



Comhairle Chontae na Gaillimhe  
Galway County Council

# **Galway Poor Law Union**

## **Board of Guardian Minutes**

**GPL6/59**

**8 January 1875 – 9 July 1875**

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# MINUTE BOOK

OF THE

*Galway* UNION.

*The Minute Book*, in which shall be entered all Letters received from, or written to, the Poor Law Commissioners, Minutes of all Moneys received or paid, all Orders or Cheques given, all Accounts examined and allowed, all Salaries ordered to be paid, as well as all other business, proceedings, and transactions of the Board of Guardians, at any of their Meetings. The entries of Money transactions shall be afterwards posted in the Leger, and a note of reference made in the margin of the page in the Minute Book, to the folio in the Leger, to which they are so carried.

*Order of Poor Law Commissioners.*



**By Authority:**

JOHN FALCONER, PRINTER TO HER MAJESTY'S STATIONERY OFFICE,  
53, UPPER SACKVILLE-STREET, DUBLIN,

OF WHOM MAY BE HAD

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

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GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1871—44,022

Present Net Annual Value, £ 65,549

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 2 day of July 1875

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building above date	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	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Able-bodied		Males		Fem.							Boys	Girls	
Workhouse	816	401														
Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse	222	36														
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	44	13														
TOTAL	1082	450														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			19	68	61	118	29	23	44	31	33	426	In Work-house Hospital, } 79	In separate Wards } 3		
Admitted during the Week,			5	6	4	4	1	3	3	6	2	34	In Fever Hospital } 13	In Wards with other inmates, } 5		
TOTAL			24	74	65	122	30	26	47	37	35	460	Total, } 92	Total, } 8		
Discharged during the Week,			2	1				1				4				
Died,						1	5					6				
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	1	1	5		1				10				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			22	73	64	117	30	25	47	37	35	450				

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.

	Men	Women	Children under 15	TOTAL
No. Relieved during week	2			2
No. in Work-house at date				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2 day of July 1875, 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.	7	13			7	13	Et. forward.						
No. II.	3	4			3	4	No. X.						
No. III.	4	5			4	5	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.	1	1			1	1	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	13	30			13	30	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
(Car-forward)	28	53			28	53							

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 8 day of July 1875

PRESENT: In the Chair, Pierce Joyce Esq  
 Other Guardians: B. O'Flaherty, D. Kelly, J. Pitt,  
 J. Fahy, M. Fealy, E. D. Burke,  
 J. J. Kiwan, P. J. Grealy, Jas. Ward.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1696 to No. 1799 both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Outdoor 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, — — — £120: 16: 7  
 Paid during the week, — — — £266: 4: —  
 And that the Balance on the Account *appt.* the Guardians was £833: 15: 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.
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward	20	14	.				700	9	6			
	" South "	18	1	6				441	5	5			
	" East "	56	16	5				1210	6	1			
	" West "	24	6	9				844	8	2			
	Ballintemple	.	.	.				105	1	4			
	Barna	.	11	8				167	.	10			
	Carrowbrownne	.	6	3				55	10	1			
						120	16	7				3524	1
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown							46	1	.			
	Aughrim							64	16	8			
	Belleville							49	11	.			
	Carnmore							43	6	2			
	Claregalway							74	18	3			
	Deerpark							57	2	7			
	Lackaghbeg							38	3	2			
	Liscananaun							68	14	4			
	Lisheenavalla							36	17	8			
											508	16	3
WILLIAM YOUNG	Ballinacourty							148	14	7			
	Clarenbridge							174	9	7			
	Orannmore							163	4	11			
	Stradbally							54	6	6			
											540	15	7
<del>James Henry</del>	Inishmore							227	2	4			
											227	2	4
<del>James De</del>	Kilcummin							76	12	6			
											76	12	6
JOHN GERAGHTY	Moycullen							57	3	6			
	Slieveaneena							71	17	11			
	Tullokyne							64	1	2			
											193	2	7
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbogh							44	17	7			
	Spiddal							58	7	8			
											108	5	3
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killanin							35	11	6			
	Selerna							30	19	6			
											66	11	.
					120	16	7				5245	6	9

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 £ 13 s. 13 d. 10

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 59 : 2 : 0

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, - - - - - 5 : 13

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

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

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
2800	16	15	5	lbs. White Bread,			
400	2	5	10	lbs. Brown Bread,			
515	15	8	4	lbs. Meat,			
1712	11	11	10	Quarts Milk,	13	17	.
28		4	10	lbs. Cocoa,			
				cwts. Salt,			
				Chests Tea,			
74		18	6	lbs. Sugar,			
326	1	1	6	Eggs,			
10		4	2	lbs. Corn Flour,			
1	2	1	8	Barrels Porter,			
28	1	8	.	Pints Port Wine,			
8	1	.	8	Bottles Brandy,			
				Gallons Whiskey,			
6		7	10	lbs. Butter,			
6		3	5	lbs. Arrowroot,			
10		3	4	lbs. Lump Sugar,			
18		3	9	ozs. Tobacco,			
				Tons Coal,			
				lbs. Candles,	4	7	
				lbs. Soap,	16	9	

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 9 day of Jan 1875 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - -	3	2	0
In Kind, - - - - -		8	6
Total, - - - - -	3	10	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.					By forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with 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.

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

2. Establishment Account. £ s. d.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

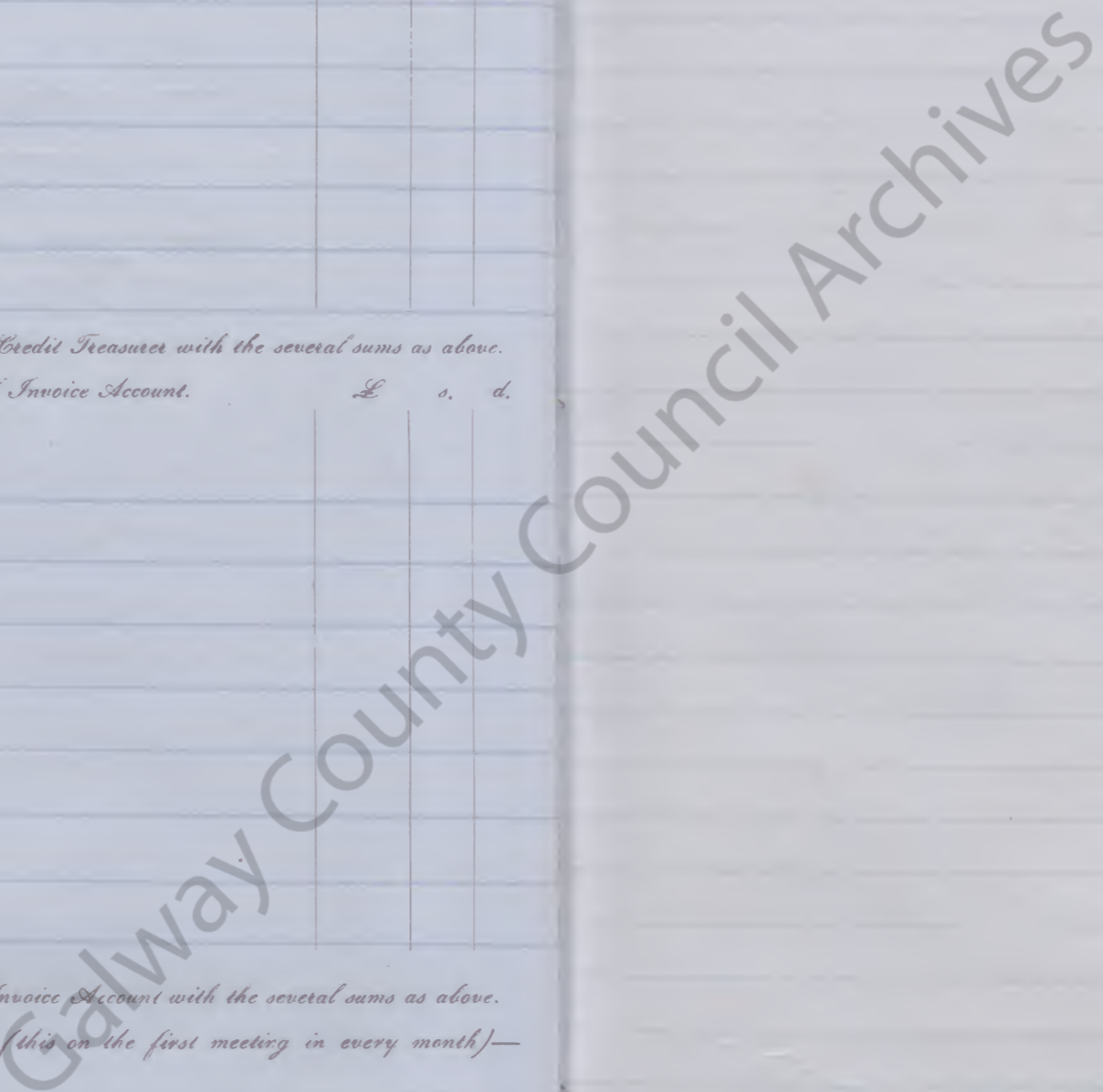
4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

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



Report of D. Feland - "Neacles are so prevalent in the Workhouse that it has become <sup>expedient</sup> necessary latterly in most cases not to remove the patients - The number of children complaining causes an increase in the amount of Wine ordered -"

The Master's Report of Clothing made and repaired during the week was read -  
Ordered on their requisition -  
100 yards of Flannel -

The Weekly Reports of the Industrial Employment of the male and female inmates of the Workhouse were read -

Milk Report - From the return submitted by the Workhouse Master it appeared that the Milk supplied by the several Contractors during the week yielded from 8 to 11 degrees of Cream -

## Hospital Reports. -

Workhouse - Admitted during the week	13
Discharged "	5
Died "	5
Remaining "	78

Fever Hospital - Admitted during the week	9
Discharged "	1
Died "	—
Remaining "	20

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

That an inmate named Benjamin Matthews left the Workhouse on the evening of the 26<sup>th</sup> inst. without leave, and not having since been heard of it is feared he has been drowned -

That he refused to take the Beef offered to him by the Contractor on the 2<sup>nd</sup> and 7<sup>th</sup> inst. and purchased elsewhere 407 lbs at an extra cost of £3:7:10 -

[The Contractor attended to present a sample of the beef alleged to have been rejected by the Master, which the Guardians considered to be of fair quality, and it was ordered - that in future when the Master is doubtful of the quality of the meat offered by the Contractor that he call in three members of the Visiting Committee to assist him in the selection. That the extra cost incurred (£4:18:5) be not charged to the Contractor.]

Ordered - on Master's requisition -

- 6 Bot. Linnæus - 1 jar Ink, 1 box pens,
- 6 Sweeping Brushes -

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 Local Govt. Board—

No 1. M/75

4<sup>th</sup> Jan'y } Requesting a Return showing particulars respecting the rates made or any new rates agreed upon in the Union—

No 258/1875

7<sup>th</sup> Jan'y — } Referring to the appointment of Mr John Wallace as Poor Rate Collector; drawing attention to Article 30 of the General Regulations which declares that no person engaged in retail trade shall be appointed to that office; and requesting that the Guardians will proceed to another appointment—

Proposed by Mr John Gill, Seconded by Mr James Fahy,

and unanimously resolved—  
That Mr John Wallace is a very fit and proper person to be appointed Collector and the most efficient person to be found in the district, and the Board request that the Local Government Board will be good enough to forego the rule in this case and sanction the appointment—

No 293/75 } Transmitting a form of queries to be  
7<sup>th</sup> Jan'y } answered respecting the person who may be appointed Poor Rate Collector in room of Mr Martin Hermon deceased.

Letter from Mr C. W. Shaper, dated 3<sup>rd</sup> January, with reference to a Civil Bill process issued against him for the maintenance of an illegitimate child—repudiating the charge, and requesting the Guardians not to put him to any annoyance or expense in the matter.  
(No rule)

Ordered— That the Clerk write to the several Poor Rate Collectors to request more activity and diligence in the collection of the rates, especially during the present month, to enable the Guardians to discharge their liability to the Union Treasurer—

Ordered - That the Clerk write to the Reviser of the Valuation representing the impolicy of dividing the Valuation of the same tenement where no real separation or separate occupation exists -

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	11
Ditto disallowed	1
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	11
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	7
Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians	1
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	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).



## PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 &amp; 15 Vic., cap. 68.

*M. J. Callen*

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:

*Ordered 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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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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187

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 Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 Local Government Board for Ireland 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, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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:—

~~Report Letters from~~

~~Letter~~

~~Letter~~

Received - Report Form H from Dr. Duggan, Turbroughmore, certifying that between 30<sup>th</sup> June and 31<sup>st</sup> December, 1874, he had successfully vaccinated 63 persons resident in the Turbroughmore Dispensary District.

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are under six months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:-

Mozcunnen 15 Cases,  
Turbroughmore, 34 Cases.

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows. —

Relieving Officer of Mozcunnen District to serve notices requiring compliance with the law.

Whooping-cough and measles being prevalent in Turbroughmore District proceedings are suspended for one month.

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY.  
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:-

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Turbroughmore	Dr. Duggan	Inspection of nuisances reported by Sanitary Sub-offr.	Manner heaps and filthy pools about dwellings, &c. —

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

Sanitary Sub-Officer to serve notices requiring abatement as recommended by Sanitary Officer.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others, relating to Sanitary Officers, were read and directions given thereon as follows:—

Sanitary Sub-Officer Flynn reported that 21 persons in Castlegar and 16 in Ballydooley upon whom he served notices to abate nuisances, have not complied.

Ordered - Take proceedings to enforce compliance.

Reported also that he served 6 persons in Ballybane with notices to abate nuisances.

Sanitary Sub-Officer Gorman reported that the persons upon whom he has served notices have not abated the nuisances.

Ordered - Proceedings to be taken against the parties.

Sanitary Sub-Officer Culhnan reported that two of those upon whom he has served notices, of abatement of nuisances, have not complied.

Ordered - Proceed against the parties.

Sanitary Sub-offr. Griffin reported - that he served notices upon 82 persons in his District requiring abatement of nuisances, as recommended by Dr. Conolly.

(Out of 41 who have done nothing towards compliance, 15 were selected to be summoned -

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz.:-

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon as follows]:-

Read Circular Letter from Local Board, dated 6<sup>th</sup> January, 1875, setting forth their views as to the chargeability of the Salaries of Sanitary Officers and Sanitary Sub-officers to the Union at large, or to the Districts for which those Officers respectively serve. Proposed by Mr Denis Kelly, seconded by Mr. John J. Keenan, and

Resolved - That in the opinion of the Board the provision of the 13 section of the Public Health Act is very plain, viz. - That "General Expenses shall be the expenses of the establishment and Officers and Officers of the Sanitary authority." And also - That "General Expenses shall be payable out of a Common fund to be raised out of the Poor Rate."

Nothing we think could be plainer, and even mandatory - Therefore we think the additional salaries of the Dispensary Medical Officers should be charged as Sanitary Expense, and made an Union charge. This, in accordance with the spirit and intention of the Act; it is reasonable and consistent, and will keep Medical charities and Sanitary Expenses entirely distinct.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 15<sup>th</sup> day of January 1875

(Signed)

Thomas Staack  
Clerk of the Union

Population in 1871— 44022

Present Net Annual Value, £ 65,549

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9<sup>th</sup> day of January 1874

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 6 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
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Discharged during the Week,			2	1	8	2	1		1	1		16				
Died,					3	2				1	1	7				
Total Discharged and Dead			2	1	11	4	1		1	2	1	23				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			22	76	57	123	29	25	57	36	35	454				

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 January 1875, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Out in ward	31	61			31	61	TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 15<sup>th</sup> day of January 1875

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Pierre Joyce, Esq.

Other Guardians:

John Gill, Denis Kelly, Michael G. Realy,  
Patrick J. G. Realy, L. L. Ferdinand,  
James Davis

or Brodie, L. G. D., attended

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

*Not produced.* 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.  
*at Quarter Sessions Court.* 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, - - - - - £ 36 : 14 : 4

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 31 : 5 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account *agt* the Guardians was £ 628 : 6 : 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 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.
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward	14	13	3				685	16	1			
	" South "	9	9					432	4	8			
	" East "	65	7					1144	9	1			
	" West "	13	1					831	8	1			
	Ballintemple	20	2	4				84	14				
	Barna	1	14	2				165	6	8			
	Carrowbrownie							53	10	1			
					124	7	7				3399	13	8
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown							46	1				
	Aughrim							64	16	8			
	Belleville							49	11				
	Carnmore	40	12	7				32	13	7			
	Claregalway	5	5	11				74	2	4			
	Deerpark							57	2	7			
	Lackaghbeg							38	3	2			
	Liscananaun							68	19	9			
	Lisheenavalla							36	17	8			
						46	8	6				462	7
WILLIAM YOUNG	Ballinacourty	25	7	3				123	7	4			
	Clarenbridge	9	17	10				164	11	9			
	Oranmore	17	2					146	4	9			
	Stradbally							57	6	6			
					52	53					488	10	4
<del>MICHAEL HENRY</del>	Inishmore							227	2	4			
											227	2	4
<del>JAMES BROWN</del>	Kilcummin	13	13					62	19	6			
					13	13					62	19	6
JOHN GERAGHTY	Moycullen							57	8	6			
	Slieveaneena							71	17	11			
	Tullokyne							64	1	2			
											193	2	7
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbogh							44	19	7			
	Spiddal							58	7	8			
											108	5	3
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killanin							35	7	6			
	Selerna							30	14	6			
											66	11	
					236	14	4				5008	12	5

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 55 s. 2 d. 3

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 62 : 4 : 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, 5 : 4 1/2  
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, 4 : 1 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:

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
3000 lbs. White Bread,	17	19	5	lbs. Biscuit,			
400 lbs. Brown Bread,	2	5	10	lbs. Flour			
4496 lbs. Meat,	12	19	4	Tons Indian Meal,			
1896 Quarts Milk,	12	16	9	Tons Oatmeal,			
28 lbs. Cocoa,		4	10				
— cwt. Salt,							
— Chests Tea,							
90 lbs. Sugar,	1	2	6				
356 Eggs,	1	1	8				
10 lbs. Corn Flour,		4	2				
1 Barrels Porter,	2	1	8				
66 Pints Port Wine,	3	6					
2 Bottles Brandy,		5	2				
— Gallons Whiskey,				Tons Coal,			
4 lbs. Butter,		4	8	12 lbs. Candles,		5	6
— lbs. Arrowroot,							
10 lbs. Lump Sugar,		3	4	67 lbs. Soap,		16	9
18 ozs. Tobacco,		3	9				

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 *Jan* 1855 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	3	3	0
In Kind,	2	18	6
Total,	5	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.
No. I.	<i>Flynn</i>	5	—	—	161						
No. II.	<i>Young</i>	4	—	—	162						
No. III.	<i>Callahan</i>	4	—	—	163						
No. IV.											
No. V.											
No. VI.	<i>Flanagan</i>	6	—	—	164						
No. VII.											
No. VIII.											
No. IX.											
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:—

	£	s.	d.
165. <i>Stack to pay small bills</i>	1	14	2

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

	£	s.	d.
166. <i>Dr Grealy, Galway Noe fees to 31 Dec</i>	4	12	6
167. <i>Dr Duggan, Larlaghmore</i>	2	17	
168. <i>Dr Naughton, Broad</i>	2	1	

	£	s.	d.
171. <i>Synch, Master's Acct. to buy Potatoes &amp;c</i>	5		

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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Year Hospital

or blankets report.

"Wanted for the female wards a metal basin for the patients, also six plates, and twelve small mugs for expectorations —  
(Ordered)

Hospital Reports.—

Workhouse—Admitted during the week	14
Discharged ..	10
Died ..	1
Remaining ..	81

Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week	6
Discharged ..	9
Died ..	3
Remaining ..	14

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

That no information has been obtained of the man named Benjamin Mathews whom he reported on last day of meeting as being missing — That on last Saturday he purchased 15 7/8 stones of potatoes at 3 1/2 per stone —

Ordered — On his requisition —

Shrove for £5 for purchase of potatoes &c, 12 mugs and 12 plates for Fever Hospital, 1 stone of bats, 2 1/2 pensils, 1 lb of tene — 1 Metal basin —

The Matrons report of blotting repaired and made during the week was read —

Ordered —  
1 Pair of scissors —

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

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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 Local Government Board

No. 8. M/75 } Circular Letter on the subject of the  
11<sup>th</sup> June } approaching annual Election of Guardians.

No. 714/1875 } Stating that in deference to the wishes of the  
14<sup>th</sup> June } Board of Guardians, as expressed in their resolution of the 8<sup>th</sup> instant, the Local Gov<sup>t</sup> Board sanction the appointment of Mr. John Wallace as Poor Rate Collector, at a remuneration of one shilling in the pound.

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Returning Officer Gynn laid before the Board an ~~Writ~~ writ served upon him, in which the Rev. A. S. C. MacLachlan is plaintiff; Thomas Lane and others defendants. The premises are situate at ~~St~~ Presentation Road, in the Inver of fabway.

Ordered - That a sum of Ten Shillings be allowed for the purchase of clothing for ~~the~~ Jane O'Brien to enable her to leave the Workhouse and go to service.

Mr. Parthy Permon was appointed Poor Rate Collector for Inshmore E.D. at a remuneration of Four pence in the pound.

Sanctus - Michael McDonogh, Longwalk, fabway,  
Thomas McDonogh, Flood St., fabway.

An Estimate of Medicines required for use of the Workhouse was laid before the Board, and the supply asked for was ordered.

Ordered - That the Clerk Summon a meeting of the Visiting Committee for Tuesday next to count the number of inmates in the Workhouse, and ascertain whether it corresponds with the Workhouse books.

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 - - - - - 7

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 - 1

The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - 1

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered (No appearance) 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).

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officers of the Galway Hospital Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management was laid before the Board with a Resolution from the Committee for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon as follows: To be supplied

- \* 3 1/2 lb. and 1/2 lb.
- Cart of turf
- 2 qrs note paper
- 4 packets envelopes
- 2 qrs foolscap
- 2 packets large envelopes
- 2 boxes pens
- 1 jar Ink

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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 Galway Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, & 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):

*Youghmore Dispensary District*

- 169 Account of Mr. *J Morris* for Rent Deposit. Amount £ 2 : 10 : 0  
*2 yr to 30 Decr*
- 170 Mr *J Morris* Sen, Rents to 30 Decr 1874 - 2

*Spiritual Dispy*

- 172 *or idea*, Salary to 25 Decr £ 3 : 0 : 3

[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 187, 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 187

_____ 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 Deute-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 Local Government Board for Ireland 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, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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:—

~~Board of Guardians~~

~~Local~~

~~Sanitary~~

D. Conolly, Moycullen, sent in a certificate of the Justice who presided at Augherard Petty Sessions on the 14<sup>th</sup> inst. awarding him ten shillings expenses for attendance to prosecute a Vaccination defaulter.

Receiving Officer Griffin reported that he attended at the hearing of the above mentioned case, and that a fine of five shillings was imposed with the addition of costs.

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over six months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:

D. Hughes, Rammore,

D. O'Dea, Spiddal

D. Leahy, Falway

D. Clayton, Falway

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Receiving Officers to serve notices on the parties to present their children for Vaccination.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:

Name of Officer	Name of District	General Subject	Particulars
D. Duffan	Turtoughmore	Nuisances	Filthy dwellings,
D. Hughes	Rammore	reported by	dungheaps, and
D. Conolly	Moycullen	Sanitary	dirty pools.
D. O'Dea	Spiddal	Sub-Officers	

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executing Sanitary Officer's Report Book,

Sanitary Sub-Officers to serve notices, requiring abatement in each case, as recommended by Sanitary Officers.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland (in Sanitary Matters) were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Letter from Local Govt. Board, No 714/1875, dated 14<sup>th</sup> Jan'y, acknowledging receipt of Guardians resolution of 8<sup>th</sup> inst., on the subject of the salaries of the Officers under the Public Health Act, and referring the Guardians to Section 10 of the Act, &c.

Moved by Mr. Denis Kelly,

Seconded by Mr. John Gill, and

Resolved—The Board of Guardians cannot coincide in the opinion given by the Local Government Board in their letter of the 14<sup>th</sup> inst., as to the chargeability of the additional salaries of the Sanitary Officers, on the reason assigned therefor. The Guardians are of opinion that the "local fund" mentioned in the 10<sup>th</sup> Section of the Public Health Act is the fund at the disposal of the <sup>local</sup> Sanitary Authority, such as Poor Rate, Borough Rate, &c., and that the term "local fund" cannot bear the interpretation put upon it. It may remind the Local Govt. Board that there is no such fund as a local dispensary fund.

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The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz.:-

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount

and cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon as follows] (Continuation from last page)

Moreover it appears to us that under the 13<sup>th</sup> Section of the Act Dispensary Districts can only be considered as "Contributory places" for Special Expenses. We beg therefore that the subject may receive the consideration of the Local Government Board.

Report of Sub-Sanitary Officer Griffin -

That proceedings were taken, as directed by the Board of Guardians at last Meeting at Nightward Petty Sessions on the 14<sup>th</sup> instant, and that an order of abatement was obtained in each case with payment of Costs.

Sub-Sanitary Officer Sullivan reported that Hugh Ross of Claryway, whom he was directed to summon, requested him to revisit the premises; that he did so on the 11<sup>th</sup> inst and found that the nuisance had been abated and the premises in a cleanly state.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of July 1875  
*Wm Joyce* (Signed) *Wm Stack*  
 Clerk of the Union

By Authority JOHN FALCONER, Printer and Binder to Her Majesty's Stationery Office, 58, Upper Sackville street, Dublin.

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Population in 1871-

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 16 day of July 1875

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						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	400																
Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse	222	30																
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	44	14																
TOTAL	1082	444																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			22	76	57	123	29	25	51	26	35	454	In Workhouse (Hospital)	82	In separate Wards	3		
Admitted during the Week,			2	3	6	2	1	1	1	1	1	15	In Fever Hospital	14	In Wards with other inmates,	5		
TOTAL			24	79	63	125	29	26	51	37	36	469	Total	96	Total	8		
Discharged during the Week,			3	2	4	5	1	3	2	2	2	20						
Died,			1			2					1	1	5					
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	2	4	7	1	3	2	2	3	25	No. Relieved during week	3			3	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			20	77	59	118	29	25	48	34	34	444	No. in Workhouse at date					

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 16 day of July 1875. 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.	7	16			7	16	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	4	5			4	5	No. X.						
No. III.	4	5			4	5	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.	1	1			1	1	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	12	29			12	29	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
forward	28	56			28	56	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of January 1875.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Pierce Joyce Esq.*  
 Other Guardians: *Dr. Pitt, Capt J. C. Lambert, B. O'Haherty, E. D. Burke, J. Fahy, P. J. Grealy, Jas Davis, M. Grealy, Dr. J. Markin, M. Sullivan, E. C. Burke, Dr. Bowdler, Local Govt Insp., attended -*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1199 to No. 1700, 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. 1 to No. 100, 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, - - - - - £ 311 : 19 : 11

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 45 : 11 : 8

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £ 361 : 8 : 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.

+ including £7.10.9 per R.O. Flynn, + } for Repayment of  
 - 4.0 per R.O. Managan } 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.		
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward	51	15	.				634	1	1					
	" South "	49	16	2				352	8	6					
	" East "	111	19	1				1032	10	.					
	" West "	31	19	.				799	9	1					
	Ballintemple	7	7	1				77	11	11					
	Barna	3	14	1				161	12	7					
	Carrowbrown	2	2	1				53	8	.					
							258	12	6				3141	1	2
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown	.	.	.				46	1	.					
	Aughrim	.	.	.				64	16	8					
	Belleville	.	.	.				47	11	.					
	Carnmore	.	.	.				32	13	7					
	Claregalway	.	.	.				74	2	4					
	Deerpark	.	.	.				51	2	7					
	Lackaghbeg	.	.	.				38	3	2					
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	Lisheenavalla	.	.	.				36	17	8					
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	Oranmore	.	.	.				146	4	9					
	Stradbally	.	.	.				54	6	6					
													488	10	4
<del>MADON</del> HERNON	Inishmore	.	.	.				227	2	4					
													227	2	4
<del>JOHN DEWANE</del> WALLACE	Kilcummin	.	.	.				62	19	6					
													62	19	6
JOHN GERAGHTY	Moycullen	8	3	3				47	.	3					
	Slieveaneema	3	6	1				68	11	10					
	Tullokyne	15	13	4				48	7	10					
													27	2	8
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbogh	.	.	.				49	19	7					
	Spiddal	.	.	.				58	7	8					
													108	5	8
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killamin	18	10	.				17	1	6					
	Selerna	.	.	.				30	19	6					
								18	10	.					
								304	52	.				4702	73

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

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By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 69 s. 6 d. 2

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The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . 68 : 5 : 7

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . 2 : 11 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, . . . . . 6 : 1

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:

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
2600	15	11	6	lbs. White Bread,			
400	2	5	10	lbs. Brown Bread,			
437 1/2	10		7	lbs. Meat,			
1882	12	14	10	Quarts Milk,			
28		4	10	lbs. Cocoa,	6		4 6
1 1/2		2	11	cwts. Salt,			
2				Chests Tea,			
100	1	5		lbs. Sugar,			
390	1	5	9	Eggs,			
12		5		lbs. Corn Flour,			
1	2	1	8	Barrels Porter,			
60	3			Pints Port Wine,			
10	1	5	10	Bottles Brandy,			
				Gallons Whiskey,			
8		9	4	lbs. Butter,	10		4 7
				lbs. Arrowroot,			
12		4		lbs. Lump Sugar,	67		16 9
18	1	12	2	ozs. Tobacco,			
S.D. 32				Pints of Wine			

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 16 day of July 1875 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, - . . . . .	9	1	6
In Kind. . . . .		11	0
Total, . . . . .	9	12	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.					Bi. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each 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.

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

2. Establishment Account. £ s. d.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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

Grill Report - The Doctor's return showed that the grill supplied by the several Contractors during the week yielded from 8 to 10 degrees of cream -

Hospital Reports -

Workhouse - Admitted during the week	10
Discharged ..	12
Died ..	—
Remaining ..	79

Fever Hospital - Admitted during the week	2
Discharged ..	5
Died ..	—
Remaining ..	11

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

That the Civil Bill process against C. N. Sloper was tried at the February Quarter Sessions on the 16<sup>th</sup> instant and dismissed on the merits, there being no corroborative evidence against defendant's oath in the matter.

That one inmate named Michael Francis is in a state of violent lunacy, and that the Medical Officer in attendance recommends that he be sent to the Lunatic Asylum -

Order - Send him to the Asylum -

Ordered - 2 metal graters, 1 box floats, 6 Lin Seances, 1 brass bone studs, 6 yd red tape, 2 boxes matches, 1/4 St Brans, 1 St. Cats, 6 Sewing brushes -

The Doctor's Report of Clothing made during the week was read -

Her request for old articles of clothing to be used for repairs was referred to the Visiting Committee -

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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 Local Gov<sup>t</sup> Board —

No 910/75  
16 Jan'y } Forwarding the Returning Officers Account of expenses attending the election of a guardian for the East Ward of Galway R.D., in the month of August last, amounting to £1 for payment by the Board of guardians

No 1073/75  
21 Jan'y } Approving of the appointment of Mr. Bartholomew Hermon to the Office of Poor Rate Collector, at a remuneration of four pence in the pound—

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No 1252/1875 } Transmitting to be laid before the Board  
21<sup>st</sup> Jan'y } a letter signed "a ratepayer" which has been addressed to the Local Gov<sup>t</sup> Board relating to the proceedings of the Guardians on the 8<sup>th</sup> inst., in reference to a supply of meat sent in by the Contractor which was rejected as being of inferior quality—  
Requesting to be furnished with the Guardians' observations thereon—  
(See extracts from Master's Reports of 1<sup>st</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> instant, and Guardians' resolution on the latter.)

Minute—

The statements in the letter of a ratepayer are correct in so far as that the Master refused to accept meat offered him by the Contractor and made purchases elsewhere at a higher rate than the Contract price, amounting to an extra cost of £4:10:5, which was remitted by the Board on the 8<sup>th</sup> inst.—

It is incorrect to state that the meat was delivered at the Workhouse; it was examined by the Master at the Contractor's stall and there rejected—

It is also incorrectly stated that the Master submitted the meat to D. Bowditch for inspection and that it was condemned by him—

One Guardian stated, on the 8<sup>th</sup> inst. that he considered the meat rejected by the Master of such good quality that he purchased a portion for his own use—

Letter from Commissioner of Valuation, dated 20<sup>th</sup> January, enclosing the abstract of the Valuation of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union to correspond with the Revision as completed for the present 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 . . . . . 9  
 Ditto disallowed . . . . . "  
 The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was . . . . . 13

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was . . . . . 5  
 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 . . . . . 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).

Report of Visiting Committee - 19<sup>th</sup> January 1875

In accordance with the resolution of the Board of Guardians at last Meeting we have gone through the wards of the Workhouse, and counted the inmates - The Master made the following return: - Present 440 -

We reckoned in all the wards 439 - We have no doubt the discrepancy occurred in counting the persons in the different wards, and that the Master will be able to explain the difference that was found between our reckoning and his return -

We have to observe upon the general appearance of the House which was very satisfactory - The hospital, especially we found in excellent condition - There was a marked improvement in the appearance of the school children, particularly the girls -

L. S. Ferdinand.

John J. Kinnon,

Jr. fell -

The report was adopted; and the Board considered the result of the counting of the inmates quite satisfactory -

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

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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 Mozculline 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 Galway Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, &c., or other requisitions were ordered to be supplied:

Ordered - That a Notice Book and Bell be at once put up at the Dispensary entrance door.

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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, 1858.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 187\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187\_\_\_\_

_____ 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 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 Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 Local Government Board for Ireland 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, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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~~

Sanitary Officer  
 Reiving Officer Byrne reported that he has served notices upon the defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in the Galway District requiring compliance with the law—

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over six months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY.  
 37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:—

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Inverloughmore	D. Duggan	16 Notices of Nuisances from Sanitary Sub-Officer	Offensive manure heaps close to dwellings; filthy pools, &c.

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

Sanitary Sub-Officer to serve notices of abatement—

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

J. J. Stack, Executive Sanitary Officer reported that he attended at the Galway Petty Sessions on the 18<sup>th</sup> inst. to carry out proceedings against 35 persons resident in Castlebar and Ballinacorney for neglect to abate nuisances; that an order for abatement was obtained in each case, with payment of costs =

Sub-Sanitary Officer <sup>Young</sup> reported that at the Oranmore Petty Sessions on the 20<sup>th</sup> instant he obtained orders for abatement of nuisances, and payment of costs in six cases — that the magistrates recommended in the case of the Widow O'Dea that the Sanitary authority should bear the costs, 3/- (agreed to)

Sanitary Sub-Officer Sullivan reported that three persons in his district have failed to comply with notices to abate nuisances —  
 Order — Take proceedings to enforce compliance —

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts, were laid before the Board, viz.:-

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or disbursements were given thereon follows]

Sanitary Sub-Officer O'Connor reported - that those in the village of Spiddal upon he Sewer works requiring abatement of nuisances have complied, with one exception who is proceeding but slowly -

*Pierce Joyce Esq*  
*Francis Ward*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of January 1875  
(Signed) Thomas Stack  
Clerk of the Union

Population in 1871—44,022

Present Net Annual Value, £ 65,549

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 23 day of Jan 1875

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	816	440														
Temporary Buildings	222	76														
Additional Workhouse	44	9														
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	1082	449														
Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return,			20	77	59	118	29	25	48	34	34	444	In Work-house Hospital, } 79	In separate Wards } 3		
Admitted during the Week,			1	5	8	1	1		4	2	2	22	In Fever Hospital } 9	In Wards with other inmates, } 5		
TOTAL,			21	82	67	119	30	25	52	36	36	466	Total, } 88	Total, } 8		
Discharged during the Week,			3	5		1	1	1	1	2	1	15	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.			
Died,						1			1			2	Men	Women	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	5	2	1	1	2	2	1	1	17	No. Relieved during week			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			21	79	62	117	29	24	50	32	35	449	No. in Work-house at date			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 23 day of Jan 1875, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	9	23			9	23	Bt. forward						
No. II.	4	5			4	5	No. X.						
No. III.	4	5			4	5	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.	1	1			1	1	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	12	29			12	29	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car forward	30	63			30	63	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 27 day of January 1875

PRESENT: In the Chair,

*Pierce Joyce Esq*

Other Guardians:

*Mr J. Denis Kelly, P. J. Grealy, L. L. Ferdinand, B. O'Flaherty, J. Ward, E. D. Burke, Mr Grealy -*

*S. Brodie, L. J. Inspector, attended -*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 17038 to No. 17054, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Outdoor 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, - - - £290:15:7  
 Paid during the week, - - - £18:2:3  
 And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £88:14:11  
 The Book was signed by the Chairman  
 The Weekly Balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward	39	6	10				594	14	3			
	" South "	3	12					378	16	6			
	" East "	63	16	4				968	13	8			
	" West "	33	17	3				765	11	10			
	Ballintemple	12	18	4				64	13	7			
	Barna	3	12	11				157	19	8			
	Carrowbrown	7	1	0				46	7				
							164	4	8				2976 16 6
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown	.	.	.				46	1	.			
	Aughrim	.	.	.				64	16	8			
	Belleville	.	.	.				49	11	.			
	Carnmore	4	15	3				27	18	4			
	Claregalway	24	4	3				49	18	1			
	Deerpark	7	17	8				43	4	11			
	Lackaghbeg	16	5	8				21	17	6			
	Liscananam	.	.	.				68	19	9			
	Lisheenavalla	3	12	6				33	5	9			
								56	15	4			
WILLIAM YOUNG	Ballinacourty	23	11	10				99	15	6			
	Clarenbridge	18	16	8				145	15	1			
	Oranmore	11	2	1				135	2	8			
	Stradbally	16	5	0				38	1	6			
							69	15	7				418 14 9
<del>MRS</del> HERNON	Inishmore	.	.	.				227	2	4			227 2 4
JOHN <del>WALLACE</del> Wallace	Kilcummin	.	.	.				62	19	6			62 19 6
JOHN GERAGHTY	Moycullen	.	.	.				47		3			
	Slieveaneena	.	.	.				68	11	10			
	Tullokyne	.	.	.				48	7	10			
													163 19 11
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbogh	.	.	.				49	17	7			
	Spiddal	.	.	.				58	7	8			
													108 5 3
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killanin	.	.	.				17	1	6			
	Selerna	.	.	.				30	19	6			
													48 1
							290	15	7				4411 11 8

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



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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 57 s. — d. 8

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,  
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 64 : 17 : 3

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,  
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - 2 : 9 3/4  
Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 6 : 0  
Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 3 : 6 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:

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
2600	15	11	6	lbs. White Bread,			
400	2	5	10	lbs. Brown Bread,	2		4 6
364/4	8	7	1	lbs. Meat,			
1932	13	1	7	Quarts Milk,			
28		4	10	lbs. Cocoa,	2	cut	16
				cwts. Salt,	50 s.	Rollts	8
				Chests Tea,			
90	1	2	6	lbs. Sugar,			
427	1	8	2	Eggs,			
10		4	2	lbs. Corn Flour,			
1/2	1		10	Barrels Porter,			
54	2	14		Pints Port Wine,			
16	2	1	4	Bottles Brandy,			
				Gallons Whiskey,			
7		8	2	lbs. Butter,	10		4 7
				lbs. Arrowroot,			
10		3	4	lbs. Lump Sugar,	67		16 9
18		3	9	ozs. Tobacco,			
				Tons Coal,			
				lbs. Candles,			
				lbs. Soap,			

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

1. The several Clothing Account.
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>d</sup> day of Jan 1855 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - -	3	6	0
In Kind, - - - - -		12	3
Total, - - - - -	3	18	3

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.	J. J. J.	5:0:0	174		Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forward.		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.

Masters  
Establishment Account. £ s. d.  
173, Lynch, to buy Potatoes, &c. 7 4 "

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

Hospital Reports.-

Workhouse-Admitted during the week	12
Discharged ..	16
Died ..	2
Remaining ..	73
Fever Hospital-Admitted during the week	1
Discharged ..	3
Died ..	—
Remaining ..	9

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 gilded from 8 to 10 degrees of cream.

That the lunatic, Michael Francis, has been sent to the Balmishev asylum -

That two chests of sea sent in by the Contractor are submitted for inspection -

(Examined and approved)

Ordered on Masters requisition -

Cheque for £7, for purchase of Potatoes, 1000 shoe nails, 1 lb Hemp, 1 small brass core, 1 lb Twine, 4 lb Thread, 3 dozen hooks & eyes -

The Matron's report of clothing made and repaired during the week was read -

Ordered - 30 yards of Shirting Calico -

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 Local Government Board dated 28<sup>th</sup> January, 1875, No 1697/1875, stating in reference to Minutes of 22<sup>nd</sup> instant that they will forward a copy of the correspondence on the subject of the meal rejected by the Master to the Auditor for his information. That the resolution of the 8<sup>th</sup> instant Committee in any way relieve the Master of his obligation to enforce the due fulfilment of that Contract.

Letter from Clerk of Newcastle Union dated 11<sup>th</sup> January, forwarding a copy of a petition to the House of Commons, praying for the constitution of an appeal Tribunal against arbitrary decisions of the Local Government Board. (No order)

Relieving Officer Flynn laid before the Board an eviction notice served upon him relating to house premises in the Town of Galway. — Messrs Charles and Richard Cahill plaintiffs, W. Michael Grealy and others defendants.

The Chaplain's Book was produced and entries read therefrom of the baptism of two illegitimate children.

Ordered that Bridget O'Brien get the clothing which belonged to her husband, John O'Brien, a deceased inmate of the Workhouse.

The Warrant to Mr. John Wallace to collect the outstanding rates in the Electoral Division of Kilscurbin was duly signed.

On the motion of Mr. John Gill, seconded by Mr. Denis Kelly, it was

Resolved. That we request the Local Govt. Board to reply to our resolution of the 15<sup>th</sup> inst. respecting the chargeability of the Salaries of Sanitary Officers.

The Clerk informed the Board that the Master claims an allowance of 176 lbs of Meal as Waste of bone on the portion issued for hospital use during the last 16 weeks, being an average of 11 lb per week, or 1 lb in every 16 lb of the consumption.

Order - To be allowed - The Master in future to charge the allowance for bone weekly in his Provision Account.

Ordered - Clerk to write to Mr Thos. S. Reid, Petty Sessions Clerk to inquire whether the fines & costs imposed upon Denis Crowe and Patrick Crowe late Mill Contractors, have been paid, and if not to inform the Board what steps have been taken to recover them.

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 - 9

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

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

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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 Invoices of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the Galway & Spiddal Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of 15<sup>th</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):

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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187\_\_\_\_

_____ 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 Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 2, 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 Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

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

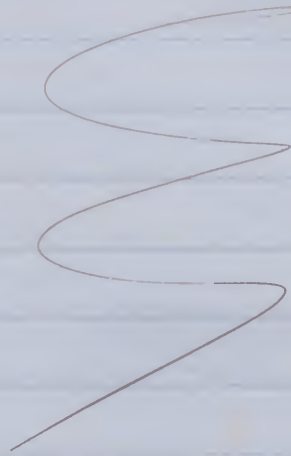
The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively to the following effect, or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:—

Read Letter from

dated

relating that

Relieving Officer Callinan reported that he has served notices upon the defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in the Inveraghmore District, requiring compliance with the law—



[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over six months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

Blank lines for reporting names of children.

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY.  
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:—

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Inveraghmore	D. Duggan	Notices of Nuisances served by Sanitary Officer	Filthy surroundings of dwelling houses; manure heaps, dirty pools, &c.

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report, Book. Sanitary Sub-Officer to serve notices of abatement as recommended by Sanitary Officer.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland on subjects relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

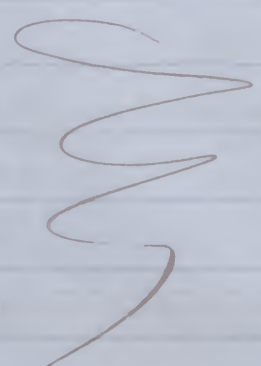
The Sanitary Officer and Sanitary Sub-Officers of Inveraghmore District reported that they attended at Headford on the 25<sup>th</sup> inst. to carry out prosecutions under the Sanitary Act, and that there was no Magistrate in attendance.

Sanitary Sub Officer Callinan reported that Biddy Kelly of Corindulla has not complied with a notice to abate a nuisance.

Order - Proceed against her.

Sanitary Sub Officer Connor reported that 8 persons in the Spiddal District upon whom he has served notices of abatement have not complied.

Order - Proceed to enforce abatement.



The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz. —

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount

and cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon as follows]:—

Sanitary Supt Officer Young reported that he had served Dr. Hughes, Sanitary Officer, with 30 notices of nuisances, in various parts of the Deamrove District.

Dr. Hughes not having reported on these cases, the Executive Sanitary Officer was desired to call his attention to the omission, and to impress upon him the importance of a speedy inspection of and report on every case of the kind brought under his notice —

*John Stack*  
 Denis Kelly  
 John Kinman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 5<sup>th</sup> day of Feb 1875

(Signed)

*Thomas Stack*

Clerk of the Union

Population in 1871—44,022

Present Net Annual Value, £ 65,539

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30 day of Jan 1875

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS		
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date			
Workhouse	816	406															
Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse	222	30															
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	44	8															
TOTAL,	1082	444															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			21	79	62	117	29	24	50	32	35	449	In Work-house (Hospital),	In separate Wards } 3			
Admitted during the Week,			6	2	5	4				1	2	20	In Fever Hospital,	In Wards with other Inmates, } 5			
TOTAL,			27	81	67	121	29	24	50	33	37	469	Total,	Total,	8		
Discharged during the Week,			7	3	4	4			1	2	1	23	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died,						2						2	Men	Women	Children under 15	TOTAL	
Total Discharged and Dead,			7	3	6	4			1	2	1	25	No. Relieved during week	3	1	1	5
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			20	78	61	117	29	23	48	32	36	444	No. in Work-house at date	1	1	1	53

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30 day of Jan 1875, 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.	10	30			10	30	Bt. forward.						
No. II.	5	6			5	6	No. X.						
No. III.	4	5			4	5	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.	5	5			5	5	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	12	29			12	29	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
(Car-forward)	36	75			36	75	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 5 day of February 1875.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Pierce Joyce Esq*

Other Guardians:  
*P. J. Fealy, Denis Kelly, L. L. Ferdinand, Jno. L. Kinman, Jas. Davis, B. O'Hallahan, D. Brodie, S. J. Inspector, attended.*

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1700 to No. 1779 both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Outdoor 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 : 4  
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 14 : 1 : -  
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 106 : 8 : 5  
 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.
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward	27	7	11				567	6	4			
	" South "	14	0					364	8	6			
	" East "	61	15	2				906	10	6			
	" West "	21	6	0				744	5	2			
	Ballintemple	4	10					60	3	7			
	Barna	14	14					153		8			
	Carrowbrowne	6	6					40	1				
					140	12	9				2836	3	9
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown							46	1				
	Aughrim							64	16	0			
	Belleville							44	11				
	Carnmore							217	10	4			
	Claregalway							419	10	1			
	Deerpark							43	4	11			
	Lackaghbeg							24	17	6			
	Liscananaun							60	14	4			
	Lisheenavalla							33	5	2			
											405	12	5
WILLIAM YOUNG	Ballinacourty							99	15	6			
	Clarenbridge							145	15	1			
	Oranmore							135	2	0			
	Stradbally							38	1	6			
											418	14	9
<del>Walter</del> HERNON	Inishmore										227	2	4
											227	2	4
<del>John</del> Wallace	Kilcummin										62	14	6
											62	14	6
JOHN GERAGHTY	Moycullen	9	12	3				39	8				
	Shieveaneena	11	1	8				57	10	2			
	Tullokyne	3	5	2				45	2	8			
											23	19	1
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbogh	20	2	9				29	14	10			
	Spiddal	24	9	9				313	17	11			
											44	12	6
											63	12	9
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killanin							17	1	6			
	Seleraun							30	19	6			
											48	1	0
											209	4	4
											4204	7	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 £ 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 £ 67 s. 2 d. 3

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,  
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 67 : 12 : 11  
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,  
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 2 : 11  
Average cost in Infirmary, - 6 : 7  
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:

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
2600	lbs. White Bread,	15	11	6	lbs. Biscuit,		
400	lbs. Brown Bread,	2	5	10	lbs. Flour		
270	lbs. Meat,	6	3	9	Tons Indian Meal,		
1938	Quarts Milk,	13	2	5	Tons Oatmeal,		
28	lbs. Cocoa,		4	10			
1/2	cwts. Salt,		2	11			
	Chests Tea,						
90	lbs. Sugar,	1	2	6			
432	Eggs,	1	8	6			
8	lbs. Corn Flour,		3	4			
	Barrels Porter,						
	Pints Port Wine,						
	Bottles Brandy,						
9	Gallons Whiskey,				Tons Coal,		
9	lbs. Butter,		10	6	10 lbs. Candles,		4 7
9	lbs. Arrowroot,						
6	lbs. Lump Sugar,		2		74 lbs. Soap,		18 6
18	ozs. Tobacco,		3	9	2 cwt. Soda,		1

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 Account.
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 January 1875 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	£	s.	d.
	3	14	0
In Kind,	1	4	0
Total,	£	4	18 : 0

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By 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. 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.					
C.r. 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.

191. J. Grealy, blotting material 30 days - 36 6 4  
Externs Hospitals &c  
192. Deaf + Dumb Institution, 1/2 year maintenance of Leo Mc Dermott from 16 day 7 10

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

2. Establishment Account. £ s. d.

193. P. McDonald, materials plumber work - 3 7 10  
194. Hillabo, metal work - 2 1 1  
195. Phillip Kelly, Repairs to Van + boat - 1 15 -  
196. James Sweeney,  
Funeral feet  
196. James Sweeney, coffin (W. House) - 3 5 6  
Registration feet  
197. J. S. Kevin, fees to 31st Dec - 2 6 -  
blephs feet  
197. Strain, to pay small bills - 7 2 3

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
175	M. Usher, W. Bread to 30 July	77	17	5
6	M. Usher, B. Bread,	38	7	10
7	G. Neaves, Oatmeal,	27	14	.
8	G. Wood, Indianmeal	9	2	6
9	J. Ryan, Meat	2	16	0
180	J. Hughes, do	15	3	8
1	G. Colleson, Milk	9	9	7
2	G. Hughes, do	20	11	4
3	M. Coltingham, do	10	13	2
4	J. Morris, do	22	13	4
5	W. Costelloe, Wine	22	15	10
6	J. Leihan, Yeast	21	8	8

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
7	J. Morris, Eggs & Tobacco - 30 July	11	13	6
8	J. McManus, Whisky	15	3	9
9	G. Lavin, Butter	1	19	8
190	Galvey Gas Co., Gas	27	4	2

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	11
Discharged ..	7
Died ..	3
Remaining ..	74
Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week	6
Discharged ..	5
Died ..	—
Remaining ..	10

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 the Tea last supplied has been complained of in hospital and by all who used it -

[The Tea was examined in its dry and prepared state and pronounced fully equal to sample - With a view to obtaining a better article, the Clerk was directed to request the Contractor to send in next Board day a sample at 2 1/4 per lb]

That the remains of the late Benja. Matthews, who absconded from the Workhouse on the evening of 20 ult. have been found in the River, near the Claddagh pier, and that an inquest will be held to-day -

Ordered - For Master's requisition, 1/2 gal Colza Oil, 4 lb N. Lead, 1 qt prepared Oil, 1 shovel handle, 1 dozen screws, 1/4 lb glue, 1 lb cut nails, 100 - 0 nails, 1 sheet glass paper, 50 yds shrouding -

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The Matron's report of blotting made and repaired during the week was read—

The Weekly Reports of the Industrial Employment of the male and female inmates of the Workhouse were read—

The following Letters, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 Local Government Board, dated 11<sup>th</sup> February, 1881, state—~~

Letter from Clerk of Kilkenny Union, dated 20<sup>th</sup> January, forwarding copy of a Memorial from the Guardians of that Union to the Lords of the Treasury, praying for protection against the arbitrary and unconstitutional acts of the Local Govt. Board regarding the fixing of Salaries of Sanitary Officers—

Letter from Miss O'Shaughnessy, Workhouse Schoolmistress, asking for a fortnight's leave of absence for the benefit of her health, and enclosing Certificate of D. O'Connell to show its necessity—  
— Leave granted —

Ordered— That Michael Farrell get the clothing which belonged to his son, Joseph Farrell, a deceased inmate of the Workhouse—

Ordered— That an estimate be procured of the cost of erecting a bath in the hospital for use of the Sisters of Mercy—

Ordered— That the Clerk write again to Mr. Thomas J. Keid for a reply to the Guardians' resolution of 29<sup>th</sup> ult.—

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
Ditto disallowed	-	-	"
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	7
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	6
Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	"
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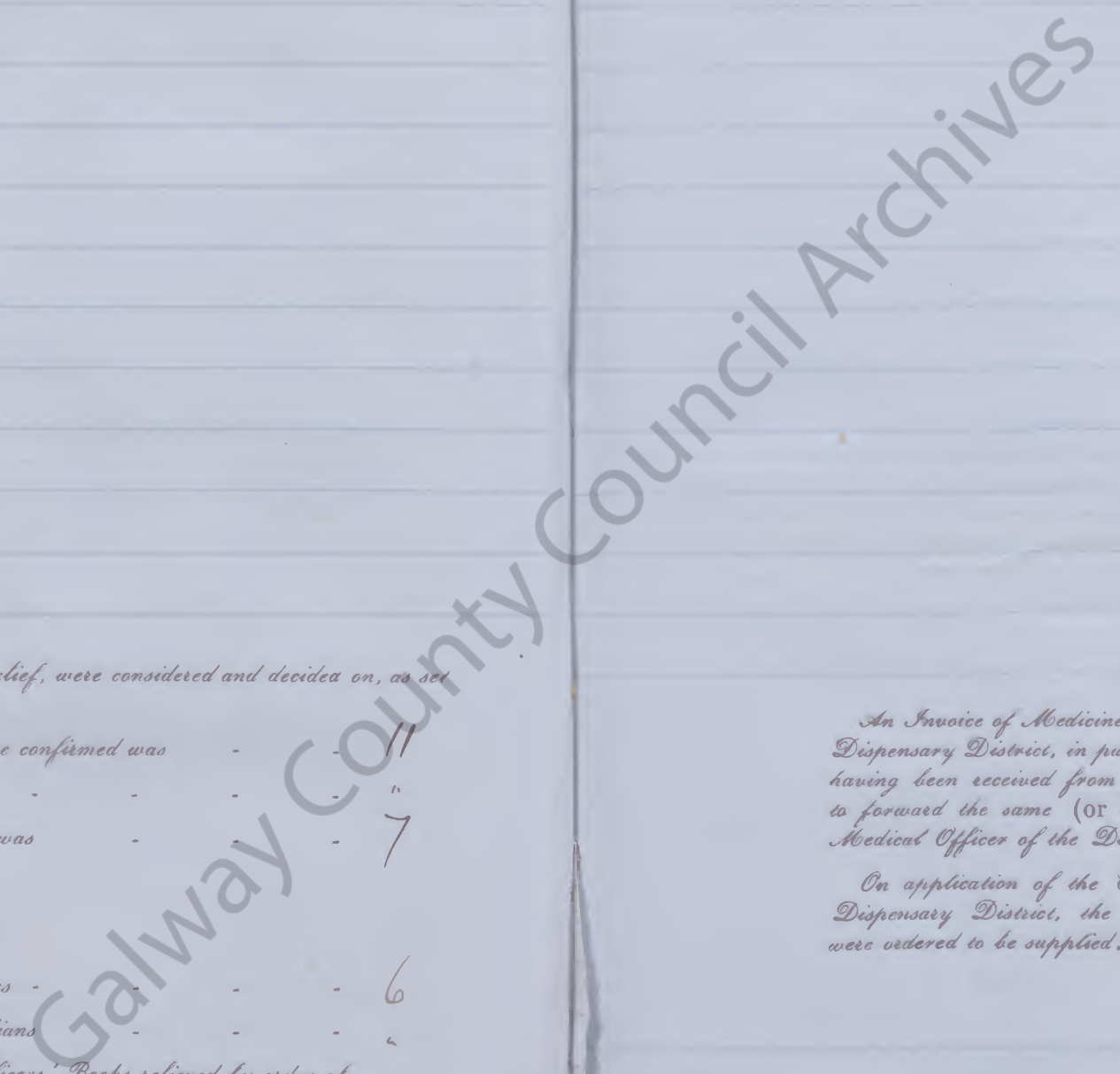
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*Arson* Dispensary District.

198 Account of *Dr. G. Hodkin* for Vaccination fee. Amount £ 6:19:0

*Larloghmore Drapry District*

~~199~~ <sup>200</sup> *Dr. Duggan*. Vaccination fee — 3:9:0

[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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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 Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 Local Government Board for Ireland 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, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 Daniel Conroy, Porter to Galway Dispensary, dated 5<sup>th</sup> February, asking for an increase of his Salary from £15 to £20 a year -  
 Order of Motion -

I give notice that I shall on this day fortnight move that the salary of Daniel Conroy, Porter to the Galway Dispensary, be increased to £20 per annum -

L. S. Ferdinand

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over six months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

Form of Report received from Dr. Bodkin, Aran, marked "Nil" -

were read before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Ordered - Clerk to request Dr. Bodkin to inform the Board of the number of Births registered and the number of Successful Vaccinations during the past year -

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:—

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Galway No 1	D. Clayton	Inspection of nuisances	Removal of manure heaps from close proximity to dwellings -
Introughmore	D. Duggan	Sanitary	filling up dirty pools;
Diammore	D. Hughes	Sanitary	removal of pigs from habitations, &c -
Moyan New	D. Conolly	Sub-officers	
Spiddal	D. O'Dea		

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

Sanitary Sub-officers to serve notices of abatement as recommended by Sanitary Officers -

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

From Local Government Board - Letter dated 1<sup>st</sup> Feb., No 22 N/75, requesting a Return relating to the appointments and salaries of officers under the Public Health Act -

Letter dated 4<sup>th</sup> February, No 2213/1875, referring to Guardians' resolution of 29<sup>th</sup> ult., and stating that they can only refer them to their letter of 14<sup>th</sup> ult. and Circular letter of 6<sup>th</sup> ult. as to the proper mode of charging the Salaries of Sanitary Officers Moved by Mr. Denis Kelly, Seconded by Mr. John J. Keenan, and Resolved - That before taking any further steps, we request the Local Govt. Board will state a case for the opinion of Counsel upon the point in dispute - such case to embrace our resolutions of 8<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> ult. - and that we be furnished with a copy of the case so stated and the opinion -

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz.:

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount

and cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon as follows]

Reports were read from Sanitary Sub-Officers Flynn, Fahmy, and Griffin, Mizen, upon which no special order appeared necessary -

Sanitary Sub-Officer Gullivan, Turroughmore, reported that he had three persons summoned to Athenry Petty Sessions on Tuesday last under the Sanitary Acts - that in two cases orders of abatement were obtained with 176 Costs in each - that in the third case was dismissed on the ground of defective service, the person served being under 16 years of age - Ordered - Clerk to draw attention to Sec 31 of 1849 Act, Cap 124 as to service of summonses; and to point out that the Costs given by the Magistrates are insufficient to cover the orders of abatement and service of summonses -

*Thomas Stack*  
 Mick G. Realy  
 Denis Kelly  
 Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 12<sup>th</sup> day of Feb 1875  
 (Signed) *Thomas Stack*  
 Clerk of the Union

Population in 1871—44,022 Present Net Annual Value, £ 65,549  
 STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 6 day of Feb 1875

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 6 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	86	461														
Temporary Buildings																
Additional Workhouse	222	30														
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	8														
Fever Sheds																
TOTAL	1082	439														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			20	78	61	117	29	23	40	32	36	444	In Workhouse Hospital, 70	In separate Wards } 3		
Admitted during the Week,			3	2	7	5			1	1	1	20	In Fever Hospital } 8	In Wards with other Inmates } 5		
TOTAL			23	80	68	122	29	23	41	33	37	464	Total, 88	Total, 8		
Discharged during the Week,			3	3	5	2		2	2	3	1	21				
Died,					2	1					1	4				
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	3	7	3		2	2	4	1	25	No. Relieved during week } 3	No. in Workhouse at date } 2	4	9
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			20	77	61	119	29	21	47	29	36	439				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6 day of Feb 1875, 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.	10	32			10	32	Bt. for relief.						
No. II.	5	6			5	6	No. X.						
No. III.	4	5			4	5	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.	5	5			5	5	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	13	30			13	30	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
<b>Total</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>78</b>			<b>37</b>	<b>78</b>							

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 12<sup>th</sup> day of February 1875

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Pierce Joyce Esq*  
 Other Guardians: *J. Redington, D. Kelly, M. Grealy, E. D. Burke, L. L. Ferdinand, M. Sullivan, P. J. Grealy, J. Fahy, J. Davis, J. Minnow, Jimmy Hynes, D. Brodie, L. G. Inspector, attended.*

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 17080 to No. 17095, 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, - - - - - £ 346 : 16 : 3  
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 292 : 13 : 3  
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 160 : 11 : 5  
 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.		
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward	18	9	5				548	16	11					
	" South "	33	2	3				331	6	3					
	" East "	75	19	3				830	19	3					
	" West "	30						714	5	2					
	Ballintemple	7	3	8				52	19	11					
	Barna	11	13	7				141	7	1					
	Carrowbrownie	1	6	0				38	15	0					
							177	14	2			2658	9	7	
NICHOLAS KYNE	Anaghdown	37	5	8				8	15	4					
	Augbrim	.	.	.				64	16	8					
	Belleville	.	.	.				44	11	.					
	Carnmore	13	2	4				14	16	.					
	Claregalway	22	1	3				27	16	10					
	Deerpark	.	.	.				143	4	11					
	Lackaghbeg	.	.	.				21	17	6					
	Liscananaun	.	.	.				68	19	9					
	Lisheenavalla	20	.	.				13	5	7					
								92	9	3			313	3	2
WILLIAM YOUNG	Ballinacourty	25	7	10				74	2	8					
	Clarenbridge	8	5	4				137	9	9					
	Oranmore	23	1	2				112	1	6					
	Stradbally	19	13	6				18	8	-					
							76	12	10			342	1	11	
<del>MARY</del> HERNON	Inishmore	.	.	.				227	2	4			227	2	4
JOHN <del>WALLACE</del> Wallace	Kilcummin	.	.	.				62	19	6			62	19	6
JOHN GERAGHTY	Moycullen	.	.	.				39	8	.					
	Slieveaneena	.	.	.				57	10	2					
	Tullokyne	.	.	.				145	2	8					
											142	-	10		
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbogh	.	.	.				29	14	10					
	Spiddal	.	.	.				33	17	11					
											63	12	9		
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killanin	.	.	.				17	1	6					
	Selerna	.	.	.				30	19	6					
											48	1	-		
							346	16	3			3857	11	1	

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



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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 53 s. 18 d. 6

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	£ 61: 19: 11
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,	" 5. 0
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:

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
2600 lbs. White Bread,	15	11	6	lbs. Biscuit,			
400 lbs. Brown Bread,	2	5	10	lbs. Flour			
436 lbs. Meat,	9	14	10	Tons Indian Meal,			
1808 Quarts Milk,	12	15	8	Tons Oatmeal,			
28 lbs. Cocoa,		4	10				
— cwts. Salt,							
— Chests Tea,							
90 lbs. Sugar,	1	2	6				
366 Eggs,	1	4	2				
4 lbs. Corn Flour,		1	8				
1/2 Barrels Porter,	1		10				
36 Pints Port Wine,	1	16					
10 Bottles Brandy,	1	5	10				
— Gallons Whiskey,				Tons Coal,			
8 lbs. Butter,		9	4	10 lbs. Candles,		4	7
— lbs. Arrowroot,							
6 lbs. Lump Sugar,		2		67 lbs Soap,		16	9
18 ozs. Tobacco,		3	9				

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 Account.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 6<sup>th</sup> day of July 1844 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, -	£ 3. 14. 0
In Kind, -	1. 6. 2
Total, -	£ 5. 0. 2

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.					Bt. forward				
No. II.	W. Young	5. 0. 0			No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.	Mr. Connor	3. 0. 0			No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Cat. forward		8. 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.

*[Handwritten signature]*

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

Master's Establishment Account. £ s. d.

203. J. Lynch, purchase of Potatoes £ 5 . .

*[Handwritten signature]*

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

GALWAY

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

That the following articles, part of the general stock of the house be cancelled and used for repairs as far as they can be made available:—

- 50 Sheets
- 20 Blankets
- 50 Rugs
- 20 Ticks

- 50 Men's Shirts
- 50 Women's Shifts
- 50 " Petticoats
- 100 " Aprons
- 100 " Gowns
- 40 Girls' Frocks
- 100 " Bibs

From the hospital Stock - to be condemned:—

- 50 Sheets
- 1 Blanket
- 13 Rugs
- 25 Ticks
- 25 Bolsters
- 40 Men's Shirts
- 52 Women's Chemises
- 24 " Aprons
- 23 " Shawls
- 12 " Capes
- 4 Girls' Frocks
- 8 " Shifts
- 12 " Bibs
- 12 Flannel Vests -

10 Sheets, 13 Rugs, and 1 Blanket to be retained in hospital for dusts and mopping cloths - the remainder to be returned to store, and replaced with new articles when necessary -

## Hospital Reports.—

Workhouse—Admitted during the week	17
Discharged ..	13
Died ..	3
Remaining ..	75

## Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week

Discharged ..	4
Died ..	—
Remaining ..	6

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

That he rejected 5 gallons of milk delivered by Mr. Collieran on the 6<sup>th</sup> instant, and forwarded a sample to Dr. Cameron for analysis on the 8<sup>th</sup>; that he has not yet learned the result.

Ordered—4 lb Wax Candles, 2 lb Tallow, 1 Small Saw, 1 door handle, 4 boxes pens, 2 iron buckets, 4 barrels lime, 6 Carts Sand, 1/4 Stone brass, Clothing for a child born in Workhouse, No 16625

The Master's Report of Clothing made and repaired during the week was read—

Ordered—60 yds Shirting Calico for <sup>fever</sup> Hospital use—

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters, from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders made on them respectively, as follows):—

Letter from Mr Henry M. Cruise, dated 8<sup>th</sup> Feb, giving notice that he will attend on the 16<sup>th</sup> instant to audit the Union accounts for the past half year—

Letter from Mr Wm. J. Reid, dated 12<sup>th</sup> Feb, stating that the fines and costs imposed on Denis Crowe and Patrick Crowe, late Milk Contractors, have been levied—  
(Clerk received, through Mr Jas. W. Blaker, Solr, cheque for £9.9.0, amount of costs in that case—)

Ordered—That Peter Kane be allowed to quit the Workhouse and his family allowed to remain for one month, his children being only convalescent from measles—

Ordered—That Bridget Lee get the clothing which belonged to her mother, Catherine Flynn, a deceased inmate of the Workhouse— and that Colman Conry get the clothing of his father, Stephen Conry, also a deceased inmate—

Ordered—That John Moloney be allowed 12<sup>s</sup> <sup>for clothing</sup> and John O'Dea £1, to enable those inmates to leave the Workhouse—

Resolved—That the Local Government Board be requested to sanction the expenditure of a sum of £6 to provide clothing and defray expenses to Queenstown of three children framed formerly, their father who is in Boston (U.S.) having paid for their passages out— chargeable to Bama S.D.

Relieving Officer Cullinane handed in a notice of eviction served upon him, relating to the possession of land in the Electoral Division of Lackaghby—

Mr. Maurice Fough sent in a specification of the cost of fitting up a bath in the apartments of the Sisters of Mercy, - amt. £27 =  
 Ordered - Clerk to request Mr. Fough to send in a new estimate of the cost of fitting up a bath with a supply of cold water alone -

A new Warrant to Mr. Bartholomew Hemmion for collection of the rates in the Electoral Division of Lisburnmore was duly signed -

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	1
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	4

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	9
Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians	1
The number of other applicants in the Deceiving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	1

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered	1
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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).

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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:

Received - through Mr. George Morris, Hon. Secy, Report of Proceedings of Spiddal Dispensary Committee on 5<sup>th</sup> instant -  
 recommending that the rent of the Dispensary Depot at Cartronlahan be increased from £5 to £7 a year, from 25<sup>th</sup> March next -  
 and that at next annual appointment only one Warden, at Spiddal, together with the Clergymen of the District, be appointed -

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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187

District, . . . . . £

District . . . . . £

Galway County Council Archives

[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 Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 Local Government Board for Ireland 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, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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~~

relating that

Resolved - That the Clerk call the attention of the several Dispensary Medical Officers to the serious outbreak of Small pox in the adjoining County of Mayo and in other places not remote from this Union, and to impress upon them the necessity of carrying perfectly into operation the provisions of the Compulsory Vaccination Act - That the several Relieving Officers be required to report whether the persons returned as defaulters have obeyed the notices served upon requiring compliance with the law -

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.]  
Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over six months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY.  
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:—

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Galway No. 2	D. Grealy	Notices from Sanitary Sub Officer	of dungheaps near dwellings &c.
Boyalton	D. Conroy	Report of 20 cases, of personal inspection where nuisances exist.	

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

Sanitary Sub-Officers to serve notices of abatement -

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Letter from Local Government Board, dated 11th M., No. 2802/1875, declining to ask the opinion of Counsel on the question which has been raised by the Board of Guardians respecting the chargeability of Sanitary Salaries - Proposed by Mr. Denis Kelly, seconded by Mr. Michael Grealy - That we take Counsel's opinion on the two resolutions of 8<sup>th</sup> and 15<sup>th</sup> ultimo, the subject of the Local Government Board's letter of this day -

The resolution having been put to a division - It voted for it - It against - It declined to vote -

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz.:-

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount	
		£	s

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given in season follows]:-

The Clerk having reported that he had ordered Sanitary Forms from the Contractor which had not been supplied, was instructed to procure them elsewhere, if not delivered within a reasonable time -

Reports were read from Sanitary Sub Officers Flynn, Cullinan, and O'Connor -  
 Order made - That Martin Fealish and Thomas Wastey <sup>of Castleaggy</sup> be allowed another for night before enforcing penalties under Justice's orders of abatement -

*Pierce Joyce Esq*  
*Thomson*  
*Smith*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* the *19<sup>th</sup>* day of *February* 1875  
 (Signed) *Thomas Stack*  
 Clerk of the Board

Population in 1871 - *44,022*

Present Net Annual Value, £ *65,549*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *13* day of *Feb* 1875

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building above date	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied						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	<i>816</i>	<i>715</i>													
Temporary Buildings	<i>222</i>	<i>30</i>													
Permanent Fever Hospital	<i>44</i>	<i>4</i>													
Fever Sheds															
TOTAL	<i>1082</i>	<i>749</i>													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			<i>20</i>	<i>77</i>	<i>61</i>	<i>119</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>47</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>36</i>	<i>439</i>	In Work-house Hospital, <i>74</i>	In separate Wards <i>3</i>	
Admitted during the Week,			<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>14</i>	In Fever Hospital <i>44</i>	In Wards with other inmates, <i>5</i>	
TOTAL			<i>21</i>	<i>79</i>	<i>66</i>	<i>120</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>49</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>37</i>	<i>453</i>	Total, <i>78</i>	Total, <i>8</i>	
Discharged during the Week,			<i>1</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>21</i>			
Died,					<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>						<i>3</i>			
Total Discharged and Dead,			<i>1</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>24</i>			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			<i>20</i>	<i>74</i>	<i>63</i>	<i>114</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>44</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>36</i>	<i>429</i>			

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.			
	Men	Women	Children under 15
No. Relieved during week	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>
No. in Work-house at date			<i>4</i>
No. at corresponding period last year			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *13<sup>th</sup>* day of *Feb* 1875 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.	<i>10</i>	<i>32</i>			<i>10</i>	<i>32</i>	Bt. forward.						
No. II.	<i>4</i>	<i>5</i>			<i>4</i>	<i>5</i>	No. X.						
No. III.	<i>4</i>	<i>5</i>			<i>4</i>	<i>5</i>	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>4</i>	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	<i>13</i>	<i>30</i>			<i>13</i>	<i>30</i>	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car forward	<i>33</i>	<i>74</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>35</i>	<i>76</i>	Total						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Friday* the *19<sup>th</sup>* day of *February* 1875

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

*Pierce Joyce Esq*  
*Denis Kelly, Jas. Ward, Capt. J. C. Lambert, L. J. Verdine,*  
*A. Leahy, Jas. Gill, James Davis, J. J. Kimron,*  
*J. J. Burke, Jas. Fahy, Ben. O'Hara, Capt. O'Hara,*  
*J. J. Macken.*

*Dr. Bowie, L. J. Inspector, attended.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 17496 to No. 17513, 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:

+ Receipts include £9.9.0 lodged by Clerk -  
 Cost imposed by Magistrates on Denis Gannon & Pat-  
 Conne, late Milk Contractors, for having supplied  
 bad milk -

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, - - - £240 : 1 : 4  
 Paid during the week, - - - £ 82 : 14 : 10  
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £317 : 17 : 11  
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.  
 The Weekly Balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward	37	2					571	14	11					
	" South "	12	4	6				319	1	9					
	" East "	69	18	5				761		10					
	" West "	41	11	7				672	13	7					
	Ballintemple	8	12	2				44	7	9					
	Barna	3	12	2				137	14	11					
	Carrowbrowne	1	16	6				36	18	6					
							174	17	4			2483	12	3	
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown							8	15	3					
	Aughrim							64	16	8					
	Belleville							49	11						
	Carnmore							14	16						
	Claregalway							29	16	10					
	Deerpark							43	4	11					
	Lackaghbeg							21	17	6					
	Liscananaun							60	9	4					
	Lisheenavalla							13	5	2					
												313	3	2	
WILLIAM YOUNG	Ballinacourty							74	2	8					
	Clarenbridge							137	9	9					
	Oranmore							112	1	6					
	Stradbally							18	8						
													342	1	11
Bartho HERNON	Inishmore							227	2	4					
													227	2	4
JOHN HERNON HALLUCE	Kilcummin							62	19	6					
													62	19	6
JOHN GERAGHTY	Moycullen	15	7	3				23	10	9					
	Slieveaneena	6	11	3				50	18	11					
	Tullokyne	13	2	6				32		2					
													35	11	
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbogh							29	14	10					
	Spiddal							313	17	11					
													63	12	9
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killanin							17	1	6					
	Selema							30	14	6					
													48	1	
								210	8	4					
								<del>346</del>	<del>16</del>	<del>3</del>					
													3647	2	9

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 £ 56 s. 13 d. 2

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,  
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - £ s. d.  
60: 3: 1

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,  
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - £ s. d.  
2. 0

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - £ s. d.  
5. 4 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - £ s. d.  
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:

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
2600 lbs. White Bread,	15	11	6	lbs. Biscuit,			
300 lbs. Brown Bread,	1	14	5	lbs. Flour			
433 1/2 lbs. Meat,	9	18	7	Tons Indian Meal,			
190 1/4 Quarts Milk,	12	17	10	Tons Oatmeal,			
20 lbs. Cocoa,		4	10	lb Pepper	4	6	
17 cwts. Salt,		2	11				
Chests Tea,							
90 lbs. Sugar,	1	2	6				
399 Eggs,	1	6	4				
10 lbs. Corn Flour,		4	2				
Barrels Porter,							
40 Pints Port Wine,	2						
17 Bottles Brandy,	2	3	11				
1 Gallons Whiskey,							
8 lbs. Butter,		9	4	10 lbs. Candles,		4	7
lbs. Arrowroot,							
12 lbs. Lump Sugar,		4		67 lbs. Soap,		16	9
18 ozs. Tobacco,		3	9				

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 13 day of Feb 1875

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	3	8	6
In Kind,	1	4	4
Total,	4	12	10

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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. forward					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.	Hanayon	6	0	20 1/2		No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Cht. forward		16	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.

*[Handwritten signature]*

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

*[Handwritten signature]* Debit Law, &c. Establishment Account. £ s. d.

205. Dr Conneron, Expenses in attending to prosecute Milk Contractors — 77. 7. "

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

3. Washhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

£	s.	d.

Debit Washhouse 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:—

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The Master's report of clothing made and repaired during the week was read -  
Ordered - on her requisition -  
4 dozen hoods & eyes -

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

Milk Report - The Master's report showed that the milk supplied by the several Contractors during the week yielded from 8 to 10 degrees of Cream -

## Hospital Reports. -

Workhouse - Admitted during the week	11
Discharged ..	10
Died ..	2
Remaining ..	74

Fever Hospital - Admitted during the week	1
Discharged ..	3
Died ..	—
Remaining ..	4

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

That on the 13<sup>th</sup> instant he received from D. Cameron a Certificate of his analysis of the sample of milk forwarded to him on the 8<sup>th</sup> inst., (supplied by Thos. Collieran,) showing that it contained 25 per cent of water added as an adulterant - That on the 15<sup>th</sup> instant he forwarded another sample of the same milk to D. Cameron by the "Executive Sanitary Officer", the analysis of which showed the same result -

Ordered - That Mr. James H. Blake, Solicitor, be instructed to take legal proceedings against Thomas Collieran -

Ordered - on Master's requisition -  
1 gross bone studs, 1 flask of oil, 1 pt. sweet oil,  
1 tray of turpentine, 2<sup>d</sup> worth rotten stone,  
1 stone of fire-clay, 4 boards, 100 - 8<sup>d</sup> nails,  
100 - 6<sup>d</sup> nails, 1 square file, 1 small table,  
2 carts of stones, 1 Cocon fibre mat,  
Repair of a stone and fever hospital gate bolt,  
Clothing for the child of John Moloney -

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 Local Government Board, dated 17<sup>th</sup> February, 1875, No 3407, requesting a Return showing particulars regarding the proposed assistance towards the Emigration of three children named Conneally.

Letter from Mr. Nicholas Curran, Poor Rate Collector, dated 17<sup>th</sup> February, 1875, stating he has furnished Mr. Francis L. Conroy with his account of Poor Rates for tenants valued at and under £4 in the Selerna Division, and has received no reply from him— that if the Board wish him to proceed by 15 days notice, he requests they will give will give directions accordingly—  
Ordered— to proceed to collect the rates—

Receiving Officer Griffin laid before the Board a notice received by him, through the post-office, relating to the eviction of Thomas Walsh and others from lands at Coghernalamra in the Division of Killaminy at the suit of Richard Berriore and the Law Life Assurance Society—

Ordered that Clothing to the value of 15/- be provided for Kate Flaherty, and to the value of 12/- for Martin Flaherty— to enable those inmates to leave the Workhouses—

The Clerk reported that the Union accounts for the half year ended 29<sup>th</sup> Sept. last were audited by Mr. Henry M. Cruise on the 16<sup>th</sup>, 17<sup>th</sup>, and 18<sup>th</sup> instant— The abstracts were submitted to the Board and signed by the Chairman—

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	-	-	8
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 Believing Officers Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	-
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered	-	-	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).

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

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the *Warrone & Inloughmore* Dispensary Districts 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

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:

Pursuant to notice - *M. L. S. Ferdinand* moved - that the Salary of Daniel Conway, Porter to the Galway Dispensary, be increased from £15 to £20 per annum - The motion was seconded by Mr. Francis Hard, and on a division was rejected - 6 voting for it and 8 against.

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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187\_\_\_\_

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 Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 2, of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees, namely:—

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland 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, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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. Hughes, Orammore, dated 18th February.

Stating that very few children in his district are unprotected by vaccination, and that "all will be soon completed"—

Vaccination reports were received from Relieving Officers Flynn, Culhannan, Giffni, and Connor.

Ordered - That Relieving Officer Flynn, Galway, summon all who may continue in default after the lapse of one week - and be permitted to open an account with Mr.

Mr. J. Reid, Clerk of Petty Sessions, for stamps - accounts to be furnished monthly. Relieving Officer Giffni, Moycullen, to Mr. Thomas Faherty of Sheeanena, if he persist in not presenting his child for vaccination -

Relieving Officer Connor, Spiddal, to summon all who shall be in default after the expiration of one month -

Reports (Form P containing the names of children born in the District who are over six months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz:—

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz:—

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Turloughmore	D. Duffan	Report upon three cases of Fungus	reported to him by Sanitary Sub Officer - Manure heaps in proximity to dwellings, &c.

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

Sanitary Sub Officer to serve notices of abatement.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Letter from D. Hughes, Medical Officer of Orammore Dispensary District, dated 18th February, 1875, stating that the Dispensary Porter has resigned, and that the fact has been reported to the Local Govt. Board -

Resolved that having regard to the frequent changes in the Porterships of the Orammore Dispensary, the Board recommend to the Committee the expediency of giving the office to Mr. Molloy from whom the Dispensary is rented -

For Gill  
Miss G. Regh  
James Kelly



The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz.:-

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount
Inchington		

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon as follows]:-

Population in 1871-44,022

Present Net Annual Value, £ 65,549

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 20 day of Feb 1875

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						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	398														
Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse	222	34														
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	44	4														
TOTAL,		1082														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			20	74	63	114	30	21	44	27	36	429	In Workhouse Hospital, 75	In separate Wards, 3		
Admitted during the Week,			1	2	8	5	2	1	1	1	20	In Fever Hospital, 4	In Wards with other inmates, 5			
TOTAL,			21	76	70	119	32	22	44	28	36	449	Total, 79	Total, 8		
Discharged during the Week,			1	2	5	1			1	1	1	12				
Died,						1						1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	2	6	1			1	1	1	13				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			20	74	65	118	32	22	43	27	35	436				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20 day of Feb 1875, 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.	7	20			7	20	BE. forward						
No. II.	3	4			3	4	No. X.						
No. III.	5	6			5	6	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.	2	2	2	2	4	4	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	13	30			13	30	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
BE. forward	30	62	2	2	32	64	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 26 day of February 1875.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Jas Gill. Esq.  
 Other Guardians: D. O'Leary, D. Kelly, M. Sullivan, M. G. Realy, James Faly, L. D. Burke, P. G. Realy, Jas. Kiwan, George C. Burke.  
 D. Brodie, L. G. Inspector, attended.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 26<sup>th</sup> day of Feb 1875  
 (Signed) W. Stack  
 Clerk of the Union.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 17114 to No. 17127, 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, - - - £489:14:4

Paid during the week, - - - £39:7:8

And that the Balance on the Account      of the Guardians was £768:4:7

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 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.
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward	18	7	10				493	7	1			
	" South "	26	14	6				292	7	3			
	" East "	79	6	1				681	14	9			
	" West "	252	19	3				419	14	4			
	Ballintemple	6	3					38	4	9			
	Barna	7	5	8				130	9	3			
	Carrowbrown	1	4	9				35	13	9			
					392	11					2091	11	2
NICHOLAN KYNE	Amaghdown							8	15	4			
	Aughrim							64	16	8			
	Belleville	34	2	6				18	8	6			
	Carnmore							14	16				
	Claregalway							27	16	10			
	Deerpark	5	5	4				37	19	7			
	Lackaghbeg							21	17	6			
	Liscananau							68	19	9			
	Lisheenavalla							13	5	2			
					39	7	10				273	15	4
WILLIAM YOUNG	Ballinacourty	9		4				65	2	4			
	Clarenbridge	15	12	4				121	17	5			
	Oranmore	23	12	9				78	8	9			
	Stradbally							18	8				
					58	5	5				283	16	6
<i>Doster</i> MARTIN HERNON	Inishmore							227	2	4			
<i>Wallace</i> JOHN MERRIN	Kilcummin							62	19	6			
											227	2	4
											62	19	6
JOHN GERAGHTY	Moycullen							23	10	9			
	Slieveaneena							50	18	11			
	Tullokyne							32		2			
											106	9	10
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbogh							29	14	10			
	Spiddal							33	17	11			
											63	12	9
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killanin	14	11	1				2	10	5			
	Selerin	5	12	11				25	8	7			
					20	4	0				27	17	
					509	18	4				3137	4	5

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

Debit the Treasurers 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 £ 47 s. 9 d. 8

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - £ s. d.  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account, - - - - - 60 : 11 : 0  
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - 2 : 8 1/2  
 Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 5 : 7  
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 4 : 8

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:

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
2600 lbs. White Bread,	15	11	6	lbs. Biscuit,			
300 lbs. Brown Bread,	1	14	5	28 lbs. Flour	4	6	
315/4 lbs. Meat,	7	4	6	Tons Indian Meal,			
1784 Quarts Milk,	12	1	8	Tons Oatmeal,			
35 lbs. Cocoa,		6		2 cwt Rice	1	16	
ewts. Salt,							
Chests Tea,							
90 lbs. Sugar,	1	2	6				
433 Eggs,	1	8	7				
10 lbs. Corn Flour,		4	2				
7/2 Barrels Porter,	1		10				
40 Pints Port Wine,	2						
12 Bottles Brandy,	1	11					
7/2 Gallons Whiskey,				Tons Coal,			
lbs. Butter,		8	9	10 lbs. Candles,	4	7	
lbs. Arrowroot,							
10 lbs. Lump Sugar,	3	4	6	7 lbs. Soap,	16	9	
18 ozs. Tobacco,	3	9					

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 Feb'y 1855 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - -	3	2	6
In Kind, - - - - -	1	3	0
Total, - - - - -	4	5	6

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By 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.	O'Flynn	5		(210)		Bt. forward					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Cu. forward						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:—

	£	s.	d.
206. I. F. Lynch, Immigration of bonny's	6		
207. Stacks, to pay small bill	3	2	8
208. D. Conolly, fee to 31st Dec	1	5	0
209. Rep. J. Deane	1	7	

Master's Account

211. Lynch, purchase of potatoes	5		
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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:-

Hospital Reports.-

Workhouse - Admitted during the week	11
Discharged "	8
Died "	2
Remaining "	75
Fever Hospital - Admitted during the week	"
Discharged "	"
Died "	"
Remaining "	4

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

That a man named James Toole was accompanied to the Workhouse by his wife on the evening of the 28<sup>th</sup> inst., and fell dead immediately after his entrance -

Ordered - Cheque for £5 for purchase of potatoes, &c. -  
1 Gal Coburn Oil, 12 boxes floats, 1 pair of scales  
6 Sponges, 1 lb Starch, 1 Stone of Oats,

The Matron's report of clothing made and repaired during the week was read -

The Weekly reports of the Industrial Employment of the male and female inmates of the Workhouse were read -

Therm Report - showed that the deliveries during the week by the several Contractors yielded from 9 to 11 degrees of Cream -

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

Order dated 25<sup>th</sup> February, 1875, consenting to the expenditure of a sum not exceeding £6 towards assisting the Emigration of three children named Connolly, - Chargeable to Pama E.S.

The following Letters, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 Local Government Board, dated 19<sup>th</sup> Feb. 1875, No. 3479/1875, transmitting a letter received from Mark Higgins, and requesting the observations of the Guardians thereon -

Order - The Board of Guardians consider that Mark Higgins is able to earn his own bread, if he chose to exert himself to that end -

Letter from Miss Conroy, Workhouse Matron, dated 26<sup>th</sup> February, stating that her mother is on the point of death, and asking leave to absent herself for one week, if it should be necessary to avail of it.  
(Leave granted)

A new proposal, as desired, was sent in by Maurice Lynch for the erection of a bath in the Workhouse Hospital, for the sum of £15:74:0 -

Ordered - That the following Guardians be appointed a Committee to consider the proposal, and conclude any necessary arrangements:—

Messrs John Gill, P. J. Leahy,  
J. J. Kinnon, & Denis Kelly -

Erection of bath - received and laid before the Board by Relieving Officer Thym -  
Colman Dowd or V. Paddy Connolly,  
for possession of premises in Cross St. gateway -

Ordered - That a sum of Ten Shillings be allowed for the purchase of clothing for Margaret Tierney -

Ordered - That Margaret Gaway get the clothing of her husband, Patrick Gaway, deceased - and that Anne Connolly get the clothing of her son Martin Connolly, also a deceased inmate -

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 - - - - - 9

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - - 12  
 Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - - - "

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

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

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).

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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 <sup>Mr. Cutler</sup> 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 <sup>Medical Officers</sup> ~~Committee of Management~~ of the Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites, were ordered to be supplied:

2 Tons of Coals, +  
 2 Rat-traps -

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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187\_\_\_\_

_____ 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 Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 Local Government Board for Ireland 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, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 Mr. John Langston, Registrar, Arrom, dated 16<sup>th</sup> Feb. 1875.

Stating that there appeared to be only 18 children born in 1873 and 1874, over 6 months old on 31<sup>st</sup> December last, who are not registered as having been successfully vaccinated.

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over six months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY.  
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:—

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Turloughmore	D. Duffin	Inspection upon report of Sanitary Sub-Officers.	Mannure heaps, dirty pools, &c. in proximity to dwelling houses.

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

Sanitary Sub-Officers to enforce recommendations of Sanitary Officers.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

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The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz.:-

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount	

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon as follows]:-

Population in 1871-44,022

Present Net Annual Value, £65,549

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 27 day of Febry 1875.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse	816	396													
Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse	222	36													
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	44	4													
TOTAL,	1082	436													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			20	74	65	718	32	22	40	27	35	436	In Workhouse Hospital, 76	In separate Wards 3	
Admitted during the Week,			2	2	7	44					3	18	In Fever Hospital 4	In Wards with other Inmates, 8	
TOTAL,			22	76	72	762	32	22	43	27	38	454	Total, 79	Total, 8	
Discharged during the Week,			3	4		3	1	1			1	13			
Died,						4	1					5			
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	4	4	4	1	1			1	18			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			19	72	68	718	31	21	40	27	37	436			

NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.			
	Men	Women	Children under 15
No. Relieved during week	2		
No. in Workhouse at date			
No. at corresponding period last year			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27 day of Febry 1875, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	9	23			9	23	Bt. forward						
No. II.	4	5			4	5		No. X.					
No. III.	6	7			6	7		No. XI.					
No. IV.								No. XII.					
No. V.	3	3	2	2	5	5		No. XIII.					
No. VI.	13	30			13	30		No. XIV.					
No. VII.								No. XV.					
No. VIII.								No. XVI.					
No. IX.								No. XVII.					
TOTAL,	35	68	2	2	37	70	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 5 day of March 1875

PRESENT: In the Chair,

L. L. Ferdinand Esq

Other Guardians:

M. Sullivan, Denis Kelly, E. D. Burke, Jas. Hill, Wm. Treacy, J. J. Kinman, G. E. Burke, Jas. Fahy, Jas. Davis.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 5th day of March 1875

(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. 17132 to No. 17157, 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, - - - - - £280: 1: 10

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 28: 5: 2

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £1020: 1: 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward	25	6	10				469		3					
	„ South „	11	13	3				280		14					
	„ East „	35	7	7				646		2					
	„ West „	14	15	9				399		18	7				
	Ballintemple	8	16	7				29		8	2				
	Barna	24	4	9				106		4	6				
	Carrowbrown	4	12	11				31		10					
							129	4	8				1962	6	6
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown							8	15	4					
	Aughrim	56	1	2				8	15	6					
	Belleville							15	8	6					
	Carnmore							14	16						
	Claregalway							27	16	10					
	Deerpark							37	19	7					
	Lackaghbeg							21	17	6					
	Liscannan	57	6					11	13	9					
	Lisheenavalla							13	5	2					
								113	7	2				160	8
WILLIAM YOUNG	Ballinacourty	9	13	1				55	9	3					
	Clarenbridge	12	15	10				109	1	7					
	Oranmore	13	6	7				65	3	2					
	Stradbally	1	14	6				16	13	6					
							37	10					246	6	6
<del>MURRAY</del> HERNON	Inishmore							227	2	4					
													227	2	4
JOHN WALLACE	Kilcummin							62	19	6					
													62	19	6
JOHN GERAGHTY	Moycullen							23	10	9					
	Slieveaneena							50	18	11					
	Tullokyne							32		2					
													106	9	10
PATRICK CONNOR	Furbogh							29	14	10					
	Spiddal							33	17	11					
													63	12	9
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killanin							2	10	5					
	Selerna							25	6	7					
													27	17	
							280	1	10				2857	2	7

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. 10 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 60: 0: 5  
 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, £ 5. 6 1/2  
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, £ 4. 0  
 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:

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
2600	15	11	6	4	lbs. Biscuit,	1	4
460	2	12	8		lbs. Flour		
344	7	17	8	1	Tons Indian Meal,	9	2 6
1676	11	6	11	1	Tons Oatmeal,	13	17
35		6					
94	1	3	6				
390	1	5	9				
6		2	6				
1	2	1	8				
40	2						
12	1	11					
					Tons Coal,		
10 1/2	12	3	10		lbs. Candles,	4	7
10	3	4	67		lbs. Soap,	16	9
18	3	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 27 day of Feb 1875 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, - - - - -	3	10	"
In Kind, - - - - -	1	12	9
Total, - - - - -	£ 5:	2:	9

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. forward					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.	Mullman	5	0	0	223	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.		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. Burial Establishment Account. £ s. d.

224. Jas Sweeney, Coffins ——— 2 10 6  
 Clerk's Acct  
 225. Stack, payment of small Bills 7 16 4

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

Workhouse Invoice Account.

			15	27	Feb	£	s.	d.
212	A. Fisher	W. Bread	62	6	"			
213	Do	B. Bread	8	11	"			
214	W. Sullivan	Meat	100	15	5			
215	J. Collieran	Milk	7	9	"			
216	J. Hughes	Do	16	5	9			
217	M. Cottingham	Do	7	10	4			
218	J. Morris	Do	17	17	"			
219	W. Costello	Wine &c	15	"	11			
220	J. Linnhan	Sugar &c	6	6	6			
221	J. Linnhan	Butter	1	19	8			
222	J. Morris	Eggs &c	5	79	10			

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	20
Discharged "	19
Died "	7
Remaining "	69
Fever Hospital-Admitted during the week	"
Discharged "	2
Died "	"
Remaining "	2

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon as follows -  
 That the milk supplied by the several Contractors during the week yielded from 10 to 11 degrees of cream -  
 That at the forthcoming Petty Sessions on the 1st inst., Thos. Collieran was fined £5 with the £4.2.6 costs for having supplied milk to the Workhouse adulterated with 25 per cent of water -  
 That he considered a suspicious looking tramp admitted last night to be arrested by the Police -  
 Ordered -

4lb Wax Candles, 20 Men's Caps, 1 clothes brush, 3 sets of shoes & 3 removes for horse, 1 hearth rug, clothes for an infant board in the Workhouse &c.

The Master's report of clothing repaired during the week was read -  
 Ordered - 1lb Thread -

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 Local Government Board, dated 3<sup>rd</sup> March, 1875, No. 4340/1875, transmitting a copy of a Communication received from the Secretaries to the Board of National Education relating to a Report of the District Inspector of the 5<sup>th</sup> Ulster on the Workhouse School—

Letter from Clerk of Larne Union, dated 17<sup>th</sup> February, forwarding copy of a Petition to the House of Commons, praying for the enactment of a law giving the right of appeal to parties who may feel aggrieved by acts of the Local Government Board, &c.  
On the Motion of Mr. George E. Burke, Seconded by Mr. Denis Kelly, it was resolved that the petition be adopted—

Letter from Hon. Secretaries to the "Association for closing of Public Houses on Sundays" forwarding a petition to the House of Commons, and requesting its adoption and signature.  
On the Motion of Mr. Denis Kelly, Seconded by Mr. John J. Keenan—

The petition was adopted and signed by the presiding Chairman to be forwarded to Mr. Mado M.P. for presentation—

The Clerk laid before the Board a list of the Candidates for the office of Guardian for the ensuing year—

Ordered—Clerk to advertise for a Contractor for the supply of meat from 25<sup>th</sup> inst. to 29<sup>th</sup> Sept. next on the same terms as the present contract; tenders to be considered this day fortnight—

Resolved—That the Contractor, Mr. Wm. O'Sullivan, be paid at the rate of 7<sup>2</sup> per lb for the meat supplied for the Christmas Dinner—

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 . . . . . 15

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was . . . . . 14

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).

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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):

226  
Oranmore Dispensary District.  
Account of Mr. J. Shanahan for Salary (Porter) Amount £ 2: 15: 0  
- in full -

[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 187, 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 187

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 Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 Local Government Board for Ireland 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, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians half-yearly, viz. on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over six months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY.  
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland, on matters relating to Sanitary Matters were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Sanitary Sub-Officer Griffin reported that the nuisances brought under notice by D. Jones, Moycullen, are nearly all abated, with 5 specified exceptions = that there is generally a marked improvement in the district.

And also (Ch<sup>m</sup>)  
M. H. Leahy  
Edward D. D. Walsh

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The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz:—

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon as follows]:—

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* the  
*12<sup>th</sup>* day of *March* 187*5*  
 (Signed) *Thomas Stack*  
 Clerk of the Union.

[Special.]

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1871— 44,022

Present Net Annual Value, £ 65,539

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 6 day of March 1875

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, 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	797														
Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse	222	24														
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	44	4														
TOTAL	1082	825														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Report			2	6	6	5	1	1	2	2	2	26	In Workhouse Hospital, 75	In separate Wards, 4		
Admitted during the Week, Remaining			19	72	68	118	31	21	43	27	37	436	In Fever Hospital, 4	In Wards with other inmates, 5		
TOTAL			21	78	74	123	32	22	44	29	39	462	Total, 79	Total, 9		
Discharged during the Week,			4	5	4	2	2	2	3	4	2	28				
Died,						5						5				
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	5	4	2	2	2	3	4	2	33				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			17	73	65	124	30	20	44	25	37	429				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6 day of March 1875, 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.	9	23	1	1	10	24	Bt. forward.						
No. II.	6	10			6	10	No. X.						
No. III.	7	0			7	0	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.	1	1	2	2	3	3	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	14	32			14	32	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Unt. for week	37	74	3	3	40	77	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 12<sup>th</sup> day of March 1875

PRESENT: In the Chair,

John Gill Eny

Other Guardians:

M. Grealy, J. J. Keenan, E. D. Burke, James Davis

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1715 to No. 1717, 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, - - - £279: 11: 3  
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £269: 11: 2  
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £1030: 1: 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 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.
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward	31	13	6				437	6	9			
	„ South „	25	1	9				255	72	3			
	„ East „	49	11	6				596	8	8			
	„ West „	19	13					380	5	7			
	Ballintemple	12	9	1				16	19	1			
	Barna	3	15	10				102	8	8			
	Carrowbrowne	2	18	5				28	2	5			
					145	3	1				1817	3	5
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown							8	15	4			
	Anghrim							8	15	6			
	Belleville							15	8	6			
	Carnmore							14	16				
	Claregalway							27	16	10			
	Deerpark							37	19	7			
	Lackaghbeg							21	17	6			
	Liscananaun							11	13	9			
	Lisheenavalla							13	5	2			
											160	8	2
WILLIAM YOUNG	Ballinacourty							58	9	3			
	Clarenbridge							109	1	7			
	Oranmore							65	2	2			
	Stradbally							16	13	6			
											246	6	6
<del>WALTER</del> HERNON	Inishmore							227	2	4			
											227	2	4
JOHN <del>HERRON</del> Wallace	Kilcummin							62	19	6			
											62	19	6
JOHN GERAGHTY	Moycullen							23	10	9			
	Slieveaneena							50	18	11			
	Tullokyne							32		2			
											106	9	10
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbogh							29	14	10			
	Spiddal							33	17	11			
											63	12	9
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killanin							2	10	5			
	Selerna							25	6	7			
											27	17	
							145	3	1		2711	14	6

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 49 s. 1 d. 4

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - £ 59 s. 2 d. 7

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - " 2 s. 7 d. 3

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - " 5 s. 7 d. 7

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - " 5 s. 7 d. 3

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:

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
2600 lbs. White Bread,	15	11	6	— lbs. Biscuit,			
500 lbs. Brown Bread,	2	17	4	— lbs. Flour			
340 lbs. Meat,	7	15	10	— Tons Indian Meal,			
1692 Quarts Milk,	11	9	2	— Tons Oatmeal,			
128 lbs. Cocoa,		4	10				
12 cwt. Salt,		2	11				
2 Chests Tea,							
100 lbs. Sugar,	1	5					
377 Eggs,	1	4	10				
6 lbs. Corn Flour,		2	6				
2 Barrels Porter,	1		10				
30 Pints Port Wine,	1	10					
12 Bottles Brandy,	1	11					
— Gallons Whiskey,				— Tons Coal,			
6 1/2 lbs. Butter,		7	7	10 lbs. Candles,		4	7
— lbs. Arrowroot,							
6 lbs. Lump Sugar,		2		67 lbs. Soap,		16	9
18 ozs. Tobacco,		3	9				

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 0 day of March 1855 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, - - - - -	£	s.	d.
In Kind, - - - - -			
Total, - - - - -	£	5	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 £ 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. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.


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

2. Establishment Account. £ s. d.

227. J. J. Brady, Architect's fees	14	7	
Master's Acct -			
228. J. J. Lynch, to buy potatoes, &c	5		

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



The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters, from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders made in them respectively, as follows):—

Circular Letter from Local Government Board, Dated 5<sup>th</sup> March, No 4220/75, requesting a Classified Return of the number of persons in receipt of Relief on the first Saturday of January and first Saturday of July 1871, 1872, and 1873—

The Chaplain's Book was produced and an entry read of the baptism of an illegitimate child—

A requisition for Medicines &c for use of the Work-house was laid before the Board, and ordered to be supplied—

Resolved—That as Friday, the 26<sup>th</sup> inst., will be Good Friday, the salaries of officers for the current quarter be paid on Friday next, 19<sup>th</sup> inst.—

Notice of Motion— I give notice that I will at the meeting of the Guardians on the 2<sup>d</sup> April next move that the Board do reconsider the order for an extra payment of £2:10:0 to the Contractor for supplying Meat at Christmas, inasmuch as by his Contract he was not entitled to any extra charge for that purpose— James Davis—

Notice of Motion— I give notice that I will on this day week call for an investigation into the chargeability of Bridget Folan and Bridget Halloran both of whom appear to be charged to the Electoral Division of Spiddal wrongfully. James Mahy

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 - - - 8

Ditto disallowed - - - - - "

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 1

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

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

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

## PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 &amp; 15 Vic., cap. 68.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Galway 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:

*Ordered 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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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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187

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 Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 Local Government Board for Ireland 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, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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

The Cranmore Dispensary Committee reported that they had appointed Michl. McPrath to act as Dispensary Porter, for term, at 1/6 a week —

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over six months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY.

37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:—

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

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The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz:—

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon as follows]:—

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*Wm. Dwyer*  
*James Davis* *Wm. Kelly*  
 Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* the  
*19<sup>th</sup>* day of *March* 1875  
 (Signed) *Thomas Stack*  
 Clerk of the Union

[Special.]

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1871—44,022

Present Net Annual Value, £ 65,549

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 13 day of March 1875.

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	376														
Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse	222	24														
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	44	5														
<b>TOTAL,</b>	<b>1082</b>	<b>405</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			17	73	65	121	30	20	41	25	37	429	In Work-house Hospital, } 69	In separate Wards } 4		
Admitted during the Week,					2	3	2				1	8	In Fever Hospital } 5	In Wards with other Inmates, } 5		
<b>TOTAL,</b>			<b>17</b>	<b>73</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>437</b>	<b>Total, 74</b>	<b>Total, 9</b>		
Discharged during the Week,			1	3	3	5	2	1		2		17	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.			
Died,					2	3						5	Men	Women	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	3	5	8	2	1		2		22	No. Relieved during week	"	"	"
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			16	70	62	116	30	19	41	23	38	415	No. in Work-house at date	"	"	"

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 13 day of March 1875, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	9	23			9	23	Bt. forward.						
No. II.	8	12			8	12	No. X.						
No. III.	7	8			7	8	No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	1			1	1	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.	14	32			14	32	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
<b>TOTAL,</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>76</b>			<b>39</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>TOTAL,</b>						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 19<sup>th</sup> day of March 1875.

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Price Joyce Esq

Other Guardians:

James Davis, Denis Kelly, Mch<sup>l</sup>. Leahy,  
 Pat<sup>r</sup>. Morris, Jas. Fahy, Isidore Lynch,  
 E. D. Burke, J. L. Conyn, Jas. Campbell,  
 J. E. Burke, Capt J. Waza,  
 Dr. Brodie, S. G. Inspector, attended -  
 The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 17176 to No. 17180, 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, - - - £121 : 8 : 4  
 Paid during the week, - - - £19 : 7 : -  
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £132 : 2 : 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.

+ Receipts include £4 : 1 : 0, amount of costs imposed by magistrates on Mr. Calleran, Milk Contractor, for having supplied adulterated milk.

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.
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward	14	3					423	3	9			
	„ South „	8	17					246	15	3			
	„ East „	43	2					553	6	0			
	„ West „	27		2				353		5			
	Ballintemple		13	2				16		5			
	Barna	9	7	7				93	1	1			
	Carrowbrownie	1	14	5				26		0			
					104	17	4				1712	6	1
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown							8	15	3			
	Aughrim							8	15	6			
	Belleville							15	0	6			
	Carnmore							14	16				
	Claregalway							27	16	10			
	Deerpark							37	19	7			
	Lackaghbeg							21	17	6			
	Liscananaun							11	13	9			
	Lisheenavalla							13	5	2			
											160	8	2
WILLIAM YOUNG	Ballinacourty	15	9	4				39	19	11			
	Clarenbridge	23	10	6				85	3	1			
	Oranmore	4	16					60	6	2			
	Stradbally	13	19	6				2	14				
					58	34					100	0	32
<i>Bartw</i> HERNON	Inishmore							227	2	4			
											227	2	4
JOHN <del>HERNON</del> <i>Wallace</i>	Kilcummin	36	9					26	10	6			
					36	9					26	10	6
JOHN GERAGHTY	Moycullen							23	10	9			
	Slieveaneena							50	10	11			
	Tullokyne							32		2			
											106	9	10
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbogh	24	1	2				5	13	0			
	Spiddal	15	14	0				10	3	3			
								39	15	10			
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killanin							2	10	5			
	Selerna							25	6	7			
											27	17	-
					239	56					2472	14	-

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 £ 73 s. 1 d. 10

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,  
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 59 : 10 : 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, 5 : 6  
Average cost in Fever Hospital, 5 : 0

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:

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
2600	15	11	6	lbs. White Bread,			
460	2	12	8	lbs. Brown Bread,			
324	7	8	6	lbs. Meat,			
1664	11	5	4	Quarts Milk,			
28		4	10	lbs. Cocoa,		6	
				cwts. Salt,			
				Chests Tea,			
100	1	5		lbs. Sugar,			
384	1	5	4	Eggs,			
10		4	2	lbs. Corn Flour,			
				Barrels Porter,			
30	1	10		Pints Port Wine,			
12	1	11		Bottles Brandy,			
9				Gallons Whiskey,			
8		9	11	lbs. Butter,		10	
				lbs. Arrowroot,			4 7
10	2	4	6 7	lbs. Lump Sugar,			16 9
16	3	9		ozs. Tobacco,			
				Tons Coal,			
				lbs. Candles,			
				lbs. Soap,			

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several 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 13 day of Nov 1875 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

In Money, - - - - - £ 5 : 17 : 6  
In Kind, - - - - - 1 : 13 : 0  
Total, - - - - - £ 5 : 10 : 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		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.
No. I.	Hynn	5	0	0	279	Bt. forward					
No. II.	Young	5	0	0	280	No. X.					
No. III.	Cutman	5	0	0	281	No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.	Hennigan	6	0	0	282	No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Ct. 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.

No.	Name	Rank	Date	£	s.	d.
229	Rev. J. Luthrum	Pw. Chaplain	to 25 Mar	6	5	
230	Rev. R. McDonogh	R.C. Chaplain	"	25		
231	J. Stack	Clerk	"	45		
232	J. J. Lynch	Master	"	15		
233	M. Conway	Matron	"	7	10	
234	P. Concannon	Schoolmaster	"	10		
235	A. Whangnessy	Schoolmistress	"	6	5	
236	J. Cleland	Medical Officer	"	23	10	
237	M. Colahan	Dr.	"	15		
238	J. R. Whelan	Apothecary	"	17	10	
239	P. Larkin	W. H. Porter	"	3		

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

<sup>6</sup>  
Establishment

~~Warehouse Invoice Account.~~

			£	s.	d.	
240	F. Macklin	Infirmity Nurse	to 25 Mar	7	10	.
241	E. Hogan	Do	"	3	15	.
242	S. Ryan	Do	"	3	15	.
243	A. Kain	J. Hosp. Nurse	"	3	15	.
244	J. Coyle	J. Hosp. Porter	"	2	10	.
245	E. Flynn	Relieving Officer	"	15	.	.
246	M. Young	Do	"	5	.	.
247	P. Cuthbert	Do	"	5	.	.
248	M. Griffin	Do	"	5	.	.
249	M. O'Mara	Do	"	5	.	.
250	M. Flanagan	Do	"	3	15	.

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

Superannuations. ~~Out-door Relief Invoice Account.~~

			£	s.	d.
258	D. Considine,	quarter to 25 Mar	15	.	.
259	D. England,	"	8	15	.
260	D. A. Colahan Secy	"	15	.	.
283.	P. J. Stack,	Elections, Law, & Expenses to Dublin, Re Analysis of Milk	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:—

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## Hospital Reports.—

Workhouse—Admitted during the week	10
Discharged ..	8
Died ..	2
Remaining ..	68

Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week	2
Discharged ..	—
Died ..	—
Remaining ..	6

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

That the Mill supplied by the several Contractors,  
during the week yielded from 9 to 11 degrees of  
Cream.

That two chests of Tea have been supplied by the  
Contractor, which he requests may be inspected by the  
Board.

Ordered—6 Bot Malaya Wine, 2H Onion Seed, 2 mousetraps,  
2oz parsnip seed, Key for front hall door.

The Master's Report of Nothing repaired during the week  
was read.

The Weekly Reports of the Industrial <sup>Employment</sup> ~~Reports~~ of the  
male and female inmates of the Workhouse  
were read.



The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 governors of Ballymore Sanatic Asylum, requesting the assistance of the Board of Guardians, through the Receiving Officers, in making inquiry into the circumstances of patients proposed for admission to the asylum.

Ordered That Bridget Costello get the clothing which belonged to her mother, a deceased inmate of the Workhouse.

A supplemental requisition for medicines for use of the Workhouse was laid before the Board and ordered to be supplied.

Ordered on the requisition of Dr. N. W. Glahan "a truss for an irreducible ventral hernia."

James O'Brien was declared Contractor for the supply of best Beef and Mutton, to 29<sup>th</sup> September next, at 7<sup>d</sup> per lb.

Mr. James Fahy's notice of motion having been discussed, it was

Resolved. That the chargeability of Bridget Nolan and Bridget Halloran be changed from Spiddal to the Union at Large.

Moved by Mr. George E. Burke, Seconded by Mr. D. Kelly, and Resolved—

That in the opinion of this Board it is necessary that a Committee be formed to consult with our Medical Officers as to the possibility of reducing the present very heavy charges arising in the medical department of the Workhouse.

Committee appointed. The Chairman, Messrs J. Campbell, J. O'Hara, J. Davis, D. Kelly, and J. E. Burke. to meet tomorrow at 12 o'clock.

Ordered - That the Clerk write to the rural Collectors requiring them to complete the collection of the current rate in their respective districts without delay -

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 - - - 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 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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## PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 &amp; 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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

*Ordered 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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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):

	Galway Dispensary District,	
257	Account of Dr. Chagton for Salary to 25 Mar	Amount £ 30 —
252	Dr. Gealy " " "	30 —
253	Dr. Sullivan " " (Apothecary)	7.10.0
	Jurloughmore —	
254	Dr. Duffan — Salary to 25 Mar	32.10.0
	Oranmore —	
255	Dr. Hughes " " "	30.0.0
	Moycullen	
256	Dr. Conolly " " "	30.0.0
	Spiddal	
277	Dr. O'Lea " " "	25.5.0
257	Arran — Dr. Bodkin " " "	30.0.0

[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 187, 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 187

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 Lease-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 Local Government Board for Ireland 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, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over six months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY.  
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:—

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Letter from Local Government Board, dated 15<sup>th</sup> March, No 3651/75, respecting the rate of interest ~~on~~ at which Loans may be obtained under the Public Health (Ireland) Act, 1874—

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The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz.:-

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount
261 Rural - Union	P. J. Stack, H. Sanitary Off.	10 . . .
262 " "	D. Clayton - Consulting D <sup>o</sup>	3 15 .
263 " Galway	D. Clayton. Sanitary Officer	2 10 .
264 Urban " "	D. Clayton, D <sup>o</sup>	3 15 .
265 Rural " "	D. Grealy, D <sup>o</sup>	2 10 .
266 Urban " "	D <sup>o</sup> D <sup>o</sup>	3 15 .

and cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon as follows]:-

267 Invernessmore	D. Duggan, Sanitary Off.	3 15 .
268 Brannmore	D. Hughes, D <sup>o</sup>	3 15 .
269 Moycuilan	D. Conroy, D <sup>o</sup>	3 15 .
270 Spiddal	D. O'Dea, D <sup>o</sup>	4 4 .
270 Aran	D. Bodkin, D <sup>o</sup>	3 15 .
271 Galway	E. Hyman, Sanitary Sub. Off.	2 10 .
272 Invernessmore	W. Young, D <sup>o</sup>	5 . . .
273 Brannmore	<del>H. Young</del> G. Gulligan, D <sup>o</sup>	5 . . .
274 Moycullen	M. Griffin, D <sup>o</sup>	5 . . .
275 Spiddal	M. Connor, D <sup>o</sup>	5 . . .
276 Aran	R. Flanagan, D <sup>o</sup>	5 . . .

*Wm Joyce*  
*John Curran*  
*Richd Grealy*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* the *26<sup>th</sup>* day of *March* 1875

(Signed)

*Thomas Stack*  
 Clerk of the Union

[Special.]

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1871.— 44,022

Present Net Annual Value, £ 65,549

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 20 day of March 1875

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TOTAL,			23	71	65	119	31	20	43	24	38	434	Total, } 76	Total, } 8		
Discharged during the Week,			6	3	4	2	3				2	20				
Died,					1	2						3				
Total Discharged and Dead,			6	3	5	4	3				2	23				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			17	68	60	115	28	20	43	24	36	411				

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No. III.	5	6			5	6	No. XI.						
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No. V.							No. XIII.						
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No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. for week	37	74			37	74	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 26 day of March 1875

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians: (No meeting held on this day)

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 the Treasurer~~ that there had been received during the week, £ ~~244 12 3~~  
 Paid during the week, £ ~~228 10 7~~  
 And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £ ~~15 10 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 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.		
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward	27	8	0				395	15	9					
	" South "	68	.	.				178	7	3					
	" East "	18	2	3				335	4	5					
	" West "	13	3	2				340	2	3					
	Ballintemple	1	2	6				15	3	5					
	Barna	1	5	3				91	15	10					
	Carrowbrownne	1	2	6				25	5	6					
							130	11	8				1581	14	5
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown	.	.	.				8	15	7					
	Aughrim	.	.	.				8	15	6					
	Belleville	.	.	.				15	8	6					
	Caromore	7	8	5				7	7	7					
	Claregalway	18	2	7				9	14	3					
	Deerpark	29	15	11				8	3	8					
	Lackaghbeg	.	.	.				21	17	6					
	Liscananaun	.	.	.				11	13	9					
	Lisheenavalla	.	.	.				13	5	2					
								55	6	11				195	1
WILLIAM YOUNG	Ballinacourty	.	.	.				39	14	11					
	Clarenbridge	.	.	.				85	3	1					
	Oranmore	.	.	.				60	6	2					
	Stradbally	.	.	.				2	14	.					
													188	3	2
<del>Barth</del> HERNON	Inishmore	.	.	.				227	2	4					
													227	2	4
JOHN <del>BRADY</del> Wallace	Kilcummin	.	.	.				26	10	6					
													26	10	6
JOHN GERAGHTY	Moycullen	4	.	7				19	10	2					
	Slieveaneena	19	1	8				31	17	3					
	Tullokyne	13	11	5				18	8	9					
							36	13	8				69	16	2
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbogh	.	.	.				5	13	8					
	Spiddal	.	.	.				18	3	3					
													23	16	11
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killanin	2	10	5											
	Selera	9	19	7				15	7	.					
							12	10	.				15	7	.
							235	2	3				223	7	11

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



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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 57 s. 6 d. 5

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 57:15:1  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account, 2:8/4  
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 4:8 3/4  
 Average cost in Infirmary, 5:6  
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, 5:6

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

Signed on 2 April 1875

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
2600 lbs. White Bread,	15	11	6	lbs. Biscuit,			
500 lbs. Brown Bread,	2	17	3	28 lbs. Flour	4	6	
314 1/2 lbs. Meat,	7	4	2	Tons Indian Meal,			
167 2 Quarts Milk,	11	6	5	Tons Oatmeal,			
21 lbs. Cocoa,		3	8				
1 1/2 cwts. Salt,		2	11				
22 lbs. <del>Chests</del> Tea,	2	11	4				
90 lbs. Sugar,	1	2	6				
400 Eggs,	1	6	5				
10 lbs. Corn Flour,		4	2				
1/2 Barrels Porter,	1		10				
6 Pints Port Wine,		6					
10 Bottles Brandy,	1	5	10				
Gallons Whiskey,				Tons Coal,			
10 lbs. Butter,	4	7	10	lbs. Candles,	4	7	
6 lbs. Arrowroot,		8	5				
10 lbs. Lump Sugar,		3	4	17 lbs. Soap,	16	9	
18 ozs. Tobacco,		3	9				

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 Nov 1875 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, 4:3:6  
 In Kind, 1:1:0  
 Total, 5:4:6

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.            £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.            £ s. d.

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

	<i>£</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</i>

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

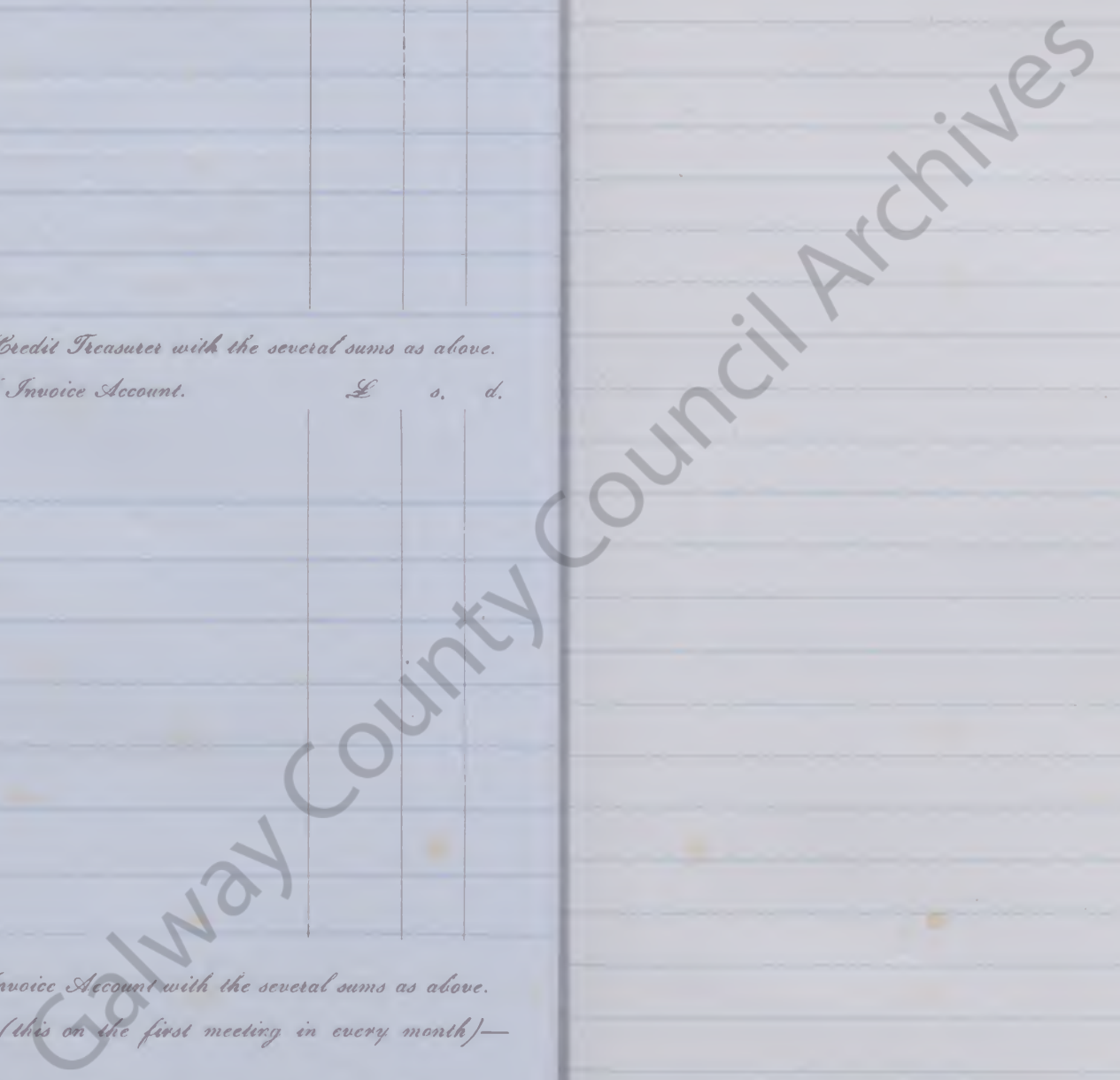
4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

	<i>£</i>	<i>s.</i>	<i>d.</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:—*



*Hospital Reports.—*

*Workhouse—Admitted during the week*

*Discharged* ..

*Died* ..

*Remaining* ..

*Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week*

*Discharged* ..

*Died* ..

*Remaining* ..

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

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*The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—*

*The following Letters, from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders made on them respectively, as follows):—*

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

*The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was . . . . .*

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

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

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

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## PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 &amp; 15 Vic., cap. 68.

*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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187\_\_\_\_

_____ 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 Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 Local Government Board for Ireland 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, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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:—

Send Letter from

dated

stating that

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over six months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY.  
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:—

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—



The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz. —

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon as follows] :—

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the  
20<sup>th</sup> day of April 1875  
 (Signed) W. Stack  
 Clerk of the Union.

[Special.]

GALWAY UNION.

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Population in 1871—44,022

Present Net Annual Value, £65549

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 27 day of Nov 1875

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 6 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	816	782														
Temporary Buildings	222	29														
Additional Workhouse																
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	44	2														
TOTAL.	1082	813														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			17	68	60	115	28	20	43	24	26	411	In Work-house Hospital, } 71	In separate Wards } 5		
Admitted during the Week,			3	5	4	3	1		2	1	1	20	In Fever Hospital } 2	In Wards with other inmates, } 54		
TOTAL,			20	73	64	118	29	20	45	25	27	431	Total, } 73	Total, } 9		
Discharged during the Week, Died,			3	3	5	4				1	2	18				
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	3	5	4				1	2	18				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			17	70	59	114	29	20	45	24	25	413				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27 day of Nov 1875, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	8	21			8	21	Bt. forward.						
No. II.	8	12			8	12	No. X.						
No. III.	4	5			4	5	No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	1			1	1	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.	14	32			14	32	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Unrelieved	35	71			35	71	Total						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 2 day of Nov 1875

PRESENT: In the Chair, Pierce Joyce Esq. - subsequently M. J. Campbell Esq. D.C.  
 Other Guardians: D. Kelly, P. Morris, J. Davis, E. D. Burke, M. Sullivan, J. Hill, M. Grealy, J. Ait, Capt. J. C. Lambert, L. L. Ferdinand, J. E. Burke, Capt. J. Grealy, J. J. Keenan, Capt. O'Hara, Jas. Leonard, Jas. Fahy  
 D. Brodie, L. J. Inspector, attended

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 17187 to No. 17225, 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:

\* Treasurer's Receipts include —  
 £3. 18. 4 per Flynn, Relg Off., for Repayment of Relief —  
 " 16. 8 per Young, R. M., — do —  
 4. 0. 0 per Clerk, recd. from Jas. Flynn, for Support of an illegitimate child —

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, — . . . . . £ 95 : 8 : 2

Paid during the week, — . . . . . £ 164 : 13 : 7

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 980 : 17 : 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward	27	18	11				367	16	10					
	" South "	8	16	3				169	11						
	" East "	11	1	7				524	2	10					
	" West "	22	10	5				317	11	10					
	Ballintemple	4	2	6				11		11					
	Barna	11	15	10				80							
	Carrowbrowne			78				24	17	10					
							86	13	2			1495	1	3	
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown							8	15	74					
	Aughrim							8	15	6					
	Belleville							15	8	6					
	Carnmore							7	7	7					
	Claregalway							9	14	3					
	Deerpark							8	3	8					
	Lackaghbeg							21	17	6					
	Liscananaun							11	13	9					
	Lisheenavalla							13	5	2					
												105	1	3	
WILLIAM YOUNG	Ballinacourty							39	19	11					
	Clarenbridge							85	3	1					
	Oranmore							60	6	2					
	Stradbally							2	14						
												188	3	2	
<del>Barth</del> HERNON	Inishmore														
JOHN WALLACE	Kilcummin														
JOHN GERAGHTY	Maycullen							19	10	2					
	Shieveaneena							31	17	3					
	Tullokyne							18	8	9					
												69	16	2	
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbogh							5	13	8					
	Spiddal							18	3	3					
													23	16	11
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killanin														
	Selerna							15	7						
													15	17	
								86	13	2			2150	16	7

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 £ 52 s. 13 d. 5

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 58 : 14 : 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, - - - - - 4 : 9

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 6 : 5

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

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
2600 lbs. White Bread,	15	11	6	lbs. Biscuit,			
500 lbs. Brown Bread,	2	17	4	lbs. Flour			
112 lbs. Meat,	2	11	4	Tons Indian Meal,			
1712 Quarts Milk,	11	11	10	Tons Oatmeal.			
21 lbs. Cocoa,		3	8				
92 cwts. Salt.							
361 Chests Tea.							
10 lbs. Sugar.	1	3					
1/2 Eggs,	1	3	10				
2 Pints Port Wine.		4	2				
13 Bottles Brandy,	1	5	10				
8 1/2 Gallons Whiskey.				Tons Coal.			
10 lbs. Butter.	9	11	10	lbs. Candles.	4	7	
10 lbs. Arrowroot,				lbs. Soap,	16	9	
18 ozs. Tobacco,	3	4	67				

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 Nov 1875 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, - - - - - 3 : 18 : 6  
 In Kind, - - - - - 17 : 0  
 Total, - - - - - £ 4 : 15 : 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. forward					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forwd.						TOTAL,					

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
300. J. Nevevan, 20 Men's Caps	1	6	8
301. J. Nevevan, Clothing for School girls	5	10	"

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
302. Maniceough, Plumbers, 1/2 yr to 25 Mar	5	10	"
303. Jahway and Co, Water, to 28 Feb	20	8	5
304. J. P. Ferdinand, Painters, 1/2 yr to 25 Mar	43	10	"
305. M. Clayton, Stationery	2	14	4
306. M. Clayton, Stationery	8	8	10
307. M. Clayton, Sponges, N.W. Ho Hospital	1	2	"
Burial 308. J. Sheehy, Coffins, N.W. Ho	3	10	6
309. J. Nevevan, Spreading	2	10	"
Clerk's Acct. 310. Slack, Paymt. of Small Bills	13	3	8
Master's Acct. 1 Lynch, Purchase of Potatoes, &c	5	"	"
Registration 2. J. Nevevan, Jahway & Co, 1/2 yr to 31 Mar	6	"	3
Imp'd Bills 317. Leslie Ho, Medicines, &c 1/2 yr to 29 Sept	96	10	8

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.
289	Mat. Usher,	W. Bread,	to 27 Mar	62	6
5	Do	Do		9	17
6	Wm Lullman,	Meat		24	19 4
7	Thos Kearns,	Butmeal		13	17
8	Ed. Wade,	Flour		1	7
9	J. Cotteran,	Milk		7	11 8
290	J. Hughes,	Do		14	17 5
1	M. Cottingham,	Do		7	7 11
2	Jas Morris,	Do		15	15 9
3	W. Costello,	Provisions		15	17 10
4	J. Leinham,	Do		12	1 4
5	Jas Morris,	Eggs &c		5	15 5

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

~~4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.~~

£ s. d.

6	Mrs Lane,	Butter		1	18 6
7	J. McManus,	Whiskey		15	3 9
8	P. M. Kiwan,	Soap & Sandler		28	" 1
9	Jabway Jasph,	Gas (2 mo.)		9	8 5

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

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

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

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## Hospital Reports.—

Workhouse—Admitted during the week	28
Discharged ..	12
Died ..	1
Remaining ..	83

Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week	5
Discharged ..	3
Died ..	
Remaining ..	8

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 9 to 11 degrees of cream—

That two chests of Tea supplied by the Contractor, in lieu of those last rejected, are submitted for inspection.  
(Not approved)

Ordered—cheque for £5, for purchase of Potatoes, 12, 12 Sowing Bushes, Doz Cabbage Seeds, 1 jar Ink, 1 q. blotting paper, 1/4 St. Bran, Clothing for a child born in Workhouse—

The Master's Report of <sup>Male and</sup> Clothing repaired during the week was read—

Ordered—1 lb Cotton balls—

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters, from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders made on them respectively, as follows):—

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

Warrants for the Removal of Patrick Kealeghan and Daniel Heneghan from Liverpool to this Union were received and laid before the Board — These men were detained at the Workhouse but did not remain. — It appeared that neither had acquired a settlement in Liverpool.

Barth. Melia of Clonabinnia applied for and obtained a remission of the charge for the maintenance of his son in the Workhouse Hospital.

Mr. James Davis Motion to reconsider the Order of 5<sup>th</sup> ult., for an extra payment of £2.10.0 to the Contractor for supplying meat at Christmas, was not seconded.

The Committee appointed on the 19<sup>th</sup> ult. to consider the rate of hospital expenses, — reported that many persons not in hospital are receiving extra diets, the cost of which is charged as part of the hospital expenditure, thereby apparently increasing the weekly average cost of the infirmary patients — the Committee directed that a separate account of the "outside" extras be kept, and adjourned to 30<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	30
Ditto disallowed -	0
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	5
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	5
Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians	0
The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	0
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).

The Clerk having read the return of the election of Guardians for the ensuing year it was proposed by

Mr James Campbell  
seconded by Mr Ferdinand  
and unanimously resolved that Pierce Joyce, Esq. be selected Chairman -

Proposed by Mr John Hill, seconded by Mr Edward D. Roche, that George Morris Esq. be selected Vice Chairman.  
(Carried unanimously)

Proposed by Mr James Davis, seconded by Mr Michael Sullivan, that James Campbell Esq. be appointed Deputy Vice Chairman -

Amendment proposed by Mr John Hill, seconded by Mr L. L. Ferdinand, that John H. Blake Esq. be appointed Deputy Vice Chairman -

Mr Campbell was elected by a majority of 6 to 3.

The following members of the Board were appointed to act as a Visiting Committee for the year:-  
Pierce Joyce, George Morris, James Campbell, John Hill, James Davis, Michael A. Grealy, J. J. Keenan, Edward Guilfoyle, Patrick J. Grealy, Edward D. Roche, James Fahy, J. Redington, L. L. Ferdinand, and Denis Kelly.



PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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:

Appointment of Wardens -

Galway	Patrick Hickey,	Barna
"	James J. Morris,	Carcutten
Inchington	John Golding,	Dunmore
"	Mr. Kyme,	Kiltwogue
Dunmore	Pat <sup>r</sup> . Burke,	Kittullaugh
"	John Fahy,	Mozeela
"	Capt. J. Harting,	Frenchfort
"	Rev. J. J. J. P.P.,	Dunmore
"	Rev. D. J. J. C.C.,	Dunmore
"	Patrick Silk,	Clarebridge
"	John S. Kern,	Dunmore

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:

Mozeela	Michael Lydon,	Ballygunn M
"	John Duggan,	Keogh
Spiddal	Rev. J. O'Driscoll,	Spiddal
"	Rev. P. Lyons, P.P.,	Knock
"	Rev. M. Keary, C.C.,	Jully
"	William F. Heame,	Spiddal
Arran	Rev. J. Conannon,	Arran Island
"	Rev. W. Kilbride,	D.
"	Barth. Hermon,	D.

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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):

	Galway Dispensary District.		
310.	Account of the Galway Down Com <sup>rs</sup> for Rates, to 1 <sup>st</sup> Mar	Amount	£ 2: 0: 0
311.	Turloughmore - J. Burke, Porter, to 25 Mar		2: 10: 0
312.	" J. Burke, Rent, "		2: 10: 0
313.	Oranmore - E. Doolan, Rent, "		4: 0: 0
314.	Mozcullen - M. Kealy, Rent & Fuel, "		4: 10: 0
315.	Spiddal - D. Mc Intyre, Rent, "		4: 10: 0
316.	" M. A. O'Meara, Rent, "		2: 10: 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 187, 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 187

District.

Galway

\* Ratepayers elected -

Mozcullen	Rev. Francis Kinnery	Deafield
	Joseph Fitzpatrick	White Stone
	Hugh Davison	Mozcullen
	John Kynn	White Kinnery
	Hugh Davison	Seajann
	William Madden	Kilcloggan
	Richard L. O'Byrne	Dimcory
	John A. Binnis	Curecullen
	John Madden	Portdaragh

[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 Local Government Board for Ireland, 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:—

Galway Dispensary District.	Mr.	of
	Michael Doolan	Withingsgate St
	Patrick Conroy	High St.
	John Costello	William St.
	Joseph Semples	St. A's Lodge
	Matthew Clayton	Eyre Square
	James Martin	Dominick St
	Capt J. B. Foster	Forster St House
	Robert Black	Eyre Square
Turloughmore,	Michael Burke	Lackagh
	Mr. Hession	Claregahway
	Martin Cuffin	Waterview
	John D. Fleming	Kilrod
	Dr. Joseph Butler	Winterfield
	Michael Monahan	James St
	Mr. Kearney	Lackagh
Oranmore	Patrick Doolan	Jurand
	Patrick Brady	Maree
	Michael O'Brien	Oranmore
	Thomas Cronan	Balbrackagh

The following Order of the Local Government Board for Ireland under the Medical Charities Act was laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows.

(sup. subject.)

John Neave	Balbrackagh
Francis Blake	Dayview
R. H. B. Butler	Thorn Park

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 Local Govt Board, No 57. M/75—  
dated 27<sup>th</sup> March,

~~relating to~~ relating to the annual appointment  
of Dispensary Committees and Wardens—

Proposed by Mr. James Campbell, Seconded by Mr. James Lewis, and

Resolved— That in the  
opinion of this Board the Local Government  
Board will best guard the interests of the  
ratepayers and the sick poor of the Ingcullen  
Dispensary District by continuing to them the  
professional services of Dr. Conolly, as suggested  
in the resolution unanimously passed on the 29<sup>th</sup>  
ult. by the Committee of Management of that  
Dispensary at the largest meeting ever held  
by that body.

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over six months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

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\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY.  
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:—

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz:—

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon as follows]:—

*Indice*  
*Miss Kelly*  
*Henry Kelly*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* the *9* day of *April* 187*5*.

(Signed) *Thomas Stack*  
Clerk of the Union.

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[Special.]

GALWAY UNION.

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Population in 1871—44,022

Present Net Annual Value, £65,549

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 3 day of April 1875

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 6 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					In Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	816	874														
Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds.	222	30														
TOTAL	1038	904														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			17	70	59	114	29	20	45	24	35	413	In Workhouse Hospital, 85	In separate Wards, 5		
Admitted during the Week,				4	4	5		2			3	18	In Fever Hospital, 7	In Wards with other Inmates, 4		
TOTAL			17	74	63	119	29	22	45	24	38	431	Total, 92	Total, 9		
Discharged during the Week,			1	5	4	4	2		1		1	18				
Died,					2							2				
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	5	6	4	2		1		1	20				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			16	69	57	115	27	22	44	24	37	411				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 3 day of April 1875, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	8	21			8	21	By forward,						
No. II.	8	12			8	12	No. X.						
No. III.	4	5			4	5	No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	1			1	1	No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.	14	31			14	31	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	35	70			35	70							

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 9 day of April 1875

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Hill Esq  
 Other Guardians: Patrick Morris, F. Wood, J. Davis, D. Kelly, M. Gready, J. Martin, E. C. Harke, P. Byrne, L. L. Ferdinand  
 Dr Brodie, L. G. C. attended

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 17226 to No. 17228, 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:

Read - Letter from Clerk of Union, dated 8th April, requesting leave of absence for one month owing to the delicate state of his health, enclosing certificate from Dr Brown, and Dr Kelly of his state of health showing the necessity of a temporary cessation of labour.

Order -  
 Leave granted for one month from this date, the assistant clerk, Mr Patrick Walsh, to perform the duties in the meantime -

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, £239 : 10 : 2  
 Paid during the week, £184 : 3 : 3  
 And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £55 : 7 : 9  
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.  
 The Weekly Balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward	21	17	3				346	7	7			
	" South "	11	14					157	17				
	" East "	51	6					472	16	10			
	" West "	32	2					285	7	10			
	Ballintemple		11	4				10	9	7			
	Barna		14	4				79	5	8			
	Carrowbrownie		6	5	8			18	2	2			
					124	12	7				1370	9	8
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown							8	15	4			
	Aughrim							8	15	6			
	Belleville							15	8	6			
	Carnmore							7	7	7			
	Claregalway							9	14	3			
	Deerpark							8	2	8			
	Lackaghbeg							21	17	6			
	Liscananaun							11	13	9			
	Lisheenavalla							13	5	2			
												105	1
WILLIAM YOUNG	Ballinacourty	29	2	3				10	17	8			
	Clarenbridge	49	9	8				35	10	5			
	Oranmore	26	5	8				24		6			
	Stradbally							2	14				
					114	17	7				70	5	7
MARTIN HERNON	Inishmore							227	2	4			
											227	2	4
JOHN DILLANE	Kilcummin							26	10	6			
											26	10	6
JOHN GERAGHTY	Moycullen							19	10	2			
	Slieveaneena							31	17	3			
	Tullokyne							18	8	9			
											69	16	2
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbogh							5	13	8			
	Spiddal							18	3	3			
											23	16	11
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killanin												
	Selerna							15	7				
											15	7	
					239	10	2				1911	8	5

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 64 s. 13 d. 3

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 64 : 12 : 5

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 3 : 0/4

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 5 : 0/4

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

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
2600	15	11	6	lbs. White Bread,			
500	2	17	3	lbs. Brown Bread,			
658	19	3	10	lbs. Meat,			
1692	11	9	1	Quarts Milk,			
28		4	10	lbs. Cocoa,	2		
1/2		2	11	cwts. Salt,		1	16
20	2	6	8	Chests Tea,			
84	1	1		lbs. Sugar,			
940	3	2		Eggs,			
10		4	2	lbs. Corn Flour,			
1/2	1		10	Barrels Porter,			
30	1	10		Pints Port Wine,			
12	1	11		Bottles Brandy,			
				Gallons Whiskey,			
39	2	5	6	lbs. Butter,	10		
				lbs. Arrowroot,		4	7
8		2	8	lbs. Lump Sugar,			
18		3	9	ozs. Tobacco,	67		
						16	9
				lbs. Biscuit,			
				lbs. Flour			
				Tons Indian Meal,			
				Tons Oatmeal,			
				2 cwt. Rice			
					1	16	
				Tons Coal,			
				lbs. Candles,		4	7
				lbs. Soap,		16	9

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 3 day of June 1875 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - -	3	18	6
In Kind, - - - - -		17	0
Total, - - - - -	£ 4	15	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.	H. Lyman	5			De. 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.				
(See Entry)		5	0	0	Treasurer				

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. £ s. d.

Wavy scribble

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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Hospital Reports.—

Workhouse—Admitted during the week	17
Discharged ..	13
Died ..	7
Remaining ..	80

Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week	"
Discharged ..	4
Died ..	"
Remaining ..	4

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

That the mill supplied during the week yielded from 9 to 11 degrees of steam —

That a woman named Bridget Tolson was removed to the Union from the West Derry Union on a Warrant, but did not remain — That he caused an information to be lodged against a woman named Anne Flanagan, an inmate of the Workhouse, for an assault committed on another inmate named Anne McDonogh —

That Mary Bowen lodged information against her husband for neglecting to maintain herself and child; that he was arrested & brought before the Magistrate who discharged him, he having satisfied the Court that he would maintain them for the future — That two chests of Tea supplied by the contractor were rejected by a committee of the Board —

Ordered — on Master's requisition —

- 2 Rackets, 4 Barrels of Lime, 50 goods of shrouding,
- 3 cwt Hay, 800 cabbage plants, 2 shoals & handle —

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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board  
 and directions given thereon as follows:—

The Matron's report of blotting made and  
 repaired during the week was read —  
 Ordered — all of them —

The Weekly Reports of the Industrial Employment  
 of the male and female inmates of the Workhouse  
 were read —

The following Letters, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 Local Government Board

No 7157/75 } Directing the attention of the Guardians to  
 31st March } the necessity of compelling each able-bodied  
 male and female to work to perform a  
 certain amount of work in breaking stones or  
 picking ballam previous to their discharge from  
 the Workhouse, as one of the means of the  
 repression of Vagrancy in this country —

No 66 - 4/75 } Requesting to be furnished with certain particulars  
 P. H. M. } respecting the rates made, and any new  
 rates agreed upon in the Union —

A Warrant for the removal of Budget Talon  
 from the West Derby to this Union was  
 received and laid before the Board —  
 (The woman took her departure from the  
 Workhouse immediately after being delivered  
 up to the Master) —

Ordered — That notice be given to Mr James O'Brien,  
 head contractor, that if by next day of meeting  
 he is not prepared to submit to the Board the  
 names of two solvent persons willing to join in  
 a bond for the due performance of his contract,  
 that the Guardians will advertise for a new contract —

Ordered — That Mr Edward Loftus be accepted as  
 a surety in room of Mr Robert Black for the due  
 performance of the printing contract and that  
 Mr John P. Ferdinand be at once required to enter into  
 a bond —

Ordered — That the contractor proceed to be desired  
 to remove the two chests of Tea belonging to him  
 from the Workhouse premises, and that he be  
 informed that the Guardians intend to continue  
 the old contract at 2/- per lb — that he be  
 required to submit for inspection by next Board day  
 two chests of Tea at 2/- per lb —

Ordered — That a sum of 15/- be expended in the  
 purchase of clothing for an inmate of the Workhouse  
 named Charles Hallan to enable him to proceed to  
 the Hibernian Royal Military School —

Report of committee appointed to inquire into the expenditure in the Hospital Department of the Workhouse

April 3<sup>rd</sup> - 1875

Present - Captain O'Hara - in the chair -  
 J. Davis, D. Kelly, J. Campbell -  
 Mr. Hordie attended, as also the Doctor of the Union  
 Mr. Blah and a Bolahan -

It appeared that the Hospital charges averaged per head 5<sup>7</sup>/<sub>6</sub> - This amount is brought to this doubtless high charge by the extra diet given outside Hospital to old & infirm people & children which would otherwise amount to about an average of 4<sup>7</sup>/<sub>9</sub> - The committee visited the works with a view to report on improvements or alterations, but fear that their recommendations will not be attended to with any reduction, but much may

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

Ditto disallowed . . . . .

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was . . . . . 11

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was . . . . . 6

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

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

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

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).

That the Bonds of James O'Brien, Mast Contractor, and John P. Hopkins, Contractor for printing, have not been perfected -

(See page 9)

may be done to improve the condition of a class of people who we consider are now neglected -

We found in the infirm wards many who could attend to themselves, while old people completely unable to look after themselves were in the general ward - We found the female general ward in a disgraceful state - the doors unclean and detrimental to health, the bedding filthy, and several old people neglected and through the whole works on female side a want of classification and superintendence - We recommend that the lower female ward on the infirm side should be shut off from the others and made a ward of the Hospital into which should be placed the very old helpless women, unable to attend on themselves, and that they should be attended and looked after as if Hospital patients, considering that this class require as much superintendence and watching both as regards their bodies and souls as any inmates of the present Hospital

J. O'Hara

On the motion of Mr. Kelly, seconded by Mr. Davis the above report was adopted -

Explanation of Medical Officers as to report of committee on 3<sup>rd</sup> April 1875 -

Board Room, 10<sup>th</sup> April 1875 -

We consider that the principal things to complain of in the state of the female wards are to be found in the condition of the western half of the large dormitory, in which some of the most debilitated cases were collected - The circumstance that they were collected in one place is itself to some extent an answer to the allegation of want of classification - The selection of that ward for those patients is to be accounted for by its being one of the wards in which the beds are placed on a platform so that if a debilitated person were to roll too much to one side she could not be injured by a fall

Further

## PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 &amp; 15 Vic., cap. 68.

Further we call attention to the absence of a day room for the female infirm inmates, that room having been converted by the Guardians into a nursery and no other provided - We have considered that several of the worst cases ought to be removed to the Lunatic Ward and Hospital and have had this done - We do not defend the presence of a virinous smell in any ward; we consider that the principal cause of what the Committee of Guardians objected to was, that soiled sheets had not been removed in the morning, and we recommend that every soiled sheet and bed should be removed in future every morning before ten o'clock - We cordially concur with the Committee in considering that the worst class of infirm patients ought to be placed under Hospital regime -

The present nursery accommodation, we may take this opportunity of saying, is very defective; and we strongly recommend the building of new nurseries and reconstruction of the present lower nursery into a day room - The wooden stair last erected to the upper nursery does not suit it seems impossible to keep it sufficiently aired -

John Bleland M.D.

N. J. W. Colohan M.D.

Proposed by Mr. Ferdinand, seconded by Mr. Kealy and unanimously

Resolved - That since the adoption of the Report, having heard the explanation of the Medical Officer and the necessity of better classification, we caution the Matron to be more careful & attentive until that classification is effected; and that we request the Medical Officers to keep the Board duly informed of the sanitary condition of the house & the general health of the inmates -

(The Matron was here called before the Board & admonished) -

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 these 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187\_\_\_\_

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 Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 Local Government Board for Ireland 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, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 Local Government Board dated 5 April, No 62. N/75

requesting a return of Officers of the several Dispensary Committees in the Union

Received - Copy of minutes of proceedings of the Oremore Dispensary Committee at a meeting held on the 7<sup>th</sup> inst, setting forth the appointment of Honorary Officers for the ensuing year and containing a resolution appointing William McHale as Dispensary Doctor -

Received - Report Form H, from Dr Hughes, Oremore, certifying that between 1<sup>st</sup> Jan 1874, and 31 Decr 1874, he had successfully vaccinated 140 persons resident in the Oremore Dispensary District - The report was certified by the presiding Chairman of the Committee -

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over six months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz:—

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY.  
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz:—

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Read - Letter from Local Government Board, dated, 2<sup>nd</sup> April, No 7128/75, transmitting a copy of a General Order directing the mode in which the accounts of of local Sanitary Authorities shall be kept &c -

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz. :-

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon as follows] :-

*Wm. J. [unclear]*  
*Wm. J. [unclear]*  
*Wm. J. [unclear]*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the  
 16 day of April 1875

(Signed) *Peter [unclear]*  
*Chairman of the Union*

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Population in 1871—44,022

Present Net Annual Value, £ 65549

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10 day of April 1875

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 9 and under 5 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	366														
Temporary Buildings	222	30														
Additional Workhouse																
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	44	4														
TOTAL,	1082	400														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			16	69	57	115	27	22	44	24	37	411	In Work-house Hospital, } 79	In separate Wards } 5		
Admitted during the Week,			2	4	4	4	1			1	1	17	In Fever Hospital } 4	In Wards with other inmates, } 4		
TOTAL,			18	73	61	119	28	22	44	25	38	428	Total, } 83	Total, } 9		
Discharged during the Week,			1	5	4	4		1	1	1	4	21				
Died,						4	3					7				
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	5	4	7		1	1	1	4	28				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			17	68	53	112	28	21	43	24	34	400				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10 day of April 1875, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	8	24			8	24	Be. forward:						
No. II.	8	9			8	9	No. X.						
No. III.	6	7			6	7	No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	1			1	1	No. XII.						
No. V.	1	1			1	1	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	13	27			13	27	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car forward	37	69			37	69							

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 16 day of April 1875

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

Pierce Joyce Chgo.  
 J. Campbell, J. Hill, D. Kelly, A. G. Leahy,  
 O. O'Flaherty, G. Hill, J. J. Keenan, J. Davis,  
 L. D. Burke,

D. Brodie, L. G. J. attendes

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, - - - £149: 7: 7  
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £198: 6: 7  
 And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £787: 7: 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.
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward	20	9	8				325	17	11			
	„ South „	29	4	.				128	13	.			
	„ East „	61	2	6				411	14	4			
	„ West „	11	5	.				274	4	10			
	Ballintemple	.	.	.				10	9	7			
	Barna	.	7	1				78	18	7			
	Carrowbrown	.	.	.				18	2	2			
					122	8	3				1248	.	5
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown	.	.	.				8	15	4			
	Aughrim	.	.	.				8	15	6			
	Belleville	.	.	.				15	8	6			
	Carnmore	.	.	.				7	7	7			
	Claregalway	.	.	.				9	14	3			
	Deerpark	.	.	.				8	2	8			
	Lackaghbeg	.	.	.				21	17	6			
	Liscanansun	.	.	.				11	13	9			
	Lisheenavalla	.	.	.				13	5	2			
											105	1	3
WILLIAM YOUNG	Ballinacourty	.	.	.				10	17	8			
	Clarenbridge	.	.	.				35	13	5			
	Oranmore	.	.	.				24	.	6			
	Stradbally	.	.	.				2	14	.			
											73	5	7
MARTIN HERNON	Inishmore	.	.	.				227	2	4			
											227	2	4
JOHN DILLANE	Kilcummin	.	.	.				26	10	6			
											26	10	6
JOHN GERAGHTY	Moycullen	.	.	.				19	10	2			
	Slieveaneena	.	.	.				31	17	3			
	Tullokyne	.	.	.				18	8	9			
											69	16	2
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbogh	.	.	.				5	7	8			
	Spiddal	.	.	.				18	3	3			
											23	16	11
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killanin	.	.	.									
	Selerna	.	.	.				15	7	.			
											15	7	.
					122	8	3				1789	.	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 £ 54 s. 2 d. £ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - 59 : 13 : 2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - 2 : 10 / 4

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 4 : 9

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 6 : 3

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:

£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
lbs. White Bread,			lbs. Biscuit,		
lbs. Brown Bread,			lbs. Flour		
lbs. Meat,			Tons Indian Meal,		
Quarts Milk,			Tons Oatmeal,		
lbs. Cocoa,					
cwts. Salt.					
Chests Tea,					
lbs. Sugar.					
Eggs,					
lbs. Corn Flour,					
Barrels Porter,					
Pints Port Wine,					
Bottles Brandy,					
Gallons Whiskey,			Tons Coal,		
lbs. Butter,			lbs. Candles.		
lbs. Arrowroot,					
lbs. Lump Sugar.			lbs. Soap,		
ozs. Tobacco,					

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 April 1875 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - -	<u>4</u>	<u>2</u>	<u>0</u>
In Kind, - - - - -		<u>16</u>	<u>4</u>
Total, - - - - -	<u>4</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>4</u>

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

*[Signature]*  
1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

4. J. F. Lynch, purchase of straw 5 . . . . .

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

2. Establishment Account. £ s. d.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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*Hospital Reports.—**Workhouse—Admitted during the week**Discharged ..**Died ..**Remaining ..**Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week**Discharged ..**Died ..**Remaining ..**The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon as follows —**That the milk supplied by the several  
contractors during the week yielded  
from 7 to 11 degrees of cream —**The Weekly Reports of the Industrial Employment  
of the Male and Female inmates of the  
Workhouse were read —*

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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 Local Government Board, dated 9<sup>th</sup> April, No 70-B/75, relative to the importance of exercise and recreation for children in Workhouses —

Ordered— That the attention of the Schoolmaster and Schoolmistress be directed to the circular letter of the Local Government Board —

(The Master informed the Board that the Schoolmistress was in the habit of bringing the children under her charge to work —

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Read— Letter from Local Government Board, dated 15<sup>th</sup> April, No 8182/75, acknowledging the receipt of Minutes of proceedings of the 9<sup>th</sup> inst, and the report of the committee appointed to enquire into the expenditure of the Medical Department of the Workhouse, together with the explanation of the Medical Officers; stating that it appears that more room is necessary in order to ensure proper classification and accommodation; requesting the special attention of the Guardians to the matter —

Ordered— That the Visiting Committee be summoned to meet on Monday next to consider and report upon the suggestion contained in the letter of the Local Government Board —

Ordered— That Mr Patrick McNamora be approved of as society for the performance of the West contract —

Ordered— That Sally Malley get the clothing which belonged to her daughter, Jane Malley, and that Kate McDonogh get the clothing of her sister Mary Murry — both deceased inmates of the Workhouse —

Ordered— That clothing from the Old clothes store be provided for an inmate named Pat Kelly, who is about 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 . . . . . 4

Ditto disallowed . . . . . "

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was . . . . . 9

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 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).

## PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 &amp; 15 Vic., cap. 68.

*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, 1852.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended 187, 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 187

_____ 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 Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 2, of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees, namely:—

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland 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, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 minute of proceedings of the Moycullen Dispensary District at a meeting held on the 12<sup>th</sup> inst, setting forth the appointment of Honorary Officers for the ensuing year &c

Resolved—

That Mr Matthew Finn be appointed a member of the Cronmore Dispensary Committee of Management in room of the late Mr D. L. H. Haly—

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over six months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz:—

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY.  
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz:—

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Moycullen	D. J. Conolly	Misdeeds	Dungheals close to dwellings & dangerous to health—

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

Sanitary Sub Officer to serve notice of abatement.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz:—

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon as follows]:—

*Wm. L. L. L.*  
*Wm. L. L. L.*  
*Wm. L. L. L.*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* the *23* day of *April* 187 *5*

(Signed) *Pat. W. L. L.*  
Clerk of the Union.

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GALWAY UNION.

301

Population in 1871—44,022

Present Net Annual Value, £65,549

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of April 1875

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	816	955														
Temporary Buildings	222	27														
Additional Workhouse																
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	44	4														
TOTAL	1082	986														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			17	68	53	112	28	21	40	24	34	400	In Work-house Hospital, } 80	In separate Wards } 5		
Admitted during the Week,				2	2	6					2	12	In Fever Hospital } 4	In Wards with other inmates, } 3		
TOTAL			17	70	55	118	28	21	43	24	36	412	Total, } 87	Total, } 8		
Discharged during the Week,			2	6	1	4	2	2	4	2	1	24	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.			
Died,						2						2	Men	Women	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	6	1	6	2	2	4	2	1	26	No. Relieved during week			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	15	64	54	112	26	19	39	22	35	38	6	386	No. in Work-house at date			

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 April 1875, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	9	25			9	25	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	6	7			6	7	2						
No. III.	5	6			5	6							
No. IV.	1	1			1	1							
No. V.													
No. VI.	13	27			13	27							
No. VII.													
No. VIII.													
No. IX.													
Car. forward	34	66			34	66		TOTAL,					

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of April 1875.

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Pierce Joyce Esq.

Other Guardians:

J. Campbell, J. Gill, M. O'Sullivan, D. Kelly,  
M. Guey, J. Hedington, J. Davis, G. C. Roche,  
L. L. Ferdinand

D. W. Rodie, L. G. J., attended

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 727 to No. 727, 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, - - - £ 52 : 4 : 8  
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 18 : 19 : 4  
 And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £ 820 : 13 : 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.

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.
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward	14	1	2				311	16	9			
	" South "	12	2	6				115	10	6			
	" East "	7	5	10				404	8	6			
	" West "	11	5	4				262	19	6			
	Ballintemple			16	3			9	12	4			
	Barna	3	19	2				74	19	5			
	Carrowbrownne	1	14	5				16	7	9			
					52	4	8				1195	15	9
NICHOLAS KYNE	Anaghdown							8	15	4			
	Aughrim	8	2	9					12	9			
	Belleville							15	8	6			
	Carnmore	3	1	10				4	5	9			
	Chregalway	5	2	4				4	11	11			
	Deerpark							8	7	8			
	Lackaghbeg							21	17	6			
	Liscanannan							11	12	9			
	Lisheenavalla	10	14	5				2	10	9			
					27	1	4				77	19	11
WILLIAM YOUNG	Ballincourty							10	17	8			
	Clarenbridge							35	13	5			
	Oranmore							24		6			
	Stradbally							2	14				
											70	5	7
<del>MURRAY</del> HERNON	Inishmore							227	24				
<del>JOHN WALLACE</del> WALLACE	Kilcummin							26	10	6			
											227	2	4
											26	10	6
JOHN GERAGHTY	Moycullen							19	10	2			
	Slieveaneena							31	17	3			
	Tullokyne							18	8	9			
											69	16	2
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbogh							5	11	8			
	Spiddal							18	2	3			
											23	16	11
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killanin												
	Selernin							15	7				
											15	7	
											79	6	
											1709	14	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 £ 54 s. 7 d. 11

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 60 : 9 : 11

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ 2 : 11 : 12

Average cost in Infirmary, £ 4 : 10 : 14

Average cost in Fever Hospital, £ 5 : 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:

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
2600	lbs. White Bread,	15	11	6	lbs. Biscuit,		
	lbs. Brown Bread,				28 lbs. Flour	4	6
354	lbs. Meat,	10	6	6	Tons Indian Meal,		
1684	Quarts Milk,	11	8		Tons Oatmeal,		
28	lbs. Cocoa,		4	10			
	cwts. Salt,						
20 lb	Chests Tea,	2					
84	lbs. Sugar,	1	1				
382	Eggs,	1	5	3			
10	lbs. Corn Flour,		4	2			
1/2	Barrels Porter,	1		10			
24	Pints Port Wine,	1	4				
11	Bottles Brandy,	1	8	5			
	Gallons Whiskey,				Tons Coal,		
11/2	lbs. Butter,		13	5	8 lbs. Candles,	3	8
	lbs. Arrowroot,						
10	lbs. Lump Sugar,		3	4	74 lbs. Soap,	18	6
18	ozs. Tobacco,		3	9	2 cwt W. Soda	2	18

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 17 day of April 1875 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, -	£	s.	d.
In Kind, -			
Total,	£	4	13 : 6

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By 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.	O'Flynn	5	=	(18)		Bt. <del>...</del>					
No. II.	Young	4	=	(17)		No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.	Flanagan	6	=	(20)		No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forwd.	Let Lis					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:—

	£	s.	d.
1. <u>Wobollion, 1 me meat</u>		11	17 6
<u>Extern Hospital &amp; Beglows</u>			
11. <u>Deaf &amp; Dumb Institution, 1 year maintenance of Hon. Miss Walsh</u>		7	10
Debit Clothing Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.			
Registration			
2. <u>Establishment Account.</u>			
12. <u>Dr. H. Clayton, Galway No 1, fees to 31st Nov</u>	5	11	
13. <u>Dr. Duggan, Loughlinstown,</u>	4	8	6
14. <u>Dr. Levin, Oranmore,</u>	4	6	
15. <u>Dr. Conolly, Moycullen,</u>	2	4	6
16. <u>Dr. O'Dea, Spiddal,</u>	5	4	
17. <u>J. Naughton, Broad,</u>	3	1	3

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:—

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## Hospital Reports.—

Workhouse—Admitted during the week	12
Discharged ..	4
Died ..	1
Remaining ..	84

Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week	"
Discharged ..	2
Died ..	"
Remaining ..	2

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

That the milk supplied during the week yielded from 9 to 11 degrees of cream —  
 That he requires to have two chests of Tea sent in by the contractor inspected —  
 (Approved)

Ordered — On Master's requisition —

15 good of babies,  
 1 lb Mill Grease, 4 lb Twine, 1 doz Chambers,  
 1/2 Hide sole leather, 1 lb Hemp, Wax 4<sup>2</sup> worth, Hair 2<sup>2</sup>,  
 2000 shoe nails, 12 for Lips, 2<sup>7</sup>6 worth of flower seeds.

The Matron's report of blotting repaired during the week 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 Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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):—

Relieving Officer Flynn reported that, on the 19<sup>th</sup> instant, a Tramp named James Morrissey applied to ~~see~~ him for a ticket of admission to the Workhouse; he refused to give it, when Morrissey struck him - he had ~~him~~ arrested & committed to prison.

Ordered - That the Master procure a machine for weighing the coals used in the Workhouse; and that he reduce the amount of coal used weekly.

The Clerk reported that there was no meeting of the Visiting Committee ~~appointed~~ to consider the suggestions contained in the letter of the Local Government Board, dated 15<sup>th</sup> April, No 8182/75.

Ordered -

That the Committee be summoned for Wednesday next at 12 o'clock.

Relieving Officer Griffin reported that he received notice of the eviction of Michael Walsh from the lands of Gorticholla, Gullaklyne C. D., at the suit of Lord Campbell.

Relieving Officer Young ~~at~~ laid before the Board a notice of eviction served on him for the possession of ~~the~~ premises of certain premises in the Townland of Borrowmoreach, Oranmore, C. D., at the suit of H. H. Walter Esq.

A requisition for Medicine for use of the Workhouse was laid before the Board.

Ordered -

Medicines to be supplied - the Apothecary to send in by next day of meeting an explanation of the excessive number of bottles used in the Workhouse.



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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was . . . 5

Ditto disallowed . . . . . "

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was . . . 12

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was . . . 6

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 . . . . . 3

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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## PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 &amp; 15 Vic., cap. 68.

*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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187\_\_\_\_

_____ 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 Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 Local Government Board for Ireland 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, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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

Letter

Reading Matter

Received - Report Form H from <sup>Dr. J. J. Spiddal</sup> ~~Dr. J. J. Spiddal~~ certifying that between the 11<sup>th</sup> February and 30<sup>th</sup> March he had successfully vaccinated 225 persons resident in the Spiddal Dispensary District - The report was certified by the presiding chairman of the Committee -

Received - Copy of Minutes of Proceedings of the Loughmore Dispensary Area Committee at a meeting held on the 20<sup>th</sup> inst setting forth the appointment of Honorary Officers for the ensuing year -

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over six months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY.  
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:—

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Dr. Duggan, Loughmore, reported that, on the 22<sup>nd</sup> inst, he visited the townland & Villages in his district bordering on the Garry and Loughrea Unions; that he found those places in a most healthy condition, the habitations & premises of the inhabitants being free from any kind of nuisance dangerous to health -

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz. —

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon as follows] :—

*James Campbell*  
Chairman

*Henry Tully*  
*James Davis*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* the  
*30* day of *April* 187*5*

(Signed) *Patrick [Signature]*  
Local Agent of the Union.

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GALWAY UNION.

321

Population in 1871—44022

Present Net Annual Value, £ 65849

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24 day of April 1875

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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Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	44	4														
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Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			10	64	54	112	26	19	39	22	35	386	In Work-house Hospital, } 91	In separate Wards } 5		
Admitted during the Week,			2	4	6	7		1		1	3	24	In Fever Hospital } 4	In Wards with other inmates, } 3		
TOTAL,			17	68	60	119	26	20	39	23	38	410	Total, } 95	Total, } 8		
Discharged during the Week,			1	2	5	2	1	1	1		1	14	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.			
Died,						1						1	Men	Women	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	2	5	3	1	1	1		1	15	No. Relieved during week } 2	2	1	5
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			16	66	55	116	25	19	38	23	37	395	No. in Work-house at date } 1	1	1	3

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24 day of April 1875, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	9	19			9	19	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	7	11			7	11	No. X.						
No. III.	6	7			6	7	No. XI.						
No. IV.	1	1			1	1	No. XII.						
No. V.	1	1			1	1	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	13	27			13	27	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
TOTAL	37	66			37	66	TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 20 day of May 1875.

PRESENT: In the Chair, James Campbell, Esq.  
 Other Guardians: M. Sullivan, O. Kelly, J. Davis, L. L. Ferdinand,  
 J. J. Keenan, P. Morris, P. J. Kealy,

Dr. Brodie, L. G. J. attended

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 17268 to No. 17272, 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, - - - - - £ 129 : 13 : 7

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 32 : 17 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account ~~of~~ the Guardians was £ 917 : 9 : 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward	18	5	10				29	10	11			
	„ South „	3	9	9				11	2	9			
	„ East „	14	2	9				39	0	5			
	„ West „	19						24	3	19			
	Ballintemple		13	9				8	19	7			
	Barna		12	6				74	6	11			
	Carrowbrowne		15	11				15	11	10			
					57		6				11	38	15
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown	5		1				3	15	3			
	Aughrim							12	9				
	Belleville	14	12	3				16	3				
	Carnmore							4	5	7			
	Claregalway							4	11	11			
	Deerpark							8	3	8			
	Lackaghbeg							21	17	6			
	Liscananaun							11	13	9			
	Lisheenavalla							2	10	9			
						19	12	4				5	8
WILLIAM YOUNG	Ballinacourty	5	15	6				5	2	2			
	Clarenbridge	18	15	10				16	17	7			
	Oranmore	13	14	9				10	5	9			
	Stradbally							2	14				
					38	6	1				34	19	6
MARTIN HERNON	Inishmore							2	27	2	4		
											2	27	2
JOHN DILLANE	Kilcummin							2	6	10	6		
											2	6	10
JOHN GERAGHTY	Moycullen	4	10	1				15		1			
	Slieveaneena	5	16	8				2	6	7			
	Tullokyne	4	7	11				14		10			
					14	14	8				5	5	1
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbogh							5	12	8			
	Spiddal							18	3	3			
											2	3	16
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killauin							4					
	Selerna							15	7				
											15	7	
					129	13	7				15	30	7

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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 £ 69 s. 7 d. 4

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . 58 : 2 : 8

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

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

Average cost in Infirmary, . . . . . 4 : 8 1/2

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

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
2800	16	15	5	lbs. White Bread,			
400	2	5	10	lbs. Brown Bread,			
403 1/2	11	15	4	lbs. Meat,			
1636	11	1	7	Quarts Milk,			
28		4	10	lbs. Cocoa,			
1 1/2		2	11	cwts. Salt,			
				Chests Tea,			
84	1	1		lbs. Sugar,			
426	1	8	1	Eggs,			
10		4	2	lbs. Corn Flour,			
1/2	1		10	Barrels Porter,			
18		18		Pints Port Wine,			
12	1	11		Bottles Brandy,			
				Gallons Whiskey,			
9 1/2		11	1	8 lbs. Butter,			
				lbs. Arrowroot,			
12		4	67	lbs. Lump Sugar,			
18		3	9	ozs. Tobacco,			
				Tons Coal,			
				lbs. Candles,	3	8	
				lbs. Soap,	16	9	

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 1875 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, -	3	12	0
In Kind. -	1	5	0
Total.	4	17	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.						BU. forward					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.	Gaffney			(21)		No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
C.U. forward				2.0		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.

3

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

2. Establishment Account. £ s. d.

3

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



## 3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

## 4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account:

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

## Fever Hospital Report

Dr. Bleland and Dr. Bolohan, Medical Officers, reported that the bed clothing in their respective wards was in a very bad condition and that the following articles were required

Bed ticks	24.
Blankets	24.
Quilts	48
Boilers	24.
Sheets	12

Ordered -

Consideration of requisition postponed for one week -

### Hospital Reports. -

Workhouse - Admitted during the week	16
Discharged ..	16
Died ..	2
Remaining ..	82

Fever Hospital - Admitted during the week	4
Discharged ..	"
Died ..	"
Remaining ..	6

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

That the milk supplied by the several contractors during the week yielded from 9 to 11 degrees of cream - That he purchased on last Saturday 74 stones of Potatoes at 4 1/2 per stone - That he has received no answer up to this from the father of the inmate named Anne Maher whom he was directed to communicate with -

Ordered - on Master's requisition -

4 lbs Machine oil,  
1 Gallon kerosene oil, 4 Wax floats, 1 1/2 lbs suet from  
bucket, blotter for the blades of Mought bouncer.

The Matron's report of blotting made and repaired during the week was read -

Ordered - 150 gds Bengal Strife for wrappers -

The Weekly Reports of the Industrial Employment of the Male and Female inmates of the Workhouse were read -

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 Local Government Board, dated 29 April, No 9250/1875, stating that in the rural portions of the Union a considerable amount of rate remains uncollected, requesting that the Guardians will have the goodness to call on the collectors to close their accounts without delay.

Ordered— Clerk to write to collectors in accordance with the request of the Local Government Board.

Read— Circular letter from Local Government Board, dated 21st April, No 75-4/75, enclosing a specimen sheet of a revised form of rate book to be used in future.

Relieving Officer Flynn laid before the Board two eviction notices served on him at the suit of Capt F. W. Forde against James Byrne and others for possession of certain premises in Lombard St and Church Lane, Galway. C. D.

Ordered— That Relieving Officer <sup>Griffin</sup> get ~~vacation~~ one week's leave of absence— his son Thomas Griffin to discharge his duties in the interim.

R. O. Flynn reported that a Group named James Morris whom he summoned to the Petty Sessions Court for an assault on him, was sentenced to one week's imprisonment.

Ordered— That those children belonging to Thomas Murray be sent from the Workhouse to him in order that he may support them.

R. O. Sullivan, Athlone, reported with reference to his last requisition that he inadvertently ordered Pails instead of coals— the word Pails being used to designate a particular class of coals.

(The explanation was considered satisfactory)

The latter contractor, Thomas Lane, applied to the Board for extra payment for the batter supplied on last Sunday.

(Application refused)

Ordered - That Michael Bector get the blattney which belonged to his deceased wife, Honor Bector, when he has paid to the relieving Officer the cost of her maintenance while in Hospital -

Ordered - That blattney to the value of £1 be provided for an inmate of the Workhouse named John Lydon to enable him to leave the House and accept of service -

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	13
Ditto disallowed	"
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	7
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	6
Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians	"
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	"
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered	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).

The Clerk reported that no meeting of the Visiting Committee was held on Wednesday last although they were summoned - and it was resolved -

That this Board resolve itself into a Committee to consider the suggestions contained in the Letter of the Local Government Board, dated 15 April on the subject of providing more necessary accommodation - and that ~~an~~ ~~accepted~~ report be laid before next Board on the subject -

## PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 &amp; 15 Vic., cap. 68.

*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:*

Galway County Council Archives

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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187\_\_\_\_

_____ 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 Boate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 \_\_\_\_\_

Galway County Council Archives

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland 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, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over six months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY.  
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:—

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Dr Woodie, L.G. Inspector, drew attention to the advisability of procuring a disinfecting apparatus for use of the Fever Hospital and Workhouse Hospital and it was

Ordered - That the clerk procure from Edmondson of Dublin a plan of <sup>his</sup> ~~the~~ disinfecting machine at £14

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The following Accounts of Expenditure incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz. —

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon as follows]:—

*James Davis*  
*James Hill*  
*Francis Park*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* the  
*7* day of *May* 1875

(Signed) *Peter Keogh*  
 Clerk of the Union



[Special.]

GALWAY UNION.

341

Population in 1871— 44022

Present Net Annual Value, £ 65,574 9

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 7<sup>th</sup> day of May 1875

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	816	356														
Temporary Buildings	222	30														
Additional Workhouse	—	—														
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	7														
Fever Sheds	—	—														
TOTAL	1082	393														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			16	66	55	116	25	19	38	23	27	295	In Work-house Hospital, } 80	In separate Wards } 5		
Admitted during the Week,			3	3	5	3	1		1			16	In Fever Hospital } 7	In Wards with other Inmates, } 4		
TOTAL,			19	69	60	119	26	19	39	23	27	411	Total, } 90	Total, } 9		
Discharged during the Week,			1	5	4	4	1				1	16				
Died,					2							2				
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	5	6	4	1				1	18				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			18	64	54	115	25	19	39	23	26	393				

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 May 1875, 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.	7	20			7	20	No. X.						
No. II.	6	7			6	7	No. XI.						
No. III.	6	7			6	7	No. XII.						
No. IV.	1	1			1	1	No. XIII.						
No. V.	1	1			1	1	No. XIV.						
No. VI.	13	27			13	27	No. XV.						
No. VII.							No. XVI.						
No. VIII.							No. XVII.						
No. IX.													
(Guardians)	34	63			34	63							

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 7<sup>th</sup> day of May 1875

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

James Davis Esq  
 John Hill, G. E. Power, Dennis Kelly,  
 L. L. Ferdinand, J. Ward  
 D. Brodie, L. G. Inspector, attended

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 17293 to No. 17307, 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, - - - - - £ 86 : 15 : 0

Laid during the week, - - - - - £ 17 : : 6

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 987 : 4 : 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total																					
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.																			
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward	31	56					262	55																							
	" South "	4	3					108	6																							
	" East "	15	18	3				374	7	6																						
	" West "	12	1	2				231	18	4																						
	Ballintemple							8	19	7																						
	Barna	1	15	70				72	11	1																						
	Carrowbrowne							15	11	10																						
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<i>Bartw</i> MARTIN HERNON	Inishmore							227	2	4								227	2	4												
JOHN <del>PHILLIPS</del> <i>Mallace</i>	Kilcummin							26	10	6								26	10	6												
JOHN GERAGHTY	Moycullen							15		1																						
	Slieveaneena							26		7																						
	Tullokyne							14		10																						
																					55	1	6									
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	Spiddal							18	0	3																						
																								23	16	11						
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Debit the Treasurer and credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

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And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 2 : 10 : 4

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 4 6 4

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 5 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:

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419	12	4	5	lbs. Meat,			
1676	11	6	11	Quarts Milk,	13	17	0
21		3	8	lbs. Cocoa,	1	15	11
				cwts. Salt,			
				Chests Tea,			
100	1	5		lbs. Sugar,			
392	1	5	10	Eggs,			
10		4	2	lbs. Corn Flour,			
1/2	1		10	Barrels Porter,			
12		12		Pints Port Wine,			
4		10	4	Bottles Brandy,			
				Gallons Whiskey,			
8 1/2		9	11	8 lbs. Butter,	3	8	
				lbs. Arrowroot,			
12	4		67	lbs. Lump Sugar,	16	9	
18	3	9		ozs. Tobacco,			
				lbs. Biscuit,			
				lbs. Flour			
				Tons Indian Meal,			
				Tons Oatmeal,			
				s.o. 300 lb. W. Head			
				Tons Coal,			
				lbs. Candles,			
				lbs. Soap,			

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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 1st day of May 1855 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, - - - - -	3	14	6
In Kind, - - - - -		15	6
Total, - - - - -	4	10	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:

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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:—

	£	s.	d.
33. M. Campbell, Leather &c	2	10	8
34. Jas. Sweeney, Coffin, &c	4	7	10
35. J. Hard, Indian Meal	9	2	6
36. Finness & Co, Porter	28	2	6
37. J. Kerr, Clothing	48	8	4
38. Kelly Bros & Co, Do	29	17	2
39. B. Kelly, Thread & Remnants	4	9	5
40. M. Clonerty, Hardware &c	13	3	"
41. Clonerty & Temple, Timber &c	11	5	4
42. D. Jiffin, Hardware &c	9	14	4
43. Stack, for small Bills	8	17	7
44. Lynch, to buy potatoes &c	5	"	"
45. W. Young, Collection Fee	25	3	3

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.	
22	M. Maher,	W. Bread	to 1st May	78	9	5
23	"	Do Bread	"	10	17	7
24	J. O'Brien,	Meat	to 24 April	52	7	3
25	J. Collieran,	Milk	to 1st May	9	9	7
26	J. Hughes,	Do	"	18	5	7
27	M. Cunningham,	Do	"	8	18	9
28	J. Morris,	Do	"	14	14	3
29	W. Costello,	Sugar	"	16	2	3
30	J. Lavin,	Do	"	33	7	5
31	J. Lavin,	Butter	"	4	9	10
32	J. Morris,	Eggs &c	"	9	6	4

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

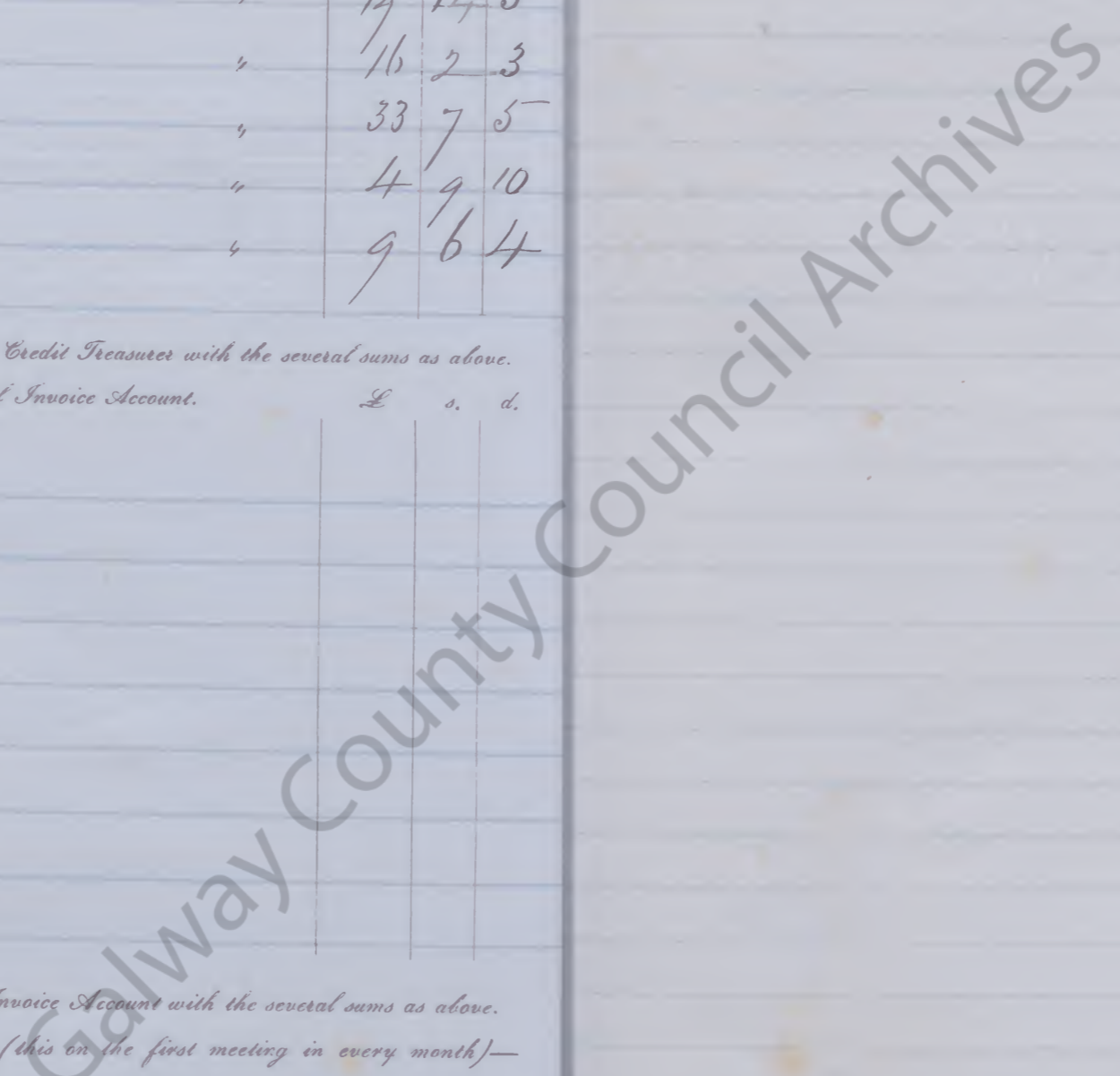
4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ 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:—



D. O'Connell's Report - "It may be mentioned at the present time when the fever-brain are considering the subject of building that there are no births of any kind in hospital, and that there ought to be one bathroom for each side - Also the present accommodation for midwifery purposes is greatly too limited - One Ward containing four or five beds is the only one for receiving all confinement cases in town requiring hospital relief, and all affections peculiar to women coming into hospital - The lower male wards are also rather limited -"

Hospital Reports.—

Workhouse—Admitted during the week	8
Discharged ..	16
Died ..	—
Remaining ..	74

Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week	2
Discharged ..	1
Died ..	—
Remaining ..	7

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 off Cream -  
 That the Constabulary require a guarantee for the repayment of the expenses of the arrest &c. of the husbands of Bridget Stuart and Sarah Donlevy  
 Ordered - Ceiling of Fever Hospital to be repaired -

Ordered - Proceedings to be taken against Jeremiah Dooney for neglect to maintain his son, John Dooney -

Ordered - 4 lb Mangel - Wurzel Seed, 8 oz Tobacco,  
 Repair of 3 buckets - Clothing for infant born in W<sup>th</sup> Ho

The Doctor's report of clothing made and repaired during the week was read.

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

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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 Local Govt Board, dated 4 May, No 9202/1875, stating in reply to Clerk's letter of 26<sup>th</sup> ultimo with reference to the revised form of Rate Book that no alteration is necessary in the Warrants for collection—

Letter from Messrs J. Edmunds & Co, dated 2 May, enclosing sketch of disinfecting apparatus, same as supplied to Woods of Quodrin lately—

Ordered  
That one be procured

## Additional Buildings

The committee appointed at last meeting made the following report:—  
"Having visited the several departments of the Workhouse the committee are of opinion that the requisite accommodation is not to be had and would recommend that the present Nursery be thrown down and that a larger permanent building be erected on the site— 2 stories high, to be 80 feet long and 24 feet wide in the clear between the walls and to consist of four rooms—

"J. Davis"

"on behalf of the committee—

Proposed by Mr George E. Burke, seconded by Mr L. L. Ferdinand— and Resolved—

That the consideration of this report be postponed and that it be referred back to the committee to consider whether the existing Workhouse accommodation may not suffice for all present requirements—  
committee to meet on Friday next after the transaction of ordinary business—

The baptism book was produced and an entry read of the baptism of an illegitimate child—

With reference to the requisition submitted to the Board at last meeting for additional articles of bedding for the Fever Hospital it was Resolved— That having regard to the number of Patients in the Hospital, and the stock on hand no additional supply is at present required—

Ordered - That blathing be provided for Joseph Haesty to the value of £1 - for John Brady to the value of 10/-, and for Mary Bounughton to the value of £1 -

Ordered - That the blank apply to the Under Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant for permission to have inserted in the "Ae and bry" a description of persons charged with desertion of their wives and families in order to facilitate arrest -

Ordered - That Collectors Kyle, Brown, Grogan, Bounannon and Wallace be required to complete their collection on or before the 21st inst - if not closed by that date to lay a list before the Doors of Worship of the names of the persons who have not paid with the amount due by each -

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 . . . . . 7

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 . . . . . "

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 . . . . . 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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## PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 &amp; 15 Vic., cap. 68.

*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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ 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 Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 Local Government Board for Ireland 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, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over six months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY.  
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:—

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Boycallen	O'Connell	Dung Heaps sc	Removal of Dung Heaps from contiguity to Dwelling Houses sc

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

Sub-Sanitary Officer to carry out recommendations of Sanitary Officer

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Letter from Dr Duggan, Medical Officer of Loughmore Dispensary District, dated 4<sup>th</sup> May, reporting the occurrence of a case of Small Pox on the road from Khenry to Loughmore in the Deepford Electoral Division

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz:—

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon as follows]:—

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*Wm. J. [unclear]*  
*John [unclear]*  
*Wm. [unclear]*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* the  
 14 day of *May* 1875  
 (Signed) *Thomas Stack*  
 Clerk of the Union

[Special.]

GALWAY UNION.

361

Population in 1871—44,022

Present Net Annual Value, £66,357

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 8<sup>th</sup> day of May 1875

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							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	356													
Temporary Buildings	222	20													
Additional Workhouse															
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	444	7													
TOTAL	1082	393													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			18	64	574	115	25	19	39	23	36	393	In Work-house Hospital, } 78 In Fever Hospital } 2 Total, } 80	In separate Wards } 5 In Wards with other inmates, } 4 Total, } 9	
Admitted during the Week,			"	3	3	2	.	.	1	.	2	11			
TOTAL			18	67	577	117	25	19	40	23	38	404			
Discharged during the Week,			2	2	1	2	1	2	.	.	1	11			
Died,															
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	2	1	2	1	2	.	.	1	11			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			16	65	576	115	24	17	40	23	37	393			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 8<sup>th</sup> day of May 1875, 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 Person relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	8	25			8	25	Bt. forward.						
No. II.	6	7			6	7	No. X.						
No. III.	7	8			7	8	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.	1	1			1	1	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	13	27			13	27	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car forward	35	68			35	68	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 14<sup>th</sup> day of May 1875

PRESENT: In the Chair, Pierce Joyce Esq  
 Other Guardians: J. Redington, M. Sullivan, M. Peaty, D. Kelly, L. L. Ferdinand, Jas Davis, J. E. Burke, J. J. Kirwan, E. D. Burke, Lieut. J. M., F. Ward, Capt. O'Hara, E. Spillfoyle - D. Brodie, L. J. Esq, attended -  
 The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 17308 to No. 17321, 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. 1 to No. 10, 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, - - - £155:6:7  
 Paid during the week, - - - £467:14:9  
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £674:16:1  
 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 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.
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward	18	3	1				244	2	4			
	" South "							108		6			
	" East "	36	1	9				340	5	9			
	" West "	7	5	4				224	13				
	Ballintemple	1	5	11				7	13	8			
	Barna	1	4	2				71	6	11			
	Carrowbrowne							15	11	10			
					62		3				1011	14	
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown	3	15	3									
	Aughrim		12	9									
	Belleville		16	3									
	Carnmore	4	5	9									
	Claregalway							4	11	11			
	Deerpark	8	2	11						9			
	Lackaghbeg							21	17	6			
	Liscananaun	10	9	1				1	4	8			
	Lisheenavalla							2	10	9			
					20		20				30	5	7
WILLIAM YOUNG	Ballinacourty	5	2	2									
	Clarenbridge	16	17	7									
	Oranmore	10	5	9									
	Stradbally	2	14										
					34		14	6					
MARTIN HERNON	Inishmore							227	2	4			
											227	2	4
JOHN DILLANE	Kilcummin							26	10	6			
											26	10	6
JOHN GERAGHTY	Moycullen							15		1			
	Sieveaneena							26		7			
	Tullokyne							14		10			
											55	1	6
PATRICK CONGANNON	Furbogh	5	8	1						5	3		
	Spiddal	16	5	11				1	7	4			
					21		14						1
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killanin												12
	Selerna							15	7				
													15
					146		15	9			136	7	13

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 £ 54 s. 0 d. 5

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 58 : 4 : 3

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - " 2 : 10

Average cost in Infirmary, - " 4 : 7

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - " 6 : 0

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:

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
2800 lbs. White Bread,	16	16	5	10 lbs. Biscuit,		3	1
400 lbs. Brown Bread,	2	5	10	- lbs. Flour			
572 lbs. Meat,	14	10	8	- Tons Indian Meal,			
1708 Quarts Milk,	11	11	3	- Tons Oatmeal,			
24 lbs. Cocoa,		3	8	2 cwt. Rice	1	16	
12 cwt. Salt,		2	11	6 lbs. Pepper		4	6
Chests Tea,							
90 lbs. Sugar,	1	2	6				
379 Eggs,	1	5					
10 lbs. Corn Flour,		4	2				
1 Barrels Porter,	2	1	8				
26 Pints Port Wine,	1	6					
10 Bottles Brandy,	1	5	10				
9 Gallons Whiskey,				- Tons Coal,			
12 lbs. Butter,		14		8 lbs. Candles,		3	8
4 lbs. Arrowroot,		2	3				
10 lbs. Lump Sugar,		3	4	67 lbs. Soap,		16	9
18 ozs. Tobacco,		3	9				

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 8<sup>th</sup> day of May 1875 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, -	3	17	0
In Kind, -		18	0
Total, -	£ 4	15	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		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. forward					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.	P. Cullinan	5	0		46	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 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.

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

	£	s.	d.
47 Mr. Kynne, Collector's Pounds	27	17	—
Elections, Law, &c.			
48 Mr. Blake, Law Costs	6	5	9

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:—

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Hospital Reports.—

Workhouse—Admitted during the week	11
Discharged ..	3
Died ..	2
Remaining ..	80

Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week	2
Discharged ..	3
Died ..	—
Remaining ..	6

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 he purchased last Saturday 180 s. of Potatoes at 4 1/2 per sb.

Ordered— 1/4 gross coarse and 1/4 gross fine combs, 1 lb  
mangel wazel seed, 6 yd cord— 1 lb tipsnails, 1 lb pegs,  
1 lb heelsprigs—

The Matron's report of clothing repaired during the week  
was read—

Ordered— 2 lb thread—

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

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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 Edmundson & Co., dated 10<sup>th</sup> May, stating that the Order for "disinfecting apparatus" shall have their best attention.

Letter from Under Secretary to the Lord Lieutenant, dated 12<sup>th</sup> May, stating that the descriptions of persons charged with desecration of their wives and families cannot be inserted in the "Blue and Grey".

The following letter was read and ordered to be inserted on the Minutes:—

Loughterard, May 13<sup>th</sup> 1875.  
Gentlemen,  
Having by the favor of the Lord Bishop of Falmouth been appointed to the charge of the Parish of Loughterard, it becomes  
my

my duty to resign the Office of Catholic Chaplain to your Workhouse.

It affords me an opportunity of which I gladly avail to express my grateful sense of the kindness and courtesy of the Board of Guardians at all times, as well as their willingness to provide every thing required for the use of religion among the inmates. It is a pleasing task to refer to this harmonious cooperation, — and it may not be out of place to add that I have always found the Guardians to give most charitable attention to the material wants of the poor.

I remain, Gentlemen,  
Your faithful servant,  
Redmond McDonogh P.P.

H. The Board of Guardians  
Falmouth Union.

Proposed by Mr. L. S. Gerdman, Seconded by Mr. Denis Kelly, and Resolved. That the resignation of the Rev. Redmond McDonogh be placed on the Minutes, and that the Clerk be directed to ask the Lord Bishop of Falmouth to appoint a successor for the official sanction of the Local Govt. Board.

Proposed by Mr. L. S. Gerdman, Seconded by Mr. Denis Kelly, and Resolved. That this Board congratulate the Rev. Redmond McDonogh on the promotion which has led to his resignation of the Chaplaincy of the Workhouse, and that we cordially reciprocate the expressions of good will contained in his letter. His quiet urbanity of manner, and his strict  
and

and zealous attention to the spiritual wants of the poor inmates of the Workhouse could have led to no other result than "harmonious co-operation" on the part of the Board of Guardians. Father McDonogh takes with him our kindest regards and best wishes for his happiness in the new sphere of his ministrations.

Letter from Mr. Dr. Stack, Clerk of Union, dated 14<sup>th</sup> May, 1875, informing the Board of the recent demise of one of his sureties, and naming as new sureties -

Mr. Matthew Clayton, Eyre Square, and  
Mr. Dr. Geraghty, William St. West  
(Approved)

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 . . . . . 6

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was . . . . . 6

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was . . . . . 6

Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians . . . . . 6

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was . . . . . 6

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

Eviction notice laid before the Board by Relieving Officer Flynn - Nicholas Henry & James Forman. respecting a house and land at Longlyham in the Carrowbrownne E.D. -

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## PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 &amp; 15 Vic., cap. 68.

*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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187\_\_\_\_

_____ 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 Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 Local Government Board for Ireland 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, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 Form H, from Mr Clayton Medical Officer of Galway No 1 Dispensary District, certifying that between 11 Nov 1874 and 12 May 1875 he had successfully vaccinated 811 persons resident in his District—

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over six months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY.

37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:—

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Relieving Officer Griffin, Draymen, reported that he had served notices of abatement on the several persons referred to in the report submitted by Dr. J. J. J. at last meeting—

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz. :—

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon as follows] :—

James Davis  
 Secy  
 Trustee

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the  
21<sup>st</sup> day of May 1875  
 (Signed) Thomas Stack  
 Clerk of the Union

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GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1871— 44022

Present Net Annual Value, £ 66357

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 15<sup>th</sup> day of May 1875

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						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 LUNATIC		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	555															
Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse	222	30															
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	44	6															
<b>TOTAL,</b>	<b>1082</b>	<b>591</b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			16	65	56	115	24	17	40	23	37	393	In Work-house Hospital, 82	In separate Wards } 1			
Admitted during the Week,			1	.	6	6	1	.	.	.	.	14	In Fever Hospital } 6	In Wards with other inmates, } 4			
<b>TOTAL,</b>			<b>17</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>407</b>	<b>Total, 88</b>	<b>Total, 5</b>			
Discharged during the Week,			1	3	3	2	1	1	2	.	1	14	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.				
Died,						1	1	.	.	.	.	2	Men	Women	Children under 15	TOTAL	
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	3	4	3	1	1	2	.	1	16	No. Relieved during week				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			16	62	58	118	24	16	38	23	36	391	No. in Work-house at date				
													No. at corresponding period last year				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15<sup>th</sup> day of May 1875. authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	8	25			8	25	Bt. forward.						
No. II.	5	6			5	6	No. X.						
No. III.	5	6			5	6	No. XI.						
No. IV.	.	.			.	.	No. XII.						
No. V.	1	1			1	1	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	13	27			13	27	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
<b>Carried forward</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>65</b>			<b>32</b>	<b>65</b>	<b>TOTAL,</b>						<b>0</b>

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 21<sup>st</sup> day of May 1875

PRESENT: In the Chair, James Davis Esq.

Other Guardians:

A. Morris, D. Kelly, J. Hill, J. J. Livan, L. L. Ferdinand, P. J. Kealy, M. Kealy, G. L. Burke, C. D. Burke

J. B. B. attended

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 17322 to No. 17332, 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 Messrs Kyme, Young, and Funnell have closed their Collections - that Collector Wallace has £8.8.5 and Collector Concannon £1.12.11 outstanding - that Collector Spraghy has made no lodgment since the 7<sup>th</sup> inst. and has not sent in a list of the persons owing £55.1.6 outstanding in his district - that the usual period for the payment of the rate assessed on Inishmore E.D. has not yet arrived -

Ordered. Clerk to call upon Mr. Spraghy to furnish an arrears list by Friday next without fail -

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, - - - £116 : 15 : 8

Baid during the week, - - - - - £ 37 : 4 : -

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £804 : 7 : 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward	14	14	.				229	8	4					
	" South "	9	4	6				98	16	.					
	" East "	100	1	6				240	2	8					
	" West "	6	12	.				210	1	.					
	Ballintemple							7	13	8					
	Barna	13	11	7				57	15	4					
	Carrowbrown	4	10	.				11	1	10					
							148	13	7			863	5		
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown														
	Aughrim														
	Belleville														
	Carnmore														
	Claregalway														
	Deerpark	4	11	11											
	Lackaghbeg										9				
	Liscanannaun	21	17	6											
	Lisheenavalla	1	4	8											
	2	10	9												
							30	14	10				9		
WILLIAM YOUNG	Ballinacourty														
	Clarenbridge														
	Oranmore														
	Stradbally														
<del>MARSH</del> HERNON	Inishmore							227	2	4					
JOHN <del>DEWEY</del> WALLACE	Kilcummin							26	10	6					
JOHN GERAGHTY	Moycullen							15	0	8					
	Slieveaneena							<del>55</del>	<del>7</del>	<del>9</del>					
	Tullokyne							<del>26</del>	<del>9</del>	<del>10</del>					
							14	7	10						
							77	4	7						
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbogh												55	16	
	Spiddal							57							
								174							
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killanin												1	12	11
	Selerna							15	7						
													15	7	-
								178	18	5			1188	15	5

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



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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 55 s. 10 d. 9

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 62: 7. 1  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,  
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ 2. 11  
 Average cost in Infirmary, £ 4. 7 1/2  
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, £ 5: 11. 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:

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
2800 lbs. White Bread,	16	15	5	lbs. Biscuit,			
300 lbs. Brown Bread,	1	14	5	28 lbs. Flour		2	6
127 lbs. Meat,	3	14	1	Tons Indian Meal,			
1726 Quarts Milk,	11	13	8	Tons Oatmeal,			
28 lbs. Cocoa,		4	10				
cwts. Salt,							
Chests Tea,							
90 lbs. Sugar,	1	2	6	Tons Coal,			
357 Eggs,	1	3	6	8 lbs. Candles,		3	8
10 lbs. Corn Flour,		4	2				
1/2 Barrels Porter,	1		10	67 lbs Soap,		16	9
36 Pints Port Wine,	1	16					
6 Bottles Brandy,		15	6				
Gallons Whiskey,							
7 lbs. Butter,		8	2				
lbs. Arrowroot,							
8 lbs. Lump Sugar,	2	8					
18 ozs. Tobacco,	3	9					

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 15 day of May 1875 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, -	3	17	0
In Kind, -		11	6
Total, -	3	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 £ 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.	Hymn	5. 0. 0	(44)		Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Carr. 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.

	£	s.	d.
Collection			
Establishment Account.			
50 M. Curran, Sunday Fees	5	10	

Master's Acct

51 J. J. Lynch, Master, to buy Potatoes	5		
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Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.



## Hospital Reports.—

Workhouse—Admitted during the week	6
Discharged ..	9
Died ..	2
Remaining ..	78

Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week	—
Discharged ..	—
Died ..	6
Remaining ..	—

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

That the Milk supplied by the several Contractors during the week ~~by the several Contractors~~ yielded from 8 to 10 degrees of Cream.

That the case against Jeremiah Toomey was dismissed by the magistrates at Petty Sessions on Monday last on the ground that the evidence did not sustain the charge of wilful neglect to maintain his son; but that he promised to take him out of the Workhouse and provide for him —

Ordered —

4 lb Wax Candles, 2 lb Turnip Seed, 1000 Shoe nails,  
2 barrels Linen, 8 lb Tobacco.

The Stationer's report of clothing repaired during the week was read —

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

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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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):—

Circular Letter from Local Government Board, dated 13<sup>th</sup> May, 1862/75, requesting a list of the Burial grounds in the Union which have been vested in the Board of Guardians under the provisions of the Irish Church Act.

Received from Reheving Officer Fullman a notice of eviction served upon <sup>him</sup> at the suit of Walter R. Nolan, respecting the possession of land in the occupation of Michael Dwyer at Cloonkeenam in the Armaghdown R.D. -

Proposed by Mr. Geo. E. Burke, and seconded by Mr. L. L. Ferdinand  
That the order made on the 7<sup>th</sup> instant for 10<sup>s</sup> for the suit of John Amity, who was then an inmate of this house, be increased to £1:13:6 -

Amendment -  
Moved by Mr. P. J. Freely, seconded by Mr. John Pitt -  
That the Guardians who desire to defray this additional expenditure do personally subscribe the required sum -

The amendment was lost, - 4 having voted for it and 5 against - 1 Guardian did not vote -

The resolution was then put and declared carried - 6 voting for it - 4 Guardians did not vote -

When this matter came on for decision, Mr. Davis left the Chair, which was taken pro tem. by Mr. G. E. Burke -

The account of Lawrence Dwyer for £1:13:6, value of clothing supplied to John Amity was produced, - A cheque for the amount was signed by Mr. G. E. Burke and Mr. Ferdinand - A third Guardian could not be had to sign it -

John Amity was discharged from the Workhouse <sup>on the 7<sup>th</sup> inst</sup> and has not since been heard of -

Ordered - That D. Colahan be requested to explain under what circumstances a boy named John Kearns has been kept in the Fever Hospital from 31<sup>st</sup> January last to this date.

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 - 6

Ditto disallowed - - - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 10

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - 4

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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## PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 &amp; 15 Vic., cap. 68.

*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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187\_\_\_\_, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 187\_\_\_\_

_____ 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 Local Government Board for Ireland, 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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The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland 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, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over six months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY.  
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:—

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Moylebeg	D. Conolly	Removal of dungheaps from dwelling houses, and filling up of holes for collection of manure	

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book. —

Sub-Sanitary Officer to serve notices of abatement as recommended by Sanitary Officer.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Letter from Local Government Board, dated 14<sup>th</sup> May, 1875, requesting to be furnished with a statement of the actual Sanitary Work performed during a period of one month ending on the day of meeting of the Board of Guardians next before the receipt of this Circular.



The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz:—

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon as follows]:—

*Henry Jones,  
Auditor  
Miss G. Realy*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* the

*29<sup>th</sup>* day of *May* 187*5*

(Signed) *Thomas Stack*  
Clerk of the Union

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[Special.]

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STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 21 day of May 1875

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Admitted during the Week,			4	1	7	3	1	1				17	In Fever Hospital } 4	In Wards with other inmates, } 3		
TOTAL			20	63	65	121	25	17	38	23	36	408	Total, } 84	Total, } 10		
Discharged during the Week,			3	3	2	4	1			1	2	16				
Died,						2						2				
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	3	2	6	1			1	2	18	No. Relieved during week } 3			3
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			17	60	63	115	24	17	38	22	34	390	No. in Work-house at date }			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 21 day of May 1875, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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No. III.	6	7			6	7	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.	1	1			1	1	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	13	27			13	27	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
<del>Cent. forward</del>	32	60			32	60	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 28th day of May 1875

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Pierce Lopez Esq.

Other Guardians:

D. Kelly, M. Sullivan, J. Hill, Jas. Davis, M. Leahy, L. J. Ferdinand, J. E. Burke, P. Morris, B. O'Flaherty, E. D. Burke

Dr. Brodie, L. J. Inspector, attended

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 17333 to No. 17348, 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 Seraghty lodged this day with the Treasurer £30:9:5, leaving still due in his District a balance of £24:12:1; and that he has not furnished a list of the persons in arrear as required by the orders made on the 7<sup>th</sup> and 21<sup>st</sup> instant. It was agreed to allow Mr. Seraghty one week more to close his collection - )

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, - - - £112:16:2

Paid during the week, - - - - - £15:0:0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £902:3:11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward	29	18	6				199	9	10				
	" South "	17	2					87	14					
	" East "	46	19	7				193	4	8				
	" West "	2	1	3				215	19	9				
	Ballintemple	.	.	.				7	13	8				
	Barna	.	7	6				157	7	10				
	Carrowbrown	1	.	4				110	1	6				
							97	9	2			765	11	3
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown													
	Aughrim													
	Belleville													
	Carnmore													
	Claregalway													
	Deerpark									9				
	Lackaghbeg													
	Liscananaun													
	Lisheenavalla													
														9
WILLIAM YOUNG	Ballincourty													
	Clarenbridge													
	Oranmore													
	Stradbally													
<del>MARTIN</del> <sup>Barter</sup> HERNON	Inishmore							227	2	4				
JOHN <del>HILLANE</del> <sup>Wallace</sup>	Kilcummin	10	2	1				8	8	5				
								18	2	1				
														8
JOHN GERAGHTY	Moycullen							15	.	1				
	Shieveaneena							26	.	7				
	Tullokyne							14	.	10				
														55
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbogh									5	7			
	Spiddal							1	7	4				
														1
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killanin													
	Selerna	15	7	.										
								15	7	.				
								130	18	3				
														1057
														17
														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 £ 69 s. 11 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 61 s. 13 d.  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,  
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was " 3 s. 03  
 Average cost in Infirmary, " 4 s. 10<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>  
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, " 6 s. 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:

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
2800 lbs. White Bread,	16	15	5	10 lbs. Biscuit,		3	4
300 lbs. Brown Bread,	1	14	5	— lbs. Flour			
557 lbs. Meat,	16	1	5	— Tons Indian Meal,			
1804 Quarts Milk,	12	4	3	— Tons Oatmeal.			
20 lbs. Cocoa,		4	10				
— cwts. Salt,							
— Chests Tea,							
84 lbs. Sugar,	1	1					
392 Eggs,	1	5	10				
10 lbs. Corn Flour,	0	4	2				
1/2 Barrels Porter,	1		10				
43 Pints Port Wine,	2	3					
10 Bottles Brandy,	1	5	10				
— Gallons Whiskey,				— Tons Coal.			
11 lbs. Butter,		12	10	8 lbs. Candles,		3	8
— lbs. Arrowroot,							
8 lbs. Lump Sugar,		2	8	67 lbs. Soap,		16	9
18 ozs. Tobacco,		3	9				

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<sup>st</sup> day of May 1875 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	3	16	0
In Kind,		15	6
Total,	3	31	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.	M. Jony A. O. O.		(53)		Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

Electors' Fund, Account. £ s. d.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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## Hospital Reports.—

Workhouse—Admitted during the week	11
Discharged ..	10
Died ..	4
Remaining ..	75
Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week	1
Discharged ..	3
Died ..	—
Remaining ..	4

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 10 degrees of Cream.

That he purchased last Saturday 90 st. of Potatoes at 3<sup>d</sup>. per stone.

Required—

6 Bass Rooms, 6 Whitewash brushes, 1 doz pan tipes,  
4 boxes of pens — (Ordered)

The Matron's report of Clothing repaired during the week was read—

Ordered— 1 lb Cotton balls—

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 Local Government Board—

No. 10625/1875 } Forwarding the plans of the Sawney Workhouse  
24<sup>th</sup> May } Buildings; and requesting to have them preserved  
and returned when no longer required by the  
Board of Guardians—

No. 11065/75 } Forwarding the Returning Officers Account of  
26<sup>th</sup> May } Expenses attending the general Election of Guardians  
in March last, amounting to £5:7:9. for  
payment by the Board of Guardians—

No. 11101/1875 } Referring to Minutes of Guardians' proceedings, on  
27<sup>th</sup> May } the 21<sup>st</sup> instant regarding the proposed increase  
to the grant for the outfit of John Aunitz;  
and stating that it would appear to be clearly illegal  
to apply the rates of the Union by way of relief in  
this instance, the man having left the Union before  
the <sup>second</sup> application was made—

Letter from Manager of National Bank, dated 22<sup>nd</sup>  
May, acknowledging receipt of Clerk's bond—

Letter from Dr. N. N. Colahan, dated 20<sup>th</sup> May,  
explaining the circumstances under which a  
boy named John Kearns has continued to  
be retained as a patient in the Fever Hospital  
from January last to the present date—  
(Explanation considered satisfactory.)

Order—That 10/- be allowed for clothing for the  
daughter of Jane Kelly, and that the mother  
get clothing from the Old Clothes store, if  
any be available—

Chaplain's Book—Produced and entry read <sup>made</sup> by  
Rev. J. Carolan of his examination of the  
children in the Christian Doctrine—answering good.

Ordered that the Clerk summon the Visiting Committee to meet on Tuesday next, at one o'clock, to inquire into the hospital expenditure, especially as regards extra diets given to persons in hospital, with a view to a reduction of expenses -

After the transaction of the ordinary business, the Guardians visited the Workhouse with regard to the re-arrangement of accommodation for nurses and infirm Women, - and directed that the former ground floor infirm<sup>day</sup> ward, now used as a nursery, be appropriated again to its original use; that the Women and Children occupying this ward be sent to sleep in the present dormitory of the School girls; that the former lunatic ward be

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 . . . . . 7

Ditto disallowed . . . . . 1

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was . . . . . 9

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was . . . . . 4

Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians . . . . . 1

The number of other applicants in the Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was . . . . . 1

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).

used as a nursery day room; and that the School girls be sent to sleep in the attic dormitory -

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## PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 &amp; 15 Vic., cap. 68.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Arran 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 had from 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:

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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 \_\_\_\_\_ 1857, 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 \_\_\_\_\_ 1857

_____ 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 Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 Local Government Board for Ireland 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, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over six months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD OF GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY.  
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:—

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Letter from Mr. John S. Kern, dated 27<sup>th</sup> May, drawing the attention of the Board of Guardians to the necessity of enclosing the well at Brannmore to prevent the water from pollution of animals, &c., and to the large district surrounding dependent on this well for a supply of pure water—

Ordered—  
That Mr. Conry, Sub-Sanitary Officer, be allowed to carry out this work in conjunction with Mr. Kern—

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz.:-

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon as follows]:-

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*Wm. Joyce*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* the *11<sup>th</sup>* day of *June* 1875  
 (Signed) *Thomas Stack*  
 Clerk of the Union

[Special.]

GALWAY UNION.

421

Population in 1871— 44022

Present Net Annual Value, £ 66357

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 29 day of May 1875

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 8 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	387														
Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse	222	70														
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	44	4														
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>1142</b>	<b>461</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			17	60	63	115	24	17	38	22	34	390	In Work-house Hospital, } 77	In separate Wards } 7		
Admitted during the Week,				1	6	3	2	2	2	1	1	18	In Fever Hospital } 4	In Wards with other inmates } 4		
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>17</b>	<b>61</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>118</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>408</b>	<b>Total, 81</b>	<b>Total, 11</b>		
Discharged during the Week,					3	5	3				1	12				
Died,					2	2						4				
Total Discharged and Dead,					5	7	3				1	16				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			17	61	64	111	23	19	40	23	34	392				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 29 day of May 1875, 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.	7	27			7	27	Bt. forward.						
No. II.	4	5			4	5	No. X.						
No. III.	6	7			6	7	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.	1	1			1	1	No. XIII.						
No. VI.	13	27			13	27	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>67</b>			<b>31</b>	<b>67</b>	<b>TOTAL</b>						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 4<sup>th</sup> day of June 1875

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Peice Joyce Esq.

Other Guardians:

James Davis, Michael Leahy, Jas. S. Keirwan, B. O'Flaherty, Ed. Burke, J. Burke, L. J. Ferdinand -

D. Brodie, L. G. Inspector, attended -

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Warehouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 17349 to No. ~~17350~~ 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. ~~17350~~ to No. ~~17351~~ 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 Mr. John Francis by this day lodged with the Union Treasurer, £24:12:1 the whole amount of rate outstanding in his District.

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, £149:11:3

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £1036:17:5

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.		
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward	17	1					182	9	9					
	" South "	21	16	2				59	17	10					
	" East "	25	5	1				167	19	7					
	" West "	46	19	6				169		3					
	Ballintemple	3	4	1				4	9	7					
	Barna	1	3	5				56	4	5					
	Carrowbrowne	3	13	6				6	8						
							119	1	10			646	9	5	
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown														
	Aughrim														
	Belleville														
	Carnmore														
	Claregalway														
	Deerpark														
	Lackaghbeg														
	Liscananaun														
Lisheenavalla															
WILLIAM YOUNG	Ballinacourty														
	Clarenbridge														
	Oranmore														
	Stradbally														
<del>MURPHY</del> <sup>Bartley</sup> HERNON	Inishmore							227	2	4					
JOHN <del>DILLANE</del> <sup>Wallace</sup>	Kilcummin							8	8	5					
												8	8	5	
JOHN GERAGHTY	Moycullen	8	14					6	6	1					
	Slieveaneena	14	12	9				11	7	10					
	Tullokyne	7	2	8				6	18	2					
							30	9	5			24	12	1	
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbogh								5	7					
	Spiddal							1	7	4					
													1	12	11
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killanin														
	Selerna														
								149	11	3			908	5	11

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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.

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By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 47 s. 16 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account, The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 60 s. 8 d.

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account, And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ 2 s. 11 d.

Average cost in Infirmary, £ 4 s. 9 d.

Average cost in Fever Hospital, £ 5 s. 4 d.

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:

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
2600 lbs. White Bread,	15	11	6	lbs. Biscuit,			
500 lbs. Brown Bread,	2	17	4	lbs. Flour			
259 lbs. Meat,	7	11	1	1 Ton Indian Meal,	9	2	6
180 1/2 Quarts Milk,	12	4	6	Tons Oatmeal,			
28 lbs. Cocoa,		4	10				
1 cwt. Salt,		1	11				
— Chests Tea,							
72 lbs. Sugar,		18					
406 Eggs,	1	6	10				
10 lbs. Corn Flour,		4	2				
3 Barrels Porter,	1		10				
6 Pints Port Wine,		6					
11 Bottles Brandy,	1	8	5				
— Gallons Whiskey,				Tons Coal,			
8 1/2 lbs. Butter,		9	11	8 lbs. Candles,		3	8
— lbs. Arrowroot,							
10 lbs. Lump Sugar,		3	4	67 lbs. Soap,		16	9
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1. The several Clothing Accounts
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In Mooney, -				£	s.	d.	
In Bind. -				3	12	6	
Total, -				£	4	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.						Bt. forward					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.	M. Tomlin	2	0	0	(68)	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. £ s. d.

67. Stack, to pay small bills — £ 3 18 10

*[Handwritten signature]*

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.
54	M. Heber	W Bread	to 29 May	67	1 8
55	D <sup>o</sup>	B. Bread	"	6	6
56	Jas. O'Brien	Meat	"	54	9 8
57	J. Colteran	Milk	"	7	11 8
58	J. Hughes	D <sup>o</sup>	"	15	12 9
59	M. Cottingham	D <sup>o</sup>	"	8	8 2
60	Jas. Morris	D <sup>o</sup>	"	16	1 1
61	W. Costello	groceries	"	12	6 7
62	J. Lemiham	D <sup>o</sup>	"	6	16 11
63	J. Laine	Butter	"	2	4 11
64	Jas. Morris	Egypt Tobacco	"	5	16 2

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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## Hospital Reports.—

Workhouse—Admitted during the week	8
Discharged ..	14
Died ..	2
Remaining ..	67

Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week	1
Discharged ..	2
Died ..	—
Remaining ..	3

Ordered that the School children be allowed to bathe as usual at this season. — That Dr. Cleland get a fortnight's leave of absence, Dr. J. Freely to discharge his duties <sup>ad interim</sup> —  
 The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon as follows. —

Ordered on Master's requisition —  
 50 slate nails, 1 padlock & key, 1 Butcher's steel,  
 2 barrels lime —

Ordered on Master's requisition —  
 200 yds shirting Calico —

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

Mill Report —  
 Showed that the milk supplied by the several Contractors during the week yielded from 8 to 10 degrees of cream —

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 Local Govt Board—

No 90- M/75 } Enclosing form of Return of Expenses  
31st May } chargeable on the part for Medical  
and Educational purposes for the half year  
ended 25th March last.  
(The Return was submitted and signed by the Chairman.)

No 11372/75 } Stating that directions have been given for  
30th June } the issue of an order under Seal appointing  
the Revd. John Lawlor to the office of  
Roman Catholic Chaplain of the Workhouse.

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

Ordered— That Relieving Officer Flynn be allowed leave absence for one day.— 6th instant

Ordered Master to be allowed to absent himself from duty on Wednesday, 9th inst.

Ordered— That the charges against  
Thomas McKey,  
Pzfr. Maguire, &  
Pat. Conboy  
for repayment of cost of relief be remitted.

Ordered— That Catherine Duggan get the clothing which belonged to her husband, Michael Duggan, a deceased inmate of 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	-	-	6
Ditto disallowed -	-	-	"
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	7

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	5
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
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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).

PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.

*Disinfectant*  
An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the *Luraghmore* 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:

*Ordered*

- 1 cwt. Chloralumn.
- 1 cwt. Chloride of Lime.
- 1 gal. Coy's Fluid.
- 1 gal. Carbolic Acid
- 1 lb. Permanganate of Potash

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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):

(b5) *Spiddal* Dispensary District,  
 Account of *Mr. Dew* for *accommodation* for Amount £ 11: 5: 0

(b6) *Arran Dispen.*  
*Pat<sup>r</sup> Keenan, Rent, Attendance,*  
*Spnd. to 25 May — £ 7: 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 187, 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 187

_____ 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 Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 Local Government Board for Ireland 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, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over six months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY.

37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Letter from Local Government Board, dated 20<sup>th</sup> May, 1875, stating that as it appears no sanitary work has been done during the past month in five districts, and in one of them none since the passing of the Public Health Act, that it would be well to call upon the Sanitary Officers and Sanitary Sub Officers for an explanation—

Resolved— The Sanitary and sub-officers of the several districts created themselves during the winter and early spring months to cause the abatement of nuisances in their respective districts and had for the past month little to do but use vigilance to prevent a recurrence— The Guardians have reason to believe that sanitary measures have received due attention in these islands; the Sanitary and Sanitary sub-officer are however required to send in an explanation of their neglect to report—

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz. :-

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon as follows] :-

*Debit*

Letter from Mr James Clarke, Gray Street, dated 3 June, stating that a girl named Ellen Murphy has been suffering from small pox for the last 3 days, and that she has not been attended to by the relieving Officer or Doctor -  
Orders -

Relieving Officer to visit the girl and advise with the Doctor as to the necessary measures to be taken in the matter -

H. O. Kilpin reported that by direction received from the Medical Officer of the Moycullen District he summoned two persons for neglecting to comply with the provisions of the compulsory vaccination act; that a fine, ~~was imposed~~ <sup>of 10/- imposed in one case and 11/- in the other</sup> ~~was imposed~~ <sup>was imposed</sup> and ~~the costs of court recovered~~ <sup>the costs of court recovered</sup> -

*James Clarke*  
*James Clarke*  
Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 11 day of June 1875  
(Signed) *Thomas Stack*  
Clerk of the Union

[Special.]

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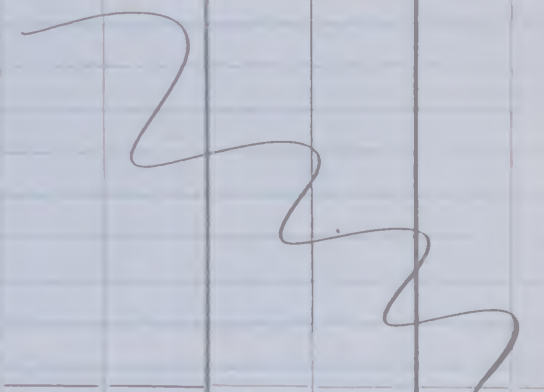
Population in 1871—44,022

Present Net Annual Value, £66,351

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 5<sup>th</sup> day of June 1875

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	216	357														
Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse	222	30														
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	44	0														
<b>TOTAL</b>		<b>1082</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			17	61	64	111	23	19	40	23	34	392	In Work-house Hospital, } 71	In separate Wards } 7		
Admitted during the Week,			1	2	2	1	1		1		2	10	In Fever Hospital } 3	In Wards with other inmates, } 7		
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>18</b>	<b>63</b>	<b>66</b>	<b>112</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>402</b>	<b>Total, 74</b>	<b>Total, 14</b>		
Discharged during the Week,			2	8	5	1	2		1	1	1	16	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.			
Died,					1							1	Men	Women	Children under 13	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	8	6	1	2		1	1	1	17	No. Relieved during week } 1			1
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			16	60	60	111	22	19	40	22	35	385	No. in Work-house at date }			

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 June 1875, 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.	7	27			7	27	By forward.						
No. II.	5	7			5	7							
No. III.	6	7			6	7		No. XI.					
No. IV.								No. XII.					
No. V.	1	1			1	1		No. XIII.					
No. VI.	13	27			13	27		No. XIV.					
No. VII.								No. XV.					
No. VIII.								No. XVI.					
No. IX.								No. XVII.					
<b>Over-forward</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>69</b>			<b>32</b>	<b>69</b>		<b>Total</b>					

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 11 day of June 1875.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Daniel Joyce Esq.*  
 Other Guardians: *J. Campbell, J. Gill, M. G. Kelly, D. Kelly, J. Davis, P. D. Dunne, J. J. Keenan, P. J. Keenan, M. O'Leary, L. L. Ferdinand, & Capt J. O'Hara*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 17165 to No. 17181, 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, - - - £160 : 19 : 5  
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £216 : 19 : 6  
 And that the Balance on the Account for the Guardians was £911 : 7 : 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 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.	
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward	24	9	9				15	8					
	" South "	4	17	6				55		4				
	" East "	20	1	3				147	18	4				
	" West "	54						115		3				
	Ballintemple							4	9	7				
	Barna	31	1	1				24	13	4				
	Carrowbrownie	1	4					5	7	8				
							135	9	11			510	9	6
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown													
	Augbrim													
	Belleville													
	Carnmore													
	Claregalway													
	Deerpark													
	Lackaghbeg									9				
	Liscananain													
	Lisheenavalla													
WILLIAM YOUNG	Ballinacourty													
	Clarenbridge													
	Oranmore													
	Stradbally													
MARTIN HERNON	Inishmore							227	24					
											227	24		
JOHN DILLANE	Kilcummin							8	8	5				
											8	8	5	
JOHN GERAGHTY	Moycullen	6	6	1										
	Slieveaneena	11	7	10										
	Tullokyne	6	18	2										
							24	12	1					
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbogh		5	7										
	Spiddal		11	10					1	5	6			
											17	5		
												1	5	6
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killanin													
	Selerna													
											160	19	5	
											747	6	6	

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 49 s. 11 d. 0

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Accounts, The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 57:4:1

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account, And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 2:10

Average cost in Infirmary, 4:5 1/4

Average cost in Fever Hospital, 5:9

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

Table listing items such as lbs. White Bread, lbs. Brown Bread, lbs. Meat, Quarts Milk, lbs. Cocoa, etc., with columns for quantity and cost in £ s. d.

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 June 1855 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

Summary table for Out-door Relief Expenditure: In Money (3:13:6), In Kind (1:0:6), Total (4:14:0)

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:

Table with columns for RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Cheque on Treasurer (£ s. d.), By Order on Contractors (Article and quantity, Value £ s. d.). Includes entries for Ilyn and Sullivan.

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. £ s. d.

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

£   s.   d.

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

£   s.   d.

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

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

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

## Hospital Reports.—

Workhouse—Admitted during the week	15
Discharged ..	9
Died ..	1
Remaining ..	72

Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week	1
Discharged ..	2
Died ..	"
Remaining ..	2

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

That the milk supplied during the week yielded from 8 to 10 degrees of cream—

That the contractor has sent in 200 yards of sheeting fabric which he wishes to have examined—

Ordered—On Masters requisition—

250 yards of sheeting fabric, 250 yds sheeting, 100 yds  
 linen, 1 box of put, 1 gallon calyx Oil, 4 boxes Flax,  
 1 reaping hook, clothes for the child of an  
 inmate named Hoop Henry—

The Matrons report of blotting repaired during  
 the week was read—

The Weekly Report of the Industrial Employment of  
 the male and female inmates of the Workhouse  
 was read—

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

Order, dated 8<sup>th</sup> June 1875, No 11272, appointing the Rev John Borahan to be a Chaplain of the Workhouse of the Galway Union and fixing the salary for the said Office at £85 per annum —

( See resolution page 10 )

The following Letters, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 Local Government Board —

No 11122/75 } Requesting, pursuant to an Order of the House of  
5<sup>th</sup> June } Commons, a return of monies borrowed by the  
Boards of Guardians on the security of the rates &c.

No 12094/75 } Transmitting a copy of an order of the House of  
9<sup>th</sup> June } Commons, dated 2<sup>nd</sup> inst, calling for a return from  
Parliamentary Boroughs in Ireland of certain specified  
particulars —

Report of Visiting Committee

1st June 1875

Present — G. L. Worsle, Chairman —

D. Kelly, and J. Gill —

The Committee inspected the Home generally and directed the Water to repair the pump shed and keep the pump in order, to be prepared for any accident to the present water supply — The roof of the shed in the main yard requires to be newly tarred —

The former ickat work now used as a store room for empty barrels might be made available for male patients and give accommodation for 4 beds —

The attendance this day being limited and Dr. Hildon being unavoidably absent, the Committee adjourned the consideration of the specific purpose of their meeting to Friday next at 2 o'clock —

(signed) G. L. Worsle, Denis Kelly, J. Gill —

Orders — Clerk to summon the Committee to meet again on Wednesday next at 12 o'clock —

Orders — That a sum of £1 be expended in the purchase of blotting for Pat Fealy to enable him to leave the Workhouse —

Orders — That it be the duty of the Matron and the Schoolmistress to see that the eggs ordered by the Medical Officer for children in the nurseries be applied to their use —

With reference to the salary of the Roman Catholic Chaplain it was

Proposed by Mr John Hill, seconded by Mr Michael Gredy and

Resolved - That we draw the attention of the Local Government Board to the fact that the salary of the late Roman Catholic Chaplain was £100 per annum and we believe from the correspondence regarding the appointment of his successor it was the plain intention of the Local Government Board to fix the salary of the Rev Mr Corahan at the same amount - We therefore beg to request that the Local Government Board will amend their order of the 8<sup>th</sup> instant accordingly -

Proposed by Mr James Davis, seconded by Mr Edward D. Burke and

Resolved - That we cannot separate without placing on record our sincere regret at the demise of Mr Thomas Agne J.P. who has so long acted as an elected and ex officio Guardian of the Union and who in other public capacities as well as an enterprising merchant has so long occupied a prominent position in our city -

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	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 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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## PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 &amp; 15 Vic., cap. 68.

*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 Gortoughmore & Gortan Dispensary District in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of 4<sup>th</sup> inst, & 28<sup>th</sup> ult 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):

*Galway Dispensary District,*

Account of *W.D. Clayton* for Vaccination fees. Amount £ 40 : 11 : 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 187, 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 187

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 Late-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 2, of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees, namely:—

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

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland 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, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 from Dr F. Grealy a Vaccination report Form H, certifying that between 17<sup>th</sup> Novr 1874 and 10<sup>th</sup> June 1875 he had successfully vaccinated 654 persons resident in the Galway No 2 Dispensary District — The report was submitted to the Dispensary Committee and adopted —

[These Reports are to be made up and forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Board of Guardians half-yearly, viz., on the 30th June and 31st December.]

Reports (Form P containing the names of Children born in the District who are over six months of age and have not been vaccinated) from the Medical Officers of the following Dispensary Districts, viz.:—

were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS as the SANITARY AUTHORITY.  
37 and 38 Vic., c. 93.

Reports from the Sanitary Officers of the following Districts, viz.:—

District	Name of Officer	General Subject	Particulars
Moycullen	Dr Bourly	Business	Dungheaps, cesspools
Loughmoe	Dr Duggan	do	Howe pits &c

were read, and directions given thereon as recorded in Executive Sanitary Officer's Report Book.

Viz — In all cases notices of abatement as recommended by Sanitary Officer —

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland or others, relating to Sanitary Matters, were read, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Letter from Dr Duggan, dated 10<sup>th</sup> June, stating that on the 3<sup>rd</sup> instant, he attended a case of smallpox at Bally David in the Loughmoe Dispensary District, and as far as possible effected isolation from the other members of the family — that the case is progressing favourably, and that no other has since occurred —

S. H. O. Griffin, Moycullen, reports that 4 persons in his District have neglected to abate nuisance on their premises Order — Prosecute the person alluded to —

The following Accounts of Expenses incurred under the Sanitary Acts were laid before the Board, viz:—

District	Nature of Expenditure	Amount		

and Cheques were ordered to be drawn for the respective amounts [or directions were given thereon as follows]:—

*And also  
 Edm. Keenan  
 Secy. 1 July*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* the  
*10<sup>th</sup>* day of *June* 1875  
 (Signed) *Thomas Stack*  
 Clerk of the Union

[Special.]

GALWAY UNION.

Population in 1871— 44022

Present Net Annual Value, £ 66357

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17 day of June 1875

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						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	363														
Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse	222	30														
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	44	2														
TOTAL,	1082	396														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			16	60	60	111	22	19	40	22	35	385	In Work-house Hospital, } 74	In separate Wards } 6		
Admitted during the Week,			4	3	5	5		2	3		1	23	In Fever Hospital } 7	In Wards with other inmates, } 5		
TOTAL,			20	63	65	116	22	21	43	22	36	408	Total, } 77	Total, } 13		
Discharged during the Week,			4	2	2				1		2	11	NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.			
Died,					1							1	Men	Women	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	3	2				1		2	12	No. Relieved during week			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			20	59	62	114	22	21	42	22	34	396	No. in Work-house at date			
													No. at corresponding period last year			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17 day of June 1875, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	9	32	1	1	10	33	Bt. forward.						
No. II.	4	5			4	5	No. X.						
No. III.	8	9			8	9	No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.	13	27			13	27	No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Grand total	34	73	1	1	35	74	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 18<sup>th</sup> day of June 1875

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Wm Gill Esq

Other Guardians:

Dennis Kelly, Edw. D. Burke, Michl. Fealy,  
J. J. Kiwan, B. O'Hara, J. E. Burke,  
Dr. Burke, S. J. Inspector, attended -

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 17382 to No. 17398 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, - - - £ 01 : 3 : 7

Baid during the week, - - - - - £ 61 : 16 : "

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 990 : 14 : 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
WILLIAM KELLY	Galway, North Ward	6	17	5				157	2	4					
	" South "	11	8	9				43	11	7					
	" East "	24	6	-				123	12	4					
	" West "	9	14	3				105	6	-					
	Ballintemple	2	14	5				1	15	2					
	Barna	4	9	0				20	7	4					
	Carrowbrowne	1	13	9				3	13	11					
							61	37				449	571		
NICHOLAS KYNE	Annaghdown														
	Aughrim														
	Belleville														
	Carnmore														
	Claregalway														
	Deerpark														
	Lackaghbeg														
	Liscananaun														
	Lisheenavalla														
WILLIAM YOUNG	Ballinacourty														
	Clarenbridge														
	Oranmore														
	Stradbally														
<del>Martin</del> HERNON	Inishmore							227	2	4			227	2	4
JOHN <del>Wallace</del> Wallace	Kilcummin							8	0	5			8	0	5
JOHN GERAGHTY	Moycullen														
	Slieveaneena														
	Tullokyne														
PATRICK CONCANNON	Furbogh														
	Spiddal							1	5	6			1	5	6
NICHOLAS CURRAN	Killanin														
	Selerna														
								61	37			606	2	11	

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 56 s. 0 d. 4

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 57 : 6 : 11  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,  
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 2 : 9 3/4  
 Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 4 5/3  
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 5 10/2

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:

	£	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
28 1/2	16	15	5	lbs. White Bread,			
5 0/0	2	17	4	lbs. Brown Bread,	28		
30 3/2	8	17	2	lbs. Meat,			
18 0/6	12	4	7	Quarts Milk,			
28		4	10	lbs. Cocoa,	2		
1		1	11	cwts. Salt,			
				Chests Tea,			
86	1	1	6	lbs. Sugar,			
32 2	1	1	4	Eggs,			
10		4	2	lbs. Corn Flour,			
1/2	1		10	Barrels Porter,			
18		18		Pints Port Wine,			
				Bottles Brandy,			
				Gallons Whiskey,			
9		10	6	lbs. Butter,	8		
				lbs. Arrowroot,			
12		4		lbs. Lump Sugar,	67		
18				ozs. Tobacco,			
				Tons Coal,			
				lbs. Candles,		0	8
				lbs. Soap,		16	9
				cwt. Rice,	1	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 Account.
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 day of June 1855 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, - - - - - £ 3 : 10 : 6  
 In Kind, - - - - - 2 : 6 : 10  
 Total, - - - - - £ 6 : 0 : 4

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Books.

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. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.	M. Connor	2. 0. 0		(73)	No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Carried forward					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:—

Collection - Clothing Account. £ s. d.

72. Mr. J. J. Grogan, Poundage Fees 8 15 5

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

2. Establishment Account. £ s. d.

74. Reps. Jas McSwiney, Leeches Fees 7 1 3

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



## Hospital Reports.—

Workhouse—Admitted during the week	10
Discharged „	16
Died „	—
Remaining „	66

Fever Hospital—Admitted during the week	2
Discharged „	2
Died „	—
Remaining „	2

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

That the Milk supplied by the several Contractors during the week yielded from 8 to 10 degrees of Cream.

That the disinfecting apparatus ordered from Edmondson & Co has been supplied.

Required—4lb Black lead, 4lb Brown paint, 1/2 gal prepared Oil, 1 Water bucket, 2 night buckets, 1 Chimney pot, 4 barrels Lime, 1lb Marsh, (Ordered)  
6 Bot Malaga Wine, 4lb Wax Candles.

The Matron's Report of Clothing repaired during the week 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 Local Government Board for Ireland were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:—

The following Letters, from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 Local Government Board, dated 17<sup>th</sup> June, No. 12647/1875, stating that the insertion of "£85" in the order appointing the Rev. M. Carolan Roman Catholic Chaplain of the Workhouse was an oversight, and that an amended Order, fixing the salary at £100 (the same as received by the late Chaplain), will be issued.

Resolved. The Local Government Board is requested to sanction payment of salary to the Rev. M. Carolan from 14<sup>th</sup> May last, the date of the resignation of his predecessor.

Letter from Mr. George Conyn, dated 17<sup>th</sup> June, with reference to a claim made upon him for Poor Rate by the Collector of the Spiddal Division - "Read".

Letter from Mr. Michael McManara, Solicitor, dated 10<sup>th</sup> June, requesting payment of £7:1:3 due to the Reps of the late D. McSwiney for Lesches &c. - (Payment Ordered)

Ordered. That Bridget Kennedy get a petticoat & shawl from the old clothes store.

The Chaplain's Book was produced and an entry read of the baptism of a legitimate child - also an entry by the Rev. L. Harolan of his examination of the children in the Christian Doctrine - "Answering fair."

Report of Visiting Committee - Visiting Committee of Guardians met at Workhouse

June 16<sup>th</sup> 1875

Present. George E. Burke, Michael Grealy, E. D. Burke, Denis Kelly, & J. O'Hara. Dr. Bowie, S. G. Inspector, also attended.

The Committee visited the wards and yards of the House and hospital; and are of opinion that the Hospital Building should be extended on the female side to the outer wall, the roof being raised to a uniform height with the rest of the building, - by which means two



two good additional wards will be made for the old and infirm female inmates - That the corresponding part of the Hospital for male inmates should not at present be extended or raised; but that the low part should be gutted of heavy superfluous masonry and useless partition walls, and accommodation thus made for infirm male inmates -

That the Guardians should make these infirm wards both male and female wards of the Hospital, and place them under the charge of the Sisters of Mercy, by whom ~~these~~ these poor old people (who the Committee fear under present arrangements are much neglected) will be attended to, and receive the consolations of their religion at the close of their lives -

That the Guardians should on the completion of these works set their face against the

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 . . . . . 6

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

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

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

issue of extras to any but hospital patients, which the infirm old people will then be considered, or to children requiring them -

[That the lower and upper infirm wards on the female side at present used as such will by the adoption of the Committee's recommendation be free for allocation as nurseries, and the dilapidated wooden shed in the yard can be dispensed with -]

The Committee suggest that the Treasurer should be requested to advance the money necessary for these works to be paid off by instalments. Should this report be adopted - they are of opinion that the saving in the extras that will be effected by this arrangement will counterbalance the outlay on this necessary extension of hospital accommodation -

The Committee visited the Somatic Ward built under Contract by Mr. Keogh and were pleased with the work which seemed well done -

J. O'Hara -

The Report was adopted with the exception of the paragraph marked in red ink -

Ordered - That the report of the Visiting Committee be submitted to Mr John S. Brady, Architect, to make out a plan and specification of the works named therein -

Ordered - That the Clerk Communicate to the Medical Officers of the Workhouse the strong objection the Guardians entertain to the practice of giving diet to persons not in hospital - Considering the quality and quantity of food allowed the several classes of inmates, the Guardians consider there should be no necessity for those extras, and that they have hitherto been given with unreasonable liberality -

That

That the Medical Officers be requested to dispense wholly with the extras, or at least reduce them to a minimum.

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## PROCEEDINGS UNDER THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 &amp; 15 Vic., cap. 68.

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 these 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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