

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ M 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 £ 61 1 s. 7 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	-	-	63. 8. 0
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	-	-	0. 1. 4 1/2
Average Cost in Infirmary.	-	-	0. 2. 0
Average Cost in Fever Hospital.	-	-	-

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

1000 lbs Bread	7 lbs Candles
1 Ton Barley Meal	112 " Soap
1/2 " Indian Meal	
1/2 " Oat Meal	
2136 Quarts Milk	
6 lbs Tea	
14 " Soft Sugar	
169 1/2 " Meat	
2 Bottles Port Wine	
1 " Sherry Wine	
14 lbs Green Pot	
156 " Boxes Tinf	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 2 day of April; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. 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. frwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account				
Clerk of Union	Tradehouse Bills for	25	18	"
Months		30	"	"
Clerk Union	Salary	20	"	"
E. Shaughnessy	Master "	2	10	"
Anne Hanly	M. S. Mistress	5	"	"
Pat Morris	R. Officer	5	"	"
Pat H. Cullen	R. Officer	5	"	"
Pat Green	Tin Work	2	10	"
Mich Ready	Rent	4	5	"
Dennis	Print type Rent			

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Martin Kelly Milk
 unpaid Bill etc
 Martin O'Malley Tin
 Thomas Lane Straw

	£	s.	d.
Martin Kelly Milk	41	15	10
Martin O'Malley Tin	30		
Thomas Lane Straw	5		

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Bornal Cafe
 William Burke Coffins

	£	s.	d.
Bornal Cafe	2	1	8

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 Workhouse is in good order,
 The Committee recommended the continuance of the
 Chadesman until the materials on hand are
 worked up. They recommended the disposal of
 24 old Cows, 6 old Hecks and 5 Old Tables which
 are much worn to Rev^d M^r Collins for a
 Sum of Four Pounds.

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

No Officers Reports.

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

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

Poor Law Commissioners Letter 2 June 1855, No 15817
Acknowledging the receipt of the Clerks Letter of the 29 Ultimo, relating to the Claim made by the Relieving Officer for the Town of Galway for the Cost of the repairs of Windows broken in his House by boys who conceived that he was the cause of their being refused admission to the Workhouse. The Commissioners stated that they were unable to express any other opinions on the subject than that contained in their letter of the 6 April 1854.

The consideration of this letter was deferred till Sunday next.

Poor Law Commissioners Letter 5 June 1855, No 16177.
Referring to a minute which they received from the Ballinasloe Board of Guardians relative to a poor woman named Catherine Lally and Child who applied for admission and stated she resided for the last nine months in Galway where she had been at service, and became destitute through sickness. That she made

application for admission to the Galway Board but was refused with directions to proceed to Ballinasloe from where she came. She stated the Galway Board gave as their grounds for not admitting her that it was the custom of the Ballinasloe Board in cases of application for admission being made by Galway paupers that they were invariably refused and sent to pick Tompots and feed on Grass.

The Commissioners are informed, that the woman referred to applied for and obtained admission to the Galway Workhouse on the 12 April last in a sickly state, that she left the Workhouse on the 7 May to go to service to a Mr Connor near Galway, that when she applied again for admission to the Galway Workhouse. The Board in refusing her admission were influenced both by the fact of her being able to get employment and her being able to proceed to Ballinasloe to which place she was chargeable and this Board entirely repudiate the assertion made by this woman that they stated when Galway paupers apply for admission to the Ballinasloe Workhouse they were invariably refused and sent to pick Tompots and feed on grass. This Board never made use of such an observation.

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 4 June 1855, No 230 Respecting the Rates made and any new rates agreed upon.

Read letter from Mr Blakery Solicitor stating that he had caused judgements to be entered on the Bonds of Collector Considine, Young, O'Flaherty, Kernis and Cormins and now awaits the instruction of the Board as to the proceedings to enforce payment of the

Spurs reported against them respectively on foot of their Bonds. He further stated that in his opinion that the appointing of a Receiver over the leasehold property of Mrs Townsend will be a proceeding from which no beneficial result can be expected. The net income of the Leasehold would pay little more for years to come than the cost of appointing a Receiver and passing the Receiver's accounts the Leasehold should be sold.

The Board deferred the consideration of this letter till Friday next.

Read letter from Sullivan Ho stating that in consequence of the increased duty on groceries they would require the Board to pay in addition to the Contract prices from the 20th April last on the following articles Viz - Tea 3^d B^d, Sugar 3^d Per Cwt, and Whiskey 2/6 Per Gallon,

The consideration of this letter was deferred to Friday next.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Ordered, that Julia Parker be provided with clothes the expense not to exceed 7/6 she being for years in the Workhouse and her own clothes not for the wearing.

Ordered, that John Palmer be provided with clothes the expense not to exceed 5/7

Next meeting of the Board to be held on Friday the 15th June 1855.

J. Redington Chairman
 James Davis }
 William Kelly } Guardians

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Galway County Council Archives

Galway County Council Archives

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Spaheny
UNION, on Friday, the 10th day of June 1855
—continued.

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

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

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

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

The following Accounts of expences (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 £

Clerk of Union Sanatory Expences £20.0.0

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

An Account of the Expences incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expences of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expences incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____

_____	District,	£
_____	District,	£

Galway County Council Archive

[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 Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

The Report of the Sanatory Committee, was read and adopted.

Read Letter from the Sanatory Officer stating that there are 5 heaps of Manure, for sale at the Manure yard at Suckeen, and that he posted notices announcing the sale of same on Saturday at 2 o'clock.

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Galway County Council Archives

Galway County Council Archives

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

9 day of June

1855.

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,	1100	872														
Temporary Buildings,	560															
Additional Workhouse,	"															
Permanent Fever Hospital	140	7														
Fever Sheds,	"															
TOTAL,	2100	879														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			98	253	18	53	149	150	76	48	24	869	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital, } 131	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, } 5		
Admitted during the Week,			6	12	3	5	7	2	2	2	2	41	Total, 138	Total, 6		
TOTAL,			104	265	21	58	156	152	78	50	26	910				
Discharged during the Week,			7	7	1	5	2	2	"	"	1	25				
Died,			"	2	1	"	1	1	"	"	"	6				
Total Discharged and Dead,			7	9	2	5	3	3	1	"	1	31				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			97	256	19	53	153	149	77	50	25	874				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9 day of June authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.							Bt. 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							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Sunday the 15 day of June 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Redington Esq. V.C.
 Other Guardians James Davis, Moses Ward, John Gunning, William Kelly, William Kavanagh, Edw. D. Burke, Joseph Greal, James C. Shinglessy, Thomas Redington.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Galway County

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 26571 to No. 26531, 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. 863 to No. 863, 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 he carried out all the orders of the last Board

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, - - - - - £ 140. 18. 0

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 209. 15. 6

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 101. 6. 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

1st. Lodgments of Rates made before alteration of Union.				2nd. Lodgments of Rates made after alteration of Union.							
Name of each Collector	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged		Remaining		Name of each Collector	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged		Remaining	
		£	s. d.	£	s. d.			£	s. d.	£	s. d.
J. Goring	Galway	948	5 11			J. Goring	Galway	12	11	316	5 2
M. Henson	Barr	19	9				Barr	4	4	57	17 2
O. Considine	Galway	953	8 9					17		377	0 5
J. J. Haherty	Moycultra	229	15 7			O. Considine	Galway	15	15	118	2 5
J. Gull	Killam	7	13 1 2				Canulla			14	15 2 4
	Oughteron	358	4 4 2				B Temple			5	31 4
	Clonchadun	139	6 9 2					15	15	28	4 0 2
M. Connors	Annadara	126	12 4			M. Connors	Annadara			15	1 1 2
		104	1 11 2				Liscannore			2	12 6 2
M. Creaven	Sackagh	115	7				Arglona			13	7 4
	Athelney	138	17 0 2				Billenilly			3	14
		253	17 7 2				Deerpark			16	3 7 2
J. Croft	Oranmore	332	19 10			P. Nypre	Oranmore			1	9 9 2
	Blounty	354	12 7				Blone Galway			2	16 5 2
	St Bally	38	7 3				Lisheenavalla				1 9
		675	19 8								11 8 2
						M. Kerrins	Oranmore	1	1	50	16 11 2
							Ballinacorney			2	18 0 2
							Stradbally	5	19	17	2 2
							Colonsbridge			7	18 9 2
								12		12	5 1 2
						J. Pierce	Arglona	9	0	24	5 10 2
						John Hillane	Kilconnis			1	2 2
						John O'Haherty	Moycultra			57	10 1 2
							Shrewsbury			27	5
							Tullohy			50	2 4
										134	12 0 2
						J. Curran	Turbo			2	3 10
							Spiddle			6	17 2 2
										9	10 2
						J. John	Killam			25	4 7 2
							Liscannore			3	16 4
										29	11 2
Total,				1197		Total,		140		1338 8 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 £ 110 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. 9 s. 9 1/2.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 64. 19. 11

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 0. 1. 4 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary. - - - - - 0. 2. 0

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -

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

800 lbs Bread
2 Tons Barley Meal
2 Tons Indian Meal
2240 Quarts Milk
5 lbs Tea
112 " Sugar
14 " L. Sugar
10 " Pepper
10 " Allspice
177 " Meat
12 Bottles Port Wine
1 " Sherry Wine

14 lbs A. Root
102 Boxes Soap
7 lbs Jam
56 " Soap

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account

W. G. M. Salary	7	10	0
H. M. Mason's Wages	6	-	-
W. Lambert Salary	7	10	0
J. Puffin	5	-	-

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
Menamara Great	29	9	6

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 Committee reported that the Workhouse is in good order.

The Committee recommended that a part of the back shed in the School boys yard be converted into a wash house

and that roughs for that purpose be fitted up in the shed. that one of a similar description be purpaid in the girls yard both to be provided with rollers and towels. —

That a quantity of timber consisting of old tables and forms be superd of the auction, and that the small room adjoining the female prison be used as a nursery, be used in future as a nursery with the school, for the younger female children and that a door be opened for the present school room. —
apud b. and the Visiting Committee to see to the arrangements: —

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

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



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

The Board made an order on the Poor Law Commissioners letter, of the 2^d. inst relating to the breaking of Mr. Fullers Windows by boys who conceived that he had been the cause of their being refused admision to the Workhouse: —

The consideration of Mr. Maleney's letter of last Friday relating to Mr. Johnson was postponed till Friday next:

With reference to the application of Kilsar & Co for increased prices for Sea. Sugar and Whiskey from & after the 20th inst last in consequence of the increased duty put on these articles the B^d. decided the Clerk to forward copies of Mr. Williams letter to the Commissioners and ask their opinion.

on the subject.

In the absence of Mr. Maleney, Mr. Davis moved upon the motion of motion and proposed the following Resolution which was seconded by Mr. Kavanagh and agreed to unanimously:

Resolved that the ten pounds lately taken off the Clerks salary be restored to him and that his salary be as it was before the late reduction and the Poor Law Commissioners are respectfully requested to sanction same: —

Mr. Kellys notice of motion having been considered,

The chargeability of Mary Griffin was changed from Barna and she requested her discharge and left the house to proceed to Dupteead.

Bright Walsh was changed from Barna to the Union at Lerye. —

Enayret Keonley, to be left as before, on Barna.

The Clerk reported that at the request of Mr. Maleney the B^d. ordered last adj. the meeting of the Rate Committee from Monday last to yesterday that only two persons attended that Mr. Maleney did not attend, and that it was very necessary that an immediate meeting sh^d. take place

The Board appointed Saturday 16 inst next

at 12.00 for the meeting of the Committee and the chairman and other members of the Committee agreed to attend:

The clerk to request the attendance of the Collector:

During the admission of pauper a Boy named Michael Casey upon being refused admission took a stone from inside his jacket and threw it at the chairman who had an arrow loafe of being hurt.

The Board directed Casey to be taken before the Magistrate =

The Board directed the Rate in future to be paid all male applicants upon being brought before the Board. -

The Clerk reported that he did not

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was
Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

examined from any of the Collectors the list of changes of occupancy to which the B^d directed the Clerk furnish on the 25th of May of last & that he has not in consequence been able to commence the preparation of the Rate Books.

Resolved that the Collector be informed that unless they furnish the list immediately the Board will have them summoned for disobedience of the order of the Board:

The Clerk laid the Estimate of the Rates agreed to meet the requirements of the Union to the 29th September 1856 before the Board together with a short statement respecting it

The Board directed 100 copies to be printed and a copy sent to each parochian with a request that he will attend on the 29th just as the Estimate will be taken into consideration on that day and the rate agreed upon:

At the suggestion of Mr. Thompson the Board directed the Clerk to call Mr. Griffiths attention to the fact of Electric Telegraph Companies being rated in England so that he may include them in his Valuation: -
~~the~~ ~~valuation~~ for the Company within the parishes Union: -

The

The Clerk reported that it would be
 necessary for him to attend the
 Quarter Sessions of Loughrea. Fort.
 Oughterd & Galway on the 11th
 Instance as a great number of Poor
 Rates;

~~Minutes of the Board to be held on~~
 The following orders of motion were handed in
 and copies were sent to each Guardian:

It is ordered that suit move on this day fortnight
 that John Sulley be discharged off Curran's E.D. &
 charged to whatever Division he may be found to be
 properly chargeable to

Myr. Ward

15 June 1853..

Guardian

It is ordered that suit move on this day
 fortnight that the chargeability of the following
 paupers be changed from Galway E.D. to
 whatever Division or Divisions they may be
 found to be properly chargeable to.

Pat Jordan, John Luce, Mrs. Connel, Kate
 Flaherty, Sally Parker, Mary Parker, Thomas
 Willis, William Webber and Mary Connor.

Signed

Joseph Grealy

Guardian

15 June 1853

Next meeting to be held on Friday the

22 June 1853

J. Redington Chairman

~~M. A. ...~~

Guardians

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the
 day of 185

(Signed) Wm. ...
 Clerk of the Union.

GOVERNMENT PRINTING OFFICE
 Council Archives

Galway County Council Archives

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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 _____ 185____, 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 _____

_____ District, £ _____
_____ District, £ _____

Galway County Council Archive

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject,)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

The Report of the Sanatory Com-
-ittee was read and adopted =

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Galway County Council Archives

Galway County Council Archives

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of June 1855.

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,	1000	861														
Temporary Buildings,	860	861														
Additional Workhouse,	2															
Permanent Fever Hospital	140	7														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	2000	868														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			97	256	19	53	150	149	77	50	25	879	In Work-house Hospital, 131	In separate Wards, 7		
Admitted during the Week,			3	6	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	16	In Hospital, 7	In Wards with other inmates, 6		
TOTAL,			100	262	20	56	151	149	78	50	26	895	Total, 138	Total, 6		
Discharged during the Week,			4	9	1	2	5	2			3	26				
Died,				1								1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	10	1	2	5	2			3	27				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			96	252	19	54	149	147	76	50	23	868				

RETURN OF DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 16 day of June authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.							Bt. 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							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 22 day of June 1855,

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Thos. Redington Esq. J.P.*
 Other Guardians: *Thomas Redington, Joseph Trealy Esq. J.P., George C. Bunke, Richard N. Townville, William Kelly, Nicholas Sullivan.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Galway County

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 61.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 26552 to No. 26567, 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. 863 to No. 863, 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 he carried out all the orders of the last Board.

Thomas Connell Proceed of Manure £15.14.0

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - £40.11.0

Paid during the week, - - - - £66.5.0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £75.11.3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

1st. Lodgments of Rates made before alteration of Union.				2nd. Lodgments of Rates made after alteration of Union.							
Name of each Collector	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged		Remaining		Name of each Collector	Name of Electoral Division	Collected and Lodged		Remaining	
		£	s. d.	£	s. d.			£	s. d.	£	s. d.
James Young Talway	Bonra	99	9 5	1	James Young Talway	Bonra	3	309	5	29	
M. Mearns Green	"	19	5	"	Edw Cousins Talway	"	17	57	"	29	
J. O'Hare	"	22	16	"	Edw Cousins Talway	"	"	618	2	83	
John Gill	"	7	13	1 2	Conabroon	"	"	14	18	29	
John Gill	"	3	5	4 4	Ballintemple	"	"	5	3	19	
John Gill	"	1	3	4 9	"	"	"	638	4	0	
John Gill	"	1	2	6 0	Mat Collins	"	"	15	1	6	
John Gill	"	1	1	1 1	Lucanagran	"	"	2	12	6	
John Gill	"	1	1	1 1	Augham	"	"	13	"	7	
John Gill	"	1	1	1 1	Ballinelly	"	"	8	"	1	
John Gill	"	1	1	1 1	Deerpark	"	"	7	6	7	
John Gill	"	1	1	1 1	La Mabez	"	"	3	3	7	
John Gill	"	1	1	1 1	"	"	"	8	17	"	
John Gill	"	1	1	1 1	Pat Nye	"	"	1	9	4	
John Gill	"	1	1	1 1	Clony Talway	"	"	2	16	8	
John Gill	"	1	1	1 1	Lisheenafulla	"	"	"	1	9	
John Gill	"	1	1	1 1	"	"	"	4	8	0	
John Gill	"	1	1	1 1	Matias Nye	"	"	5	16	10	
John Gill	"	1	1	1 1	Ballinacree	"	"	2	13	0	
John Gill	"	1	1	1 1	Stradbally	"	"	"	17	2	
John Gill	"	1	1	1 1	Blarneybridge	"	"	7	15	9	
John Gill	"	1	1	1 1	"	"	"	62	5	1	
John Gill	"	1	1	1 1	James O'Connell	"	"	24	5	1	
John Gill	"	1	1	1 1	John O'Connell	"	"	1	2	2	
John Gill	"	1	1	1 1	John O'Connell	"	"	57	10	1	
John Gill	"	1	1	1 1	John O'Connell	"	"	27	"	5	
John Gill	"	1	1	1 1	John O'Connell	"	"	50	2	4	
John Gill	"	1	1	1 1	John O'Connell	"	"	134	12	10	
John Gill	"	1	1	1 1	John O'Connell	"	"	2	3	1	
John Gill	"	1	1	1 1	John O'Connell	"	"	6	17	2	
John Gill	"	1	1	1 1	John O'Connell	"	"	9	1	0	
John Gill	"	1	1	1 1	John O'Connell	"	"	25	4	7	
John Gill	"	1	1	1 1	John O'Connell	"	"	3	16	4	
John Gill	"	1	1	1 1	John O'Connell	"	"	"	"	"	
John Gill	"	1	1	1 1	John O'Connell	"	"	29	7	1	
Total		447	3	1/2	Total		24	17	1305	11	74

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 £ *AM* 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 £ 70 5 s. 10 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 63. 10. 4 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 0. 1. 4 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 0. 2. 0.

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -

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

- 1000 lbs Bread
- 2 Tons Barley Meal
- 1 " Indian Meal
- 2188 Quarts Milk
- 560 lbs Salt
- 7 " Tea
- 112 " Sugar
- 1764 " Meat
- 148 Boxes Soap
- 7 lbs Cayenne
- 112 " Soap
- 37 " W. Soda

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 16 day of June, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. 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. frwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account

W. Brown Salary 35 0 0

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Unpaid Bill of

R. N. Curville Balance of Receipts
of d. S. Maryan 1815

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

General Election Law & other Expenses

Attending Officer Election Expenses 19 3 2

Emigration Expenses
Clerk of Court for purchase &
outfit following cargo 2 11 6

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

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

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

No Report from the Visiting
Committee

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

The Clerk to write to the Contractor for
the cess proo requiring him to
complete same by Wednesday if
not done the Visiting Committee
to employ persons to complete and
charge the extra price (if any)
to the Contractor

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



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

From Secy Commrs letter 15 June 1855 No 17083 relating to the case of Catherine Lacey and her child and with reference to one of the grounds of her admission as stated in the Guardians minute "Her being able to proceed to Boleyn's which place she was chargeable" the Commr directed the Guardians attention to their Circular of the 3rd of February 1851 and of Decr 1847 especially from which it will be seen that previous residence in the Union is not by any Provision of the Act Poor Relief Act made a condition upon which Relief should be given, the condition being the sole ground of Relief —

From Secy Commrs Circular 21 June 1855 transmitting three copies of their Eight Annual Report

Circular Dated 20 June 1855 transmitting the Returning Officers account amount £19. 3. 2 for payment by the Board of Guardians

A cheque for the amt was issued to be filled: —

Read Letter from Mr Colleen R Officer stating that he had been secured with notice of the election of 34 persons from premises situate in Quay Lane the Property of Miss Rockford and Prop Lynch.

The application of James Peice for expenses attending the collection of the Rates in Irishmore was referred to the Finance Committee to report upon.

The Board deferred the further consideration of Mr Blakeley's letter regarding No Donners until Friday next.

The Secy produced the Return of Election in the Supplemental Election from which it appeared that Edward J. Burke and James Martin were elected for the South and North Ward respectively: —

Resolved that a sum of £1.10.0 be expended in assisting Murray (a grave to emigrate to America, she having sent £5.9.0 from her sister who emigrated from their Workhouse in August last.

That a sum of Seven pounds be expended

in assisting ~~Mr~~ Budget Murphy & Ben Motte and two children to emigrate to New Orleans in addition, a sum of £4.0.0 which the said Ben found in the plan and a sum of £4.19.9 which remains unexpended of the last Emigration money, and the Board Commissioners are requested to sanction same.

That John Ball be provided with clothes to the amt of 5/- his own not being forthcoming and his friends having sent for him to go to France to England.

Biddy Gibbons to be supplied with clothes to the amt of 5/- for a life purpose and Mary Flynn to be provided with clothes to the amt of 11/6 for a life purpose.

Mr.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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.)

Qualify notice of motion regarding the chargeability of some paupers to be adjourned to Friday the 6 July 1855.

Next meeting of the Board to be held on Friday 29 June 1855

J. M. M. M. M. Chairman

George Morris } Guardians
Patrick J. Conroy }

W. M. M. } Clerk
Patrick J. Conroy }

396

397

Galway County Council Archives

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Galway County Council Archives

400

401

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE Galway
UNION, on Friday day, the 22 day of June 1855
—continued.

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

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the 4
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 4
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of 4
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 4
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites
were ordered to be supplied:

Galway 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 1855, 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 _____

District, £ _____
District, £ _____

Galway County Council

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

The Report of the Sanatory
officer was read and
adopted

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Galway County Council Archives

Galway County Council Archives

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of June 1851.

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,	1000															
Temporary Buildings,	860															
Additional Workhouse,	"															
Permanent Fever Hospital	"															
Fever Sheds,	140															
TOTAL,	2000															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			96	252	19	54	14	14	78	50	23	868	In Work-house, Hospital, In Fever Hospital, Total,	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, Total,		
Admitted during the Week,			4	4	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	13				
TOTAL,			100	256	20	56	14	14	78	51	23	881				
Discharged during the Week,			2	5	1	1	1	1	1	1	1	11				
Died,			"	2	"	2	1	1	1	"	"	7				
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	7	1	3	1	2	1	"	1	18				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			98	249	19	53	14	14	77	50	22	863				

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.							Bt. 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							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 29th day of June 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Harrison Esq.

Other Guardians: Nicholas Sullivan, James Montym, J. Gualy, William Kelly, Timothy Byrne, George Morris, Myles Ward, John Redington, Bernard O'Flaherty, Pat. J. Concurrion, R. N. Somerville, Nicholas Lynch, William Lambert, Edward D. Burke.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Galway County

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 67. 3 s. 11 1/4d. 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. 3 s. 11 1/4d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	65.	1.	3 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0.	1.	5
Average Cost in Infirmary.	0.	1.	11 1/4
Average Cost in Fever Hospital,			

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

850 lbs Bread
 1/2 Cms Branley Meal
 1/2 Ton Indian Meal
 1/2 Ton Oat Meal
 2126 Quarts Milk
 6 lbs Tea
 174 " Meat
 76 " Boxed Lard
 7 lbs Candles
 112 " Soap
 112 " W. Soda

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 29th day of April; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. 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. frwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Emigration of
Clerk of Union for assisting John
Murphy, to Emigrate

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 Workhouse is in good order,

That the paid tradesmen should be required,
to commence work at 6 O'Clock, in the morning during
the Summer.

Agreed to and the Tradesmen to be noticed
accordingly.

That the school girls and school
girls boys be taken to the Saltwater
for Bathing each alternate day.

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

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

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

Poor Law Commissioners Letter to the Presiding Chairman dated 27 June 1855, N^o 1,940 relating to the Guardians Resolution of the 15th Ultimo respecting the Salary of the Clerk to its original amount and stating that the subject will receive their consideration. The Commissioners stated at the same time that frequent changes of the Salaries of Union Officers are undesirable.

Poor Law Commissioners Circular dated 27 June 1855 N^o 18551 enclosing a form to be filled up regarding the persons whom it is proposed to assist to emigrate to America.

A Complaint was read from Mr John Fitzmaurice of Crommore against Mr Higgins the Poor Rate Collector regarding a distress made by him for Poor Rate.

The Board directed that the Collector should be furnished with a copy of the Letter and his explanation requested.

The Board directed next considered the Estimate of the Rates required as prepared by the Clerk and after some discussion the following Resolution was proposed by Mr Morris and seconded by Mr Somerville and agreed to.

Resolved That the consideration of the present Estimate be postponed to the 20 July and that the Clerk be directed to give public notice to each Guardian that the Rate for the Year ending Sept 1856 will be finally settled on that day.

Mr Ward's notice of Motion was considered and the chargeability of John Tully was changed from Crommore to the Union at Large.

Next meeting of the Board to be held on Friday the 6th July 1855: —

Jno Redington Chairman

Richard Williams } Guardians

J. W. [unclear] } Clerk of Union
Wm [unclear]

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - -

Ditto, disallowed - - -

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

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

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

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

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

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.)

Galmoy Council Archives

Galway County Council Archives

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Galway County Council Archives

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the
UNION, on Friday, the 20 day of June 1855
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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 1855, 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 _____

✓ District, £
✓ District, £

Galway County Council Archiving

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

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

✓ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Galway County Council Archives

Galway County Council Archives

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30 day of June 1855.

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, . . .	1000	852														
Temporary Buildings, . . .	800															
Additional Workhouse, . . .	"															
Permanent Fever Hospital		3														
Fever Sheds, . . .	140															
TOTAL, . . .	2000	855														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			98	24	19	53	14	8	14	6	77	57	22	863	In Work-house Hospital, 121 In Fever Hospital, 3	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, 6
Admitted during the Week,			8	6	2	"	"	1	2	"	"	"	"	19	Total, 124	Total, 6
TOTAL,			106	255	21	53	14	8	14	6	77	57	22	882		
Discharged during the Week,			10	6	2	1	2	1	"	"	1	2	2	25		
Died,			"	1	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	2		
Total Discharged and Dead,			10	7	2	2	2	1	"	"	1	2	2	27		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			96	248	19	57	14	6	14	6	79	50	20	855		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30 day of June authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.							Bt. 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							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 1 day of July 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

John Redington Esq. D.C., Nicholas Sullivan, Joseph Trealy, Edward D. Burke, William Kelly, Myles Ward.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Galway County

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ *Nil* 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 £ 63 . 6 . 0 4

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	-	-	63 . 6 . 0 4
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	-	-	5 . 1 . 1 1
Average Cost in Infirmary.	-	-	0 . 1 . 5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital,	-	-	

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

- 850 lbs Bread
- 2 Tons Barley Meal
- 1 " Indian Meal
- 2124 lbs Milk
- 7 lbs Tea
- 14 " Loaf Sugar
- 17 3/4 " Meat
- 1 Dozen Potatoes
- 140 Boxes Soap
- 7 lbs Candles
- 112 " Soap
- 112 " Washing Soda

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

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

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. 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. frwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account
Clerk of Union for Payment of Tradesmen's and Sundry Bills for one Month 23 5 2

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

John River Head

£	s.	d.
33	15	5

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Burial Account

William Burke Coffins

Immigration account

William assisting Wmmy (grave to Emigrate

£	s.	d.
3	18	7
1	10	0

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

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

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

That the Workhouse is in good order,
 That the following articles were examined by the Committee and cast as worn out clothing:

6	Womens Chemises	1	Sub Inside Pettycoat
6	" Pettycoats	1	Boys Jacket
3	Pair " Shoes	1	" Crosses
3	" " Stockings	4	Pair " Skirts
1	" " Sub Shoes	2	Pair " Shoes
1	" " Stockings	2	" " Socks

Approved

Approved off.

County Council Archives

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

To Report from the Master

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

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

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 2 July 1855.
No 215. Requesting to be furnished with a return regarding the Current Rates &c.

The following Letter was read from the National Board of Education,
Education Office
July 5 1855.

Sir
We forward for the information of the Board of Guardians the following extracts from the district inspectors report of the 19th ultimo upon the Galway Poor Law Union National School.
The Teachers are very well qualified and their method of conducting the business is very good. Since the former inspection the pupils have made fair general progress the female department is very carefully conducted.

We are Sir,
Yours obedient Servant
Maurice Croft
James Kelly
Secretaries

The following notice of motion was handed in by Mr. Treacy on the part of Mr. Lynch,
I give notice that in consequence of the number of Paupers in this house having for some time and being now reduced to under 1000 the number this House was originally intended and with the full knowledge of which all the Officers were appointed to the different situations and their different salaries but in consequence of the numbers in this House and its Auxiliaries having increased to 4 or 5000 instead of 1000 those salaries were generally increased to double or more and Assistants also appointed. I shall move on this day or tonight that the salaries of all the different Officers of this Establishment shall be taken into consideration and reduced to such sums as this Board shall deem adequate remuneration for their services and that each Guardian receive a copy of this notice with a request for his attendance on that day.

Signed
Nicholas Lynch
Guardian
6 July 1855.

Ordered that a copy be sent to each Guardian
The Clerk brought under the notice of the Board Mr. Blakeney's letter of the 7th June referred to our Minutes of the 9th June the consideration of which had been adjourned each Board day since and after some discussion the Board passed the following Resolutions.

That Mr. Blakeney be referred to the Letter of the Clerk of the Union transmitting to him the Board of the Collector in which the instructions of the Board regarding the recovery of the

The Sums due by the several Collectors, are fully and distinctly mentioned and that He be informed that this Board will expect His immediate compliance with said instructions and as regards the case of Mr Townsend the Board deferred taking any steps until Mr. Blakeney should be able to attend.

The Clerk laid before the Board the Return of Collection up to the 30 June and reported that no progress had been lately made by any of the Collectors and that none of the Collectors attended during the last fortnight. That the Rate Committee did not meet on the days appointed for the examination of the Lists of Old Rates.

Resolved, That Mr. Blakeney be written to by the Clerk to know the earliest day He could attend a meeting of the Rate Committee and that the Rate Clerk do summon a meeting of the Rate Committee for whatever day Mr. Blakeney may name that the Collectors of the Old Rates 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

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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.)

also required to attend on that day, and that both Collectors and Solicitors be informed that the Board cannot allow any cases to remain uncollected which are collectable. The Clerk to forward copies of these Resolutions to the Solicitor & Solicitors

Mr. Treahys notice of motion regarding the chargeability of certain Paupers having been considered the following changes in the chargeability took place,

- Pat Jordan from Galway to Oranmore
- John Joyce from " to Selma
- Thomas Connell from " to Ballintemple
- Kate Maher from " to Lull Rynie
- Sally Parker Child from " to Union at Large
- Thomas Welles " to " "
- William Webber " to " "
- Mary Connor " to " "

Next meeting of the Board to be held on Sunday the 13 July 1855.

William Charman
Pat Treahy } Guardians
William Kelly }

Clerk of Union

Galway County Council Archives

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Galway County Council Archives

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway
UNION, on Fri day, the 6 day of July 1855
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

of Dispensary District,

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £

clerk of Union for Sanatory Bills for month £20.0.0

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 1855, 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

of _____ District,	£
of _____ District,	£

Galway County Council

[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 Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

of Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from Doctor Davies dated 6 July stating that
Requiring Payment of His Salary as Medical Officer of the Dispensary of Galway.

That Dr Davies be informed that if the Board had funds they would pay him a quarter salary.

The Report of the Sanatory Committee was read and adopted it recommended the expen-
diture of £4 in abating the nuisance on Mr Gratton Property at the Claddagh and that
the be proceeded against for recovery
of same.

Read Letter from Mr Mullin, Sanatory
Officer stating that four heaps of manure
were ready for sale.

ordered that same be sold on Saturday
the 14 July.

William Chairman
Subj. }
William Kelly } Guardians

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Galway County Council Archives

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 6 day of July 1855.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Total	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	880	858													
Temporary Buildings,	860														
Additional Workhouse,	"														
Permanent Fever Hospital															
Fever Sheds,	140	3													
TOTAL,	2080	861													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			96	248	19	57	146	146	79	50	20	855	In Work-house Hospital, 2 In Fever Hospital, 3	In separate Wards, 2 In Wards with other inmates, 6	
Admitted during the Week,			9	9	3	"	2	3	6	4	2	38	Total, 124	Total, 6	
TOTAL,			105	257	22	57	148	149	85	54	22	893			
Discharged during the Week,			9	9	"	1	3	4	8	3	2	39			
Died,			"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	11			
Total Discharged and Dead,			9	9	"	2	3	4	8	3	2	40			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			96	248	22	49	145	145	77	57	20	853			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6 day of July 1855, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.							Bt. 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							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 13 day of July 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Nicholas William Coy.

Other Guardians:

Edward P. Burke, Joseph Trealy, Wm Kelly, John Tunning, James Davis.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Galway County

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

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

Our Law Commissioners Letter dated 7 July 1855.
N^o 16390 Relative to the Guardians Resolution of the 1st of June on the subject of the Salaries of the Chaplains of the Workhouse. The Commissioners stated that they will not object for the present to assent to what appears to be the desire of the Majority of the Boards of Guardians with respect to the Salaries of the Roman Catholic Chaplains of the Workhouse.

Read Letter from Miss Anne Stoney resigning her situation as Assistant Schoolmistress of the Workhouse she having been appointed Schoolmistress of the Ballinrobe Workhouse.

Resolved that same be accepted.

During the Admission of Pampus an orphan named John West who is quite disabled applied for admission. It appeared that he had for some time past been a resident in Sligo that a few days ago he applied for admission to the Workhouse there. That he was admitted for a few days and afterwards discharged and ordered to go to Galway and that the following

Officer of the Sligo district (a Mr Fynn) Paid his fair on the Coach from Sligo to Galway with direction that he should be sent to the Workhouse at Galway that he arrived at Galway on yesterday Evening and came on a lean to the Workhouse at 10 O'Clock last night.

The Driver of the Coach from Sligo to Galway corroborated West's statement regarding Fynn having paid his fair from Sligo to Galway.

Resolved that the provisional admission be confirmed and that the attention of the Poor Law Commissioners be directed to the case it being one of extreme hardships as the man does not belong to this Union and never resided here his native place being "Recep" in the Clifden Union and it being also contrary to the Poor Law to refuse him admission in Sligo where he applied for it or to transfer him to another Union and they trust the Commissioners will communicate with the Sligo Board on the subject.

Resolved that the subject of the continuance of the Showmaker be referred to the V. Committee to report upon by Friday next the Committee to be noticed to attend on Wednesday next.

Resolved that the Wife of Connor a deceased Pauper do get his old clothes.

That the Clerk do ascertain the price per yard and Candle of which Hamell and Fizzle is milled and finished for Private Individuals at the Suck's Mill at Galway.

Next meeting of the Board to be held

on Friday the 20 July 1855:

Mr Redington } Chairman
 Mr Millican } Guardians
 Presently
 Mr [unclear] Clerk of the Union

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - -

 Ditto, disallowed - - -

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

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

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

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

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

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.)

Galway County Council Archives

Galway County Council Archives

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

470

471

Galway County Council Archives

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

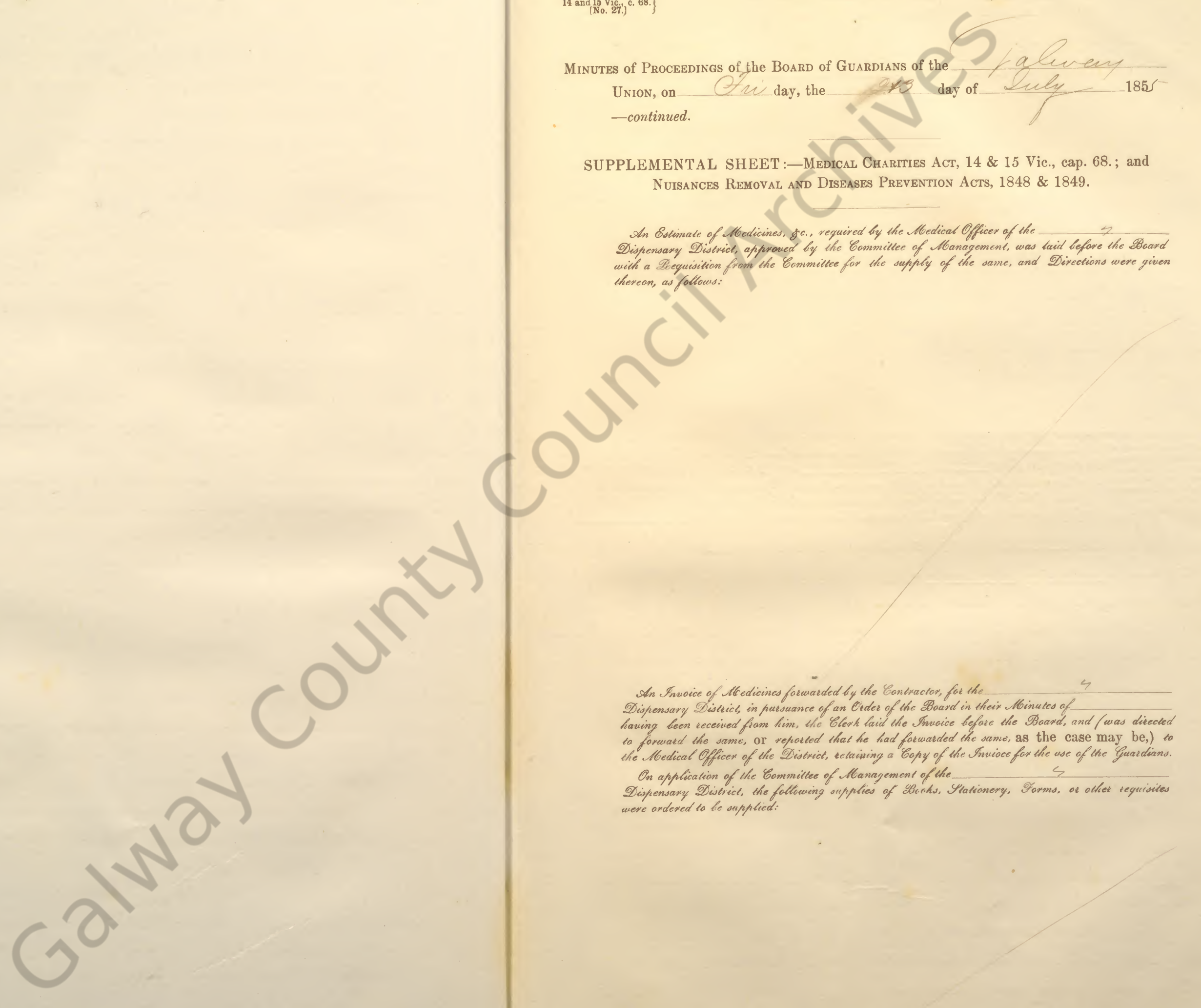
MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway
UNION, on Fri day, the 24th day of July 1855
—continued.

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

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

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the Galway
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of Galway
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, or other requisites
were ordered to be supplied:*



474

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 185, 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

Dispensary District, £
Dispensary District, £

Galway County Council Archival

475

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

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

Dispensary District, No. of

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

Order dated (state subject)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Galway County Council Archives

Galway County Council Archives

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

14 day of July

1855.

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,	1000	852														
Temporary Buildings,	860															
Additional Workhouse,	"															
Permanent Fever Hospital	"															
Fever Sheds,	140	2														
TOTAL,	2000	854														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			96	248	22	49	145	145	77	51	20	853	In Workhouse Hospital, 147	Inseparate Wards, In Fever Hospital, 2		
Admitted during the Week,			4	2	1	3		2	4	2	2	20				
TOTAL,			100	250	23	52	145	147	81	53	22	873	Total, 149	Total, 1		
Discharged during the Week,			5	6	2	3		1	1			18				
Died,							1					1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			5	6	2	3	1	1	1			19				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			95	244	21	49	144	146	80	53	22	854				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 14 day of July authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.							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							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Sunday the 29 day of July 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair, Henry Redington, Esq.

Other Guardians: James C. Shaughnessy, George Morris, Nicholas Millan, Joseph Trealy, Edward D. Snake, Michael Tynan, William Clanchey, Martin Cullinan, Thomas Cullinan, John M. Lona, Henry Griffin, John Hampson, Richard W. Somerville, Nicholas Lynch, Walter Lambert, Walter P. Lambert, John H. Blake, Andrew U. Blake, James Davis, Pat. E. FitzGerald, Francis Corry, Theobald Blake, William Kelly, Donald O'Flaherty, Pat. J. O'Connell, Mayles Wood, John Gunning, (28 Guardians)

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Galway County

Notices of Marriage between the parties herunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 24438 to No. 24457 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. 543, 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 he carried out all the orders of the last Board.

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, - - - - £ 28. 8. 0

Paid during the week, - - - - £ 0. 0. 0

And that the Balance on the Account Against the Guardians was - £ 14. 13. 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Table with columns: 1st. Lodgments of Rates made before alteration of Union, 2nd. Lodgments of Rates made after alteration of Union. Sub-headers include Name of each Collector, Name of Electoral Division, Collected and Lodged, Remaining. Includes handwritten entries for various collectors like James Conroy, Matthew Henry, etc., across various divisions like Galway, Barra, Conisodra, etc.

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 £ 1/10 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 £ 161 . 12s. 1/2d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 62 . 7 . 4 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 0 . 1 . 5 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 0 . 2 . 0 1/2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -

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

850 lbs Bread
 2 Tons Saylor Meal
 1/2 " Indian Meal
 2135 lb Milk
 5 lbs Tea
 16 3/4 " Meat
 1 Dozen Porter
 1 Quart Whiskey
 1 Bottle Cherry Wine
 150 Pover Soap
 7 lbs Candles
 112 " Soap

112 lbs Washing Soda

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 14 day of July; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.						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. frwd.						TOTAL,					

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

To Report from the Visiting Committee

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

To Report from the Master or other Officers that
a large quantity of Manure is collected on the
grounds the Master wishes the Board will
brut a disposal of it.

To the Master to get it sold by Auction

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

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

Poor Law Commissioners dated 19 July 1855 No 30336. Stating that they have had a report from Mr. O'Brien Poor Law Inspector, relative to the Financial state of the Union, from which it appeared that on the 30 ultimo the Estimated amount of Debts due by the Union was £3680. that there remained uncollected of current rate given of £1240. and that the Treasurers hands at that date amounted to £37.7.7. The Commissioners earnestly requested the Guardians to direct their attention to the Financial state of the Union, and they recommended to the Board of Guardians the immediate adoption of active measures to enforce an energetic collection of the arrears of Rates and the making of further and sufficient rates without delay.

Poor Law Commissioners letter 19 July 1855 relative to the case of John West an applicant for a dispensation to the Workhouse on the last Board day. The Commissioners stated that they are in communication with the Sligo Board of Guardians on the subject.

The following notices of motion were handed in.

I give notice that I will move on this day Fortnight that the Chargeability of Stephen Fehman be altered from Ballintemple to whatever Division to whatever Division he may be found properly chargeable to
(Signed)

Pat. J. Concomon
Guardian
20 July 55

I give notice that I will move on this day Fortnight that the chargeability of Mary Mealy and child be altered from Clare Galway to whatever Division she may be found to be properly chargeable to.

(Signed) Michael Burke
Guardian
20 July 1855.

The Board considered the Estimate of the new Rate as prepared by the Clerk and after a good deal of discussion the following Resolution was proposed by Mr. Clanchy, and seconded by Mr. Griffin that the Estimate be adopted subject to a reduction of three pence per head per week in the average cost of the Paupers viz from 1/6 to 1/3

Mr. Davis proposed an amendment that the Estimate be adopted subject to a reduction of 100 in the numbers Estimated and 3^d per head per week in the maintenance.

A poll having been taken Mr. Davis amendment was agreed to.

It was therefore resolved that the Estimate be adopted subject to the reductions mentioned.

in Mr. Davies Amendment.

The Clerk to deduct a seventh from the No. Estimated for each Division and the rate to be 1/3 per head per week.

The following rates were therefore agreed to.

Galway arate of 4.0, with L. Fradally arate of 1.4 with the	
Annadom " 1.4 1/2	Tullokyne " 1.6
Ballinacorney " 1.7 1/2	Belleville " 1.0
Ballynacorney " 1.1	Ruham " 0.11
Banna " 2.2	Deerpark " 1.10
Cammore " 1.6	Luchabeg " 0.2 1/2
Canabronne " 1.3 1/2	Lisheenabally " 0.5 1/2
Clare Galway " 1.2 1/2	Timbongh " 1.5
Clare Gudge " 1.6	Spiddal " 4.5 1/2
Inspmore " 0.4	Killarnin " 2.4
Kilcurrin " 4.4	Selema " 5.10
Liscannore " 1.5	
Moyculti " 3.4	
Ogmore " 1.10	
Seveena " 1.0	

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not covered

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

Resolved That as there has been no Valuator appointed since the striking of the last Rate that the Rate be struck on the same Valuation as was in the Rate Books of October 1854.

That the Rate Books be prepared with all possible dispatch

Mr Lynch in pursuance of his notice of motion proposed that the Salaries of all the Officers of the Workhouse and Relieving Officers be reduced one third in amount.

Mr Kilham seconded Mr. N. Lynch's motion proposed that the Salaries of all the Officers of the Workhouse and Relieving Officers be reduced one third

Mr Clancy proposed any amendment which was seconded by Mr. James Shaughnessy.

That the subject be postponed for six months.

A poll was about being taken but Mr Lynch at the request of the Board withdrew his motion.

That 5/- be expended in buying a suit of clothes for Michael Tresey his own not being forthcoming

The Clerk read circular from James Martin Esq stating that he would attend at the Workhouse on the 24 July and following days to audit the accounts of the last half year.

Next meeting of the Board to be held on Friday the 27 July 1855.

A. J. Flaherty } Chairman
J. J. Flaherty } Guardians
W. J. Flaherty }
C. M. Flaherty

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Galway County Council Archives

Galway County Council Archives

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway
UNION, on Friday, the 20 day of July 1855
—continued.

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

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

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

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

Galway County Council

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 185 , 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

4 District, £
5 District, £

Galway County Council Archive

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

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

7 Dispensary District, Mr. of 9

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

Order dated 27 (state subject,)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

The Report of the Sanatory Committee was read and adopted

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Galway County Council Archives

Galway County Council Archives

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of July 1855.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Total	Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date
Workhouse,	1000	795													
Temporary Buildings,	860														
Additional Workhouse,	"														
Permanent Fever Hospital	"														
Fever Sheds,	140	2													
TOTAL,	2000	797													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			91	235	19	45	143	146	80	52	22	833	In Work-house, Hospital, In Fever Hospital, } 121	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, } 6	
Admitted during the Week,			4	6			1	1	1			13	2		
TOTAL,			95	241	19	45	144	147	81	52	22	846	Total, 123	Total, 6	
Discharged during the Week,			9	15	1	1	3	3	6	1	4	44			
Died,			"	2	"	2	1	"	"	"	"	5			
Total Discharged and Dead,			9	18	1	3	4	3	6	1	4	49			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			86	223	18	42	140	144	75	51	18	797			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 28th day of July authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.							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							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 30th day of August 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair, A. Clapham Esq. W. J.

Other Guardians: Joseph Grealy, William Kelly,

Edward D. Burke, Michael Burke, Nyles Ward, Nicholas Sullivan,
 James Davis, Pat. J. Concanon, John Gurney,
 Henry Griffin, George E. Burke, Bernard Clapham,
 George Harris, John Blakney, Pat. O. Fitz Gerald,
 Thomas Redington.

Business to the minutes being confirmed the rate upon salway business was altered to 4/0 in the pound the Board agreeing that the 4th p^{er} dilapidated houses should not be taken in up.
 The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Galway County

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 10 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 £ 51, 5 s. 3 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	64	2	3 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	1	6
Average Cost in Infirmary,	0	2	1
Average Cost in Fever Hospital,			

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

- 1000 lbs Bread
- 2 Tons Spelt Meal
- 1/2 " Indian Meal
- 1/2 " Oat Meal
- 20 1/3 Quarts Milk
- 4 lbs Tea
- 10 " Pepper
- 10 " Allspice
- 180 3/4 " Meat
- 1 Quart Whiskey
- 2 Bottles Porter
- 185 Boxes Inf

- 7 lbs Candles
- 224 " Soap

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 28 day of July; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

Week ending 21 July 1855

Rec'd 71: 2: 0

Exp'd 65: 3: 7 1/2

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. 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. frwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

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

2. Establishment Account

Clerk of Maria Madames Bds	18	"	"
Depy Master Salary	3	2	6
W. P. Leventhal Salary	7	10	0
Clerk of Ann Salary	17	"	"

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Johnston Board

£	s.	d.
26	12	3

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

No Report from the S. Committee

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

The Report of the Master and all the facts connected with the management of the grounds was referred to the Visiting Committee to report upon, a special meeting of the Committee to be summoned for Wednesday next.

The master's report relative to a no of school Boys who claimed their discharge was also referred ^{also} to the Visiting Committee.

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

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

Poultney Commissioners letter 10 July 1855: And 20374 relating to the resignation of the Assistant Schoolmistress as referred to in the Guardians Minutes of the 13 July. The Commissioners would desire to be answered and signed by the person who may be appointed in her stead and they requested the Board to proceed to the appointment of such an officer.

After a good deal of discussion the Board expressed aboutness in preparation and requested the J. Committee to report upon the competency of Ellen Bee a school girl. The Schoolmistress having stated that with her assistance she would be able to manage the school.

Poor Law Commissioners letter 2 August

1855 transmitting an extract from the minutes of the Slip Board of Guardians relating to the case of John West, referred to in minutes of the Board on -

Read letter from the Presiding Chairman for the Commissioners sanctioning the restoration of the Clerk's salary to its former amount as recommended in Guardians minutes of the 15 June last.

Resolved that the visiting Committee do make an inspection of the House and make out a list of the able-bodied inmates of both sexes in the House who they may consider able to work now that the harvest has begun: that said list be laid before the Board on Monday. That the Clerk do write to each Guardian requesting them to attend and examine the paupers of the several Dis. whom the Committee consider able to work, with the view of assisting the Board in and of giving information as to the localities where work may be available for them, -

The Clerk having requested the Board to arrange a day for the meeting of the Rate Committee to finish the examination of the bills of old Union Rates. Monday next was named for that purpose & the Clerk was directed to summon a meeting of the Rate Committee to give notice to the solicitors to attend and to procure the attendance of W. D. Key and the other parties whose cases require to be settled.

The Clerk submitted the half-yearly abstracts of

The accounts of the Union for the year ending 25th March last ~~which~~ was audited by James Martin Esq. which were signed by the Chairman:

The Clerk reported that having heard that Mr. Conroy Collector for No. 1. District Galway Division left the County he took up his books from Mr. Keed his Brother-in-law and finally examined them and the following is the state of his collection

Total amount of Warrants	£ 2344. 0. 7
Amount collected and lodged	£ 1991. 19. 11
" Collected but lodged	9. 9. 3 ⁴
Uncollected	342. 11. 4 ³
£ 2344. 0. 7	

Of the amt uncollected the Rate Committee recommended
 £ 175. 5. 2 to be struck off as irrecoverable and
 £ 132. 1. 0 to be given to the Collector pursuing
 leaving 35. 5. 0 remaining to be collected by Collector:

That the amt of fees due to Mr Young is £ 50. 1. 6

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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.)

But the Clerk reported that the Rate Books would be ready for publication in the course of a week, and requested the B^d would advertise for collectors & the Inspector was anxious that the mode of payment would be fixed ~~so as~~ in such a manner as to secure both an immediate and an efficient collection of the new rate:

The Board deferred the advertising for collectors for another week and requested the Clerk to prepare the draft of an advertisement =

Mr. Martin O'Haberty Solicitor applied to the Board regarding the an adv made by the Rate Committee in the case of the Ladane Townland which was purchased in the Incumbered Estate Court by his Brother. The Committee recommended that the money for years 1849 be recovered off the lands: altho a claim had been filed by the Board's Solicitor for £ 21: 7: 6 but through some fatality the amt could not be legally paid. He however held the money and would pay it if Mr. Blakeley who was concerned for the next claimant in priority, gave a letter of indemnity;

Mr. Blakeley who was present denied that any fatality occurred in the proceedings but after a good deal of discussion he agreed to give the necessary guarantee and Mr. O'Haberty promised to pay the money.

Mr. Burke's notice of motion has been read & many thanks offered & changed & a meeting next week of the B^d to be held on Monday 10 Oct 55
 W. Blakeley Chairman
 J. G. Kelly Guardian
 C. S. Donnelly

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the
day of 185

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Galway County Council Archives

Galway County Council Archives

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway
UNION, on Friday day, the 3 day of August 1855
—continued.

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

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the 4
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 Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

Read Report from the Sanatory Committee was read with reference to the recommendation of the S. Committee that a grant be expended on the improvement of a sewer at the West. Mr Davis seconded on the following notice of motion.

I give notice that I will move on the day fortnight next that for the discontinuance of the Sanatory Committee operations in the Town of Galway in as much as the apprehension of cholera which led to its appointment is now happily removed and thereby save to the Galway Commission a reasonable outlay

Signed

James Davis
for a day
3 August 1855

and that a copy be sent to each Guardian

Attest
Wm. J. J. J.
Clerk of the Union

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Galway County Council Archives

Galway County Council Archives

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of August 1855.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . .	1000	773													
Temporary Buildings, . . .	860														
Additional Workhouse, . . .	"														
Permanent Fever Hospital	"														
Fever Sheds, . . .	140	1													
TOTAL, . . .	2000	774													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			86	223	18	42	140	144	75	07	18	797	In Work-house Hospital, 125 In Fever Hospital, 1	In separate Wards, 7 In Wards with other Inmates, 6	
Admitted during the Week, . . .			7	6	"	"	3	"	4	3	1	24	Total, 126	Total, 6	
TOTAL, . . .			93	229	18	42	143	144	79	04	19	821			
Discharged during the Week, . . .			11	18	1	1	6	2	2	1	3	43			
Died, . . .			1	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	2			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			12	18	1	2	6	2	2	1	3	47			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			81	211	17	40	137	142	77	03	16	774			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 4 day of August authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.							Bt. 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							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Sunday the 4th day of August 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair, V. O. Flaherty Esq. M.P.

Other Guardians: Nicholas Gillman, John Sparrow, Miles Ward, Pat. J. Connamon, James Davis, John Gunning, S. Flaherty, Joseph Grealy, Edward C. Burke, Francis Connors, N. Lynch, James C. Shanahessy.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Galway County

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 11 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 78, 19 s. 0 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 60. 4. 10

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 0. 1. 6

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 1. 2. 1

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -

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

- 800 lbs Bread
- 1 Ton Spry Meal
- 1/2 " Indian Meal
- 195 lb Quarts Milk
- 5 lbs Tea
- 112 " Sugar
- 170 3/4 " Meat
- 7 lbs Candles
- 112 " Soap
- 1/2 "

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 4 day of Aug^r 1840; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. 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. frwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account

Check of Union on acc of Salary

60 " "

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Martin Kelly Milk
Martin Malley Beef

£	s.	d.
40	"	"
20	"	"

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Unpaid Bill etc
Mr Shanahnessy Salary
Thomas Lane Salt.

£	s.	d.
7	10	"
7	10	"

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

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

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

The following Report was read from the Visiting Committee.

The Matrons application for leave of absence for 12 days or a fortnight in consequence of her illness and death of her child is recommended to the Board that 15 young boys desire their discharge and clothes, old clothes recommended to such of them whose clothes are unfit for their condition on their friends coming for them & giving security

for their clothes they got.

Having made enquiry into the neglect of the Workhouse farm and the injury being done the crops by the boys. The Committee are of opinion there is gross neglect of duty and the required attention on the part of the Wardenmaster and Assistant Schoolmaster and that both of these Officers should be called upon to resign and that the Board would advertise for an intelligent person to attend to the farm and other duties of Wardenmaster most of the House duties of which Officer the Master undertakes and as the schoolmaster undertakes to discharge the duties of the School and the Master will have the other duties of the Assistant Schoolmaster done. They Committee think the services of the Assistant Schoolmaster can be dispensed with. The Committee having enquired of the Schoolmistress whether she is able to conduct the duties of the School with the Assistant given her states she will undertake to discharge the business of the School the Master on the part of the Matron promising other incidental assistance as she may require.

After a good deal of discussion the adoption of the Report was proposed and seconded. An Amendment was proposed & seconded that the report be adopted with the exception of that part of it having reference to the Assistant Schoolmaster, on a division the Amendment was carried by a majority of 6 to 4. subsequently the Board pardoned the Wardenmaster but called both officers before the Board and severely reprimanded them and censured the Master for allowing the grounds to get into such bad order and for not reporting the Above Officers.

The Committee submitted the following List

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

List of Able-bodied Males & Females in the House from each Division.

Division	Males	Females	Division	Males	Females
Galway	27	133	Lisemenora	1	5
Annadown	2	6	Stradbally	5	4
B. Temple	1	3	Tulloke	5	2
B. County	"	4	Pellewille	1	5
Tanna	1	12	Engham	1	1
Cammore	"	1	Deerpark	5	2
C. Browne	1	1	Imbough	5	2
C. Galway	1	4	Spiddle	1	1
C. Bridge	1	4	Killamin	5	4
Inishmore	5	1	Senna	1	2
Kilcannon	5	1	Winnona Large	4	11

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

Liscannore	1	5	Total	49 = 201
Moycullin	3	7		
Oranmore	2	7		

Ordered. That the Clerk do write to each Guardian mentioning the No of able-bodied Paupers in the Workhouse from each Division and requesting his co-operation in providing employment for them outside.

A Report was read from Mr. Clarke Architect, relative to the state of the drainage tanks. Mr. Clarke reported that several small matters provided for by the Specification were wanting.

The Contractor was sent for and Mr. Clarke Report was read for him and he promised to have the several matters complained of done by Friday next and the Board informed him that if not done by Friday next Mr. Clarke was authorized by them to furnish the Work and charge the expense to him.

The Board directed the Clerk to advertise for Collectors. The appointment to be made on Friday the 24 Instant. In the case of Galway Districts the poundage not to exceed 6^d in the pound. The Guardians not to be bound to accept the lowest or any tender. The collection to be completed within four months from the date of Warrant.

Ordered that Peggy Stone be supplied with clothes the expense not to exceed 5^s. Her own clothes not being forthcoming.

Next meeting of the Board to be held on Friday the 17 August 1855.

W. H. Luttrell } Chairman
 M. M. M. M. } Guardians
 W. M. M. M. } Clerk

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - -

Ditto, disallowed - - -

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

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

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

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

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

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.)

Galway County Council Archives

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the
day of 185

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Galway County Council Archives

Galway County Council Archives

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway
UNION, on Tu day, the 11th day of August 1855
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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:)

Account of Mr. _____ Dispensary District, _____ 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 _____ 185____, 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 _____

_____	_____ District,	£
_____	_____ District,	£

Galway County Council Archive

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

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

_____ 7 Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Galway County Council Archives

Galway County Council Archives

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of August 1855.

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,	1000	773														
Temporary Buildings,	860															
Additional Workhouse,	"															
Permanent Fever Hospital	140	7														
Fever Sheds,	"															
TOTAL,	2000	773														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			81	211	17	40	137	142	77	53	16	774	In Workhouse Hospital, 130	In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital, 6	9	
Admitted during the Week,			7	5	3	2	"	1	1	1	4	24	In Fever Hospital, 7	In Wards with other inmates, 6	6	
TOTAL,			88	216	20	42	137	143	78	54	20	798	Total, 130	Total, 6		
Discharged during the Week,			6	7	"	1	7	"	1	1	1	24				
Died,			"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			6	8	"	1	7	"	1	1	1	25				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			82	208	20	41	130	143	77	53	19	773				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11 day of August authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.							Bt. 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							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 7 day of August 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair, *A. Flaherty Esq. M.P.*

Other Guardians: *Nicholas Kilian, John Harrison, Joseph Grealy, James Martyn, William Kelly, Bernard Flaherty, Edward C. Burke, James Davis, John Grogan, James C. Shanahessy, James Clarke, E. D. Burke.*

William P. O'Brien
 Poor Law Inspector

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Galway County

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 10 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. 3 s. 4 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 59. 15. 0

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 1. 1. 6

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 0. 2. 1

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -

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

800 lbs Bread
 1 1/2 Ton Barley Meal
 1 Ton Indian Meal
 1/2 " Oat Meal
 19 1/2 Quarts Milk
 560 lbs Salt
 6 " Tea
 14 " Loaf Sugar
 17 3/4 " Meat
 14 lbs Snow Root
 117 Boxes Fruit
 112 lbs Candles

112 lbs Washing Soda

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

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

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. 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. frwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

Report from the Visiting Committee

Galway County Council Archives

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

Report from the Master

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

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

Poor Law Commissioners Letter dated 15th August 1855
No 22143. Relative to the Resolution of the Board on the 3rd Instant, proposing to discharge such paupers inmates of the Workhouse as may be considered capable of obtaining employment outside. The Commissioners suggested that caution should be used in the discharge of persons from the Workhouse where the discharge is not altogether voluntary and at the instance of the party discharged.

Poor Law Commissioners Letter 16th August 1855. No 22600 referring to the report of the Visiting Committee as it appeared in the Guardians Minutes of the 10th August relative to the performance of the duties of the Assistant Schoolmistress. The Commissioners stated that taking into account the present large No of Girls under the Charge of the Schoolmistress the appointment of an Assistant Teacher can no longer be deferred consistently with a due regard to the interests of the School and the preservation of its hitherto satisfactory condition and the Commissioners therefore trust the Guardians will without further postponement advertise for a successor to the last Assistant Schoolmistress.

The advertisement postponed for one Month and the Schoolmistress to be called upon to report weekly on the efficiency of her assistant

Poor Law Commissioners Letter 16 August 1855. No 22600 referring to the leave of absence given to the Matron for a fortnight and requesting to be informed, how the duties of the Matron are being discharged during her absence.

Poor Law Commissioners Letter dated 16th August 1855. No 22600, transmitting Queries to be answered and signed by the persons who may be appointed Collectors of Poor Rates

Poor Law Commissioners Letter 16 August 1855. No 22600 referring to the Report of the Visiting Committee as contained in the Guardians Minutes of the 10th Instant, with regard to certain alleged neglect of the Workhouse grounds and the injury done the crops by the boys the Commissioners referred to the opinion expressed by the Committee of these being gross neglect of duty on the part of ^{the Superintendent} ~~the Superintendent~~ and to the opinion expressed by Mr O'Brien ^{P.L.S.} regarding the incapability of Mr Kenney. The Commissioners also referred to their Letter of the 5th and 17th May last ~~and stated~~ which had reference to the Assistant Schoolmaster and stated that taking into consideration the serious offence of what he was then admitted to have been guilty with the report now made by the Visiting Committee the Commissioners cannot consent to his further continuance in office and they request the Guardians to proceed to advertise for two persons to fill their situations.

And that they be called upon to resign and that an advertisement be inserted for persons to file the situation. The appointment to be made on this day fortnight.

Two Bonds were shown to Wm Burke for extra work done in schoolroom: —

The following Resolution was proposed by Wm Burke and agreed to.

That the Clerk do furnish by this day fortnight an account of all arrears and where due some said to have been lost or exempted up to 25 March 1855 for this Union.

That he also do furnish an account of all costs incurred in the recovery of same, the proceedings taken and the result from the opening of this Union to the 1st of August 1855. To furnish with an account of all moneys paid on account of costs taxed or otherwise specified.

That the Solicitor be furnished with

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

Disso, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

copy of this Resolution & requested to furnish his costs up to the 1st of August.

Proposed by Mr Bernard Mahony & agreed to

That on August 22nd he requested to attend the meeting of the Guardians on Wednesday the 22nd inst to hold an investigation into the last auction of manure at Southmore of Galway first to be publicly given of the auction day. Those who attended the auction - who bought the manure, who carried it away - the probable value and if any of the soil of the Workhouse land was carried away and by whom =

The following Resolution was moved by Mr Davis and agreed to.

That on the occasion of passing the motion of motion given by Mr Mahony re: certain charges & representations connected with the late sale of manure at the Workhouse the enquiry do embrace also the charges against the Sanatory Officer for having through himself or his family received certain sums of good provisions in certain cases of Misuse.

Ordered that Mr Clarke be directed to complete the manure bank according to the Resolution of last Board: — The Board adjourned to Wednesday next

William Clavin Chairman
John Thompson
Clerk

Adjourned Meeting of the Board held on
Wednesday, the 22^d. Aug. 1855.

Present. A. O'Flaherty Esq. P.M.P.

B. O'Flaherty. George Burke; Harrision. S. G. Gally
A. Killian, Wm Kelly. Gwyer Wad. J. Mentin.
John Cunningham. P. G. Comanor. J. Blakeley
Wm Clancy. J. L. O'Hanrahan. James Davis
E. Burke, W. Lambert. J. R. Sammler Esq.

After a full investigation having taken
place upon oath the following Resolutions
were passed.

Proposed by

Resolved that after a full and searching inquiry
by the Inspector and Board into certain allegations
made by Mr Bernard O'Flaherty on the last day
of Meeting with respect to the part of the Clerk's work
at a sale by Auction on the 28 July of the Measure
of the Workhouse and it is the opinion of this Board
that no blame attaches to Mr O'Grady, Mr James Harris
or any other person concerned in that sale and that
Mr O'Grady's object in becoming a purchaser on
the occasion was with a view to benefit the Union.

Resolved that with respect to the charges brought
against Pat. A. Cullin, Surgical Officer by Mr Davis
one of the Guardians this Board after a patient and
full enquiry and evidence on oath can not come

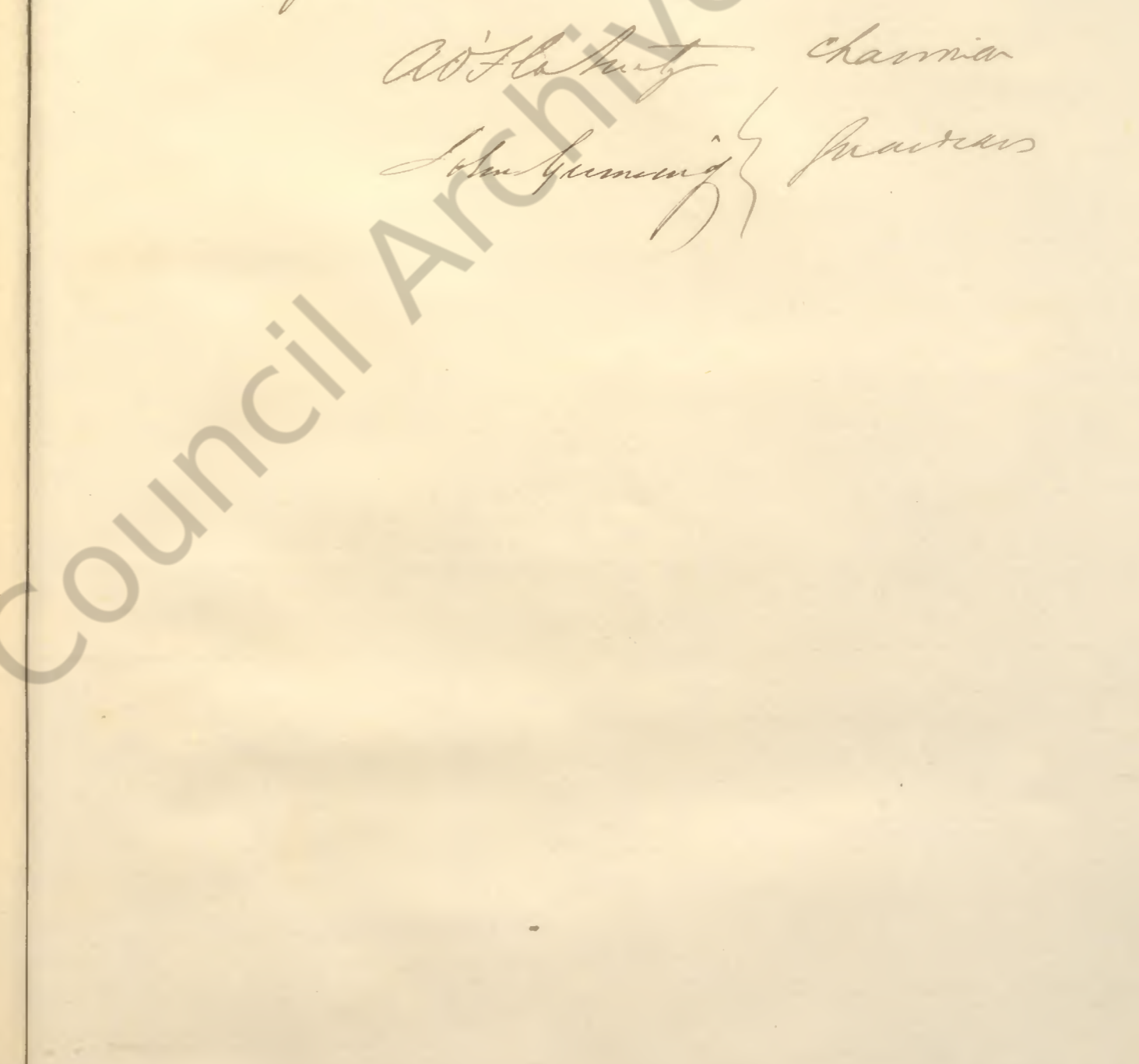
Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

to any other conclusion but that the
Charges have not been proved & that
the Verdict of the Jury has not been
enforced in Mr Cullen.

A. O'Flaherty Chairman
John Cunningham } Secretary



Galway County Council Archives

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway
UNION, on 17th day, the 17th day of May 1855
—continued.

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

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

The Board advised the Requisition to be
sent to the Contractor.

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed
to forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to
the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.
On application of the Committee of Management of the
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites
were ordered to be supplied:

570

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 _____ 185____, 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 _____

District, _____ £ _____
District, _____ £ _____

Galway County Council Archive

571

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that _____

With reference to the notice of motion given by Mr. Davis relative to the sanitary operations the Board adjourned the consideration till Friday next. and directed the Clerk to furnish an account of the expenses of the Sanitary Commission and request their opinion as to the necessity of its continuance.

William Clary
[Signature]
J. Co. Sherrin

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Galway County Council Archives

574

575

Galway County Council Archives

576

577

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of August 1855.

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,	1000	699														
Temporary Buildings,	860															
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds,	140															
TOTAL,	2000	699														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			82	208	20	41	130	143	77	53	19	773	In Workhouse Hospital, 130	Inseparate Wards, In Fever Hospital, 6		
Admitted during the Week,			1	3	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	6	Total, 130	Total, 6		
TOTAL,			83	211	22	41	130	143	77	53	19	779				
Discharged during the Week,			11	30	3	1	23	7	2	1	1	79				
Died,			"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			11	30	3	2	23	7	2	1	1	80				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			72	181	19	39	107	136	75	52	18	699				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 18th day of August 1855, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.							Bt. 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							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 18th day of August 1855.

PRESENT: In the Chair, A. O'Flaherty Esq. M.P.

Other Guardians: Nicholas Millan, James C. O'Shaughnessy, W. Maxamagh, William Clancy, Bernard O'Flaherty, John H. Lynch, W. Lambert, M. Stand, M. Cullinane, J. Stone, Joseph Trealy, Michael Morris, John Harrison, Pat Blake, James Clarke, John Cullinane, James Martin, W. P. Lambert, John McEneaney, George C. Burke, John H. Blake, Thomas Cullinane, John Gunning, James Davis, J. H. Concanon, Wm Kelly, Francis Connors, Henry Griffin, A. Rush, Col Georgegan, Nicholas Lynch, Edw. C. Burke, Lord Clancarde.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed. William P. O'Flaherty Esq. Secy. P. L. O.

Galway County

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 110 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. 8 s. 5 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 58. 3. 5.

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 0. 1. 6 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 0. 1. 11 3/4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -

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

- 1000 lbs Bread
- 1 Ton Barley Meal
- 1/2 " Indian Meal
- 1842 Quarts Malt
- 8 lbs Tea
- 184 " Meat
- 1 Ogen Poter
- 1 Quart Whiskey
- 1 Bottle Sherry Wine
- 98 Boxes Int
- 7 Ws Bundles
- 112 " Soap

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 1st day of August whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. 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. frwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

L s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

L s. d.

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

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

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

The Visiting Committee recommended a further leave of absence of one Week to the Matron.

M^{rs} Connor to perform her duties during her absence.

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

The Master's report regarding the transfers of some of the Schoolboys to the adult class was referred to the Vesting Committee to report upon.

The Master reported that Mary Anne Smith an adult Pauper Register, N^o 25692 required to have her religious persuasion changed in the the Register from Protestant to Roman Catholic.

The Board had her called before them and Maria expressed herself as stated by the Master the Board accordingly altered the Register.

That the Vesting Committee had cast the following Articles of clothing as Worn out and Bad

31 Mens Jackets. 30 Men Shirts and 30 Women Shifts
Approved off.

Required 100 Pints with handles. 6 Large Size Ladles
6 Second Size Ladles and 6 School sized Ladles—
1 Side of Sole Leather. 1000 Nip Nails. 1 oz Stairs Cawl
Blades 3 awl hafts 2lb of Steel Springs and 4lb of
Kemp.

Ordered.

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

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

Read Letter from Thomas Peary resigning his Situation as Wardmaster. Accepted.

Read Letter from Michael King resigning his Situation as Assistant Schoolmaster. Accepted.

The Schoolmistress reported that the Assistant allowed of her by the Board was fully competent as regards her literary acquirements but that she is deficient from her age and age to enforce order or command respect and in consequence of her being on an equality with the rest of the children they show a reluctance in obeying her.

Ordered, that 5s. be expended in providing clothes for Michael Davern his own clothing not being forthcoming.

The Board proceeded to appoint Collectors for the collection of the new Rate.

Mr. Brewer the Inspector advised the Board not to reappoint any of those Collectors whose bonds had been put in force suit as he did not see how the Board could consistently do so proceedings being just now going on against them.

The Board had the state of the collection before them and Mr. Brewer referred to the large sum which still remained outstanding and which the Rate Committee held the Collectors liable for.

The Board had explanations from the several collectors and in some cases they appeared satisfactory.

The Board then proceeded to consider the Tenders and the following appointments were made.

The candidates for No 1 District were Richard Carter @ 4 in the £, Samuel Croft @ 4 1/2 in the £, Daniel Cruise and James Marshall @ 4 in the £. A poll having been taken Mr. Carter was elected by a majority of the Guardians present and Noting. Sines John. M. O'Shara. and John Costello.

The candidates for No 3 District were Mr. Mathew Collins at 4 and Mr. Creaven @ 4 in the £.

Mr. Collins was declared Elected. Sines Patrick Collins and James Forbes both of Galway.

Patrick Spyer was elected for No 4 District at 7 in the £. Sines John Mahon and Nicholas Mahon both of Galway.

Mat. Gynn was elected for No 5 District @ 4 in the £ Sines Michael Killeen and John Greal both of Galway.

John Pellane was elected for No 6 District at 1/2 in the £ Sines Roderick Connor and John Connor both of Galway.

Timothy Curran was elected for N^o 8 District at 4/6 in the L.
Suzetes Timothy Kane and Morgan Curreen both of Furbough.

John Tolam was elected for N^o 9 District at 4/6 in the L.
Suzetes William Costello and John Donnellan both of Galway.

The Board directed the Clerk by advertise for a collector for N^o 7 District as also for Trishmore and for N^o 2 District also with regard to which the following Resolution was passed.

Resolved that the consideration of the appointment of a collector for N^o 2 District be postponed until this day fortnight because in the first place we have but one tender before us and secondly as we are informed by the Report of the Rate Committee of the 11th May last that Mr. Consideyne the only person applying has not in his capacity of collector of the last rate given satisfaction.

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 Poaching Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Mr. Consideyne having stated that he would be able to show the Committee that he made a good collection and that any sums the Committee may consider upon a scrutiny he ought to have collected he would lose them at once and he hoped the Board would appoint a date for meeting of the Rate Committee.

The Board expressed their willingness to afford Mr. Consideyne every opportunity of satisfying the Board on the subject and they appointed Monday the 3rd September for a meeting of the Rate Committee to inspect Mr. Consideyne's books and make a report to the Board on the 7th September as to the state of his collection.

That the Solicitor be requested to attend.

The Board came to the Resolution not to accept the United Guarantee Society of London as surety for Officers or Contracts.

The Clerk stated that it would be impossible for him to furnish the several returns required by Mr. Burke's Resolution of Friday last within the time mentioned as he should go over the whole period since the formation of the Union to make them out and he therefore asked the Board to extend the time.

Mr. Burke opposed the extension of time. The Board notwithstanding directed the Clerk to make the best progress he possibly could with it on Friday next to ask for any further extension of time that may be necessary.

The Board also more fully explained the nature of the Returns required.

Next meeting of the Board to be held on Friday the 31st of August 1855.

Attest my hand

Wm Redington Chairman
J. C. Shaughnessy Guardian

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the
day of 185

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union,

Galway County Council Archives

590

551

Galway County Council Archives

592

593

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway
UNION, on 24th day, the 24th day of August 1855
—continued.

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

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

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed
to forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to
the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.
On application of the Committee of Management of the _____
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites
were ordered to be supplied:*

Galway Council Archives

594

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:)

of _____ 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 _____ 185____, 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 _____

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

Galway County Council Archiving

595

[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 Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

5961

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 185 .

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		
																In Work-house Hospital,
Workhouse,																
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,													In Work-house Hospital,	In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital,		
Admitted during the Week,													Total,	Total,		
TOTAL,																
Discharged during the Week,																
Died,																
Total Discharged and Dead,																
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,																

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.							Bt. 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							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 185

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians :

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

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

Galway County Council Archives

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - -

Ditto, disallowed - - -

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

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

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

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

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Galway County Council Archives

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District, _____
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £ _____

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, 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 _____

_____ District, £ _____
_____ District, £ _____

Galway County Council Archive

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the _____ day of _____ 185 .

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,																
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, }														In Work-house Hospital, In Fever Hospital, }	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, }	
Admitted during the Week,														Total, }	Total, }	
TOTAL,																
Discharged during the Week,																
Died,																
Total Discharged and Dead,																
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,																

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.							Bt. 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							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on _____ the _____ day of _____ 185

PRESENT: *In the Chair,*

Other Guardians :

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Galway County

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

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

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

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

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - -
 Average Cost in Infirmary. - - - - -
 Average Cost in Fever Hospital. - - - - -

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



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

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

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

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

£ s. d.

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

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. 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. frwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account

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

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

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

Galway County Council Archives

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 - - -

Disso, disallowed - - -

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

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

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

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

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

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.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

Galway County Council Archives

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE _____
UNION, ON _____ DAY, THE _____ DAY OF _____ 185_____
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District, _____
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 1853, 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 _____

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

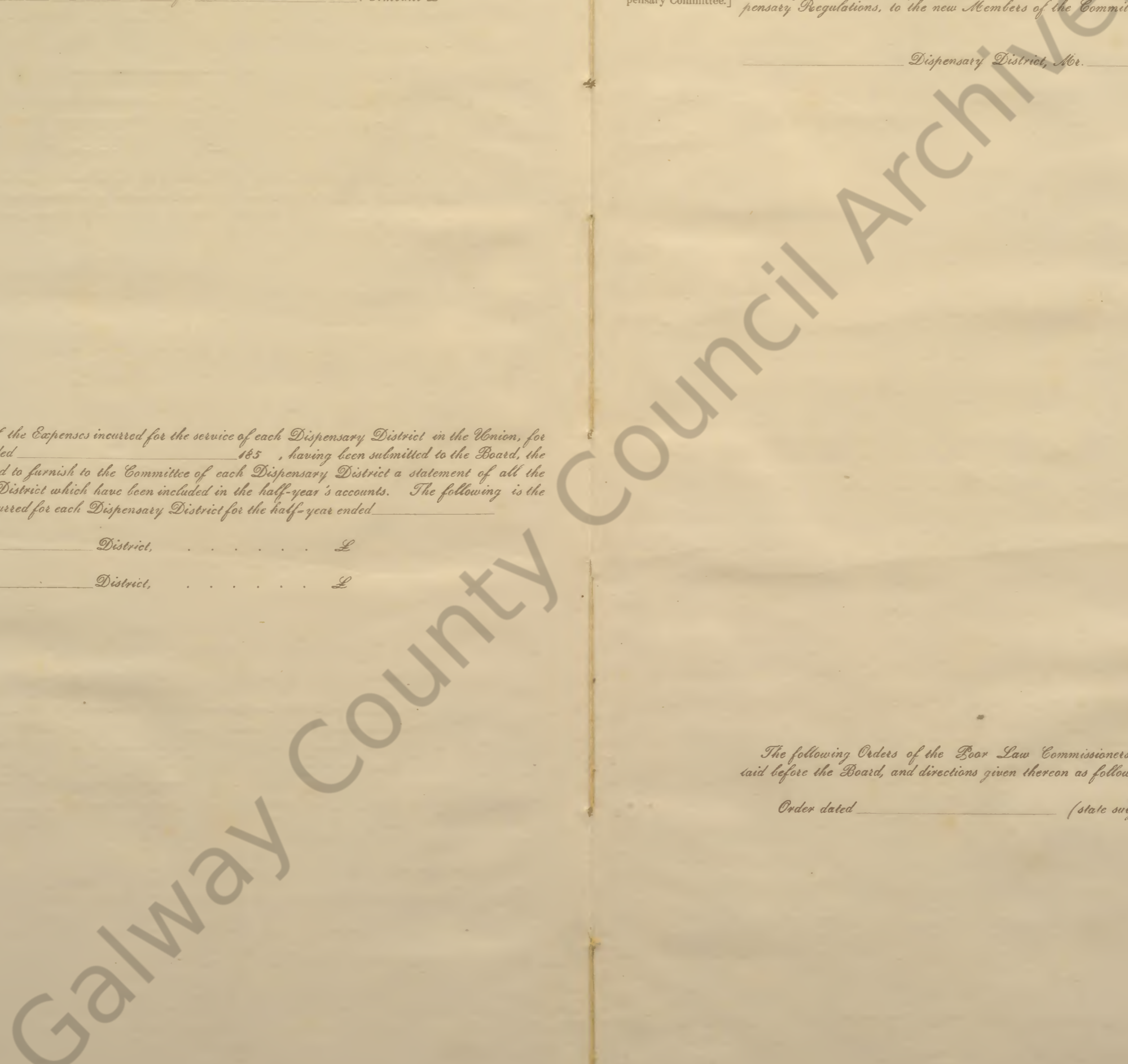
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)



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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

Galway County Council Archives

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Galway County

Popl

Number
new

Wor
Tem
Addi
Peru

Rem
as

Admi

Disch

Died

Tota

Ri

Ri

Dis

No

No

No

No

No

No

No

No

No

No

Car

CO

Galway County Council Archives

4
Feb
Aug