Fever Hospital, 10	In Wards with other inmates, 9		
TOTAL, . . . . .			27	71	54	104	44	39	84	53	26	454	Total, 137	Total, 13		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			6	5	1	7	1	1			1	18				
Died, . . . . .						2						2				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			6	5	1	9	1	1			1	20				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			26	66	57	97	43	38	33	55	25	434				

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 Oct. 1867, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		
No. I.	1	8			1	8	Rel. found.						
No. II.	1	1			1	1	No. X.						
No. III.	1	1			1	1	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.	1	1			1	1	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	4	4			4	4	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Rel. found.	8	15			8	15	Found.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Friday the 11<sup>th</sup> day of October 1867.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Wm. Joyce Esq.  
Other Guardians:—  
E. D. Burke, M. J. Ryan, J. Gill, P. Doolan, J. Redington Jr., P. J. Grealy, J. E. Lambert, Jas. Grealy, J. Redington Sr., Jas. Davis, Tho. Kyme, M. Fallon, B. O'Riordan, J. A. Blake, J. B. Daly, Jas. Campbell, A. W. Blake, R. Stephens, J. W. Lynch.

Dr. Brodie, Poor Law Inspector, attended.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Galway County Council





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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 27 5 s. 15 d. 11

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . . £ 57 : 14 : 6

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . . . : 2 : 6

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

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, . . . . . : 4 : 11 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:

2500 lb Brand	18 4 7	18 pts. P. Wine	1 4 0
(suppl. 1000) 120 lb D.	17 6	4 lb A. Root	2 4
19 48 qts Milk	13 3 9	150 lb Tobacco	3 4
15 lb Tea	1 10 0	1 St Flour	2 10
42 lb Sugar	13 8	5 Boxes Turf	5 4
10 lb S. Sugar	4 7	8 lb Candles	4 0
6 lb Corn Flour	2 9	70 lb Soap	16 3
12 Beef Heads	1 2 0	1 lb Starch	3 2
13 1/2 lb Ass's Meat	2 18 2		
96 Eggs	6 0		

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 5 day of Oct 1867, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	-	£ 1 . 1 . 6
In kind,	-	-	-	-	
Total,	-	-	-	-	£ 1 . 1 . 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 Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.						Bt. forwd.					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forwd.						Total.					

Credit Treasurer with 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.
1	Lynch. Master. Aram	3	.	.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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



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

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

From Poor Law Comm<sup>rs</sup>

No. 24443/1867 } Forwarding the Returning Officer's account of  
4<sup>th</sup> Oct. } expenses attending the election of a guardian  
for the Electoral Division of Hythorn, amounting  
to £0:8:0, for payment by the Board of Guardians.

No. 24723/1867 } Forwarding a letter which the Comm<sup>rs</sup> have  
8<sup>th</sup> Oct. } received from Mr. Wm. Young, Returning Officer,  
relating to a fine imposed on him for non-  
attendance as a juror at the last felony  
assizes, together with a copy of their reply.

No. 25343/1867 } Referring to the report on Minutes of 4<sup>th</sup>  
10<sup>th</sup> Oct. } instant of certain deficiencies in the stock  
of Oatmeal and Indian Meal in the hands of  
the Workhouse Master, and suggesting the  
propriety of calling upon the Overseer for  
an explanation in writing as to the cause  
of the deficiencies alluded to.

with

with all particulars relating thereto -  
Ordered - That the Overseer furnish an explanation  
in writing on next day of meeting -

Read Letter from General Valuation Office, dated 10<sup>th</sup>  
October, relating to the annual revision of  
the Valuation -

Ordered - That notice of same be given by hand bills  
posted through the Unions -

Read Letter from Mr. John I. Pierce, dated 10<sup>th</sup> Oct.  
requesting the Board of Guardians to direct  
that the Coals now using in the Workhouse  
be taken from the 100 tons he has stored  
for the Guardians, and that the coals in the  
Workhouse stores be not drawn upon until  
these 100 tons be consumed -

Order - Mr. Pierce's request is acceded to -

The following letter was read and ordered to be inserted  
on the Minutes:

College House  
Salway, 11<sup>th</sup> Oct. 1867.

Gentlemen, I beg to inform you that I have forwarded  
on yesterday to the Poor Law Commissioners  
my resignation of the Office of Chaplain to  
your Workhouse; and to take this opportunity  
of expressing my grateful sense of the  
kindness and courtesy I have at all times  
experienced from the Board, the respect with  
which my suggestions have been received,  
and also the cheerfulness displayed in  
acceding to every application of mine for any-  
thing necessary towards the proper ministration  
of religious consolation to the poor inmates of the  
Workhouse.

I

Remain Gentlemen,  
gratefully & respectfully  
Peter Dowling

To The Board of Guardians  
Galway Union -

Moved by Mr. Bernard O'Flaherty, Seconded by Mr. J. Redington Esq.  
Ordered - That his lordship, the Bishop of Galway,  
be requested to name the clergyman he  
desires to have appointed as Successor to  
the Rev. M. Dowling -

Ordered - That a sum of one pound be expended  
in the purchase of Clothing for Michael  
Ward, to enable him to accept of employ-  
ment at the Clog Factory -

Ordered - That a sum of one pound be expended  
in the purchase of Clothing for Mary Jeaney  
to enable her to leave the Workhouse -

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	9
Ditto disallowed	"
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	10
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	7
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	"
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	"
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	4

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

Resolved - That a sum of £1.10.0 be expended to  
assist the emigration of Henry Burke to  
the United States of America, provided that  
the medical officer of the Workhouse  
certify that he is in a state of health  
to emigrate -  
(The medical officer has seen  
Henry Burke and considers him a fit person  
to emigrate.)

Ordered - That Michael Commons be prosecuted for the  
deception of his wife and family, who are  
inmates of the Workhouse -

Report of P. H. Cullen -  
That he has received notice of  
the Eviction of Edward Mardon from premises  
in Cross St., Galway, the property of J. H.  
Blake, Esq.

Schoolmaster -  
There were two Candidates for the office of  
Schoolmaster to the Workhouse, Timothy  
McKeigue and John Hoare - The former  
was elected by a majority of 16 to 3, at  
at a salary of £25 a year and rations -

Collectors -  
The Collectors of last years Rates were unanimously  
re appointed, vizt: -  
No 1 District - William Kelly - at 6<sup>d</sup> in the pound.  
2 " Nicholas Byrne - " 6<sup>d</sup> "  
3 " William Gony - " 6<sup>d</sup> "  
4 " Martin Berdon - " 4<sup>d</sup> "  
5 " John Dillane - " 1<sup>d</sup> "  
6 " James J. Morris - " 8<sup>d</sup> "  
7 " Timothy Curran - " 10<sup>d</sup> "  
8 " Nicholas Curran - " 11<sup>d</sup> "

The smoothes named in each case were approved of.

Ordered - That the Collectors furnish lists of any necessary changes in the new rate books by Friday next.

Contracts.

There was only one tender for the supply of Indian Deal which the Board declined to accept, and agreed to purchase in the market for the present.

The tenders for Straw were considered too high, and the Master was directed to purchase Straw in the market.

To 29<sup>th</sup> Sept. next.

- John Morris - Salt — 1.5 per cwt.
- Jas. J. Symm - Rice — 18.6 per cwt.
- Arrow Root — 7 p lb
- Washing Soda — 8.9 p cwt
- Pat Mc Namara - Beef and Mutton — 5 p lb
- D<sup>o</sup> (without bone) — 5 1/2 p lb
- Beever's Heads — 2.0 each

Ordered - That the Iron Receiving Officer, Michael Managan be allowed £10 for boat hire and expenses in attending with the Sheriff on the occasion of the recent evictions in the Island of Arran.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1867

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

Resolved - That Mr. Wm. Kelly be allowed Six Months for the completion of his collection and that the other Collectors be allowed Four Months, each.

Ordered - That £1 be expended in the purchase of clothing for John Heffernan; the clothing to be purchased by the Master when the boy is regularly indentured as apprentice to a Tailor.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday, the 18<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1867 -

Thomas Mac N  
Clerk of the Union

John J. G. G.  
Steele G. G.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway UNION,  
on Friday, the 11<sup>th</sup> day of Oct 1867—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 27<sup>th</sup> Sept  
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to  
forward the same ~~for reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,~~ to the Medical  
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

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

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

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

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

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

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

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to 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 \_\_\_\_\_

A further list of persons who have not complied with the provisions of the Compulsory Vaccination Act in the Inverinmore District was received from Dr. Quinn.

Ordered. That Dr. Quinn furnish for the approval of the Board of Guardians, the names of 20 persons to be proceeded against for the default, so selected as to be most effective by way of general example.

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 (OF Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from Poor Law Commrs. dated 9<sup>th</sup> Oct. 1867

forwarding a letter which they have received from Dr. Conisidine, Medical Officer of Galway Dispersal District, on the subject of Vaccination, together with a copy of their reply -

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, dated 9<sup>th</sup> Oct. 1867. No 24866. - forwarding a copy of a letter which they have received from Dr. Duggan, in answer to the communication which the Commrs. recently addressed to him, relating to Vaccination in the Inverloughmore Dispersal District. Enclosing a copy of a letter of the Commrs. to Dr. Duggan, to which they desire to call the attention of the Board of Guardians -

Ordered - That the Commissioners be informed that in any proceedings hitherto taken against defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in the Inverloughmore District, the summonses were issued in the name of the relieving Officer as complainant, and that Dr. Duggan appeared as a witness to sustain the cases -

Dr. Conisidine handed in a list of defaulters, as directed by the Board on 27<sup>th</sup> ultimo, and stated that Vaccination is now progressing in a satisfactory degree -

The Board adopted Dr. Conisidine's suggestion as to the posting of Vaccination placards, and postponed the further consideration of the subject to the 8<sup>th</sup> prox. to afford time to judge of the effect that may be produced -

(Signed) Thomas Stack  
Clerk of the Union  
Joseph J. Freely Patrick J. Freely

Galway UNION.

Population in 1861 - 50821

Present Net Annual Value, £65.485

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 12<sup>th</sup> day of October 1867.

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

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12<sup>th</sup> day of October 1867, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1., Total relieved out of the Workhouse, RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1., Total relieved out of the Workhouse.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on Friday the 10<sup>th</sup> day of October 1867.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Other Guardians:-

Pierre Joyce, Joseph Freely, John Gill, and Patrick J. Freely

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.



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, £ 73 s. 11 d. 3

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 57 : 13 : 8

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was " : 2 : 6 3/4

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

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, " : 6 : 5 3/4

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:

2600 lb Bread	18 19 2	1/2 Brl. Porter	1 1 0
50 lb Meat (Officers)	1 1 9	32 pts. Wine	2 2 8
18 Beef Heads	1 3 0	5 Bot Brandy	15 0
15 1/2 lb Meat (Hosp <sup>l</sup> )	3 6 7	3 pts. Whiskey	5 0
2240 qts Milk	15 3 3	6 lb Sw. Root	3 6
1 cwt. Salt	1 5	15 lb Tobacco	3 4
15 lb Tea	1 10 0	5 Tons Coals	5 7 6
42 lb Sugar	13 8	5 Boxes Turp	5 4
12 lb L Sugar	5 6	8 lb Candles	4 0
8 lb Corn Flour	3 8	70 lb Soap	16 3
1 ct. Rice	18 6	4 lb W. Soda	4 3
11 2 Eggs	7 0	- Suppl <sup>r</sup> Orders	
		4 pts. P. Wine	5 4
		2 lb A. Root	1 2
		2 oz Tobacco	6

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 12<sup>th</sup> day of Oct. 1867, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	-
In kind,	-	-	-	-
Total,	-	-	-	£ 1 4 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 Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
		£	s.	d.	Article and quantity.			Value.	£	s.	d.
No. I.						Bt. forwd.					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.	M. Hanagan	3	0	0		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.
J. J. Lynch, Master, to purchase clothing for Mary Dolan and children	2	10	"

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

2. Establishment Account.			
Shack, Clerk, Small Bills	3	7	3

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

10. J. J. Lynch, Master. - purchase of Potatoes	5	"	"
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*[Handwritten flourish]*

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

*[Handwritten flourish]*

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:

*[Handwritten flourish]*

Hospital Reports.

Workhouse - Admitted during the week	12
Discharged	6
Remaining	134

(See Dr. Cleland's remarks re Commr's letter of 30 Sept. page 1)

Fever Hospital.

Admitted during the week	3
Discharged and Died	0
Remaining in Hospital	14

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

That the Milk supplied by Mr. Colerain on the morning of the 12<sup>th</sup> inst. was not fresh; that it was rejected and good milk got instead.

That a Lament named Maryanne W. Donagh broke a pane of glass in the Window of her ward; suggesting that the Windows in this ward be latticed on the inside —

(Ordered)

Required - 1 Bot. Dyalaya Wine, 7 Bot. Lemonade, 2 Sheets Lin.,  
 1 lb Black Lin, 1/2 lb Resin, 1 Swipes head,  
 equal Colza Oil, 1 Roll Wax Taper, 4 lb Blk Lead,  
 6 Sweeping and Scouring Brushes - (Ordered)

Matron's Report.

Clothing made - 14 Men's Shirts.  
 " repaired - 20 Boys' Shirts & 20 Men's Shirts.  
 Required - 300 yds of Check for Bibs and Aprons,  
 300 yds of Bengal Stripe for Frocks & Mappins.

Ordered.

That the Visiting Committee be summoned to meet on Tuesday next, at one o'clock, to consider this requisition and the Committee's plans as to clothing.

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:

From Poor Law Commissioners -

No. 120. M/67  
15<sup>th</sup> Oct. Requesting a Return of the number of cases of persons vaccinated in the Workhouse during the year ended 30<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1867.

No. 121. D/67  
15<sup>th</sup> Oct. 1867 Requesting a Return of the number of persons admitted to the Workhouse during the year ended 29<sup>th</sup> Sept. last, distinguishing the number who were sick at the time of their admission; - also the number of Births and Deaths during the year. - Requesting also to be informed of the number of sick persons treated in the Workhouse Hospital, during the year -

No 26067/1867  
15<sup>th</sup> Oct. Forwarding form for particulars in regard to the proposed assistance to the migration of Henry Burke, to be filled up and returned.

Received from General Valuation Office, a certificate of the reduction of the Valuation on the Land occupied by Mr. John Gill at Remmore from £44 to £26, in pursuance of a decision of the Recorder of Galway made on the 8<sup>th</sup> August last -

Read Letter from Mr. Joseph Colman, Dame Street, Dublin, offering Letter copying Machine, Letter Book, &c for £2:10:0

Ordered - Clerk to make inquiry as to the utility of the machine offered -

Read Letter from the Right Revd Dr MacCarthy, Bishop of Galway, dated 17<sup>th</sup> Oct. 1867, stating that the Revd John Dooly is the clergyman on whom he confers the faculties necessary for discharging the duties of Chaplain to the Galway Workhouse -

Resolved - The Commissioners are requested to issue an order for the appointment of the Revd John Dooly, at the present salary of £85 a year -

Read Letter from Patrick Mc Namara, Meat Contractor, requesting permission to ~~substitute~~ substitute Mr. John Morris for Mr. John Oliver as one of his sweeties -  
Order - Allowed -

Ordered - That a sum of £2.10.0 be expended in the purchase of clothing for Mary Folan and her three children, to enable them to leave the Workhouse -

Ordered - That a sum of 10/- be expended in the purchase of clothing for Kitty Coffey, to enable her to accept of an offer of service.

Lists of alterations required to be made in the names of parties appearing assessed in the new Rate Books were received from Collectors Kelly, Morris, Jones, and Byrne, which the Board directed to be carried out.

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	-	-	14
Ditto disallowed	-	-	"
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	18
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	8
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	"
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	1
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	-	-	6

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

Resolved - The Poor Law Commissioners are requested to sanction the usual annual payment of £20 to the Clerk of the Union, for his services under the Parliamentary Voters' Act.

\* Resolved - That the new Rate Books be submitted for signature of the Guardians on Friday next.

Ordered - That the Clerk make application at the War Office for a renewal of the temporary pension granted to Patrick Donohue, a discharged lunatic soldier from the 24<sup>th</sup> Foot.

Receipts for the payments made on the 13<sup>th</sup>, 20<sup>th</sup>, and 27<sup>th</sup> ultimo, and on the 4<sup>th</sup> inst. were produced and examined -

With reference to the Comptrol's Letter of 30<sup>th</sup> ultimo, No 24124/1867, relating to the recent contract for the supply of Port Wine, Brandy, and Whiskey, the following remarks entered by Dr. McEldon on his report book were read: -  
" My attention having been directed to a letter from the Commissioners on the quality of the whiskey, brandy, & wine supplied to the Hospital. I directed the Master to submit samples for my inspection. The whiskey I consider good, and I don't think that the brandy can be objected to. Of the wine it is more difficult to speak. it is certainly muddy, the taste is not (to my thinking) seriously objectionable. But on this subject I may remark that I have on previous occasions directed the attention of the guardians to the quality of the wine and

suggested that wine of a somewhat superior description, to that provided might be more valuable for the restoration of the health of patients; at the same time it is only right to observe that having carefully watched the effects on the patients of the wine in use, I must own that I have never seen any bad effects and that the good effect has been obvious, particularly in the case of young children, who could not be influenced by imagination the benefits have sometimes been very decided. I shall give the subject my best attention.

(Signed) John Cleland.

The following explanation of the Workhouse Master respecting the deficiencies in the stock of oatmeal and Indian Meal was read:-

Workhouse, Galway, October 18<sup>th</sup> 1867

Gentlemen.

In compliance with your instructions, that I should give a written explanation as to the cause of the apparent balance of meal on the Provision acc<sup>t</sup>

I beg respectfully to impress on your minds that those figures do not represent an actual deficiency of meal, but accumulated deficiencies of the return of Brown Bread with which I have been debited since my taking office.

That the proportion of increase is 20 per cent or for every 120 lb of ~~bread~~ Bread actually consumed I only get 100 for 100 lbs of meal the 20 lb being deducted for the water it is supposed to retain in being made into Bread.

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

Clerk of the Union.

That the return of such Bread is from various causes very fluctuating, as that Indian Meal in good condition, from its hard nature, will take very little water at all in the process of making dough, and if such Bread be not properly baked, it becomes mouldy in a very short time.

That after many experiments, the results of which I reported, some of them made in presence of the Clerk and Master, and subsequently by the Motion by directions of the Board, when the meal issued was weighed made into dough, baked and weighed in Bread without her ever losing sight of it, and it was found that the greatest increase was but 10 per cent instead of 20. This is how the Balance accumulated, and the deficit in the return of Bread, would more than cover it.

That the subject has been frequently under the notice of the Board, and I have heretofore in my report requested that the Brown Bread when baked should be weighed in presence of two officers of the House and that I would be debited with the actual weight received into store, as in the case of white Bread supplied by contract.

That in conclusion, I beg respectfully to request that you will please adjust the affair, and that if you see fit to continue to have such Bread baked for the future, that you will fix the standard by which I am to be debited with it.

I am Gentlemen  
Your Obedient Servant  
John. P. Lynch  
Master

To The Board of Guardians  
Galway Union

(over)

Proposed by Mr. John Gill, Seconded by Mr. P. J. Grealy  
and

Resolved - That the deficiencies in the Book of  
Abatement and Intim Meal as ascertained by the  
Clerk on the 28<sup>th</sup> ultimo be remitted, and that  
the standard of increase on the meal used in  
baking, relatively to the Brown Bread produced  
therefrom, be fixed at 10 per cent instead of 20  
per cent as heretofore - That an abatement  
from 20 to 10 per cent increase be allowed free of cost  
on the Brown Bread consumed from 28<sup>th</sup> ultimo to  
12<sup>th</sup> inst. -

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday,  
the 25<sup>th</sup> day of October, 1867 - Thomas Stack  
Clerk of Union

John Grealy  
J. Grealy  
S. Hill

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway UNION,  
on Tu-day, the 18<sup>th</sup> day of Oct 1867.—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 Imperial  
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 :

To be supplied -

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 Imperial  
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms for other requisites were  
ordered to be supplied :

A grate and fender for Dispensary -

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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):

Wasp. Bills

Inverloughmoe Dispensary District			
4	Account of Mr. F. Bourke	for Salary Porter from 1 <sup>st</sup> to 29 <sup>th</sup> Sept	Amount £ 2:10:0
5	Do	" Rent "	2:10:0
Oranmore District			
6	Wm Joyce	" Porter "	2:10:0
7	E. Inohy	" Rent "	4:0:0

Registration Expenses -

8	Inverloughmoe	Dr. Duffan, Fees, gr. to 29 Sept	3:2:0
9	Oranmore	J. S. Merrin, " "	2:13:6

[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 1866, 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 1866.

_____ 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 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 \_\_\_\_\_

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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 Dr. Condon dated 18<sup>th</sup> Oct. 1867 stating that

Wick Sweeney of Wickham Street West, Galway, and Patrick Cokerby of Cloghaculta, Banna, have refused to allow their children to be vaccinated.

Ordered - That proceedings be taken against these parties under the Compulsory Vaccination Act.

Mr. Cullen, Relieving Officer, handed in four notices of Nuisances existing in his District.

Ordered - That Mr. Cullen take the necessary proceedings to enforce abatement.

Wm. Joyce  
Joseph Grealy  
John Hill

(Signed)

Thomas Stack  
Clerk of the Union.

Galway UNION.

Population in 1861— 50821 Present Net Annual Value, £65,7485

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 19<sup>th</sup> day of Oct 1867.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Inf'm persons, on 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, . . . . .	516	348													
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	222	95													
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .															
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	144	15													
Fever Sheds, . . . . .															
Total, . . . . .	1082	458													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			24	64	57	97	44	44	35	55	26	437	In Work-house Hospital, 137	In separate Wards, 5	
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			3	7	5	5	1	1	1	5	7	29	In Fever Hospital, 15	Inmate, 8	
TOTAL, . . . . .			27	71	62	102	45	42	36	60	27	466	Total, 149	Total, 13	
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			1	2	2	1	1					7			
Died, . . . . .												7			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			1	2	2	1	1					14			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			26	69	52	101	44	42	36	60	26	458			

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 Oct 1867, 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.	1	8			1	8	Blanketed.						
No. II.	1	1			1	1	No. X.						
No. III.	2	2			2	2	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.	1	1			1	1	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	6	9			5	9	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Total	10	21			10	21	Total						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 25<sup>th</sup> day of October 1867.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Pierce Joyce Esq.  
Other Guardians:—  
Joseph Grealy. John Hill.  
James O'Keefe. Robt. Heffernan.  
Dr. Brodie, P.L.D. attended.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 9453 to No. 9478 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 new Ledger for current half year not yet received from Contractor.

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the <sup>4<sup>th</sup> of January inst</sup> ~~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 . . . . . £ . . . . .

Baid during the week, . . . . . £ 24 : 7 : 3

And that the Balance on the Account ~~against~~ the Guardians was, £ 269 : 3 : 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Lodgements 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.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 57 s. 8 d. 6

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

+ The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . 93 : 8 : 1

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

+ including Value of meal deficient and remitted by Board.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 2 : 7 1/2  
 Average Cost in Infirmary, . . . . . : 3 : 8 1/4  
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital, . . . . . : 5 : 6 3/4  
 The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was estimated.

and orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

2000 lb Bread	18.19.2	1503 Tobacco	3.4
58 lb Meat (Wk)	1.4.2	1 St. Flour	3.0
18 Beef Heads	1.16.0	5 Hrs Coats	5.7.6
165 lb Meat (Hospital)	3.15.8	5 Bots Soap	5.4
1 Ton Beef Meal	14.0.0	8 lb Candles	4.0
2292 qt Milk	15.10.8	70 lb Soap	16.2
14 lb Tea	1.8.0	(Suppl orders)	
49 lb Sugar	16.0		
12 lb L. Sugar	5.6	2 lb L. Sugar	11
10 lb Cord Flour	4.7	11 pts P. Wine	14.8
140 Eggs	8.9	5 Bot Brandy	15.0
1/2 Bil Porter	1.0.6	1 pt Whiskey	1.8
32 pts P. Wine	2.2.8	4 Hrs Coats	4.6.0
6 Bot Brandy	18.0		
3 pts Whiskey	5.0		
6 lb Arrow Root	3.6		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 19 day of Oct 1867, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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 Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	P. H. Luten	3.0.0	(14)		By forward.				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forward.		3.0.0			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:

15. Mr. J. Lynch, Master, Purchase of Clothing for Poor Ireland £ 1 10 0

12. Mr. J. Lynch, Master, Assistance towards Emigration of Henry Bno Re £ 1 10 0

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

13. Thomas Sack - Revision of Par. Voters Lists 1867 - 20 " "

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:

Order No 26270. dated 19<sup>th</sup> October, 1867.  
Consenting to the expenditure of a sum not exceeding £1:10:0 to assist in defraying the expenses of the migration of Henry Burke to Baltimore. - chargeable to Brammore V.D.

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):

From Poor Law Commissioners -

No 26122<sup>1</sup>/67<sup>2</sup> Approving of the appointment of Messrs  
19<sup>th</sup> Oct. - } Nicholas Curran, Timothy Curran, John  
Dillane, Martin Hermon, John Jones,  
Nicholas Kyre, and William Kelly, respectively,  
as Poor Rate Collectors on the terms specified.

No 26386/67<sup>2</sup> Approving of the appointment of Mr. James  
22<sup>nd</sup> Oct. } J. Morris as Poor Rate Collector at a  
remuneration of eight pence in the pound.

No 26121/67<sup>2</sup> Approving of the appointment of Mr.  
22<sup>nd</sup> Oct. } Timothy McKeigue as Schoolmaster of  
the Workhouse at a Salary of £25  
a year with rations -

No 26549/1867<sup>2</sup>  
24<sup>th</sup> Oct. }

Sanctioning the payment of the sum of £20 to the Clerk of the Union in respect of his services under the Parliamentary Voters Act -

No 26549/1867<sup>2</sup>  
24<sup>th</sup> Oct. }

Referring to the Minute of the 18<sup>th</sup> inst. on the Subject of the Deficiencies recently ascertained in the Stock of oatmeal and Indian Meal, and stating that it would have been more satisfactory if the Master had reported the matter specially to the Board of Guardians. - That he should not have allowed the deficiency to continue to accumulate for two years which he drew from the Contractors supplies in advance of the Orders. That the Commissioners recommend that the Master be cautioned to be more careful in future -

Report of Visiting Committee -

We recommend that 18. Men's Shirts, 20 Sheets, and 10 Dickies belonging to the Hospital separate sheet be condemned and used for repairs, and that new materials be procured to replace the Shirts and Dickies.

and that the following articles from the general stock of the House be also condemned for the same purpose: -

30 Sheets, 20 Blankets, 20 Dickies,  
20 m. Shirts, 20 Bags <sup>Shirts</sup> + 50 G. <sup>Shirts</sup>  
We further recommend that 100 yds of check and 150 yds of Bengal Stupe be procured for Women's and Girls' wear -

(Signed) Joseph Healy

John Gill

(The Report was adopted by the Board.)

Upon the application of Constable Jegg,  
 the Board undertook to pay any necessary  
 expenses incurred in executing warrants  
 for the arrest of  
 Michael Commons  
 Martin Sheehan  
 Patrick Golden  
 charged with desertion of their families.

Ordered. That a sum of £1:10:0 be expended in  
 the purchase of clothing for Rose Melia  
 to enable her to leave the Workhouse -

Ordered. That the Visiting Committee be summoned  
 to meet on Monday next at one o'clock.  
 to inquire into the circumstances regarding  
 the several inmates of the Workhouse,  
 especially with a view to ascertain whether  
 there are any persons in the House having

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	8
Ditto disallowed	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	8
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	9
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	"
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	1
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	5

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.)

relative outside responsible for their maintenance  
 and of ability to support them -

Ordered. That the Clerk submit Mr. John Sweeney's  
 case of occupation for the opinion of the  
 Commissioners as to his liability for payment  
 of Poor Rate.

The Rate Books of the several Electoral  
 Divisions of the Union were duly signed by  
 the Chairman and two other Guardians  
 present, and Rates as agreed to by the Board  
 on the 20<sup>th</sup> September last were declared  
 duly made -

The warrants for collection of the new rate were  
 in like manner duly signed -

George Morris  
 Joseph Gaulty  
 J. H. Warner



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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

*Friday* the *7*  
*1st* day of *Nov.* 186

(Signed)

*Thomas Stack*

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 Galway UNION,  
on Friday day, the 25<sup>th</sup> day of Oct 1867.—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

[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 \_\_\_\_\_

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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 Dr. Duggan dated 17<sup>th</sup> Oct 1867 stating that

furnishing, as directed by the Board on the 11<sup>th</sup> inst., the names of 20 persons to be proceeded against for failure to comply with the provisions of the Compulsory Vaccination Act.

Ordered - That the Relieving Officer of the District be directed to take proceedings against the persons named in this list, and that Dr. Duggan be informed that it will be his duty to attend to give evidence in the cases -

Report of P. H. Cullen, Relieving Officer - That Mr. Michael Sweeney was summoned for refusal to comply with the provisions of the Compulsory Vaccination Act, and that he was fined 6<sup>d</sup> and ordered to pay costs; that the case against Patrick Cokerby will be heard on Monday next.

George Morris  
Joseph Grealy  
J. H. Cullen

(Signed)

Thomas Staell  
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1861 - 50821

January UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 65,748 5

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26<sup>th</sup> day of Oct 1867.

Table with columns: Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided, So. that can be accommodated, Total No. in each building, Able-bodied, Aged and Infirm persons, 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.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26<sup>th</sup> day of Oct 1867, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vlt. 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 Vlt. c. 31, s. 1., Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1., Total relieved out of the Workhouse.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 1<sup>st</sup> day of November 1867.

PRESENT: In the Chair, George Morris Esq. (D.V.C.) Other Guardians: - J. V. Brown, M.D., who was in the Chair before the arrival of Mr. Morris, James Davis, Jno Harrison, Joseph Grealy, Jas Pittroy.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 9179 to No. 9193 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 . . . . . £ 9 : 12 : 7

Paid during the week, . . . . . £ 26 : . . . .

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was, £ 285 : 11 : 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

+ Payment of Relief per R. V. Cullen -

The Lodgements 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.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 100 s. 19 d. 0

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was

£ s. d.  
61 : 17 : 8

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

: 2 : 8

Average Cost in Infirmary,

: 3 : 6 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>

Average Cost in Fever Hospital,

: 4 : 7 <sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>

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:

2600 lb Bread	18. 14. 2	4 lb Pepper	1. 8
63 lb Meat (off)	1. 6. 3	150 Eggs	9. 5
18 Beef Heads	1. 16. 0	24 pb P. Wine	1. 12. 0
169 1/2 lb Meat (off)	3. 17. 8	6 Bot. Brandy	18. 0
1 Ton Indian Meal		3 pb Whiskey	5. 0
2292 qts Milk	15. 10. 8	3 lb In Port	1. 9
1 ct Salt	1. 5	15 lb Tobacco	3. 4
16 lb Tea	1. 12. 0	5 sm Coats	5. 7. 6
5 lb Sugar	18. 3	5 Boxes Inf	5. 4
4 lb Corn Flour	1. 10	8 lb Candles	4. 0
1 lb L. Sugar	6. 5	70 lb Soap	16. 3

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 26 day of Dec 1867, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	-	£ 1. 10. 6
In kind,	-	-	-	-	
Total,	-	-	-	-	£ 1. 18. 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 Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.						No. X.					
No. II.	W. Yrill	2. 0. 0		39		No. XI.					
No. III.	P. Culhane	2. 0. 0		40		No. XII.					
No. IV.						No. XIII.					
No. V.	P. Morris	1. 0. 0		41		No. XIV.					
No. VI.						No. XV.					
No. VII.						No. XVI.					
No. VIII.						No. XVII.					
No. IX.											
Total		5. 0. 0				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:

Read Order, No. 26,861, dated 26<sup>th</sup> Oct. 1867, appointing the Rev. John Dooky to be Roman Catholic Chaplain of the Workhouse, at a salary of £85 per annum.



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

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, dated 26<sup>th</sup> Oct. 1867, requesting to be furnished with two copies of the Dietary now in use in the Workhouse for all classes of inmates both healthy and sick; also, with information regarding the ordinary diet of labourers and small farmers outside the Workhouse, and the average wages throughout the Union, &c. (Furnished)

Read Letter from Mr. P. H. Cullen, Relieving Officer, dated 1<sup>st</sup> Nov., setting forth the Variety and extent of his Duties as Relieving Officer, Collector of sums due for repayment of relief, and as Sanitary Officer; and requesting the Board to recommend to the Poor Law Commrs. the increased salary he is to receive since August, 1866.

Ordered -

Ordered. That the Clerk give notice to all the Guardians that Mr. Cullen's application will be taken into consideration on the 15<sup>th</sup> instant.

The Clerk submitted a report agreed to by the Visiting Committee on Monday last, but not signed by the members present. Upon a suggestion contained in the report, the Board

Ordered. That the Clerk call the attention of Mr. Roberts to the defective state of the drying closet in connection with the Hospital Laundry, and request that he will report in what manner it can be made available for its intended use.

Received. Copy of a Warrant, dated 19<sup>th</sup> Oct. 1867, for the removal of John Flynn from Liverpool to the Galway Workhouse. (Copy and particulars hereinafter.)

Report of P. H. Cullen, Relieving Officer -

That five processes were issued at the Suit of the Guardians to the Sessions held by the Recorder on the 30<sup>th</sup> ult.

That the process against Andrew Geary, for maintenance of his illegitimate child, was dismissed for want of corroborative evidence -

That the process against John O'Flaherty for repayment of relief to his wife and children was dismissed on account of defective service.

That

That Mrs. Maria Burre has been decreed for 17/6 for maintenance of her domestic servant.

That Mrs. Evans & Son have been decreed for £1:1:0 for maintenance of John White, a sailor, and that he has been informed they have appealed against the decree.

That Martin Walsh has been decreed for £2:5:0 for maintenance of his father in the Workhouse.

Mr. Cullen also reported -

That on Tuesday last he inquired into the cases of all the deserted children in the Workhouse, and submits a list of the names with observations thereon. That the Master and Matron gave him every assistance in making the inquiry.

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 - - - - - 8

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - - 10

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - - - - 6

The Bonds and other securities in force were read 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 Board examined the list, and gave instructions to Mr. Cullen as to proceedings to be taken in certain cases -

The transaction of finance business generally was adjourned to Friday next -

Wm. Cullen

Joseph L. Gearty

Pat Dooley

R.P.A.B.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* the  
*8<sup>th</sup>* day of *November* 186*7*  
(Signed) *Thomas Stack*  
Clerk of the Union.

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(No. 27.) }

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway UNION,  
on 1<sup>st</sup> day, the 1<sup>st</sup> day of Nov. 1867.—continued.

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

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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):

*Imp<sup>d</sup> Bills*

*Arran* Dispensary District  
Account of Mr. *Trick Gill* for Rent to 29 Sept. Amount £ 5. 0 0

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

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

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

[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 \_\_\_\_\_

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

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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):

Recent Letter from R. V. Cullen reported dated \_\_\_\_\_ stating that

That Patrick W. Doherty of Cloughcutta has been convicted of refusal to comply with the provisions of the Compulsory Vaccination Act, and fined 6s. and ordered to pay costs.

Report of P. H. Cullen, Relf Officer - That the several persons named in the notices served on the 10<sup>th</sup> ult are proceeding ~~againt~~ with the cleansing and lime-washing of their premises, except Pat Kane against whom he has procured an order of abatement at Petty Sessions, with costs.

Wm. Joyce  
Wm. G. G. G.  
Pat Doherty

(Signed,)

Wm. Stodd  
 Clerk of the Union.

Galway UNION.

Population in 1861— 50821

Present Net Annual Value, £ 15. 15s 6d

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of Nov 1867.

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.		Infants under 2 years of age.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Children above 2 and under 9 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Hospital on the above date.		
Workhouse, . . . . .	876	320													
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	222	108													
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .															
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	444	15													
Fever Sheds, . . . . .															
Total, . . . . .	1082	443													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			24	66	57	104	41	41	35	57	22	444	In Work-house Hospital, 444	In separate Wards with other Inmates, 34	
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			2	2	3	5		1	1	2		16	In Hospital, 15	Total, 39	
TOTAL, . . . . .			26	68	60	109	41	42	36	59	22	460	Total, 156	Total, 13	
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			2	2	2	4		1	2	4	1	14			
Died, . . . . .						2			1			3			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			2	2	2	6		1	3		1	17			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			24	66	55	103	41	41	33	59	21	443			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of Nov 1867, 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	10			3	10	Dist. I.						
No. II.	2	4			2	4	No. X.						
No. III.	2	2			2	2	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.	2	2			2	2	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	4	8			4	8	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
<u>807</u>	13	26			13	26	Total						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 8<sup>th</sup> day of November 1867.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Wm. Joyce Esq

Other Guardians:—

P. Doherty, J. E. Lambert, J. Cullen,  
J. Gill, J. Grealy, J. Gahy,  
J. V. Binne, M. J. O'Leary,  
J. Probe, P. L. J., attended—

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 9494 to No. 9576 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:

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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 . . . . . £ 4 : 4 : 7

Paid during the week, . . . . . £ 13 : 15 : 6

And that the Balance on the Account *of* the Guardians was, £ 299 : 6 : 8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Lodgements 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, £ 72 s. 8 d. 7

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . . £ 61 : 10 : 11

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 9 : 2 : 8 1/4

Average Cost in Infirmary, . . . . . : 3 : 7 1/4

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

(Supplemental order) 24 of sugar - 8

2500 No Bread	18.4.7	1/2 Barrel Porter	1.0.6
14 No Soap	6.5	24 Pints Port Wine	1.2.0
63 No meat (offices)	1.6.3	6 Bottles Brandy	18.0
2000 qts milk	15.11.9	2 lbs Arrowroot	1.2
16 lb. Tea	1.12.0	1 Pint Whiskey	1.8
56 lb. Sugar	18.3	15 oz Tobacco	3.4
4 lbs Corn Flour	1.10	1 Stone Flour	2.0
112 lbs Rice	18.9	5 1/2 Tons Coals	57.6
18 Beef Heads	1.16.0	5 Boxes Lard	5.4
158 3/4 lbs meat (Hosp)	3.12.9	8 lb. Candles	4.0
166 Eggs	10.5	70 lb Soap	16.3

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 2 day of Nov. 1867, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money	-	-	-	-	£ 2.4.6
In kind	-	-	-	-	
Total	-	-	-	-	£ 2:4:6

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

Credit Treasurer with 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.

12.1 Establishment Account.

31.	H. Costello, Wine &c.	begt	14	14	1
32.	H. Duffan, Thread, Diminiss &c		3	10	1
33.	M. Clayton, Stationery		3	14	2
34.	J. Ruddy, Sundries		1	11	2
42.	M. Cloherly, Do		3	10	5
43.	James H. Porter		4	2	
47.	M. Donnell, Advertising		2	5	6

Clerk's Acct.

46.	Stach Clerk, Small Bills		7	1	3
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Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

5. Workhouse Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
16.	J. J. Morris, Bread	70	14	7
17.	Do Milk	25	15	8
18.	Do Candles, ligs. &c.	3	7	1
19.	J. O'Hymn Meal	10	7	6
20.	J. Kearns Oatmeal	14	.	.
21.	A. McDonough Indian Meal	10	15	0
22.	J. Hughes Milk	6	11	9
23.	J. Curve Do	6	11	9
24.	M. Cottingham Do	5	2	6
25.	D. Curve Do	5	2	6
26.	M. Hughes Do	5	2	6
27.	J. Coleran Do	5	2	6

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
28.	J. J. Fynn Wine &c.	24	.	7
29.	J. Laine Inf	1	1	4
30.	Jug Coy Gas	5	13	10
49.	Lynch. Master Potatoes	5	.	.
44.	Guinness Ho. Porter	4	2	.
45.	Perce Coals	210	.	.

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:

Hospital Reports - 7

Workhouse -

Admitted during the week — 7  
 Discharged — 7  
 Remaining — 143

Fever Hospital -

Admitted during the week — 10  
 Discharged — 1  
 Remaining — 25

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

Ordered. That the Gasaliers lately in the Chapel be  
 exchanged for a new one to be hung in a more  
 convenient position.

That the Master proceed against P. M.  
 Dowd as a Vandalismist.

That a new grate be got for the Fever  
 Hospital.

Shirting Calico received from Contractor approved.

Ordered -

2 14ft Boards for repairs in girls school -  
 200 each, 2 1/2, 12, 8 & 6, Nails -  
 1/2 lb black thread, 25 needles, 1 lb Twine,  
 2 lb Whiting, 6 scouring Brushes -

Matrons Report.

Clothing made - 60 girls' Bibs, and  
 a suit for an Emigrant.

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

From Poor Law Commrs.

No 126 - 2nd/67  
1st Nov. - Requesting a Return showing particulars respecting the Rates made and any new rates agreed upon in the Union -

No 130 - 2nd/67  
1st Nov. - With reference to the Parliamentary Grant in aid of the Expenses for Medical and Educational purposes - Stating that as the grant is intended for the entire year, although made payable in two half yearly instalments, the amount should not be apportioned to the credit of the Electoral Divisions until both instalments shall have been received -



No 27546/67  
2<sup>o</sup> Nov. - Acknowledging receipt of Clerk's letter of 31<sup>st</sup> ultimo, forwarding the information requested by the Commissioners, letter of 26<sup>th</sup> ultimo

No 27. 290/1867  
6<sup>th</sup> Nov. - Stating that in both classes of cases cited in Clerk's letter of 28<sup>th</sup> ult. it would appear to the Commissioners that the rates are recoverable - Suggesting for the Guardians' Consideration the expediency of determining the points in question by the Collectors proceeding in the usual manner by six days notice and summons; and in case of an adverse decision by the Magistrate, that an appeal be made to Quarter Sessions - Ordered. Collector to proceed accordingly -

Read Letter from Mr J. McKelvey, Schoolm<sup>r</sup> of Workhouse, asking leave of absence on Saturday and Sunday next. (Allowed)

A requisition for Medicines for use of the Workhouse was laid before the Board and ordered to be supplied -

Mr. P. H. Cullen reported. That he has received notice of the eviction of John Skerrett and family from Killeor Key, Galway P.D., the property of the Rev<sup>d</sup> Peter Daly.

Ordered. That a sum of 15<sup>s</sup> be expended in the purchase of clothing for John Daly, to enable him to accept of service, on ~~that~~ condition his employer advance 10<sup>s</sup> in addition to clothe the boy recently -

Ordered. That a sum of 10<sup>s</sup> be allowed for the purchase of clothing for Letitia Reynolds to enable her to accept of an offer of service out of the Workhouse

Ordered - That a saving carpet be procured for the sanctuary of the Chapel. That Mr. M. D. O'Flaherty be authorized to select and agree for the price of a picture to be hung over the Altar in the Workhouse Chapel, - Cost on the Union not to exceed 5<sup>-</sup>

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	15
Ditto disallowed	4
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	12
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	9
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	11
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	1
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	6

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

Resolved. That the Collectors who have not yet done so, be required at once to take up their books and proceed actively with the Collection of the rates.

That the rural Collectors be required to attend fortnightly, on Wednesdays, for the summation of their accounts; Collectors Hyne and Zoney upon one Wednesday, and Collectors Deavis, N. Curran, J. Curran, and J. Dillane on the alternate Wednesday -

That Collector Kelly attend on Monday in each week, as heretofore, and that the Clerk fix the day for the first attendance of each in pursuance of this resolution -

That each Collector shall upon the day of attendance lodge with the Treasurer of the Union the entire amount of the receipts issued up to that day and hand the Treasurer's receipt to the Clerk.

And that the Clerk report to the Board any departure from this resolution -

Notice of Motion - I hereby give notice that, on this day fortnight, I will move that the Board take into consideration the necessity of giving the Master some assistance in keeping the Workhouse Books, and of appointing a person for that duty -  
(Signed) J. V. Brown -  
8<sup>th</sup> Nov. 1867 -

James Davis  
J. Davis

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* the  
*15<sup>th</sup>* day of *November* 186*7*

(Signed) *Thomas Stack*  
*Clerk of the Union.*

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway UNION,  
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36) Galway Dispensary District,  
Account of Dr. Conradine for Vaccination Amount £ 6:4:0  
Spiddal District -  
48 D. Connor. Vaccination - £ 5:15:0.

Registration Expenses. -

37. D. Conradine - Galway - gr to 30 Sept - £ 8:15:0

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

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

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

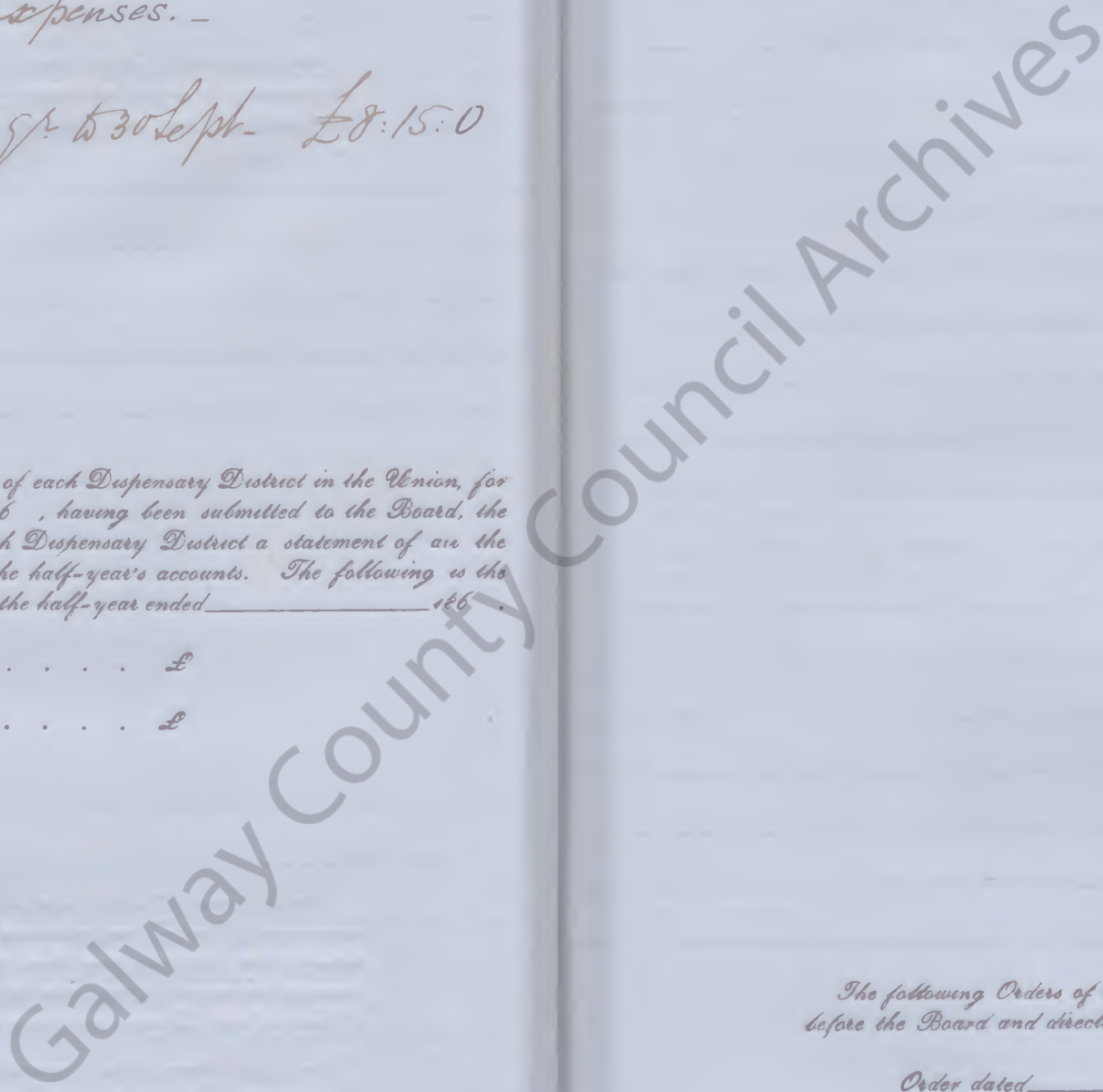
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Order dated \_\_\_\_\_ (state subject.)





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 W.P. Callinan, R. Off. dated 8<sup>th</sup> Nov. 1867 stating that

he had summoned four persons to the Petty Sessions Court at Deansmore on the 7<sup>th</sup> inst., and that each was fined 6. and ordered to pay costs, for not complying with the provisions of the Compulsory Vaccination Act.

Received Report showing 114 Cases of Successful by Dr J. Fogarty in the Galway Dispensary District from 4<sup>th</sup> March to 20<sup>th</sup> Oct. 1867 (The Report was submitted to the Dispeny Committee)

Received Minutes of Deansmore Dispensary Committee at a Meeting held on the 7<sup>th</sup> instants, appointing Matthew Franklin as Porter to the Dispensary, in room of William Joyce, at a salary of £5:0:0 a year, commencing from 29<sup>th</sup> Sept. last.

*Approved*  
*James Davis*  
*clerk*

Signed

*Thomas Stack*  
 Clerk of the Union.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 7<sup>th</sup> day of Nov. 1867.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the date.	Total No. on the date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 9 and under 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.	
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Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	444	23														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
Total, . . . . .	1082	449														
Remainng on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			24	66	55	103	41	41	33	59	21	443	In Workhouse, 145	In separate Wards, 4		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			2	4	12	7	1	1	1	1	2	31	In Fever Hospital, 23	In other Hospitals, 9		
TOTAL, . . . . .			26	70	67	110	42	42	34	60	23	474	Total, 168	Total, 13		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			4	2	2	4	1	5	2	2	3	25				
Died, . . . . .																
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			4	2	2	4	1	5	2	2	3	25				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			22	68	65	106	41	37	32	58	20	449				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9<sup>th</sup> day of Nov. 1867, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Viet. 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 Viet. 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.	1	8			1	8	Bt. forwd.						
No. II.	2	4			2	4	No. X.						
No. III.	2	2			2	2	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.	1	1			1	1	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	5	5			5	5	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
<i>Not forwd.</i>	11	20			11	20	TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 15<sup>th</sup> day of November 1867.

PRESENT: In the Chair,

*Pierce Joyce*

Other Guardians:—

*James Clarke, E.D. Burke*

*J. Redington Esq., James Fahy, Pat<sup>r</sup> Doolley,*

*John Gill, J.B. Daly, Geo Harrison,*

*Nichl. Fulton, James Davis, George Morris,*

*A.W. Blake, J.V. Browne*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 9577 to No. 9585 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:

That in pursuance of the Board's Resolution of 8<sup>th</sup> inst. he appointed Monday last (11<sup>th</sup> inst.) as the first day for attendance and lodgment by Mr. J. M. Kelly, Poor Rate Collector, and that Mr. Kelly did not attend -

Ordered -

That the Clerk call upon Mr. Kelly for an explanation of the cause of his non-attendance; and to inform him that the resolution of the 8<sup>th</sup> inst. must be strictly obeyed.

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 . . . . . £ 4 : 11 : 4

Paid during the week . . . . . £ 443 : 3 : 2

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was, £ 742 : 9 : 10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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 (d.g.d.)

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 73 s. 7 d. 3

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 62 : 12 : 3

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 2 : 8

Average Cost in Infirmary, : 3 : 7

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, : 4 : 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:

2600 lb Bread	18-14-2	1/2 Brl Porter	1-0-6
63 lb Meat (offn)	1-6-3	24 pts P. Wine	1-12-0
18 Beef Heads	1-16-0	5 Bot Brandy	15-0
162 lb Meat (Hosp <sup>l</sup> )	3-14-3	3 B A. Port	1-9
2376 pts Milk	16-2-0	8 pts Whiskey	13-4
1 ct. Salt	1-5	15 lb Tobacco	3-4
16 lb Tea	1-12-0	5 1/2 Tons Coals	5-18-3
52 lb Sugar	17-0	5 Botts Inf	5-4
12 lb L. Sugar	5-6	8 lb Candles	4-0
6 lb Corn Flour	2-9	70 lb Soap	16-3
189 Eggs	11-10	4 St W. Soda	4-3

suppl (Bread) 3 pts Whiskey - 5/-

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 1867, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	-	9-6
In kind,	-	-	-	-	19-0
Total,	-	-	-	-	£ 28-6

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

Credit Treasurer with 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.

Head Const - Reilly, Expenses of Transmission of Michael Connors, under arrest Warrant, from Dublin to Galway 2/6 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:

Mr. Curran's Report.

Clothing grate - 23 Girls' Bibs -  
" 1 repaired - 10 Men's Shirts, 20 Sheets,  
and 20 Blankets -

Required - 200 yds Check, 200 yds Linsay, &  
200 Needles -

(Ordered)

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

Report of P. H. Curran, Relieving Officer.

That he prosecuted Michael Commons before the magistrates at Petty Sessions on Monday last for deserting his wife and children who are inmates of the Workhouse; that the magistrates discharged Commons, being of opinion that he did not desert his family, but merely went to Dublin to look for employment -

That Patrick Jorden has been arrested for desertion of his wife and family, who are inmates of the Workhouse, and that he will be brought for trial at Petty Sessions on Monday next.

That he has called upon the several persons who have children in the Workhouse, and that they have promised to take them out at once - That Thomas King has taken his four children out of the Workhouse and promises to support them in future -

Ordered -

Ordered - That Mr. Curran take proceedings against Michael Commons under the 50<sup>th</sup> section of 1 & 2 Vic. C. 56. if he refuse to enter the Workhouse with his wife and children -

Michael Flanagan, Relieving Officer of the Arran Islands, applied for an increase of his salary from £10 to £15 a year, in consideration of his trouble and expense in going from one Island to another, and in coming from Arran to Galway.

Notice of Motion -

To the Notice, I shall this day fortnight move that the salary of Michael Flanagan, Relieving Officer, be increased Five Pounds per annum -

James Clark

15<sup>th</sup> November, 1867.

An account of the expense of the transmission of Michael Commons from Dublin to Galway, arrested for desertion of his family, amounting to £2:16:6, was laid before the Board and ordered to be paid -

Received Lists of Townships requiring revision from Collectors Kelly, Gony, and Hermon - Collector Gony reported that no change of valuation is required in his district -

The subject of Mr. Curran's application for an increase of salary was taken into consideration, and it was resolved, unanimously -

That the Board consider that Mr. Curran should receive ~~an~~ addition of £8 a year for his services as Sanitary Inspector, and for his extra trouble in collecting <sup>money</sup> due to the Guardians for relief given by way of loan, in accordance with

with the resolution passed on the 1<sup>st</sup> March last, and that this increase should be payable from the 7<sup>th</sup> August 1866; and that the sanction of the Commissioners is requested to this proposal -

Receipts for the payments made on the 16<sup>th</sup>; 18<sup>th</sup> & 25<sup>th</sup> ultimo and on the 7<sup>th</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> instant were produced by the Clerk and examined -

*J. J. Joyce*  
*John Grealy*  
*J. J. Joyce*

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	-	-	-	17
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-	13
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	-	6
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	-	4
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	-	4
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	-	4
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	-	-	-	4

The Bonds and other securities in force were said 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 *Friday* the  
*22<sup>d</sup>* day of *Nov.* 186*7*  
(Signed) *James MacCall*  
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 Galway UNION,  
on Fri day, the 15<sup>th</sup> day of Apr 1867.—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

[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 Pate-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 \_\_\_\_\_

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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 (OF Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from Poor Law Commrs, No. 27950, dated 13<sup>th</sup> Nov. 1867

forwarding a letter which they have received from Dr. Stoney, Medical Officer of the Arran Dispensary District, applying for an increase of his salary; and requesting that the subject may be taken into consideration by the Board of Guardians after a fortnight's notice - Stating that it appears to the Commissioners that the application <sup>is reasonable</sup> and that the salary should be increased under the circumstances of the case to £100 a year -

Ordered - That the Clerk forward a copy of the correspondence to the Arran Dispensary Committee, and request that the Committee will express an opinion in regard to the proposed increase -

*Pierce Joyce*  
*Joseph Gately*  
*Chairman*

Galway County

(Signed)

*Thomas Stack*  
 Clerk of the Union.

*Galway*

UNION.

Population in 1861— 50821

Present Net Annual Value, £ 65,656.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 16<sup>th</sup> day of Nov. 1867.

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, . . . . .	816	324												
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	222	111												
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .	—	—												
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	444	25												
Fever Sheds, . . . . .	—	—												
Total, . . . . .	1082	459												
Remainng on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			29	68	65	106	41	37	39	58	20	144	144	4
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			6	4	1	7	2	5	3	3		31	24	8
TOTAL, . . . . .			29	72	66	113	43	42	42	61	20	175	168	12
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .														
Dead, Discharged, . . . . .			3	3	1	4	2	1	2	3	1	20		
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			3	3	2	4	2	1	2	3	1	21		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			25	69	64	109	41	41	33	58	19	154		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 16<sup>th</sup> day of Nov. 1867, 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.	1	8			1	8	Dist. forwd.						
No. II.	1	3			1	3	No. X.						
No. III.	2	2			2	2	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.	4	4			4	4	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forwd.	8	17			8	17	Total.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of November 1867.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Pierce Joyce*  
 Other Guardians:— *Dr. Redington, Joseph Gately, Dr. Harrison, J. W. Lynch, B. O'Flaherty, James Tully, Dr. Gib, J. Redington Jr., Jas. Clarke, Dr. Brown, W. M. O'Hare, James Davis, Dr. Brodie, P. L. J. attended.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 9546 to No. 9574 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 Lodgements 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.				
Wm. Kelly	Galway. North	72	9	.				830	7	10							
"	" South	42	7	6				582	18	.							
"	" East	81	10	6				1563	3	4							
"	" West	33	1	10				1198	6	1							
"	Ballinacorney	3	7	2				71	10	7							
"	Barna	1	17	6				232	17	.							
"	Carrinborone	7	3	3				57	6	7							
					242	4	9				4520	9	8				
Miss. Kynne													603	0	2		
Wm. Gannon															555	0	7
Wm. Hannon															179	5	6
J. Dillane															61	3	11
J. J. Morris															231	18	7
J. Curran															117	2	5
M. Curran															185	8	10
					242	4	9				242	4	9				

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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 . . . . . £ 242: 4: 9

Paid during the week, . . . . . £ 41: 15: 2

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was, £ 572: 10: 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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, £ 57 s. 9 d. 1

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 63 : 17 : 0

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 2 : 8 1/2

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

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, : 3 : 6 3/4

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:

2600 lb Bread	18.19.2	4 Bbl. Brandy	12.0
66 1/2 lb Meat (offn)	1.7.9	4 A. Pork	2.4
18 Beef Heads	1.16.0	7 pts Whiskey	11.8
175 lb Meat (Hosp'l)	4.0.3	15 lb Tobacco	3.4
2408 qts Milk	16.6.4	1 St Flour	3.0
18 lb Tea	1.16.0	6 Tons Coals	6.9.0
56 lb Sugar	16.3	6 Boxes Turf	6.5
7 H Corn Flour	3.2	8 lb Candles	4.0
162 - Eggs	10.2	70 lb Soap	16.8
24 pts P. Wine	1.12.0	1 lb Starch	4
10 lb L. Sugar	4.7		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 16 day of Nov 1867, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	-	0.9.6
In kind,	-	-	-	-	" 19.6
Total,	-	-	-	-	£ 1.2.0

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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 Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value.
No. I.						Bt. forwd.					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forwd						Total.					

Credit Treasurer with 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.

*[Handwritten signature]*

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

2. Establishment Account.

*[Handwritten signature]* Clerk, *[Handwritten signature]* 2 12

*[Handwritten signature]*

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

3. Warehouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
In. J. Lynch, Master, Potatoes	5	"	"

Debit Warehouse 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:

Hospital Reports -

Workhouse - Admitted during the week	13
Discharged	8
Died	3
Remainings	157

Required -  
3630s Spinning Calico - 6 Sweeping Brushes.  
(Ordered)

Fevers Hospital - Admitted during the week	7
Discharged	1
Remainings	29

Required -  
1/2 lb Thread, 1/2 Hundred Needles.  
(Ordered)

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

Ordered - The Check, Cartroy, Penny & Stipe, and Linsey Woolsey submitted for inspection are approved. Ticken rejected - to be returned to Contractor -

Ordered -

- 1 Door-Porter, 2 Stair rods, 2 Wax candles,
- 3 Bot Dealaya Wine - (Inppt. Order) -
- 100 Common Buckets, 24 Fire Buckets,
- Repair of Fire-ward in Boys School.
- 1 New gas pendant, Repair of a gas pendant,
- Mason's wages 10/-

Maturin's Report -

That with the 10 Blankets cancelled she got 8 repaired, and got made 4 girls Bibs -

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 - Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 24<sup>th</sup> November, 1867, No 136, requesting returns in forms enclosed showing the amount of Poor Rate lodged and the total expenditure of the Union during the year ended 29<sup>th</sup> Sept. 1867 -

Read Letter from Mr. H. Burgess, dated 15<sup>th</sup> Nov., enclosing forms of queries to be filled by the leading flat-gamers <sup>in the</sup> neighbourhood, and returned for the information of the Belfast Flat Extension Association.

Letter from Sir E. Lyard, dated 15<sup>th</sup> Nov., stating that the application for a continuance of the pension of Private Patrick Dowd, late 24<sup>th</sup> Foot, should be made to the Commrs of Chelsea Hospital.

Ordered - Clerk to apply accordingly -

Read Letter from Clerk of Ansterand Union, dated 18<sup>th</sup> November, stating that a woman named Mary Maude, who was admitted to the Ansterand Workhouse on the 9<sup>th</sup> inst., alleged that she was refused admission to the Galway Workhouse on the Friday previous, and that a child who was with her named Thomas Maude was admitted. Inquiring as to the truth of the allegation -

Ordered - Clerk to reply and state the facts -

Read Letter from Secretary to the National Education Board dated 14<sup>th</sup> Nov., forwarding the following extracts from the District Inspectors last Report on the Workhouse School:

"The course of training and instruction is suited to the children at the schools.

"The proficiency of the pupils in the Male School is fairly satisfactory in all the branches of instruction except geography. The low proficiency in this subject is chiefly caused by the want of maps. There is no large map fit for use in the boys' school. In the female school a map of Europe which was recently in a perfect state is now so much torn and mutilated as to be unfit for use. I am satisfied that the present state of the maps in both schools is not the result of daily use, and I am of opinion that if the Board of Guardians furnish a fresh supply the teachers should be held accountable for their safe keeping.

"In the female school the proficiency though somewhat more satisfactory than at last inspection is not yet what it might be. The Reading is better than at last visit; but the second class pupils are very deficient in arithmetical tables and the geography of Ireland. The Arithmetic of Third class is now fairly satisfactory. There is some improvement in the Penmanship also, and the books are kept clean; but the style is still quite too angular. On the whole however I am enabled to state that there are some signs of progress in both schools"

Ordered -



Ordered. That the maps now in use in the Schools be produced at the Guardians next meeting, with a list of the new maps required; that the Teachers be held accountable for the preservation of any new maps supplied, and that the Clerk read for them the letter from the Education Board -

Letter from Registrar General dated 24th November, with reference to the returns showing the average rates of agricultural produce in the Union for this year

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	-	-	17
Ditto disallowed	-	-	"
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	21
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	7
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	"
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	"
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	-	-	4

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.)

Recd. Letter from Mr. Wm. Kelly, Poor Rate Collector, dated 22nd November, stating that Moses was the cause of his own absence on Monday, the 17th instant; that he attended with his books on Monday the 18th, and will continue to attend regularly on Mondays as long as the collection is in progress.

Letter from Mr. Samuel N. Roberts, dated 22nd Nov. recommending some improvement in the construction of the drying closet attached to the hospital laundry to make it available for its intended use; and estimating the cost of the alterations at about £8 -

Ordered. That Mr. Roberts be requested to have the suggested improvements carried out under his own immediate directions -

Report of P. H. Cullen, Relieving Officer -

That at Petty Sessions on Monday last Pat Kennedy was ordered to be imprisoned for two weeks, with the hard labour, for refusing to maintain his stepson -

That the complaint against Pat Golden was dismissed, as he had taken his wife and two children out of the Workhouse previous to his arrest.

That Margaret Ryan was imprisoned for one month for assaulting him at the Workhouse gate on Friday last.

That the complaint against Knight Commons was adjourned to Wednesday next to give him an opportunity of taking his family out of the Workhouse, and that having failed to do so Commons was sentenced to one month's imprisonment with the hard labour -



Report of Visiting Committee -

19<sup>th</sup> November 1867.

Present. Joseph Greally, John Hill, and James Fahy.

The Committee recommended the Board to procure 50 pair of Blankets, 50 Ticks, and 100 Sheets to supplement the stock of Bedding in the House, and that 10 pair of Blankets be condemned for repairs; the Matron to exhibit the articles repaired with those cancelled for that purpose.

The floor of the infirm ward (female) required to be repaired. This has been more than once recommended by the Poor Law Commissioners, and the Committee believe agreed to by the Board - The work should be done without further delay.

The Committee think that some suitable employment could be provided for the infirm males and females, and recommend the Board to take the subject into consideration -

(Signed) Joseph Greally, John Hill, James Fahy.

The report was adopted, and orders signed for 50 pair of Blankets, 225 yards of sheeting, and 300 yds of Ticks - The Centre passage in the female infirm was ordered to be boarded - The Matron was directed to keep the infirm women capable of such work as sewing, and knitting - Labour Books to be procured, <sup>and kept</sup> by the Master & Matron

Ordered.

That, as recommended by Dr. Purdie, Poor Law Inspector, the Lavatories attached to the Boys and Girls school, - should be put into an improved and more effective condition, and that the Master consult Mr Davis respecting the execution of the work.

Dr. Browne withdrew his notice of motion, viz. -

that the Board take into consideration the necessity of giving the Master some assistance in keeping the Workhouse Books and of appointing a person for that duty -

Ordered. That the Clerk direct the attention of the Medical Officers to the General Orders of the Commissioners prescribing the books they shall keep; and that the Master be relieved from all trouble and responsibility in regard to those books -

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 29<sup>th</sup> day of November, 1867.

Thomas Stack  
Clerk of the Union

Joseph Greally  
John Hill  
Michael Fahy

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1867

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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(No. 27.)

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway UNION,  
on 21 day, the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Novr 1867.—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:*

*An application of the Galway Dispensary  
Committee for supplying of Soap, Candles,  
Candles, Soap, Washing Soda, Brushes, &c.,  
was laid before the Board, and ordered to  
be referred back to the Committee; a special  
meeting to be summoned to consider the requi-  
-sition-*

*Galway  
J. J. J. J. J.*

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

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

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

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

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

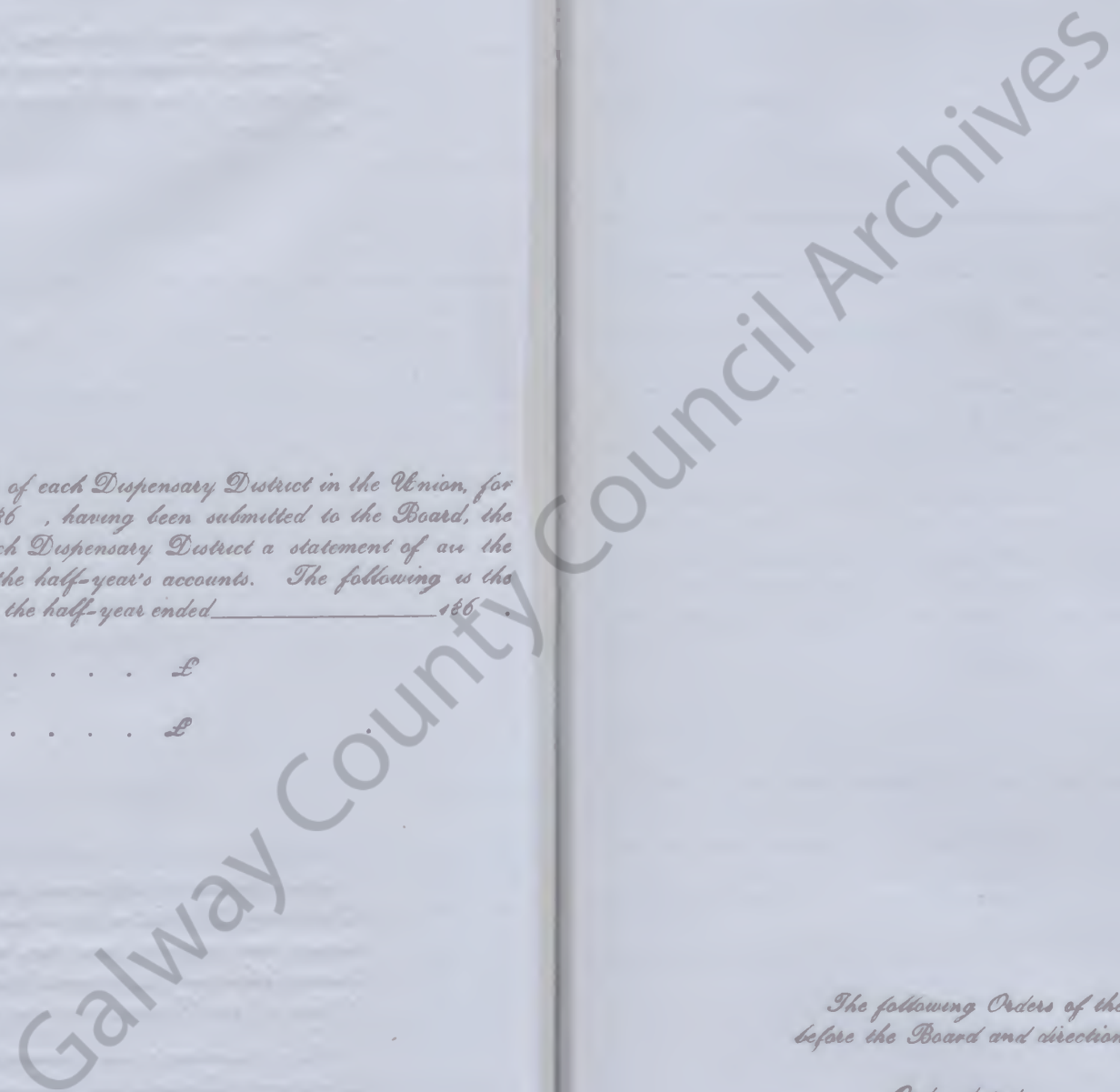
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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 \_\_\_\_\_

Galway UNION.

Population in 1861— 50,821

Present Net Annual Value, £ 15,656

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Nov. 1867.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number In Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse, . . . . .	816	848														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	222	92														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	44	23														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
Total, . . . . .	1082	1063														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			25	69	64	109	41	41	33	50	19	459	In Workhouse Hospital, 150	In separate Wards, 4		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			7	3	3	9	1	3	4	2	2	34	In Fever Hospital, 23	In Wards with other Inmates, 8		
TOTAL, . . . . .			32	72	67	118	42	44	37	60	21	493	Total, 173	Total, 12		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			5	3	2	5	3	4	3	9	-	27				
Died, . . . . .						1	2					3				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			5	3	2	7	5	4	3	9	-	30				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			27	69	64	111	39	40	34	58	21	463				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of Nov 1867, 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.	1	8			1	8	Do. forward.						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.	3	3			3	3	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.	5	5			5	5	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
<u>Total</u>	9	16			9	16	<u>Total</u>						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 29<sup>th</sup> day of November 1867.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Joseph Leahy Esq  
 Other Guardians:— Capt. W. Blake, John Hill, Jas Davis, Rich<sup>d</sup> Brooke Carter, Mich<sup>l</sup> Fallon, Dr. Brodie, Poor Law Insp<sup>r</sup>, attended.

(Signed) Thomas Stack  
 Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 9575 to No. 9603 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 . . . . . £ 327 : 13 : 0  
 Paid during the week, . . . . . £ 9 : 17 : 6  
 And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was, £ 224 : 14 : 9  
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

\* including £ 1.15.9 per R. V. Cullen. for Repayment of Relief-

The Lodgements 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.
Wm Kelly	Galway North	29	8	0				800	14	10			
"	" South	17	7	7				525	10	5			
"	" East	115	7	0				1447	16	4			
"	" West	17	13	3				1180	12	10			
"	Ballintemple	4	0	10				67	4	4			
"	Barna	7	2	6				225	14	6			
"	Carrumbrowne		14					50	12	7			
					191	13	2				4318	16	3
A. Hoyle											603	5	2
W. Young											555	14	9
J. H. Hannon											139	5	6
J. P. Dillane											61	3	11
J. J. Morris											231	18	7
J. Curran											117	2	5
A. Curran											105	3	16
								191	13	2	6132 15 3		

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 58 s. 14 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 65 : 3 : 1

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ : 2 : 8 1/2

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

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, £ : 3 : 11 3/4

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:

2600 lb Bread ———— 18. 14. 2	162 - Eggs ———— 10. 2
66 1/2 lb Meat (off) — 1. 7. 9	1/2 Bar Porter ——— 1. 0. 6
18 Beef Heads ——— 1. 16. 0	26 pts P. Wine ——— 1. 14. 8
187 lb Meat (Hosp <sup>l</sup> ) — 4. 5. 9	4 Bot. Brandy ——— 12. 0
243 lb gth Milk ——— 16. 10. 2	4 lb An Root ——— 2. 4
1 ct Salt ———— 1. 5	7 pts Whiskey ——— 11. 8
18 lb Tea ———— 1. 16. 0	15 lb Tobacco ——— 3. 4
60 lb Sugar ———— 19. 7	6 Mrs Coats ——— 6. 9. 0
10 lb L. Sugar ——— 4. 7	6 Boxes Turf ——— 6. 5
10 lb Corn Flour ——— 4. 7	8 lb Candles ——— 4. 0
1 ct Rice ———— 18. 4	70 lb Soap ———— 16. 3
4 lb Pepper ———— 1. 8	4 St. W. Soda ——— 4. 3

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 23 day of Nov 1867, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

				£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	-		9.	6
In kind,	-	-	-		11.	0
Total,	-	-	-	£	1. 0.	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 Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
		£	s.	d.	Article and quantity.			Value.	£	s.	d.
No. I.						Bt. forwd.					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forwd.						Total.					

Credit Treasurer with 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.

Synch. Master.	Shaw	£	s.	d.
		3		

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

2. Establishment Account.

Stack, Clerk,	School Requisites	£	s.	d.
		4	3	

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

*[Handwritten scribble]*

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

*[Handwritten scribble]*

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:

*[Handwritten scribble]*

Hospital Reports.

Workhouse -

Admitted during the week	10
Discharged	24
Died	4
Remaining	133

Fever Hospital -

Admitted during the week	3
Discharged	7
Remaining	25

It is earnestly requested that the windows shall be made perfect.  
(Ordered)

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

That 50 pair of Blankets supplied by the Contractor are submitted for inspection - *(Approved)*

That the Fever Hospital Extra Book has not been made up since Sunday last, and that the Doctor does not seem to think it devolves upon him to have it done -

Ordered - That Dr. Colahan be called upon to get the book made up at once -

That he has contracted for the delivery of 20 tons of Stones at 11<sup>s</sup> per ton, to be broken by the inmates.

That he has purchased 2 1/2 Stones of Potatoes @ 4 1/4 p Stone.

Ordered -

- 4 Barrels of Lime, 1 Gate Bolt and screws, 1 Box Flints,
- 1 Bot. Malaga Wine, 42 sq. panes of glass, 1 Kettle,
- 1 Tea pot, 2 plates, 2 Cups & Saucers,
- 1 Siver, 100 yds Lining Calico,
- 2 Tons Straw, 1 Coal Box -



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

### Matron's Report -

Clothing made - 60 Women's aprons -  
 repaired - 13 Women's Chemises -  
 11 Men's Shirts,  
 13 girls' Chemises,  
 12 " Petticoats.

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

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, dated 23<sup>rd</sup> November, 1867. No 25958/1867, stating that the Commissioners will not oppose the unanimous wish of the Board of Guardians that the salary of Mr. Julian, Relieving Officer, be increased by £8 a year, -

Letter from Bridget McDonnell, now residing in Glasgow, requesting that the Board of Guardians would forward her daughter, an inmate of the Workhouse, to her -  
 (Refused)

Letter from General Valuation Office, dated 20<sup>th</sup> Nov., acknowledging receipt of lists of Tenements requiring revision -

Letter from Mr. Robt. Stephens, Guardian for Irishmore E.D., dated 20<sup>th</sup> November, objecting to any increase of the salaries of the Relieving Officer and Medical Officer of the Arran District -

Letter from Joseph Bradley, Tailor, asking for an increase to his present wages of 8<sup>/-</sup> per week. (No Order)

Annora Mahon, an inmate of the Workhouse, applied for clothing to enable her to leave the House and accept an offer of employment - It was proposed that a sum of 7<sup>/-</sup> be allowed for the purpose, to which an amendment was moved, that the allowance be contingent upon the employer adding 5<sup>/-</sup> to that sum. Upon a Division, 3 voted for and 3 against the amendment; the resolution was then put with a like result, and both were declared lost.

Pursuant to notice given by Mr. James Clarke, Mr. John Gill moved that the salary of Michael Flanagan, Relieving Officer of Arran Islands, be increased by £5 a year, viz. - from £10 to £15 per annum. The motion was seconded by Capt. Valentine Blake, and carried nem. Con.

The maps in use in the Schools were produced before the Board; and requisitions for maps &c. for both Schools, amounting to £4.3.0, were submitted -  
 Ordered to be supplied.

The Chaplain's Book was produced and the following entry read:

" 27<sup>th</sup> November -  
"Visited both Schools: the children are very  
"much improved -"  
John Dorley, Chaplain"

*John Dorley*

Joseph Grealy  
Michael Fallon

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 - 5

Ditto disallowed - - - - - 4

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 16

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - 6

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - - - 7

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - 7

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was - - - - - 4

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 *Friday* the  
*6<sup>th</sup>* day of *December* 1867  
(Signed) *Thomas Stac A*  
Clerk of the Union.

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(No. 27.)

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway UNION,  
on Tu. day, the 7<sup>th</sup> day of Decr. 1867.—continued.

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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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*On application of the Committee of Management of the Galway  
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3 Pins, 1 Pot on Chimney, 3 seats to  
be repaired - Some old flannel for mopping.*

*(See Minutes of next meeting)*

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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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 (OF Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from Arms Dispers Committee 25<sup>th</sup> Nov. 1867, Adm. Dispers

Objecting to an increase in the Salary of the Medical Officer. Dr. Storey, as suggested by the Commissioners Letter of 13<sup>th</sup> inst. - Ordered - That the Clerk forward a copy of the letter to the Poor Law Commissioners.

Letter from Dr. P. Cullinane, Relieving Officer, dated 29<sup>th</sup> Nov., stating that he had some persons summoned to the Athlone Petty Sessions on the 20<sup>th</sup> inst., for not complying with the provisions of the Compulsory Vaccination Act; that four were fined one shilling, two fined six pence, and three fined one penny each, and ordered to pay costs of Court -

Henry Conroy  
Joseph Grant  
Michael Fallon

(Signed)

Thomas Stack  
Clerk of the Union.

January

Population in 1861 - 50821

Present Net Annual Value, £65,656.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1867.

Table with columns: Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided, So. that can be accommodated in each building, Total No. on the above date, Able-bodied (Males, Fem.), Aged and Infirm persons, 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 (Number in Hospital on the above date, No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date), OBSERVATIONS.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30<sup>th</sup> day of Nov 1867, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. (Number of cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her), Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. (Number of cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her), Total relieved out of the Workhouse (Cases, Persons), RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. (Number of cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her), Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. (Number of cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her), Total relieved out of the Workhouse (Cases, Persons).

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 6<sup>th</sup> day of December 1867.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Pierce Joyce  
Other Guardians: Capt. Phara, Joseph Fealy, E.D. Burke, Michl. Fallon, James Foley, S.H. Greene, Capt. Lynch, John Gill -  
Dr. Burke, P.L. Inps, attended.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4822 to No. 4823 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:

That Collector Morris sent by a messenger the Treasurer's receipt for a lodgment of £52 but did not submit his books for examination.

That Collector Dillane did not attend with his books for examination as directed on the 4<sup>th</sup> instant, and has yet made no lodgment of rates from his district.

Ordered - That the Clerk require the attendance of Collectors Morris and Dillane on Friday next to explain the cause of their <sup>non</sup> attendance.



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 . . . . . £ 195 : 6 : 2

Baid during the week, . . . . . £ 7 : 3 : .

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was, £ 36 : 11 : 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Lodgements 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.					
Mr. Kelly	Gahway, North	9	0	3				7	9	11	7							
	" South	11	18	0				5	3	12	5							
	" East	22	16	0				14	25		4							
	" West	10	18	3				11	6	9	14	7						
	Balintemple	1		10				6	6	8	11							
	Barna	8	6	6				2	17	8	0							
Carrawbrownie	1	11	3				4	4	1	4								
					65	19	1				42	52	17	2				
Nich <sup>s</sup> Kipe	Annaghmore	14	15	3				6	5	7	3							
	Asphim	9	1	5				5	3	2								
	Belleville	4	5	0				4	5	10	4							
	Cammore	7	11	3				4	5	10	5							
	Clareahway	2	19					10	5	8	1							
	Deelpark	7	5	2				6	1	7	9							
	Lackaghbeg	20	3	6				6	7	11	7							
	Liscannam	6	3	9				5	5	17	5							
	Lisheenwalla							2	9	6	10							
					72	4	4				53	1	0	10				
James	Balnacorney	8						1	4	2	4							
	Clarebridge	8						1	5	11	7							
	Oranmore	4	1	1				1	4	5	3							
	Stradbally	4	10	8				4	9		8							
					61	19	9				49	3	15	0				
M. Hermon														13	9	5	6	
John Dillane														6	1	3	11	
J. J. Morris														2	3	1	8	7
Tom Curran														1	1	7	2	5
Nich <sup>s</sup> Curran														1	0	5	8	10
					200	3	2				59	32	12	3				

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

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



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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ *64* s. *16* d. *6*

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average Cost in Infirmary,

Average Cost in Fever Hospital,

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined,

and orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

250 lb Bread	18.4.7	1/2 Bbl Porter	1.1.0
6 1/2 A. Meat	1.7.9	26 lbs P. Rice	1.14.8
18 Beef Heads	1.16.0	3 Bbl. Brandy	9.0
17 1/2 A. Meat (Hops)	4.0.8	5 lbs Whiskey	8.4
1 sm Salmagundi	4.0.0	4 lb An. Cork	2.4
23 1/4 lbs Milk	16.0.5	15 lb Tobacco	3.4
16 lb Tea	1.12.0	1 A. Flour	3.0
56 lb Sugar	18.3	6 sm Coals	6.9.0
10 lb L. Sugar	4.7	6 Pans Inf	6.5
10 lb Corn Flour	4.7	8 lb Candles	4.0
135 Eggs	8.5	70 lb Soap	16.3

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 30 day of *Nov* 1867, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	-	£	s.	d.
In kind,	-	-	-	-			
Total,	-	-	-	-	£	19	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 Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.						Bt. forwd.					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forwd.						Total,					

Credit Treasurer with 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.
68.	Marion Collins,	Frieze & Lacey	44	11	2
69.	Brother Thomas,	Chester, &c	13	.	5

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

		2. Establishment Account.	£	s.	d.
70.	W. Coughan	Coffins (17. 1/2)	3	16	9
72.	Thos. Stack,	Clerks Sect. Small Bills	13	12	
73.	Wm. Daniel,	Impaid Bills - Pins and Brushes	5	9	6

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

3. Warehouse Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.
55.	John Morris	Bread	10 30	1	3
56.	Do	Milk	36	17	4
57.	Do	Candles &c	4	19	6
58.	Colt Mc Namara	Meat	49	5	2
59.	Mr. Kearns	Cabulal	14	.	.
60.	Ellen Sweeney	Indian Meat	12	10	.
61.	Mr. Hughes	Milk	8	10	10
62.	Mr. Burns	Milk	8	10	10
63.	Michael Hughes	Milk	6	12	11
63.	Dr. Cunningham	Milk	6	12	11
65.	J. J. Byrne	Wine, Rice, &c	16	12	7
66.	Mr. Lome	Inf	1	2	5
67.	Gas Company	Gas	8	10	11

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
74.	Supch. Master, purchase of Potatoes	5	.	.

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

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

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

Medical Officers Reports

Workhouse - Admitted during the week - 14  
 Discharged - 11  
 Died - 4  
 Remaining - 137

"Additional fuel is required in the Dispensary Shed."

Fever Hospital - (Ordered)

Fever Hospital - Admitted during the week - 8  
 Discharged - 5  
 Remaining - 28

The Reports of the Master and other Officers read, and Orders made thereon as follows:—  
That Sicken received from the Contractor is submitted for inspection. (Approved)

That the Gas Bill for the past month being very high, it may be well to have the meters inspected to see if they are in a condition to give correct indications.  
Ordered - Send the meters to the Gas Works to be tested.

That the Medical Officer of the Fever Hospital has not filled the classification tables in the Extra Diet Book, and that he (the Master) was obliged to pay a person to do it, in order to make up his accounts.  
(Dr. Colahan attended and made a statement on this subject. The Board decided that it is the duty of the Master to fill the classification tables in the Extra Diet Book.)

Required - 1 set of Shives for class - 2 Windsor Bars for Boys' School.  
Repairs of Fire-guard - 6 Tin Scissors - (Ordered)

Ordered - Master to employ two Tailors and one Shoemaker for a few weeks.

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

Magdon's Report.

Clothing made - 44 Women's aprons, and 32 Girls' Bibs.

Repaired -

12 Women's petticoats - 11 Men's Shirts, &

12 — Chemises -

Required -

400g. pieces of Tape, 1 pair of Scissors,  
(ordered)

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 Order) made on them respectively as follows:

From Poor Law Comm<sup>rs</sup> -

N<sup>o</sup> 139. In/67 } Requesting a Return showing particulars  
20 Decr. } respecting the Rates made and any new rates  
apud apud in the Union -

N<sup>o</sup> 142. In/67 } Requesting Clerk to forward copies of any entries  
2<sup>nd</sup> Decr. } which may have been made in the Visitors' Book,  
the Chaplain's Book, or other Union Book, since the  
1<sup>st</sup> January, 1865, by persons visiting the Workhouse,  
regarding the state and management of the Work-  
house -

N<sup>o</sup> 27950/67 } Requesting Clerk to return the letter of O.<sup>r</sup>  
5 Decr. } Stone which was enclosed with their letter  
of the 13<sup>th</sup> ultimo -

Letter from General Valuation Office, dated 30<sup>th</sup> November, stating that Mr. Denis McElhgoth has been appointed to make the annual revision of the Valuation of the Union;

Ordered -

That the Clerk give notice of the arrival of the Reviser in the Galway Express newspaper and by handbills, and also by advertisement in the Galway "Indicator" -

Read Letter from Mr. Tyrel, a prisoner, who has received relief by way of loan, as King on abatement of the charge against him -

Ordered. that the claim be abated from 16/8 to 8/4 -

Proposed by Capt. J. Wilson Lynch, and Resolved -

That the alterations required in Lavatories attached to the boys and girls schoolrooms, as suggested by Dr. Brooke, be made: That hand-bills be posted inviting Contractors to send in tenders; particulars of the work to be done to be pointed out by the Clerk of the Union.

Ordered. That the several cases in which the cost of relief given by way of loan &c. remains unpaid be inquired into at next meeting, with a view to determine what proceedings should be taken with reference thereto.

Ordered. That the Clerk advertise for tenders - to be received on the 20<sup>th</sup> instant, - for the supply of Steam for use of the Workhouse, to the 29<sup>th</sup> Sept. next.

Wm Lynch  
James Lynch  
G. J. Morris

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	-	-	-	27
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-	1
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	-	13
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	-	8
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	-	0
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	-	1
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	-	-	-	4

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 *Friday* the  
*13<sup>th</sup>* day of *Decr.* 1867  
(Signed) *Thomas Sturges*  
Clerk of the Union.

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

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*Johnny* Dispensary District  
71 Account of *D. E. Leahy* for Vaccinations: Amount £ 5: 14: 0

[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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Read Letter from Poor Law Comm<sup>rs</sup> dated 5<sup>th</sup> Decr, 1867.

referring to Minutes of 29<sup>th</sup> ultimo, and stating that the Commissioners think that under the circumstances of the case Dr. Honey's salary might fairly be increased to £100, and requesting that the Board of Guardians will be so good as to take the subject into their consideration accordingly.

Ordered.

That the Clerk give notice to all the Guardians that this subject will be taken into consideration on this day for next.

Pierce Joyce  
James Fahy  
Guy Morris

Galway County Council

(Signed)

Thomas Stack  
Clerk of the Union.

Galway UNION.

Population in 1861— 57,821

Present Net Annual Value, £ 15,656

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 7<sup>th</sup> day of Decr 1867.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on this date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number In Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse, . . . . .	816	343														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	222	102														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	444	21														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
Total, . . . . .	1482	466														
Remainng on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			27	82	61	109	38	31	32	59	21	460	In Workhouse Hospital, } 135	In separate } 4		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			5	11	10	5	1			2	3	37	In Hospital, } 21	In Wards with other } 8		
TOTAL, . . . . .			32	93	71	114	39	31	32	61	24	497	Total, } 156	Total, } 12		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			5	5	3	5	2	3	1		2	26				
Died, . . . . .						2	3					5				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			5	5	3	7	5	3	1		2	31				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			27	88	66	106	37	28	31	61	22	466				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 7<sup>th</sup> day of Decr 1867, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
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No. I.	1	8			1	8	Br. ford.						
No. II.	1	1			1	1	No. X.						
No. III.	3	3			3	3	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.	5	5			5	5	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. ford.	10	17			10	17	Total						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians at a Meeting held on the 13<sup>th</sup> day of Decr 1867.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Pierce Joyce Esq

Other Guardians:—

Mr. Redington, James Fahy,  
Capt. O'Hara, George Morris, James Clarke,  
J. V. Browne, John Gill.

Dr. Brodie, P. L. Inspector, attended.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 9664 to No. 9667 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 . . . . . + £ 300 : 6 : 5

Paid during the week, . . . . . £ 357 : 1 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was, £ 90 : 6 : 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

+ Including £ 4 : 18 : 11 per R.D. Cullen, for Re-employment of Relief

The Lodgements 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.
William Kelly	Garway North	28	0	0				763	11	7			
"	South		14	9				582	17	8			
"	East	26	4	1				1298	16	3			
"	West	53	14	0				1116	0	7			
"	Ballintemple	8	4	2				58	4	9			
"	Garna	2	12	0				214	16	0			
"	Carrowbrowne	2	6	9				46	14	7			
					121	15	9				4131	1	5
Nicholas Kyne	Annaghdown							65	17	3			
"	Aughrim							574	3	2			
"	Belleville							45	18	4			
"	Clanmore							45	10	5			
"	Clarefalway							105	8	1			
"	Deerpark							61	7	9			
"	Lackabeg							67	11	7			
"	Lisicananane							55	17	5			
"	Liskenavalla							29	6	10			
											531	0	10
William Younge	Ballinacourty							142	0	4			
"	Clarensbridge							157	11	7			
"	Oranmore							145	2	5			
"	Stradbally							49	0	8			
Martin Hernon	Inishmore							139	5	6			
											493	15	0
John Dillane	Kilcummin	30	2	0				31	1	11			
					30	2	0				139	5	6
James D. Morris	Moycollare	6	3	4				71	15	70			
"	Sliweaneena	12	19	8				57	16	11			
"	Lullokyne	32	17	0				52	12	6			
					52	0	0				176	5	3
Liamothy Curran	Durbough	12	0	0				45	10	5			
"	Spiddle	7	0	0				52	1	2			
					19	0	0				97	11	7
Nicholas Curran	Killannin	13	7	5				30	1	10			
"	Selena	44	19	8				16	19	11			
					58	7	1				47	1	9
					281	4	0				662	0	0

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was, £ 59 s. 15 d. 4

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ s. d. 65-15-11

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 2-8 1/2

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

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, : 4-0 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:

2500 lb Bread	18-4-7	13/- Egg	8-2
66 1/2 lb Meat (offr)	1-9-4	24 lbs P. Wine	1-12-0
18 Baf Heads	1-16-0	4 Bot. Brandy	12-0
188 lb Meat (Hosp <sup>l</sup> )	4-6-2	10 lbs P. Whiskey	16-8
1 Ton Indian Meal		2 lb A. Nut	1-2
2348 qts Milk	15-18-2	15 lbs Tobacco	3-4
1 ct. Salt	1-5	6 Tons Coats	6-9-0
17 lb Tea	1-14-0	6 Boxes Turf	6-5
52 lb Sugar	17-0	8 lb Candles	4-0
8 lb Corn Flour	3-8	70 lb Soap	16-3
1 ct. Rice	10-9		
10 lb L. Sugar	4-7		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 7 day of Decr 1867, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	-	£	9	6
In kind,	-	-	-	-		15	0
Total,	-	-	-	-	£	24	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 the following amounts and value, respectively:

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

Credit Treasurer with 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 read before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

Examination of the body of his brother,  
Michael Ryan, who died in the Workhouse.

Ordered.

1/2 Gal. Colza Oil - 2 padlocks - 1 Stock Sock,  
2 Pr. but Knives - 4 Wall hooks - 1 lb. Wax Candles,  
10 1/2 lb sole and 3 lb upper Leather - 1 lb Hemp,  
1/2 worth of Wax - 2 worth of Hairs, 1 doz pair of tips,  
1 lb tip Nails - 1 lb Keel Springs - 1000 shoe nails,  
1 Shoe Knife -

The Doctor's report of clothing made and repaired during the week was read.

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):

From Poor Law Commissioners -

No 30252/1867 2<sup>nd</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> Sanctioning the proposed increase of the Salary of Relieving Officer Flanagan from £10 to £15 per annum -

No 30293/67 9<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> Requesting a Return showing the Number of Persons in receipt of Relief on the First Saturday of January and the First Saturday of July, 1866 -

No 31142/1867 12<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> Drawing the attention of the Board to the slow progress being made in the Collection of the Rates, particularly by Collectors Nye, Gony, Morris, and J. Curran, with a view to their urging the Collectors to a more active discharge of duty.

Ordered. Clerk to write to the Collectors named, and call upon them to proceed more vigorously with the Collection in their respective districts -

Read Letter from Comm<sup>rs</sup> of Chelsea Hospital, dated 9<sup>th</sup> December, stating that the circumstances of the case of Pater Donohue, late of the 24<sup>th</sup> Regt, do not entitle him to a continuance of his pension -

Letter from Mr. James Martin, dated 11<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup>, giving notice that he will attend to audit the accounts of the Union for the past half year on Monday, the 23<sup>rd</sup> inst.

Received Invoice of Medicines &c from Leslie & Co for use of the Workhouse, amount £44.8.3

Relieving Officer Culhnan reported that he had received notice of the eviction of Henry Blake Mahon from certain lands in the Electoral Division of Belleville -

The List of cases in which relief has been given by way of loan and remains unpaid was examined by the Board and orders made discharging the claims in some cases and in others for proceedings toward recovery -

Dr. Bowdler, Poor Law Inspector, drew the attention of the Board to the industrial training of the School girls, and recommended that efforts should be made to give them as far as practicable generally useful employment of various kinds -

The Nation Schoolmistress were called before the Board and instructed to carry out the recommendations and to make weekly reports showing the nature of the girls' occupation during working hours -

Dr. Bradie also called the attention of the Guardians to entries in the General Hospital Porter's Book, showing the frequent and prolonged absence of the Nurse, Mrs. Fletcher, from her duties -

Ordered - Clerk to bring the subject under the notice of Dr. Colahan, that he may give any necessary directions in regard to the interests of the patients and the good order of the establishment.

Resolved - The Commissioners are requested to authorize payment of salary to the Rev. John Carley, R.C. Chaplain, from 29<sup>th</sup> Sept. to the date of the order for his appointment, 26<sup>th</sup> Oct., at the rate of £85 a year, the Rev. Mr. Dooley having been officiating as Chaplain during that time -

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	-	-	-	16
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	-	9
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	-	"
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	-	"
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	-	-	-	5

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.)

Notice of Motion - I will ~~read~~ move the following resolution on this day fortnight, the 27<sup>th</sup> December, 1867: -

That the present Distribution of the grant from the Treasury in aid of the Medical Charities in Ireland is objectionable, and that a more <sup>fair</sup> and equitable allocation of the fund be suggested, in order if possible to reduce the expenses of Medical Charities in all Electoral Divisions in the Unions of Ireland to one penny in the pound wherever it exceeds that sum at present. That should such an arrangement be made, we consider every Medical Officer in charge of a Dispensary District should receive not less than £100 a year, which at present the excessive taxation for Medical Charities in populous poor districts renders it impossible to pay.

Signed) George Morris  
Decr. 13<sup>th</sup>. 1867 -

The Chaplain's Book was produced, and the following entry read: -  
"Visited the female School:  
"Examined the children in Catechism, and found them  
"not so advanced, as they might be."  
J. Morris, C.C.

Ordered - Call the attention of the Schoolmistress to this report -

The Punishment Book was produced containing a Complaint against Ben. Matthews and Luke for remaining 5 hours out of the Workhouse beyond the time allowed by the Master -  
"Reprimanded."

Collector Morris attended to explain the  
cause of his non-attendance on the 4<sup>th</sup> inst. -  
and was directed to be punctual <sup>for the future</sup> in submitting  
his accounts for examination on the appointed  
day. Collector Deane it appeared was  
prevented from attending by illness -

Wm. L. L. L.  
Joseph L. L.  
J. L. L.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* the *20<sup>th</sup>*  
day of *December* 186 *7*

(Signed) *Anna Stack*  
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 Galway UNION,  
on Friday, the 13<sup>th</sup> day of Decr. 1867.—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 Invercullin  
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of 18<sup>th</sup> Oct. last.  
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed to  
forward the same (or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical  
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

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

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

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

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

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

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

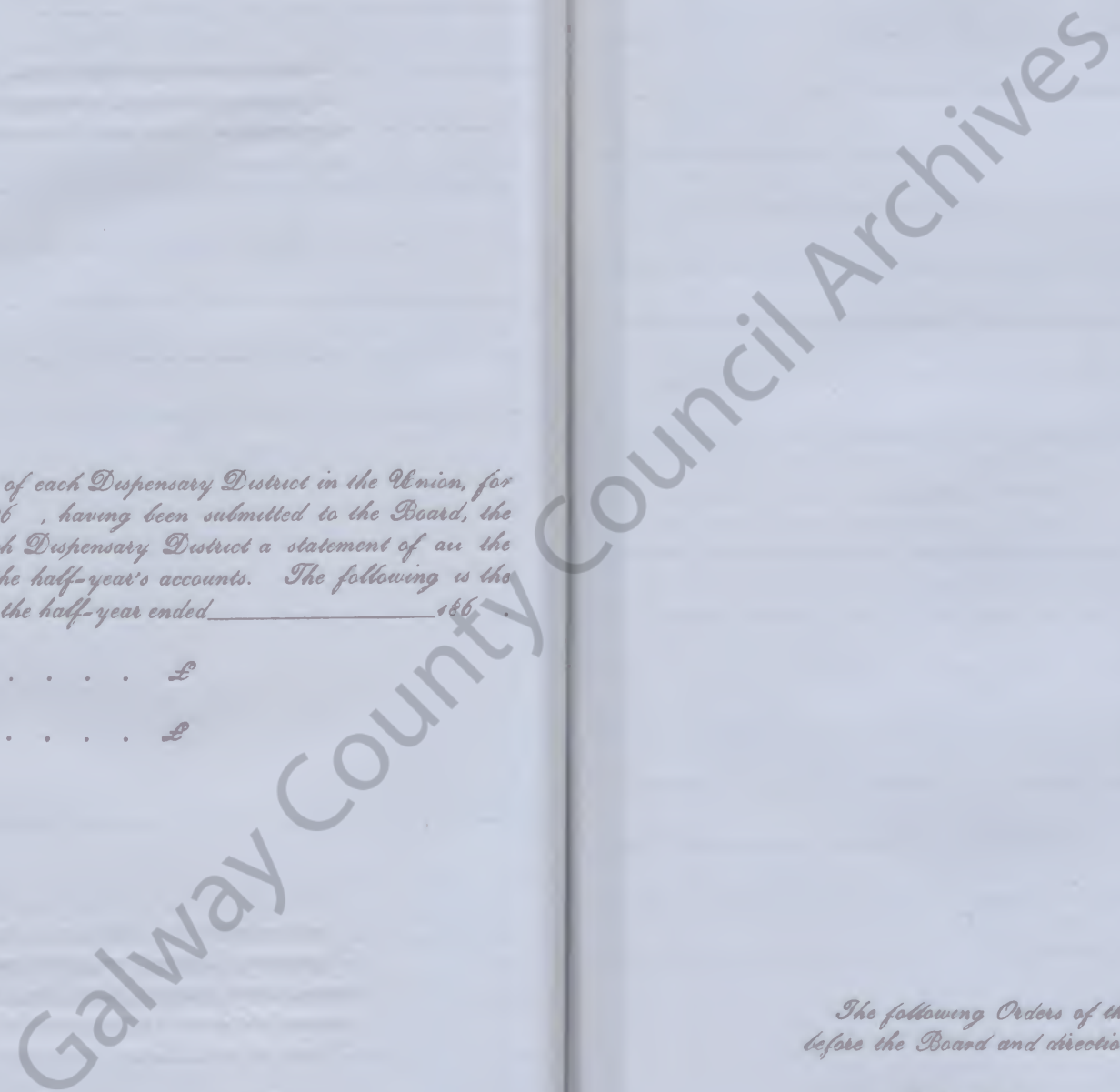
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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

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

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

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



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

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

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Galway UNION.

Population in 1861— 50821. Present Net Annual Value, £65,656

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of Dec<sup>r</sup> 1867.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. 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, . . . . .	816	353														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	222	107														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	44	23														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
Total, . . . . .	1082	477														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			27	88	66	106	37	20	31	61	22	466	In Workhouse Hospital, 131	In separate Wards, 4		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			5	2	1	9	2	2	2	2	2	25	In Hospital, 223	In Wards with other Inmates, 8		
TOTAL, . . . . .			32	90	67	115	39	28	33	63	24	491	Total, 154	Total, 12		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .																
Died, . . . . .																
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .																
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			32	88	64	110	39	25	32	63	24	477				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of Dec<sup>r</sup> 1867, 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.	1	8			1	8	Be-ferd.						
No. II.	2	2			2	2	No. X.						
No. III.	4	4			4	4	No. XI.						
No. IV.	.	.			.	.	No. XII.						
No. V.	.	.			.	.	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	4	4			4	4	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car-ferd.	11	18			11	18	Total.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 20<sup>th</sup> day of December 1867.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Pierce Dozerty  
 Other Guardians:— John J. Kelly, Joseph Kelly, James Davis, James Fahy, Michael D'Alton, George Morris.

(Signed,) Thomas Stack  
 Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 9668 to No. 9677 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 . . . . . + £209 : 4 : 10

Paid during the week, . . . . . £ 5 : 9 : 6

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was, £ 113 : 9 : 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

+ including £1. per A. V. L. for repayment of relief.

The Lodgements 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.		
Wm. Kelly	Galway North	27	1	11				736	9	8					
"	" South	27	3	4				505	7	4					
"	" East	58	17	4				1339	10	11					
"	" West	20	10	10				1087	1	9					
"	Ballinacorney	1	9	4				56	15	5					
"	Barna	36	14	2				178	1	10					
"	Currowrone	3	4	3				43	10	4					
					183	9	2				2967	12	3		
Nich <sup>s</sup> Kyne	Amoydown	11	11	5				524	5	10					
"	Amshim	22	.	0				32	2	6					
"	Bellerille	9	5	10				36	12	6					
"	Carmore	1	.	.				44	10	5					
"	Claregalway	15	12	2				89	15	1					
"	Deerpark	1	15	4				59	12	5					
"	Lackaghbeg	14	13	9				52	17	10					
"	Liscannam	14	11	0				41	6	5					
"	Lisheenava Nu	3	15	5				25	11	5					
Wm. Young	Ballinacorney	7	7	6				134	12	10					
"	Clarebridge	7	.	6				150	11	1					
"	Dunmore	20	6	7				116	15	10					
"	Strabally	6	9	7				42	11	1					
M. Hemon	Smithmore	.	.	.	19	4	2	139	5	6			444	10	10
Jno. Dillon	Kilcummin	.	.	.	.	.	.	31	1	11			139	5	6
J. J. Morris	Drogea New	.	.	.	.	.	.	71	15	10			31	1	11
"	Shroaneena	.	.	.	.	.	.	57	16	11					
"	Tullohkyne	.	.	.	.	.	.	52	12	6					
Thos. Curran	Furbush	.	.	.	.	.	.	45	10	5			176	5	5
"	Spiddal	.	.	.	.	.	.	52	1	2					
Nich. Curran	Killansin	.	.	.	.	.	.	30	1	10			97	11	7
"	Selma	.	.	.	.	.	.	16	19	11					
													47	1	9
					326	18	11				5320	4	4		

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £

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, £ 71 s. 5 d. 9

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 65 s. 14 d. 7

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was : 2 s. 8 d. 2

Average Cost in Infirmary, : 3 s. 9 d.

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, : 4 s. 2 d. 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:

27 1/2 A Bread	19. 13. 9	8 1/2 L. Sugar	3. 8
66 1/2 A. Meat (Officers)	1. 7. 9	24 pts P. Wine	1. 12. 0
18 Beef Heads	1. 16. 0	4 Bot. Brandy	12. 0
19 1/4 B Meat (Sold)	4. 9. 0	8 pts Whiskey	13. 4
23 1/2 qrs Milk	15. 73. 4	2 1/2 A. Root	1. 2
1 ct Salt	1. 5	15 lb Tobacco	3. 4
16 lb Tea	1. 12. 0	1 A. Flour	3. 0
52 A Sugar	17. 0	7 Tons Coals	7. 10. 6
6 A Corn Flour	2. 9	7 Bots Surf	7. 5
131 Eggs	8. 2	10 lb Candles	5. 4
1/2 Bil Porter	0. 8	70 lb Soap	16. 3
		1 A. Starch	4
		4 A. N. Soda	4. 3

Extra for Christmas Day  
 250 A Bread - 1. 16. 6  
 345 B Bread - 8. 12. 6  
 6 lb Tea - 12. 0  
 24 lb Sugar - 7. 11

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 Decr 1867, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	9. 6
In kind,	-	-	19. 6
Total,	-	-	£ 1. 9. 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 Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Cheque on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.	P. H. L. New	2. 0. 0	(106)			No. X.					
No. II.	P. L. L. L.	2. 0. 0	(107)			No. XI.					
No. III.	P. L. L. L.	2. 0. 0	(108)			No. XII.					
No. IV.	P. L. L. L.	2. 0. 0	(109)			No. XIII.					
No. V.	P. L. L. L.	2. 0. 0	(109)			No. XIV.					
No. VI.						No. XV.					
No. VII.						No. XVI.					
No. VIII.						No. XVII.					
No. IX.						Total					
Total		6. 0. 0									

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.

*[Handwritten signature]*

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

2. Establishment Account

75	Rev. J. Deane	Prot. Chaplain	Salary to 25 Decr	6	5	0
76	Rev. J. Dooley	R.C. Chaplain	"	21	5	0
77	J. Stack	clerk	"	32	10	"
78	J. J. Lynch	Master	"	15	"	"
79	M. Conway	Mytron	"	7	10	"
80	J. McFigue	Schoolmaster	"	4	10	6
81	M. O'Shaughnessy	Schoolmistress	"	5	"	"
82	J. Collins	Medical Officer	"	22	10	"
83	A. Colahan	Dr.	"	22	10	"
84	A. H. England	Apothecary	"	17	10	"
85	P. Larkin	Porter (N.H.)	"	3	"	"

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

Establishments  
3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
86	J. Macklen, Infirmary Nurse, Salary to 25 Decr	7	10	
87	E. Hojon, do	3	15	
88	S. Ryan, do	3	15	
89	A. Fletcher, Dever Hosp. Nurse	3	15	
90	J. Coyle, do Porter	2	10	
91	P. H. Coonan, Relieving Officer	10		
92	do, do Salary from 7 <sup>th</sup> Augt. 1866	11		
93	W. Jones, do q <sup>r</sup> to 25 <sup>th</sup> December	5		
94	P. Cullinan, do	5		
95	M. Jiffin, do	5		
96	P. Morris, do	5		
97	D. Flanagan, do	2	15	6

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
100	Stack, Clerk, Small Bills	7	10	

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:

Medical Officers' Report—  
Workhouse - Admitted during the week - 6  
Discharged - 9  
Died - 2  
Remaining - 125

" They request that the Hospital patients be  
admitted the usual extra meal and tea on Christmas day.  
Ordered - The matter to be left to D. Deland's discretion!

Fever Hospital - Admitted during the week - 8  
Discharged - 1  
Remaining - 20  
Required - A large enema-syringe, and half  
a dozen male Catheters -  
(Ordered)

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:  
That he has purchased 265 1/2 St. Potatoes at 4 1/4 p Stone.

That the Schoolmaster resumed his duties on the 16<sup>th</sup> inst.  
Required -

6 Brass Drums, 20 yds cord, 1 Box floats,  
3 pieces of saw-shoot, 3 sawe short hoo ks, 12" zinc,  
2<sup>d</sup> worth Copper wire, 1 pt Sweet oil, 5 Sash Pins,  
100-6 Spigs, 100-4 Spigs, 100 Scupper Nails,  
2 Wall-hoo ks, 3 Sash fasteners, 3 Knives,  
12 yds Sash cord, 200 Common Bricks, 24 Fire Bricks,  
3-12<sup>th</sup> Boards, 6 Bot. Malaya Wine, 1<sup>st</sup> Biscuit,  
4 Barrels ~~lime~~ - (Ordered)

The Doctor's Report of clothing sent and repaired  
during the week was read -

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

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

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, dated 19<sup>th</sup> December, 1867. No 31647, stating that they see no objection to the proposed payment to the R.C. Chaplain of salary from 29<sup>th</sup> Sept to 26<sup>th</sup> Dec. last at the rate of £85 a year -

Read Letter from Mary Kilmarin of Struchport, dated 19<sup>th</sup> December, stating that Collector Gony made a demand upon her for poor rate although her valuation is under £4 -

Ordered - That the Collector proceed against the Immediate Lessor for recovery of the rates -

Letter from Secretary to Gas Company, stating that the meter in the entrance hall upon being tested was found  $1/10^{\text{th}}$  slow, and the other but in use exactly correct -

Letter from 4 Workhouse boys stating that they are working in the Tailors shop making new clothing up to 7 o'clock in the evening; and asking for some additional food -

Ordered -  $1/2$  lb Bread &  $1/2$  pt Milk daily to each for 3 weeks.

Ordered - That a sum of £1.5.0 be allowed for the purchase of clothing for Peggy Greany, to enable her to leave the Workhouse -

The tender of John Burke to supply the Workhouse with the Skir to 29<sup>th</sup> Sept next at  $2/2$  per Cwt was accepted -

The Clerk laid before the Board a statement of Medical and Educational Expenses incurred during the past half year, to be forwarded to the Poor Law Commissioners -  
The statement was signed by the Chairman -

Wm. C. G. G.  
Joseph. G. G.  
No 111

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	-	-	-	-	-	14
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-	-	-	15
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	-	-	-	15
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	-	-	-	11
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	-	-	-	1
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	-	-	-	.
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	-	-	-	-	-	2

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 *Friday* the  
*27<sup>th</sup>* day of *December* 186*7*  
(Signed) *Thomas Staeh*  
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 St. Ann's UNION,  
on Fri day, the 25<sup>th</sup> day of Decr 1867.—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.	
98	Account of Dr. J. Kealy for Sal. to 25 Decr.	Amount £ 22.10.0
99	Dr. Conidine	22.10.0
100	Dr. England (Apothecary)	7.10.0
	Inlongmore Dist.	
101	Dr. Suggan	22.10.0
102	Drummore " Dr. Hughes	22.10.0
103	Inycullen " Dr. Conolly	17.10.0
104	Spiddal " Dr. Hermon	17.10.0
105	Arran " Dr. Stoney	20.0.0

[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 29 Sept 1867, 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 29 Sept 1867.

Inlongmore District	£ 155.15.11
Drummore Dist	£ 63.1.6
Inycullen Dist	£ 63.3.0
Spiddal Dist	£ 79.0.4
Arran Dist	£ 66.14.4

[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 (OF Orders were made on them respectively, as follows,)

Read Letter from ~~James~~ *James* Arran Dispersary Committee

dated 11<sup>th</sup> December, urging the Board of Guardians not to increase the Salary of Dr. Stoney -

Resolved - That the consideration of the subject be postponed until the Poor Law Commissioners shall have decided upon the <sup>substantive</sup> distribution of the Parliamentary grant in aid of medical expenses.

*Wm. Joyce*  
*Joseph Grealy*  
*Joseph*

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(Signed)

*Thomas Stack*  
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1861 - 50821

Present Net Annual Value, £ 55,656.0.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *21* day of *Decr* 1867.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.						Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.			Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.							
Workhouse, . . . . .	816	862																
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	222	103																
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																		
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	44	27																
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																		
Total, . . . . .	1082	1092																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			32	88	64	110	39	25	32	63	24	477	In Workhouse Hospital, . . . . .	126	In separate Wards, . . . . .	4		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			8	6	7	4	2	2	1	1	1	32	In Fever Hospital, . . . . .	2	In Wards with other inmates, . . . . .	8		
TOTAL, . . . . .			40	94	71	114	41	27	33	64	25	509	Total, . . . . .	128	Total, . . . . .	12		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			4	4	4	3						15						
Died, . . . . .						1	1					2						
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			4	4	4	4						17						
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			36	90	66	110	41	27	33	64	25	492						

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *21* day of *Decr* 1867, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Viet. 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 Viet. 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.	1	8			1	8	By forward.						
No. II.	1	1			1	1	No. X.						
No. III.	5	6			5	6	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.	1	1			1	1	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	5	7			5	7	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
904 Gen. forward.	13	23			13	23	Total.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the *27<sup>th</sup>* day of *Decr* 1867.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Wm. Joyce Esq*  
Other Guardians:— *Wm. Hill, Joseph Grealy, E.D. Burke, James Davis, James Fahy, J.E. Lambert.*  
*Dr. Bowdler, P.L. I. attended.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.



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, £ 75 s. 4 d. 2

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . . £ 67 : 8 : 3

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . . . : 2 : 8 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary, . . . . . : 3 : 8

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

2800 lb Bread	20.8.4	6 lb Pepper	2.6
67 1/2 lb Meat (offn)	1.8.2	148 Eggs	9.3
18 B. Heads	1.16.0	1/2 Barl. Porter	1.0.8
21 1/2 lb Meat (Hosp)	4.16.11	24 pts P. Wine	1.12.0
17m Alcohol	14.0.0	3 Bot Brandy	9.0
2328 lbs Milk	15.15.6	8 pts Whiskey	13.4
1 ct. Salt	1.5	15 lbs Tobacco	3.4
14 lb Tea	1.8.0	6 lb A. Port	3.6
49 lb Sugar	16.0	6 tons Coals	6.9.0
10 lb L. Sugar	4.7	6 Bots Perf	6.5
8 lb Corn Flour	3.8	8 lb Candles	4.0
1 ct. Rice	18.9	70 lb Soap	16.3

1 Suppl. Order -  
 1 Barrel Porter - 1.10.0

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 21 day of Decr 1867, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	-	9.6
In kind,	-	-	-	-	3.17.0
Total,	-	-	-	-	£ 14.6.6

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

Credit Treasurer with 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.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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





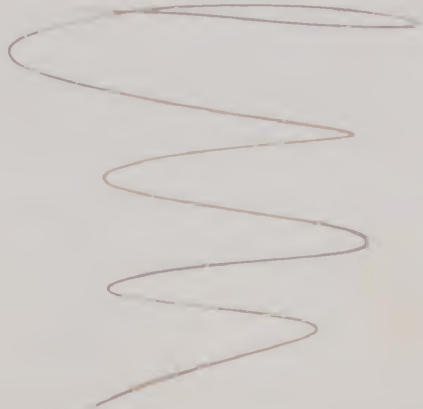
The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:



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

Read Letter from Dr. Colahan, dated 26<sup>th</sup> Decr, 1867, stating that he has recommended Mr. Fletcher, the nurse in charge, not to leave the Fever Hospital without proper authority, which he presumes is vested in the Master of the Workhouse -

Ordered - That the Clerk inform Dr. Colahan that the Guardians are of opinion that it devolves upon <sup>him</sup> as the Officer in immediate charge of the Hospital to give any directions towards insuring due care of the patients and the proper management of the Hospital generally.



Ordered That a sum of 7/6 be expended in the purchase of clothing for Margaret Connell to enable her to leave the Workhouse; her employer to advance a like sum.

Upon the motion of Mr. George Dvorris, after due notice, the following resolution was unanimously ~~unanimously~~ adopted: -

That the present distribution of the grant from the Treasury in aid of the expenses under the Medical Charities Act in Ireland is objectionable, and that a fairer and more equitable distribution of the fund be suggested, in order if possible to reduce the rate of expenditure for Medical Charities in all Electoral Divisions of the Unions in Ireland to one penny in the pound, wherever it exceeds that sum at present -

That should such an arrangement be made, every Medical Officer in charge of a Dispensing District shall receive not less than £100 a year, a salary which the present excessive taxation for medical purposes in populous poor Districts renders it impossible to pay.

Wm. L. J. J. Justice  
~~Wm. L. J. J.~~

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	-	-	9
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-	0
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	-	5
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	-	8
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	-	-
The number of other applicants in the Preceiving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	-	-
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered was	-	-	-	2

The Bonds and other securities in force were said 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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