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

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 18\_\_\_\_, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 18\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £  
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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 Rel. Officer Gony dated 21<sup>st</sup> June,  
stating that

he has served over 100 Sanitary notices in the Drannore District during the past three weeks - That he had issued eight summonses to the Drannore Petty Sessions on the 1<sup>st</sup> instant for offences against the Sanitary Act, and that two fortnightly adjournments have taken place owing to the non-attendance of magistrates - That the village of Drannore is very much in want of drainage, particularly the lanes and yards belonging to Miss Lynch - that it never can be put in a sanitary condition until those places are drained -

Ordered - That the Clerk request Mr. Roberts, Co. Surveyor, to endeavour to obtain at next assizes the promised presentment of the Barony of Donkellan for completing the drainage of Drannore -

James Davis  
Edward Gueffole

(Signed)

James Stack

Clerk of the Union.



**GALWAY UNION.**

**THE** Board of Guardians will, on **WEDNESDAY** the 28th instant, appoint a competent person to discharge the duties of **SCHOOLMISTRESS**, Of the Workhouse, at a Salary of £25 a year, together with Rations.

Applications for the office, with certificates of qualification, will be received up to 12 o'Clock on the day abovenamed, when Candidates should be in attendance.

By order,  
**THOMAS STACK,**  
Clerk of Union.

Office, Workhouse,  
16th June, 1871.

[Special.]

**GALWAY UNION.**

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STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24<sup>th</sup> day of June 1871

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
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Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	222	36														
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Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>1082</b>	<b>362</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			17	40	58	114	37	33	38	9	15	361	In Work-house (Hospital, Fever Hospital, . . . . .	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, . . . . .		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			2	3	6	2		1	1	1		16	Total, 96	Total, 14		
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>19</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>64</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>377</b>	Return of Night Lodgers or Casuals.			
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			1	2	2	2	4	3				14	Men	Women	Children under 15	TOTAL
Died, . . . . .					1							1	Remaining from last week, . . . . .			1
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .					3	2	2	4	3			15	Admitted this week, . . . . .			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			18	43	61	114	35	30	36	10	15	362	Discharged during week, . . . . .			1
													Remaining at close of week			

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 June, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
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No. I.	6	24			6	24	ET. Forward,						
No. II.	6	11			6	11	No. X.						
No. III.	3	3	1	1	4	4	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.	10	29			10	29	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>68</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday the 28<sup>th</sup> day of June - 1871

PRESENT: In the Chair,

*George Morris Esq (F.C.)*

Other Guardians:

*John Redington, And<sup>w</sup> O'Connell, J. Davis, C. Guilfoyle, J. Lynch, J. Kyme, J. Comerford, C. D. Burke, J. Kiwau, Capt. R. Lambert, C. C. Burke, Capt. Forster, J. M. Perse, D. Browne, B. O'Flaherty, Capt. Lynch, Ch. J. Redington, R. Stephens, J. Campbell, H. Perse, W. A. Somerville, Capt. O'Hara, Francis L. Comyn, C. C. Maunsell - D. Brodie, P. D. I., attended -*

*The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.*



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1346 to No. 1348, 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, - - - + £ 1 : 9 : 0

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

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 1644 : 18 : 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.

+ per Nely Officer Flynn, for Repayment of Relief

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>William Kelly</i>	Galway, North Wd.												
	" South "												
	" East "												
	" West "												
	Ballintemple												
	Barna												
NICHOLAS KYNE	Carrowbrown												
	Annaghdown												
	Aughrim												
	Belleville												
	Carnmore												
	Claregalway												
	Deerpark												
	Lackaghbeg												
WILLIAM YOUNG	Liscananaun												
	Lisheenavalla												
	Ballynacourty												
	Clarinbridge												
MARTIN HERNON	Oranmore												
	Stradbally												
MARTIN HERNON	Inishmore												
JOHN DILLANE	Kilcummin												
JOHN GERAGHTY	Moycullen												
	Slieveaneena												
	Tullokyne												
TIMOTHY CURRAN	Furbogh												
	Spiddal												
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killannin												
	Selerna												

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 £ 38 s. 0 d. 0

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account, -	-	-
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was -	-	47 : 10 : 8
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. 10 3/4
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:

2300 lbs. Bread, _____	13. 15. 6	1 Bottles Brandy, _____	2. 9
59 1/2 lbs. Meat (Officers), _____	1. 4. 9	8 Pints Whiskey, _____	12. 8
156 lbs. Meat (Hospital), _____	3. 8. 3	lbs. Butter, _____	-
14 Beeves' Heads, _____	1. 8. 0	lbs. Arrowroot, _____	-
1780 Quarts Milk, _____	11. 2. 6	12 lbs. Lump Sugar, _____	5. 0
Cwt. Salt, _____	-	18 oz. Tobacco, _____	3. 10
21 lbs. Cocoa, _____	4. 1	5 cts. Flour _____	3. 18. 2 1/2
16 lbs. Tea, _____	1. 8. 0	Boxes Turf, _____	-
72 lbs. Sugar, _____	1. 2. 6	6 lbs. Candles, _____	2. 9
235 Eggs, _____	14. 8	6 Cwt. Soap, _____	6. 18. 0
10 lbs. Corn Flour, _____	4. 2		
1/2 Barrels Porter, _____	1. 0. 8		
16 Pints Port Wine, _____	16. 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 Believing 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<sup>th</sup> day of June 1878 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, -	1. 15. 6
In Kind, -	1. 8. 6
Total, -	£ 3. 4. 0

Credit each Believing Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Believing 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.					Et. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.	Managan	5.00	(110)		No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forward.					Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Believing 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.

82	Rev. James O'Sullivan, Prot. Chapl. 9. to 25 June	6	5	-
83	Thomas Spack, Clerk	45	-	-
84	John F. Lynch, Master	15	-	-
85	Mary Conway, Matron	7	10	-
86	John Moore, Schoolmistress	7	10	-
87	Mary Hayes, Schoolmistress	5	-	-
88	D. John Cleland, Medical Officer	22	10	-
89	D. Nich. Colshaw, D.	22	10	-
90	Nich. A. England, Apothecary	17	10	-
91	Patrick Larkin, Porter (W.H.)	3	-	-

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



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3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
92	Francis Mackin, Infirmary Nurse of 1525 <sup>th</sup> Ave	7	10	0
93	Elizabeth Hogan, Asst " "	3	15	0
94	Sabina Ryan, D <sup>o</sup> " "	3	15	0
95	Honoraria Keane, Fever Hosp <sup>l</sup> . Nurse	3	15	0
96	Jerence Boyle, D <sup>o</sup> Porter " "	2	10	0
97	Thomas Flynn, Relieving Officer	12		
98	William Young, D <sup>o</sup> " "	5		
99	Patrick Cullman, D <sup>o</sup> " "	5		
100	Martin Griffin, D <sup>o</sup> " "	5		
101	Patrick Morris, D <sup>o</sup> " "	5		
102	Michael Flanagan, D <sup>o</sup> " "	3	15	

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:—

Hospital Reports.—

Workhouse—Admitted during the week — 7  
Discharged — " — 13  
Died — " — 1  
Remaining — " — 79

Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week — 1  
Discharged — " — 0  
Died — " — 0  
Remaining — " — 9

D<sup>r</sup>. Cleland's Report.

"I beg to recommend that seabathing be allowed as usual to the School children."  
"J. Cleland"  
(Ordered)

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

That the milk supplied during the week by the several Contractors yielded from 8 to 11 degrees of cream —  
That Laurence Giblin was brought before the magistrates on Monday last for having absconded from the Workhouse, and was discharged, with a recommendation that he should get clothes, to enable him to seek employment which he stated he was anxious to do —  
Ordered:—

That 15<sup>s</sup> be expended in the purchase of clothing for Laurence Giblin to enable him to leave the Workhouse —  
Required — 1 pt. Sweet oil, 200 nails (20<sup>s</sup>), 1 St. Janant, Reaping hook, 1 padlock, 1 Draught flay, 50 3<sup>d</sup> Shroving, 1 Nowe's wrap 4<sup>s</sup>—, Mason's Ward of Services of a Tailor to repair men's clothing —  
(Ordered)

The Matron's report of clothing repaired during the week was read —  
Ordered — 10 yds Calico to make caps for women in hospital.



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

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

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 27<sup>th</sup> June 1871, No 16113/1871, referring to minutes of 21<sup>st</sup> instant, and suggesting that Mr. Kelly be called upon to make a Return of the names of all persons who have not paid the Poor Rate, and to state the steps, if any, taken by him to enforce payment in each case.

Ordered - Mr. Kelly to reply to this letter -  
(Copy of reply herewith.)

Mr. Kelly handed in the Treasurer's receipt for £110.2.2, leaving £256.6.6 outstanding, and furnished lists of the unpaid rates.

The following members of the Board were appointed a Committee to examine and report upon Mr. Kelly's arrears lists - to meet on the 30<sup>th</sup> inst., at 12 o'clock:—

Mr. Davis, J. Redington,  
J. Kiwan, J. Collins, J. Leahy, E. D. Burke,  
and J. Fahy

Ordered - That Clothing to the Value of £1.5.0 be provided for Margaret Cornell and to the Value of 7<sup>6</sup> for Honor Nolan, to enable those inmates to leave the Workhouse.

Capt. O'Hara inquired whether Dr. England has yet taken up his residence at the Dispensary, and having been informed by the Clerk that he has not, it was ordered - That Dr. England be called upon to take up his residence in the Dispensary on or before the 25<sup>th</sup> July next.

Schoolmistress -

Annora Carrick and Annora Shanbhassy applied for the office of Schoolmistress of the Workhouse.

A poll was taken, and Miss Shanbhassy declared elected by a majority of 22 to 22, at a salary of £25 per annum, with rations &c.

Mill.

Dr. Brodie brought under the notice of the Board complaints made of the quality of the mill supplied for hospital, especially of the evening delivery.

Resolved - That Messrs A. Stephens, J. Redington, and J. Kiwan be appointed to examine the mill on several evenings, and report to the Board their opinion of its quality.



Repayment of Relief - The Clerk having reported that no reply has been received to his application for payment of the support of the children from the Spiddal Refuge in the Fever Hospital, it is ordered - That unless a satisfactory reply be given by Monday next, the Clerk is directed to write again and urge the necessity of immediate payment being made -

*Matthew O'Donnor*  
*Isaac Conroy*

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 - 4

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 Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was "

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered 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 <sup>the</sup> *Wednesday*  
~~Thursday~~ the *5<sup>th</sup>* day of *July* 1871  
(Signed) *Thomas Mac R*  
Clerk of the Union.



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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway  
UNION, on Wednesday, the 20<sup>th</sup> day of June 1871  
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 Spiddal  
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—

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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Galway Dispensary District.

103	Account of <u>Dr. Francis Treacy</u> for Salary to 25 <sup>th</sup> June	Amount £ 22:10:0
104	<u>Dr. Conidine</u> " "	22:10:0
105	<u>Dr. England (Apothecary)</u> " "	7:10:0
106	<u>Turloughmore. Dr. Duggan</u> " "	25:0:0
107	<u>Oranmore. Dr. Hughes</u> " "	25:0:0
108	<u>Moycullen. Dr. Connolly</u> " "	22:10:0
109	<u>Arran. Dr. Bodkin</u> " "	25:0:0

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*Andrew O'Leary*  
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*Secy Comrs*

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(Signed)

*Thomas Maclellan*

Clerk of the Union.



[Special.]

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Discharged during the Week,			1	5	5	7	1	2				21				
Died,						1						1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	5	5	8	1	2				22				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			21	43	58	110	37	28	36	10	15	350				

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 July, 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.	6	24			6	24	Et forward,						
No. II.	6	11			6	11	No. X.						
No. III.	2	2	1	1	3	3	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.	10	29			10	29	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
<b>Grand total</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>TOTAL,</b>						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Wednesday

the 5<sup>th</sup> day of July 1871

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Pierce Joyce Esq

Other Guardians:

Mr. Redington, Andrew O'Connor, Isaac Connerford  
B O'Harethy, James Fahy, Michael Fallon,  
Mr. Kyne, Isidore Lynch, J. E. Lambert.

D. Bodie, P. L. J., attended.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 13482 to No. 13494 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, + £ 111 : 7 : 8

Said during the week, £ 278 : 13 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 1527 : 13 : 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.

+ Receipts include £ 1 : 5 : 6 per Master for sale of Pigs.

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.
Wm. Kelly	Galway, North Wd.	26	13	5				70	14	11			
	" South "	10	1					31	13	5			
	" East "	36	2	6				121	1	9			
	" West "	32	0	6				25	16	3			
	Ballintemple								18	7			
	Barna	4	16	9				5	70	4			
	Carrowbrowne								6	3			
					110	2	2				256	6	6
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown												
	Aughrim												
	Belleville												
	Carnmore												
	Claregalway												
	Deerpark												
	Lackaghbeg												
	Liscananaun												
WILLIAM YOUNG	Lisheenavalla												
	Ballynacourty												
	Clarinbridge												
	Oranmore												
MARTIN HERNON	Stradbally												8
	Inishmore												
JOHN DILLANE	Kilcummin												
	Moycullen												
JOHN GERAGHTY	Slieveaneena												
	Tullokyne												16
TIMOTHY CURRAN	Furbogh												
	Spiddal												
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killannin												
	Selerna												
					110	2	2				257	13	2

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

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



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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 36 s. 14 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	46	19	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	11	
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	4	5	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:			

2300 lbs. Bread,	13	15	6	Bottles Brandy,	—	—	—
59½ lbs. Meat (Officers),	1	6	9	0 Pints Whiskey,	—	9	6
136½ lbs. Meat (Hospital),	2	14	7	— lbs. Butter,	—	—	—
21 Beeves' Heads,	2	2	0	— lbs. Arrowroot,	—	—	—
1620 Quarts Milk,	10	2	6	8 lbs. Lump Sugar,	3	4	—
1 Cwt. Salt,	1	3	—	18 oz. Tobacco,	3	10	—
21 lbs. Cocoa,	4	1	—	1 In Indian Meal	8	0	0
16 lbs. Tea,	1	8	0				
72 lbs. Sugar,	1	2	6				
216 Eggs,	13	6	—				
8 lbs. Corn Flour,	3	4	—	50 Boxes Turf,	2	13	1
½ Barrels Porter,	1	0	8	6 lbs. Candles,	2	9	—
16 Pints Port Wine,	16	0	—	— Cwt. Soap,	—	—	—

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Believing 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 1<sup>st</sup> day of July 1871, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	£	1	15	6
In Kind,	1	8	0	
Total,	£	3	3	6

Credit each Believing Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Believing 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.	Thyne	4 0 0	126		Bt. forward				
No. II.	Griffith	4 0 0	127		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.				
Carr. forward		4 0 0			TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Believing 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.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.	
2. Establishment Account.	
120.	L. L. Ferdinand, Printing Co., to 25 June 19 2 6 Clerk's Acct.
125.	Stack, Clerk, Payment of small Bills 5 18 9 Registrations
124.	Dr. J. Duggan, Turfhynde, to 25 June 4 2
225.	Dr. Naughton, Aston " " 2 14 3

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



3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.
111	Wm Morris	Milk Bread	58	13	11
112	D.	Salt & Eggs	2	19	7
113	James O'Brien	Meat	24	19	9
114	Thos Hughes	Milk	7	12	
115	Mr. Cottingham	Do	7	8	
116	D. Crooke	Do	6	6	
117	J. Crowe	Do	5	16	3
118	Mr. Kelly	Do	3	8	6
119	J. Coleran	Do	2	19	6
120	Mr. Hughes	Do	3	9	
121	P. Crowe	Do	2	19	
122	P. Martin	Do	3	2	3
123	J. Lenthams	Tea, Sugar, &c	16	8	2

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above. The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first meeting in every month).— Number of successful cases. The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:—

Hospital Reports.—

Workhouse—Admitted during the week	14
Discharged ..	11
Died ..	2
Remaining ..	80
Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week	1
Discharged ..	6
Died ..	—
Remaining ..	4

"I am sorry to have to report that D. England (Apothecary) has been very seriously ill since last Thursday. I have however attended to his duties in this House, and hope to be able to do so till he recovers. "J. Fleming."

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:— That the milk supplied during the <sup>past</sup> week by the several Contractors yielded from 8 to 10 degrees of Cream. That he rejected 5 gallons of milk sent by Denis Crowe on the evening of the 3<sup>rd</sup> inst., a sample of which gave 6 degrees of Cream.

Required— 1# Thread, 1 jar of ink, 1/2 doz blotting paper, 4# Wax Candles, 6 bottles Malaya Wine, - 27 Square, 16 diamond, and 3 border panes of glass - (Ordered)

The Patron's report of Clothing repaired was read —

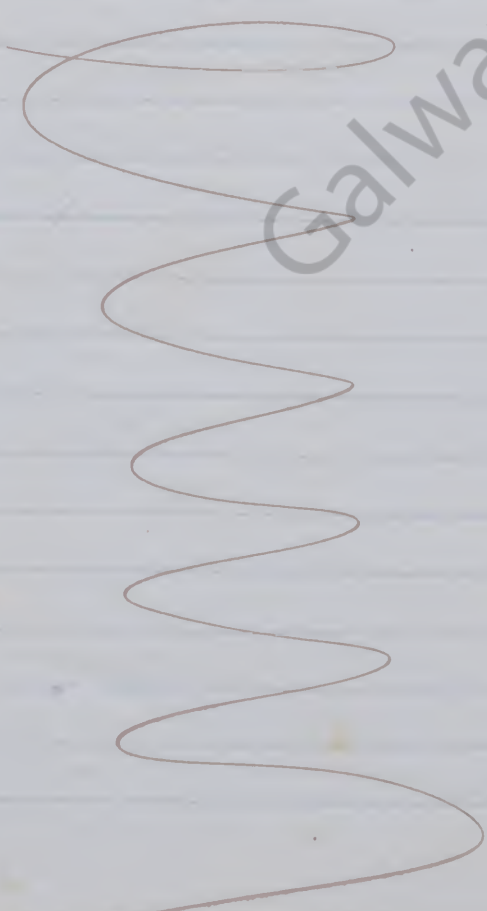
The weekly reports of the Industrial Employment of the male and female inmates of the Workhouse were read—



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, or Orders made on them respectively, as follows:—

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, dated 4<sup>th</sup> July, No. 16.633/71, sanctions the appointment of Miss Honoria O'Shaughnessy to the Office of Schoolmistress of the Workhouse, at a salary of £25 a year and rations.



Report of Rate Committee -  
Board Room, 30<sup>th</sup> June, 1871.

Members present:—  
Sir Redington, James Davis, and John Kiwan.

The warrants for collection of the last rate placed in Mr. Kelly's hands amount to £3188:7:2.

Collected and lodged — 2932:0:0  
Uncollected — 256:6:6

Upon an examination of the arrears lists placed before the Committee, and as will appear by the rulings thereon, the Committee have to report that a sum of £126:4:1 appears to be wholly irrecoverable, and that the greater portion of the balance, <sup>(£130:2:5)</sup> should be collected and lodged within a very short period.

A further examination of the lists will be necessary before the signature of the new Rate -  
John Redington.

The Clerk read Mr. Kelly's explanation directed by the Board's order of 28<sup>th</sup> ultimo, a copy of which was forwarded to the Commissioners with minutes of that meeting.

Ordered - That Mr. Kelly be required to lodge all the recoverable rates now outstanding by this day fortnight, and if any be then uncollected to explain what steps he has taken to enforce payment.

Ordered - That clothing be provided for  
Michael Burns to the value of £1  
Margaret Dowd ————— 15/-  
Kate Shields ————— 15/-  
to enable those inmates to leave the Workhouse.



Pat Holland and Pat Morris were brought before the Board for refusal to whitewash the wards of the Fever Hospital unless they get tobacco and whiskey while employed at it.

Ordered - That they be compelled to do the work, and to get 4oz tobacco each a day while engaged upon it.

Wm. Joyce  
Andrew Connor  
C. M. D. M. 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 5  
Ditto. disallowed " "  
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 9

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 Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was 4

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered }  
Refused 1 }  
"No appearance" 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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12<sup>th</sup> Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Wednesday* the  
12 day of *July* 1871  
(Signed) *Thomas Mac M*  
Clerk of the Union.



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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the  
UNION, on Thurs day, the 5<sup>th</sup> day of July 1871  
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 \_\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ 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 vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Beate-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 Relieving Off. Young dated 5<sup>th</sup> July stating that

he had eight persons summoned to the Orammore Petty Sessions on Thursday last for having their premises in a filthy condition: that seven were ordered to abate the nuisances complained of and to pay costs, and that the remaining case was adjourned for a fortnight.

Lists of defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act were received from D. Leahy, Galway; D. Duggan, Turloughmore; D. Hughes, Orammore; and D. Conroy, Moycullen -

Ordered - That the Relieving Officers be directed to summon the several persons named in those lists for their neglect.

*Richard Young*  
 Matthew O'Leary  
 Clerk and D. Hughes

(Signed)

*Thomas Stack*

Clerk of the Union.



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