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Galway Poor Law Union

Board of Guardian Minutes

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1 & 2 Vic., Cap. 56; 10 & 11 Vic., Cap. 31; 10 & 11 Vic., Cap. 90; and
12 & 13 Vic., Cap. 104.

MINUTE BOOK.

Union.

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

Order of the Poor Law Commissioners.



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OF WHOM MAY BE HAD

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

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Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

25th day of August 1853.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse,	1008	1008												
Temporary Buildings,	86	86												
Additional Workhouse,	"	"												
Permanent Fever Hospital,	"	"												
Fever Sheds,	140	140												
Total,	2008	2008												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			72	181	19	39	117	136	75	52	18	69	In Workhouse Hospital, 112 In Fever Hospital, 4	In separate Wards, 4 In Wards with other inmates, 6
Admitted during the Week,			4	2	"	1	3	"	"	"	1	11	Total, 112	Total, 6
TOTAL,			76	183	19	40	120	136	76	53	19	80		
Discharged during the Week,			15	17	2	2	6	4	2	3	4	35		
Died,			"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	1		
Total Discharged and Dead,			15	17	2	3	6	4	2	3	4	36		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			61	166	17	37	104	132	73	49	15	45		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 25th 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						
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No. III.							No. XI.						
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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 31 day of August 1853

PRESENT: In the Chair, *A. O'Haherty Esq. M. P.*
 Other Guardians: *Benard O'Haherty, John Harrison, John P. Blake, Joseph Grealy, William Kelly, J. Monte, Edward D. Burke, John Gunning, John P. O'Haherty, Capt. J. Donohannon, James C. Shanahan, John Redington, Michael Morris, Pat Blake, Edward C. Burke, Capt. Foster, Myles Ward, James Davis.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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.

Between Samuel Jones and Bridget Hanagan
Between Thomas Kenny and Maryanne Smyth,

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

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 813 to No. 823, 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.

Clerk of Union £5.0.0

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, - - - £ 86.0.0

Paid during the week, - - - £ 11.10.0

And that the Balance on the Account in Favour of the Guardians was - £ 79.1.2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
James Young	Galway							298	14	28			
Edward Conside	Samal							31	27		349	14	5
	Calvary	45	17					536	17	57			
	Carabroome	3	7					11	11	2 1/2			
Mat Collins	Ballintemple	3			52	4		2	3 1/2		530	12	0 1/2
	Annadown	5						5	1	6 1/2			
	Caranarant							1		6 1/2			
	Belleville								17	14			
	Brooklyn							15	10	7 1/2			
	Deerpark							7	6	7 1/2			
Pat O'Neale	Lackabeq				5			1	7	7 1/2	31	4	
	Crummore									16 1/2			
	Clary Galway									10 1/2			
	Eskenavally										2	7	3
Martin Kerins	Crummore							50	16	10 1/2			
	Ballinacorney							2	13	0 1/2			
	Stradbally								17	2 1/2			
	Clarebridge							7	18	9 1/2	62	57	1/2
Saml Pierce	Inishmore										24	5	10 3/4
John O'Flaherty	Moycullin	12						45	11	1 1/2			
	Shevanna	3						22		5			
	Sully, Pyney	6	16		23	10		43	6	4	110	16	10 1/2
John O'Connell	Synbough												
	Spiddle							6	7	2 1/2	6	18	0 1/2
John O'Connell	Bullamun	7						25	4	7 1/2			
	Selena							1	6	4	26	10	1/2
					81						1165	17	7 1/2
James Young	Galway										995	5	1
Martin Kerins	Caran										19	5	0
Edward Conside	Galway										953	5	9 1/2
John O'Flaherty	Moycullin										223	15	7 1/2
John O'Connell	Sully							765	1	2 1/2			
	Quartrons							358	4	4 1/2			
	Clare Galway							90	6	9 1/2	1211	12	4 1/2
Mat Collins	Annadown										104	1	11 1/2
Mat Creaven	Lackabeq							115		7			
	Athony							138	17	0 1/2	253	17	7 1/2
Samuel Hoops	Crummore							309	7	6			
	Ballinacorney							257	4	0			
	Stradbally							87	2	5	198	19	
											4364	25	1/2

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 £ 11/6 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 £ 50 . 15 s. 10 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 54 . 1 . 7 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 0 . 1 . 4 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:

800 lbs White Bread	1 Dozen Ale
1 Ton Barley Meal	14 lbs Arrow Root
1/2 " Indian Meal	167 Boxes Fat
1711 Quarts Milk	112 lbs Soap
550 lbs Salt	7 " Candles
6 " Tea	112 " Washing Soda
56 " Sugar	
14 " Great Sugar	
10 " Pepper	
10 " Allspice	
185 1/2 " Meat	

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 25 day of Aug; 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. forwd.					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.

Michael King Salary	7	10	"
Thomas Kenney "	6	"	"
Glynn on acc of Cops Foot	10	"	"

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 that handbills be posted by the Relief Officers stating that there are some Heavers at the Workhouse anxious to leave and on parties having employment for them applying to the Master He will discharge them
Approved off.

That M Clarke certified the Heaver tanks

to be completed and the Committee accordingly ordered the Master to make use of it.

on the recommendations of the Meeting Committee Pauper Pat Tammow and John Walsh were ordered to be discharged.

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 30 August 1855 N^o 23420. transmitting a copy of a Letter from Mr Samuel Croft relative to the rejection of his Tender as Collector of Grand Jury Duty for the collection of Poor Rate in the Unions and requesting the Guardians observations on the subject.

Ordered that a copy of Mr Croft's Letter be sent to Mr Carter and that he be requested to put himself in communication with the Poor Law Commissioners, and the Commissioners are informed that after receiving Mr Carter's Letter should they think it necessary to ask for the opinion of the Board it shall be readily given.

Poor Law Commissioners Letter 30 August 1855 N^o 23268 transmitting a copy of a Letter addressed by the Commissioners to the Sligo Board of Guardians relative to the case of John West referred to in Guardians Minutes of the 13 ultimo together with a copy of a Minute of the Sligo Board on the subject.

Poor Law Commissioners Letter 30 August 1855 N^o 23566 referring to the subject of the Schoolmistress and the Assistant allowed her by the Board. The Commissioners after referring to the Letter addressed to the Board on the 16 inst on the subject of the appointment of an assistant to the Schoolmistress requested that the Board will no longer postpone the adoption of the Commissioners recommendation in regard to the appointment of a properly qualified person to that office.

The Board having allowed a months trial to the pauper assistant will defer advertising for a person until the expiration of same.

Poor Law Commissioners Letter 25 August 1855 N^o 23198 transmitting queries to be answered and signed by the persons who may be appointed Wardmaster and Assistant Schoolmaster.

Read Letter from the Registrar General of Marriages enclosing a copy of a letter received from the District Registrar at Galway relative to a notice of marriage served on him by Thomas Kenny late Wardmaster and Mary Anne Smyth a pauper in the Workhouse and requesting the Clerk would furnish him with any circumstances connected with her case with which he may be acquainted.

The Clerk to write to Mr Donnelly in reply and state that Mary Anne Smyth has left the Workhouse.

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners to the Presiding Chairman 30 August 1855 N^o 23541 acknowledging receipt of Minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians Galway, Derry at an adjourned Meeting held on the 22 inst for the purpose of investigating the circumstances attending a recent sale of Manure at the Workhouse in which the Clerk of the Union and Mr Davis a Guardian

of the Union were it appears concerned and also certain charges preferred against Mr Gullin the Sanatory Officer, in reference thereto the Commissioners stated that received a report from Mr Owen P. L. J. together with the evidence taken by him at the desire of the Guardians on the occasion adverted to. The Commissioners stated that while they see no reason to dissent from the Guardians view that the conduct of Mr O'Grady with regard to the purchase of the Manure is not open to any imputation of unfair dealing, feel called upon to point out the impropriety of his taking part in the purchase of Union property, and they requested that Mr O'Grady might be cautioned against being in any way concerned in similar transactions in future. It also appeared to the Commissioners that the objections above referred to may be applied with equal force to the case of a member of the Board of Guardians. The Commissioners recommended the Guardians to caution the Sanatory Officer that a repetition of the conduct imputed to his wife would render it questionable whether he could be permitted to retain

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 Proclaiming 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.)

his present situation.

The Chairman continued the several parties as recommended by the Commissioners,

The Board proceeded to consider applications for the situation of Wardmaster and Masters Clerk.

The Board had the several candidates before them and questioned the Master as to the duties which the person appointed would be required to perform.

The Master stated that he would keep all the books himself and that he would only require the person appointed to superintend the grounds and receive the Rent and assist him through the house.

A poll was then taken when Pat Newall was appointed at a salary of \$12 a year with Rations and apartments.

Nicholas Burke was appointed assistant School Master at a salary of \$10 a year with Rations and apartments.

The Clerk reported that he had made the following progress in the preparation of the Returns called for by Mr E. C. Burke.

Debarred lists of the Annons made out for the following Divisions of the New Union.

West Ward and Bama	Crigham division
North South Wards	Keepank "
Cambridge division	Lackabeg "
Wain temple "	Cammore "
Chynadown "	Waghalloway "
Lycarranane "	Lisfurnavalla "
Bulleville "	Moynartin "

Greenena Division	Spiddle Division
Killokymey "	Kyllanun "
Furbough "	Selena "
Of the Old Union	
Claddagh Poor Wards	Annadown Division
Merchants, Neurosomick and	Oranmore "
College Wards,	Ballmacombey "
Moyscullin Division	Stradbally "
Amoy "	

That Mr Gill collector for Killyninn, Oughterard, and Clony Salway, and Mr Mcneave collector for Lackagh and Athyney C. Divisions of the Old Union did not attend the Clerk, and Mr Kemins collector for Oranmore, Ballmacombey, Stradbally, and Clarenbridge of the New Union did not attend. That the Clerk has made out an Abstract of the Acreas struck off as irrecoverable in each division upon the closing of each collection since the formation of the Union.

That the Clerk has called upon the Solicitor to furnish his bill of costs up to the 1st August 1855, as also to furnish a detailed Report of the several proceedings taken and the result from the opening of the Union up to the 1st August. This is the utmost the Clerk has been able to do having regard to his other important duties.

That detailed list of the Acreas struck off are being made out since Spring 1848 the period the Clerk was appointed but he is unable to furnish detailed lists of the Acreas struck off previous to that date.

That detailed lists of the Acreas of 1849 reported by various committees since that year as being irrecoverable are being made out.

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

(Signed) _____ Clerk of the Union.

as also detailed lists of the Acreas of the present rate recommended to be struck off. For the completion of these several lists, and to enable the Clerk to lay the whole before the Board in a proper, and satisfactory manner it is necessary for the Board to extend the time to another fortnight by which time he assures them he will be in a position to comply with that part of Mr. Banks resolution having reference to him.

The report of the Clerk read and Fortnight further time allowed to the Clerk for the completion of his report.

Ordered that the Collectors who did not attend the Clerk be summoned before the Magistrates for disobedience of orders.

Mr. Bankney called the attention of the Board to the fact of his being called upon to furnish returns of the several proceedings taken and of the costs incurred from the opening of the Union up to the present time while they had been furnished and settled long since up to 23 February 1850 but that if the Board called upon him to furnish a return of the costs and the proceedings taken since that time that he would do so readily and as speedily as possible.

After a good deal of discussion the Board decided that they would only require the several returns called for by the Resolutions of the Board of the 17th ultimo to be made up from February 1830 to the present time.

Attest Chairman

_____ Guardian
G. J. Banks.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway
UNION, on Tue day, the 21st 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:*

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

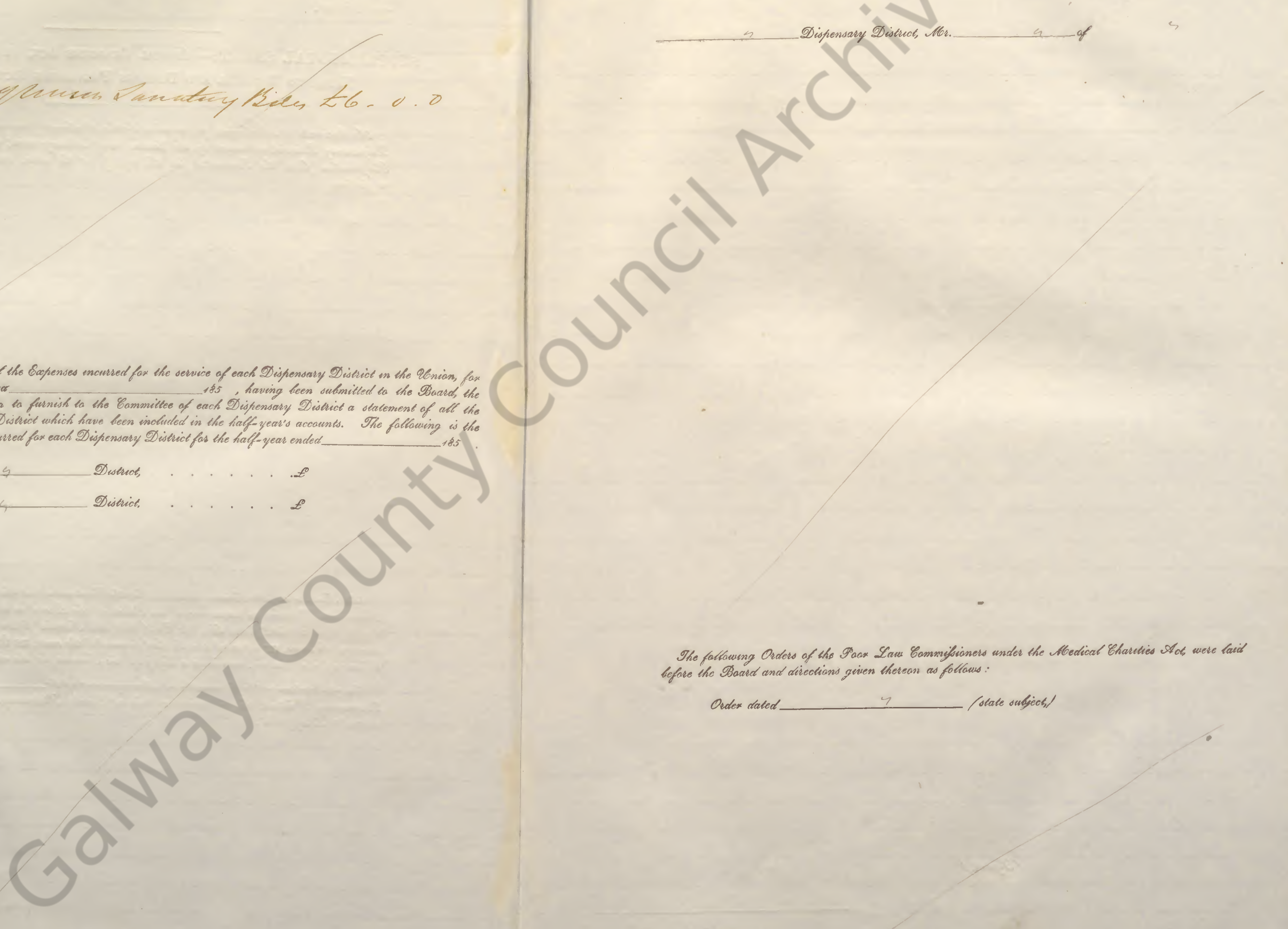
Dispensary District, Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount £

Cliff of Union Sanitary Bds £6. 0. 0

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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____.

[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.]

_____ District £
_____ District £



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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject,)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

Read Report of Sanitary Committee dated 30 August which was adopted.

Read Letter from the Galway Town Commissioners 31 August 1855 relative to the Resolution of the Board 17 Inst. regarding the cleansing of the Tower. The Town Commissioners stated that in their opinion it was necessary to continue the Sanatory operations but recommended some change in the staff.

Galway County Council

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of Sept 1855.

Table with columns: Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided, Aged and Infirm persons, Boys and Girls, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 1st day of September authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, Total relieved out of the Workhouse.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Sunday the 7th day of September 1855

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

Other Guardians: Pat Blake, George Morris, W. W. Somerville.

John Gorman, James Martyn, John Harrison, James J. O'Shaughnessy, William O'Connell, James Davis, John E. Burke, Edward O'Flaherty, Edward D. Burke, William Kelly, Edward G. Burke.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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. 21741 to No. 21757, 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, - - - £17.15.0

Paid during the week, - - - £44.10.0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £47.6.2

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:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
James Young	Galway							298	14	2 1/2			
Edward Conside	Galway	17	15					574	2	8 1/2			
	Carabrown							11	11	2 1/2			
	Ballintemple				17	15		2	3	1 1/2	533	17	0 1/2
Mat Collins	Annadown							3	1	6 1/2			
	Doonanore							1		6 1/2			
	Belleville							18	7	1 1/2			
	Arghnam							15	10	7 1/2			
	Doonpark							7	1	7 1/2			
Pat Byrne	Lackahag							1	7	3 1/2	31	4	
	Camoyne									10 1/2			
	Clare, Galway							1	10	10 1/2			
	Lishnavalla										2	7	3
Mathew Murres	Crannore							50	16	11 1/2			
	Salina county							2	12	1 1/2			
	Stradbally									17 1/2			
	Clanrudge							7	18	9 1/2	62	5	11 1/2
Genl Pierce	Inishmore										24	5	11 1/2
John Dillane	Milcumna										1	2	2
John Flaherty	Moycullen							45	11	1 1/2			
	Shevanna							22		5			
	Yulloking							43	6	4 1/2	10	16	10 1/2
Samuel Carron	Emborough									11			
John Tolan	Saddle							6	17	2 1/2	6	18	9 1/2
	Mellanor							25	4	7 1/2			
	Senna							1	10	4 1/2	10	15	
James Young	Galway				17	15					148	2	7 1/2
George Skerron	Grain										99	5	7 1/2
Edw Conside	Galway										19	5	
John Flaherty	Moycullen										93	5	9 1/2
John Gull	Mellanor							7	13	1 1/2			
	Orchard							35	5	4 1/2			
Mat Donohoe	Blone Galway							9	6	6 1/2	121	12	4 1/2
Mat Greason	Annadown										104	1	11 1/2
	Lackahag							11	5	7 1/2			
	Athenny							13	17	16 1/2	253	17	7 1/2
Sam Cross	Crannore							30	9	7 1/2			
	Salina county							25	7	4 1/2			
	Stradbally							18	7	5 1/2	578	19	0 1/2
											436	4	2 1/2

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 £ 116 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 £ 45. 7 s. 11d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 50. 12. 8

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - 1. 11 1/4

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 7. 4 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:

- 600 lbs Bread
- 1 Dozen Ash
- 1 Ton Barley Meal
- 1/2 " Indian Meal
- 1574 Quarts Malt
- 6 lbs Tea
- 178 1/4 " Meat
- 2 Bottles Port Wine
- 48 Drags Soap
- 7 lbs Candles
- 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 only entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 1st day of Sept; 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. forwd.					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 Tradesmen's Bills = 14 " "

Exp on acc of Marine Bank = 20 " "

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

John Oliver Good

L	s.	d.
33	4	7

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:

No report from the Dressing Committee.

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

The Master reported that a Carpenter was required for a few weeks to do some sundry jobs throughout the house.
Ordered that one be employed.

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 5th Sept 1855 N^o 23965, transmitting a copy of a memorial addressed to the Commissioners by a person named Mary Kelly relative to the alleged refusal of Mr Dullin Relieving Officer to give her a ticket of admission to the Workhouse and requesting the observations of the Relieving Officer Dullin's observations may be obtained and forwarded to them with the Guardians minutes.

Ordered that a copy of the Memorial be sent to the Relieving Officer and his observations requested by Friday next.

Poor Law Commissioners Letter 6th Sept 1855 N^o 23849, approving of the appointment of Mr Richard Carter as Collector of Poor Rates for the 14th Ward and Bama Division.

The Commissioners are informed in reply to the last paragraph of the above letter regarding Guardians being sureties, that this Board do not accept
Guardians

Guardians as Sureties for Officers or Contractors.

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 3rd Sept N^o 300, requesting to be furnished with a return regarding the current rates and any new rates agreed upon

Read Letter from the Relieving Officer for the Town stating that he had been served with a notice of Ejection of six families off the Townlands of Ballinacry and Castlegar the property of the Marquis of Clanricarde.

Martin Kemor was appointed to collect the new Rate in Arnon at Four pence in the pound.

Sureties Michael Hennessy of Galway and Denis Kelly of Galway.

John O'Harearty was appointed Collector for No 7 District viz Moyculbin, Sweeneya, and Vull Kyue, Divisions at Five Pence in the pound
Sureties Barthly Kenna and James Madden.

The following report was read from the Rate Committee dated 3rd September.

We have carefully examined the accounts of Mr Conside, Poor Rate Collector and we find the result in figures as follows.

Total amount of Rates	£3453.16.1/2
Amount paid in Treasurers hands	2940.16.11
Balance outstanding.	£512.19.2/2
Amount of this balance regarded by the successive rate committees who have investigated the accounts as unrecoverable	£386.11.8
Balance	£126.7.6/2

We find that since at a former Meeting of the

Committee McConside's Bond was ordered to be put in suit he has paid £175. 3. 10. into the Treasurers hands and the sum of £126. 7. 1/2 which appears on the above account to be outstanding comprises £25. in the Solicitors hands, a sum of £14. 13. 0. rated upon Andrew Monks and which we refer for the decision of the Board, refraining from any opinion of our own (a member of this Committee being interested in the question) and the above balance is also composed of many items as to the ultimate recovery of which we entertain strong doubts, but which at present we hesitate to report as unrecoverable there are also items composing the balance which may be shortly made available when the crops are bent and the recovery of a portion of it will depend on the circumstances of the parties rated becoming improved or distressed appearing hereafter on the premises by subsequent occupation, and we do not consider that the fact of this balance remaining outstanding under the circumstances which have come before us betray any want of attention or diligence on the part of the collector.

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.)

We therefore recommend that the proceedings taken on his Bond be discontinued and upon the whole we consider that he has brought collection into a satisfactory position, but as we consider that the state of his collection at the time the proceedings were ordered justified the taking of that step, we suggest that if any expense has arisen upon the proceedings he should be bound to pay it himself.

Signed
James C. O'Shaughnessy, Chairman
Joseph Trealy
James Davis.

The report of the Rate Committee was adopted and it was

Resolved, That the Solicitor be written to by the Clerk requesting him to discontinue any proceedings which he may have taken against McConside and his sureties on foot of their Bond, and McConside to pay any costs incurred.

With regard to the Arrears due by Mr Monks referred to in the Committees Report after an inspection of the books some members of the Board conceiving that the Arrears were incorrectly transferred from one book to another in consequence of which the Board directed the Clerk to write to Mr St. John the Inspector requesting he would attend the Board as early as possible to investigate the circumstances connected with the transfer of the Arrears referred to from one book to the other.

McConside was re-elected collector for 2 District at 4 s. the pound.

Wm. John Morris and Mathew Conannon
at Galway.

The Clerk reported that the contracts for supplies would expire on the 29th Instant.

Resolved, that the clerk do advertise for tenders for supplying Indian Meal, Oatmeal and Barley Meal Milk, Meat, Bread and Potatoes, for 3 or Six Months, and for all other articles for 12 Months tender to be considered on the 21st Instant.

The signing of the Kate's Books was postponed to Friday next.

The Board ordered £2, to be expended in purchasing clothes for Peggy Can and five children whose own clothing could not be found.

Next meeting of the Board to be held on Friday the 14th Inst.

A. W. H. H. H.
 J. Redington
 Patrick J. Conroy

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the
 11 day of September 1855.

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway
UNION, on Friday, the 7th day of September 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:*

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

Dispensary District

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £

Galway Purson

Clerk of Union payment of Sanatory Bills for 5 Weeks £20.18.0

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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185 _____.

[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.]

_____	District,	£
_____	District,	£

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

Read Report from Sanatory Committee recommending that the cleansing of the Town be continued under the Sanatory Committee approved of.

The Committee reported that Mr Grallous agent had paid to the Committee the amount expended in removing the nuisance which was on his property at the Claddagh Am £3.14.0 and that the amount had been lodged to the Credit of the Union.

Galway County

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851, _____ Present Net Annual Value, £ _____ STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of Sept 1855.

Table with columns: Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided, Aged and Infirm persons, Boys and Girls, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS. Rows include Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, Total, Remaining on previous Saturday, Admitted during the Week, 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 8th day of Sept, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1., Total relieved out of the Workhouse, RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1., Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Rows include No. I to No. IX, Car. forward, Bt. forward, No. X to No. XVII, TOTAL.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting, held on Friday the 14 day of Sept 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair, W. Flaherty Esq. M.P. Other Guardians: John Redington, James C. Shaughnessy, John Tunney, James Davis, Nicholas Kilham, J. Blakemore, William Kelly, George Mouny, Pat. J. Corcoran, J. Grealy, Bernard O'Flaherty, Edward L. Burke, Edward W. Burke, George C. Burke.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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. 26752 to No. 27226, 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. 168 to No. 273, 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.

Pat. St. Cullin amount expended in abating the nuisance on Mr. Gattons Property at the Bladragh £ 3. 19. 11

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, - - - £ 171. 3. 11

Paid during the week, - - - £ 54. 13. 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 9. 17. 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
James Young	Galway		4	3				298	14	2 1/2			
Edward Bourisdine	Banna							57		2 1/2	10		
	Galway		7					519	2	8 1/2			
	Canabrown							11	11	2 1/2			
Mathew Connors	Ballintemple							2	3	1 1/2	532	17	11
	Quindown							10	11	6 1/2			
	Isceananane							1		1 1/2			
	Belleville								17	1 1/2			
	Loughree							10		7 1/2			
	Creepards							7		1 1/2			
Patrick "Nose"	Lackabeg							1	7	5 1/2	31		4
	Carnmore								16	4 1/2			
	Blone Galway							1	10	1 1/2			
Martin "Nenons"	Isheenavally										2	7	3
	Orummore							50	16	10 1/2			
	Ballinacounty							2	13	6 1/2			
	Spadbally								17	2 1/2			
Charles "Pierce"	Charnebridge							7	18	9 1/2	5	11	5
John "Pillane"	Turkmore										24	5	1 1/2
John "Flaherty"	Maycullee	8						37	10	1 1/2			
	Shevenona	2						20		5			
	Spillogary	3	4		13	4		40	2	4	97	12	10 1/2
Timothy "Curran"	Spillogary									10			
John "Folan"	Spiddale							6	17	2 1/2	1	18	0 1/2
	Wellann							25	4	7 1/2			
	Selenna							1	1	4	26	11	1 1/2
								3	4		134	18	7 1/2
James "Young"	Galway										99	4	5 1/2
Martin "Nenons"	Orum										14	5	
Edward "Bourisdine"	Galway										453	5	9 1/2
John "Flaherty"	Maycullee										223	16	7 1/2
John "Gill"	Spillogary							75	3	1 1/2			
	Spillogary							358	4	4 1/2			
Mathew "Connors"	Blone Galway							90	6	4 1/2	121	12	4 1/2
Mat "Creaven"	Quindown										119	1	1 1/2
	Lackagh							115		7			
Samuel "Cros"	Cathmas							138	17	10 1/2	250	17	7 1/2
	Orummore							309	7	6			
	Ballinacounty							251	4	3			
	Spadbally							38	7	3	398	19	1 1/2
											430	2	5 1/2

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 £ M C 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 £ 43 . 15 s. 8 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 49. 12. 10 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 0. 1. 11 1/4

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 0. 1. 6 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:

600 lbs Bread
 1/2 Ton Branley Meal
 1/2 Ton Indian Meal
 1/2 Ton Oat Meal
 476 Quarts Milk
 1 lbs Tea
 14 " Flour
 14 " Loaf Sugar
 17 1/2 " Meat
 2 Bottles Port Wine
 14 lbs Snow Root

86 Boxes Char
 8 lbs Candles
 112 " Soap
 112 " W. Soda
 1 " Wax Candles

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 8 day of Sept; 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.		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. forwd.						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.

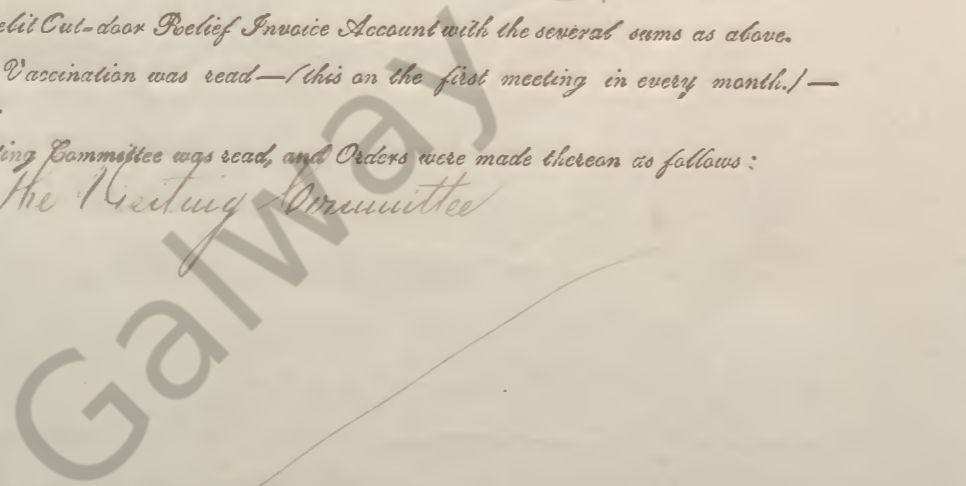
£	s.	d.

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:

The Master submitted a list of able-bodied men and women in the house from the Galway Electoral Division

The Board had the several parties before them and made an order for the discharge of a large number of them; the discharge of them to take place under the directions of the Visiting Committee as employment may offer and the Relieving Officers were directed by the Board to keep the Committee informed of the places where employment is most plentiful.



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 13 Sept 1855 No 24688 regarding the proposed reappointment of M^r Cousdemus as Collector of Poor Rates the Commissioners referred to the amount of Arrears brought forward into M^r Cousdemus Collecting Warrants amount £192:18:6 and contrasted it with the large Arrear now outstanding viz £512:19:0 The Commissioners stated that under these circumstances and considering that his Bond had been placed in the hands of the Solicitor they are of opinion the Board of Guardians should seriously consider whether it is expedient to reappoint an Officer under whose collection so large an Arrear has accumulated and they recommended the Board rather to adopt the course of placing the collection of the next rate in ~~some~~ more efficient hands by the appointment of another person as Collector.

The Commissioners are referred to the Report of the Rate Committee in Minutes of 7 Inst and are informed that only £126. remains uncollected in M^r Cousdemus District

District as £386. of the £512 has been struck off as irrecoverable for unoccupied premises &c and that of the £126. arrear of about £40. has been placed in hands of the Solicitor for recovery. That the Committee took a great deal of pains in investigating M^r Cousdemus accounts and the Report made by them was maturely considered by the Board previous to its adoption.

Under these circumstances the Board are of opinion that M^r Cousdemus last collection is not at all unsatisfactory and they therefore adhere to the appointment and request the Commissioners sanction of same.

Poor Law Commissioners Letter dated 13 September 1855 No 24668 approving of the appointment of M^r Martin Kemson as Collector of Rates in Anson.

The following explanation was read from M^r Cullen Relieving Officer relative to the Memorial of Mary Kelly of Loughrea and a Copy ordered to be inserted in the Minutes.

Galway 12 Sept 1855.

Gentlemen

In reply to the Poor Law Commissioners Letter of the 5th Inst enclosing a copy memorial from Mary Kelly of Loughrea preferring charges against me.

I beg to offer the following explanation.

Mary Kelly called upon me on the 25 of August last and stated she belonged to Loughrea she said she married about twenty years ago a person named Ted Kelly, who is by trade a Sailor that her husband resided with her about twenty months when he left her and did not reside with her since that he on two occasions wrote to her to come and reside with him ^{which} she refused to do owing to the advice of her friends at Loughrea, she stated she had one daughter who was then employed in the wife

Kitchen of the Galway Regiment of Militia.

Mary Kelly stated she came to Galway a few days ago for the purpose of seeing her friends and hearing from them that her husband kept a Tailor Shop at the Claddagh she called upon him for some money by way of testing his affection for her. he refused to render her any assistance and what enraged her most was hearing that he cohabited with another woman. She consulted her friends on the subject who desired her to call upon me requesting I would get Kelly immediately arrested. Mary Kelly being very respectably dressed and having no appearance of destitution about her. I asked her if she was at any time an inmate of a Workhouse she stated she never was in any such institution nor that she did not require food or lodging at the present or that it was not a ticket for the Workhouse she wanted but that, as Relieving Officers would get her husband arrested, as she was most anxious to do every thing in her power to amuse him, I stated to her that it was out of my power to arrest her husband at present, but that I would take her application and bring her case, before the Guardians at their meeting.

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.)

Mary Kelly refused to remain in Galway until the next meeting of the Guardians, as she should be in Loughrea on the following Monday to resume her employment. she asked me at the time if the Relieving Officer at Loughrea had the same power to proceed against her husband that I had I told her he had and that at any time she applied to him he could bring her case before the Board of Guardians at Loughrea she then left my office quite satisfied to put off the prosecution until a more convenient season.

As to my collusion with the man Kelly, I beg to state to the Board that I never spoke to him or any person from him and that up to this moment I do not know the man.

Yours Obedient Servant
Pat. St. Cullin

The Board of Guardians
&c &c

Read Letter from Mr. Croghlan Solicitor applying for Leg. Costs on appeal cases orders in the cases in which Lord Dunsandle was appelland and the Guardians respondents.

The letter referred to Mr. Blakeney to reply to.

Read Letter from the Schoolmistress containing her opinion of the Report given her by the Board it was similar to that contained in minutes of 31 August.

The appointment of an Assistant to be considered on Friday next.

The Clerk read a letter from Mr. O'Brien P.L.S. stating that previous engagements would prevent

prevent him attending the Board on this day or Friday next but that he would attend at the Workhouse on Monday the 17 Inst for the purpose of investigating the circumstances connected with the transfer of the Arrears referred to in last minutes.

The Clerk read for the Board a statement showing the manner in which the Arrears were transferred and exonerating himself from any blame in the matter

The Board referred the statement to the Inspector but directed the Clerk to write to Mr O'Brien to say that they would prefer his attending at the Meeting of the Board on this day or Friday for the purpose, and that they hoped it would be his convenience to attend.

The Clerk laid the following Report & Minutes before the Board in compliance with the Board Resolution of the 17th August

Galway Union
14 Sept 1855.

Gentlemen

In compliance with the Resolution of the passed by you on the 17 August. I beg to lay before you detailed Lists of the Arrears of the Rate of 1849 at present outstanding

The total amount of the Rate of 1849 was £20746:7:3
The Arrears of previous rate brought forward were 7111:1:4 1/4
Total amount of Warrants 27857:8:9 1/4

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

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

The amount of Rate & Arrears collected 649 £27857. 8. 9 3/4
Leaving the amount of Arrears of that and previous rate now uncollected 23493. 6. 4 3/4
£4364. 2. 9

Showing a reduction from the former Arrears of— £2747. 0. 0

From the various examinations made by the Rate Committee from time to time for the last 5 years have been enabled to make the following classification of the Arrears outstanding— viz

Amount struck off by various Committees being rates quashed on appeals, unoccupied Premises, Double ratings &c. £1156. 13. 3 1/2

Amount deemed irrecoverable in consequence of subsequent occupiers being in possession & persons primarily liable not solvent, dead or emigrated £1053. 18. 4 1/2

Amount of Rates originally given to Solicitors for recovery & which have been since struck off as irrecoverable by Committees. £494. 2. 1

Total declared irrecoverable £2704. 13. 9
Rates for which Decees have been obtained £183. 16. 5

Rates yet in Solicitors hands for recovery 552. 9. 1

Rates outstanding and which were considered originally to be legally recoverable and for the collection of which the Collectors are responsible & which have since been relieved therefrom by order of Board £923. 3. 2

Total amount of Arrears £1659. 8. 8
£4364. 2. 5

of the Rates yet in Solicitors hands for recovery it is right to state that recent Committees have reported a sum of about £120, as being doubtful being the Rate of 1849 and the person primarily liable not being solvent leaving a sum yet in his hands for recovery of £432. 9. 1

150/ for the particulars of the foregoing Summ refer
 the Board to the detailed Lists furnished herewith.
 I also beg to lay before the Board detailed lists
 of the Arrears of the last rate amounting to a
 total sum of £1060:13:8½.

And from the examinations recently made by
 the Rate Committee I have been enabled to
 Classify them as follows.

Rates struck off as unrecoverable £510:5:0
 Rates intimated to the Solicitor
 for Recovery — £114:4:11
 Rates transferred to new
 Books the recovery of which
 could not be effected im-
 =mediately £436:3:9
 Total amt considered recoverable £550:8:8
 Total amount of Arrears £1060:13:8

For the particulars of the foregoing Summ also refer
 the Board to the detailed Lists of which accompanies
 this Report.

The amount struck off as unrecoverable since the found-
 ation of the Union to the present time, are as follows.

At close of collection of 1845	£233:5:5
" " 1846	84:7:8
" " 1848 (3 Rates)	857:2:4½
" " 1851 (2 Rates)	92:14:10
" " 1852 (one Rate)	116:19:9
" " 1853 (one Rate)	742:3:5½
Total amt struck off as unrecoverable	£2620:13:5¾

For the particulars of the above except 1845 & 1846 and
 the reasons given for striking off these Arrears,
 I beg to refer the Board to detailed lists of same
 furnished herewith.

The unrecoverable arrears of the Rate of 1849
 and of the Rate 1854 I have already referred to
 in this Report.

While on the subject of the Rates struck

151/ off as unrecoverable I think it right to mention
 that the Rate Committee have on all occasions
 have made the most strict enquiries and were
 satisfied by the collectors on all occasions of
 the unobeyance of the premises or of the other
 reasons why they considered them unrecoverable
 and after doing so returns of same were
 laid before the Board, approved of by them
 and recorded on the Minutes. As already reported
 by me, I have called upon the Solicitor to furnish
 his bill of costs from February 1850 to the 1st
 of August 1853, as also a detailed Report of
 the proceedings taken and the result during
 the same period.

I have not yet received them but I am aware
 if they being in course of preparation and from
 their extent it is right to say that they could
 not be prepared since the Meeting of the
 Board on the 31st August.

Mr Blakeney will I dare say be able to in-
 form the Board when he may be able to fur-
 nish them.

For the purpose of determining the steps which
 it may be necessary to take for the recovery of
 the Arrears of 1849 which at last meeting of the Com-
 mittee were considered recoverable, I would re-
 commend the Board to appoint a day as soon
 as possible for a meeting of the Rate Committee
 or the whole Board to go over the several lists—
 such examination should take place in time so as
 to give the Solicitor an opportunity of seeing
 Lord Gills for the October Sessions in those cases
 where it may be considered advisable so to proceed
 and also so that the collectors may be enabled to
 complete the Collection before the crops are disposed
 of— The Lists are very voluminous and as it
 would take an entire week to complete them
 the sooner the meeting takes place the better.

The several Returns that being given in detail and furnishing the entire information necessary the foregoing are the only observations I feel called upon to make and hoping the Board may be pleased with them.

I beg to remain
Your Obedient
Tom G. Servant
John O'Grady
Clerk Union

The Board appointed Wednesday next the 19 Inst for a meeting of the Rate Committee as recommended by Clerk

Mr Blakeney being asked by the Board when it is likely they may expect the Returns from him and his bill of costs and he having stated at the expiration of a month he would have them furnished - the Board accordingly allowed him that time.

The Clerk submitted the Rate Books for signature as prepared & verified by him according to the rates agreed to on the 20 July last.

Resolved that the following Rates be and hereby made by

Galway rates of 4.0 in the Pound	
Annadown	1.4 1/2
Ballintemple	1.7 1/2
Ballinacorney	1.1
Barna	2.2
Clannore	1.1
Carabrigue	1.3 1/2
Clay Galway	1.2 1/2
Clarybude	1.0
Furberose	0.4
Kilcummin	4.4
Measunant	1.5

Moyleculin on rate of 3.4	0	on the
Grammore	1.10	"
Shevenena	1.0	"
Stradbally	1.4	"
Sullskye	1.6	"
Belleville	1.0	"
Aughnam	0.11	"
Deerpark	1.10	"
Lackabea	0.2 1/2	"
Lisheenavalla	0.5 1/2	"
Forbough	1.5	"
Spiddale	4.5 1/2	"
Killamni	2.4	"
Sherma	5.10	"

The Rate Books were then signed by the Chairman and two Guardians and the Clerk was directed to publish the notice of Rate and have the Collectors Warrants ready for signature as speedily as possible.

Next meeting of the Board to be held on Friday the 21st September 1855

W. Flaherty Chairman
John Gurney Guardians
Patrick J. Downey
Clerk Union

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the

Galway

UNION, on *Friday*, the *14* day of *Sept* 185*7*.

—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 *Oranmore*
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 list to be sent to the Contractor for supply

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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____.

_____ 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 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

Read Report from the Sanatory Committee which was approved off

Galway County

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 20th day of Sept 1855.

Table with columns for Number of Inmates, Aged and Infirm persons, Boys and Girls, and RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS. Includes rows for Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, etc., and a summary row for 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 18 day of Sept authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns for RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, and Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Includes rows for No. I to No. XVII and a TOTAL row.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 21 day of September 1855

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

Other Guardians: John Gunning, Pat. J. Connamon,

Myles Ward, Edward D. Burke, William Kelly, Joseph Grealy, James Davis, George E. Burke, James McHugh, Edward C. Burke, John Connors.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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. 26760 to No. 26767, 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, - - - - - £11 " "

Paid during the week, - - - - - £53 4 7

And that the Balance on the Account by Assist the Guardians was - £13 7 4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
James Young	Galway							298	14	2			
Edward Comedine	Banna							51	2	2	549	14	2
	Galway							529	2	8			
	Carabrown							11	11	2			
Mat. Somers	Ballintemple							2	3	1	32	17	1
"	Annadown							10	11	8			
"	Doonanogue							1	1	5			
"	Bellefle							1	17	1			
"	Cloughran							10		7			
"	Deerpark							7	6	7			
Thomas "Hynes	Lekebeg							1	7	2	21	4	
"	Canmore							1	1	1			
"	Clan Galway							1	20	10			
Martin "Hynes	Lisheenavalla										2	7	3
"	Crammore							50	16	8			
"	Ballinacorney							2	18	1			
"	Stradbally							1	17	5			
Robert Pierce	Chambridge							7	15	9	62	5	1
John Pellane	Griffinmore										24	5	1
John O'Flaherty	Kilcummin										1	2	3
"	Moyleculkin							37	10	1			
"	Sheverson							20		5			
Timothy "Curran	Tullymore							41	2	4	77	12	10
"	Furrough									10			
John "Haw	Spiddle							6	17	2	1	1	1
"	William							25	4	7			
"	Selena							1	6	4	26	10	1
											124	18	7
James Young	Galway										27	5	1
Martin Hemon	Parau										5		
Edward Comedine	Galway										23	5	7
John O'Flaherty	Moyleculkin										12	13	7
John Gill	Kilcummin							7	6	3	122		
"	Cloughran							35	4	4			
Mat. Somers	Clan Galway							9	6	9	120	12	4
Mat. Creaven	Annadown										104	1	1
Samuel "Drops	Lackagh							45		7			
"	Athenny							138	17	0	25	9	7
"	Crammore							38	7	6			
"	Ballinacorney							25	7	4	3		
"	Stradbally							3	7	2	7		
											136	10	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 £ 49. 16 s. 4 1/2.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 48. 16. 5 1/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 0. 1. 6 1/4

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:

800 lbs Bread
 1 Ton Barley Meal
 1/2 " Indian Meal
 1448 Quarts Milk
 560 lbs Salt
 7 lbs Tea
 36 " Sugar
 112 " Rice
 14 " Loaf Sugar
 177 1/4 " Meat
 1 Dozen Potatoes

2 Bottles Port Wine
 14 lbs Snow Root
 181 Soap
 8 lbs Candles
 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 15 day of Sept; 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. 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.

Clk of Wm purchase of clothes for Peggy Stone children
 Clk of Wm purchase of clothing for Ellen Lee

£	s.	d.
2	0	0
1	0	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

Clk of Wm purchase of clothes

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:

Poor Law Commissioners letter 15 Sept 1855 No 24667 approving of the appointment of M^r Fyfe as Collector of Poor Rates.

The Board having had under consideration the appointment of an Assistant to the Schoolmistress and having called the Schoolmistress and the Pauper Assistant lately going to her before the Board and in consideration of her competency in a literary point of view, and in the hope that by her being a paid officer she may be able to command more respect

It was Resolved, that Ellen Lee at present a Pauper in the house and mistress and Assistant in the school be discharged from the Workhouse with the view to her appointment as Assistant to the Schoolmistress at a small salary with Rations & Apartments.

That the master be ⁹authorised to provide a suit of clothes for her the expense not to exceed one pound same to be deducted out of any salary which may accrue due to her.

The Board considered tenders for supplies and the following tenders were accepted: —

John Wain for supplying Bread for six months at 8¹/₄ p lb loaf.

J. M. Lynch for supplying the following for six months.

Wheatmeal @ £10.15.0 p ton

Oatmeal @ £13.17.6

James Salver for supplying Pease meal, @ £10.5.0 p ton: for six months

James Donnellan for supplying Best new milk for 12 months @ 4¹/₂ p gallon

Michael Mcnamara for supplying Best Red & white with bone @ 3³/₄ p lb & for Red & white with bone @ 3¹/₂ p lb.

Estimate Flattery for supplying Best soap @ 30 p p cut, and Best Candles @ 7¹/₂ p lb

Martin Malley for Beef @ 11¹/₂ p lb

J. M. Munn for supplying Tea @ 2¹/₈ p lb Whisky @ 10¹/₂ p gallon and allspice @ 7¹/₂ p lb

John Battell for x x Butter @ 3¹/₄ p lb

William J. Ransdorn @ 5/4 p stone
 Refined Sugar @ 6² p lb. Rice @ 18/3 p cut
 Pepper @ 11/4 p lb. Molasses @ 24/6 p cut
 Ann Root at 7/4 p lb.

John Momp for mould candles @ 7² p lb

James Flynn for washing soda 7/4 p cut
 Salt at 1/0 p cut

Rbaring for leather and Moemakers finding
 at prices stated in tender

W. A. Butler for 6 feet Coffins at 3/- each
 4.6 feet @ 2/9 each and Infants tops @
 2/0 each

Thomas Lane for water stow @ 1/4 p cut

P. M. Lynch for wool @ 18/- p stone
 and House boots @ 2/- p ton

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.)

Wm. H. Hygin for Phrooms at 9² p m 603

Roberts for Water Buckets at 2/- each
 p 18 gallon tubs @ 5/- "
 " 20 " @ 6/- "
 Large Urinals @ 3/6 "

Patrick Green for Lin Quarts or Platters @
 5/2 each and Lin Pints @ 2/4 each

Stephen Kelly for Black & White Thread
 @ 1/10 per lb, Black & White Stud @
 2/- per gross and Black & White tape @
 2/- per gross

Michael Killeen for supplying the
 several descriptions of Stationary &
 Hardware & Sundries at the several
 prices stated in tender:

John and Alexander McDonough are
 declared Contractors for the several
 Printing Work at 25 per cent
 upon Thom's or Falconer's prices:

The medicine tender was referred to
 Bertie Brome to report upon: -

~~Next meeting of the Board to be held
 on Friday the 28th~~

Respect submitted the following Resolutions
 in the West Ward and Barna Division
 which were signed by the Chairman
 the Guardians & countersigned by the Clerk
 and meeting to be held on 28 September 1855

Robert J. Caplan, Chairman
 Michael J. J. J. Guardians
 Joseph J. J. J. Guardians
 Clerk of the

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

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____

UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 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:*

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

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

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STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 22nd day of Sept 1855.

Table with columns for Inmates, Able-bodied, Aged and Infirm persons, Boys and Girls, and RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS. Includes rows for Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, and Total.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 22 day of September authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns for RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, and Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Includes rows for No. I to No. XVII and a TOTAL row.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 28 day of September 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair, Pat J. Donohoe Esq. Other Guardians: Nicholas Kellehan, Joseph Grealy, Edward D. Burke, John Gummis, George E. Burke.

William P. O'Byrne Esq.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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. 24768 to No. 24770, 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, - - - - - £ 20. 0. 0,

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ " " "

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was - £ 3. 7. 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Richard Carter	Galway	20	"	"				2205	3	3 1/2			
Edward Consideine	Galway				20	"	"	296	9	9 1/2	11	13	1/2
	Carabrown							355	1	5 1/2			
	Ballintemple							77	5	7 1/2			
Mat Collins	Inchdown							156	5	5 1/2	37	5	12 1/2
	Islecaranone							89	8	1 1/2			
	Bellville							61	17	10			
	Loughrum							85	16	7			
	Drumcree							111	2	7 1/2			
	Lackanoe							9	9	14 1/2	4	2	1 1/2
Patrick Ayer	Gunnore							81	13	7 1/2			
	Blay Galway							82	13	11			
	Isheenavally							9	3	2 1/2	173	10	1 1/2
Mathias Flynn	Tramore							238	7	7			
	Ballinacomb							128	13	1			
	Stradbally							103	9	9 1/2			
	Oliverbridge							223	18	1	694	7	1 1/2
Martin Lennon	Trishmore										4	1	1 1/2
John O'Connell	Kilcummin										174	16	3 1/2
John O'Flaherty	Maycullin							162	10	6 1/2			
	Sherrinera							39	12	4			
	Tullinacree							111	15	7 1/2	313	15	1 1/2
Timothy Curran	Timbergh							50	10	10			
John O'Flaherty	Spiddale							154	6	10 1/2	204	17	5 1/2
John O'Flaherty	Thurston							91	1	3 1/2			
	Termon							162	14	10 1/2	203	16	4 1/2
					20	"	"				2629	8	1 1/2
James Jones	Galway										99	5	1
John Lennon	Tramore										17	0	"
Edward Consideine	Galway										200	9	1/2
John O'Flaherty	Maycullin										202	10	7 1/2
John Gill	Kilcummin							163	1	2 1/2			
	Trishmore							355	4	4 1/2			
	Blay Galway							90	6	9 1/2	11	12	1 1/2
Mat Collins	Inchdown										10	1	1 1/2
Mat Creaven	Lackanoe							115	"	7 1/2			
Samuel Croft	Athenny							138	17	0 1/2	20	17	1 1/2
	Tramore							309	7	5			
	Ballinacomb							251	4	3			
	Stradbally							38	7	3 1/2	98	17	"

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 £ 11/10 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 £ 44, 7 s. 6 1/2 p.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 46. 6. 11 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 5. 11. 6 1/4

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:

- 650 lbs Bread
- 2 Tons Barley Meal
- 1408 Quarts Milk
- 8 lbs Tea
- 10 " Pepper
- 10 " Allspice
- 17 1/2 " Sugar
- 70 Pounds Soap
- 8 lbs Dyed 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 22 day of Sept; 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. forwd.					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.

Wm. H. ... Salary

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

In Kelly with

£	s.	d.
20	4	.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

*The V. Committee reported that the
W. House was in good repair*

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

*The Board appointed Wednesday
next for a meeting of the Visiting
Committee to take the Half yearly
State of floating &c.*

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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:)

Took and Comm. Circular 26 Sept 1855 transmitting the forms for the Annual Return of Officers & Guardians to be filled up and forwarded.

Took and Comm. letter 26 Sept 1855 no 25427 & 25428 approving of the appointments of John O'Halloran and Matthew Conroy as followers of Poor Rates.

Took and Comm. letter 26 Sept 1855 no 25189 approving of the appointment of W. Conroy as collector of Poor Rates.

Took and Comm. letter 27 Sept 1855 no 25719 referring to the Resolution

of the Board on Friday 21st Sept to the effect that Ellen be at present a Pauper in the House and Monitor in the School be discharged from the Workhouse with a view to her appointment as assistant to the Schoolmistress at a small salary and Pension and apartments. The Commissioners stated that they observed this with regret as experience has shown that it is not expedient to appoint persons who have been Pauper inmates to be paid officers of the Union, and they accordingly request the Board of Guardians will be good enough to reconsider their Resolution.

The resolution of the Commissioners Circular letter was postponed to Friday next.

Read letter from James Donnelly stating that he was no party to sending in the tender enclosed last for Milk as his brother put in the tender without his consent and that he has declined having any thing to do with it.

Resolved that new tenders be advertised for same to be considered on this day fortnight, and on the recommendation of Mr. O'Brien the following conditions were directed to be mentioned in the advertisement.

No Milk to be paid for as raw Milk which does not yield at least 9 percent of cream by the Workhouse lactometer and no payment whatever to be made for Milk returning less than 5 percent Milk giving 5 percent

but less than 8 per cent to be treated as
skinn with and paid for only at half
price and all milk being 8 per cent
but less than 9 to be subject to a
deduction of one penny per gallon

The Contractor to assent to having a clause
inserted in his Bond embodying the
above conditions.

The tender of sup^{rs} Leslie H. P. for
applying medicine to the Workhouse
and dispensary for one year was
accepted

The following Warrants for the following
Electoral Divisions were signed by the
Chairman two Guardians and
Countersigned by the Clerk
Oranmore. Ballynashilly. Shadobally
Blanchbridge. Kilscurrin. Annadown
Liscannore. Belleville. Deepart. Fintona

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)

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The following Report was read from the
Clerk relative to the case of Monks
areas:

Gentlemen

I beg to lay before you all the facts
connected with the transfer of the above areas from
one book to another from 1850 to the present time,

Rate 11 Oct 1850

Mr Monks rated as Immediate Lessor for 32 tenements
amount of Rate £3.1.5 and Occupier for 11 small
tenements amount of Rate 0.13.3/2 total amount
due by Monks for rate of 1850 £3.14.8/2

The collector coll^d £1.10.3 ^{make} leaving £2.4.5/2 due
Rate 19 September 1851.

Mr Monks rated for 32 tenements and, similarly
As Immediate Lessor for 32 tenements amount of
rate £3.1.5 and as occupier for 11 tenements
amount of Rate of 1851 £3.14.8/2 areas of
previous rate brought forward against him
£2.4.5/2 total due in 1851 £5.19.2.

The collector collected in 1851 the areas left due
in 1850 amount £2.4.5/2, the areas therefore
due in 1851 were therefore only the rate of that
year amt £3.14.8/2.

Rate made 8 May 1852.

Mr Monks rated similarly - As Immediate
Lessor for 32 tenements amount of Rate £1.17.11/4
and as occupier for 11 tenements amount of Rate
£.9.0/4 total amount of rate of May 1852 £2.6.11
Areas of Rate of 1851 brought forward ag^t
him amt £3.14.8/2 - makes the total amount
due by Mr Monks in May 1852 £6.5.7/2.

Rate made 15 Oct 1852.

M Monks rated as Occupier for the whole place at a valuation of £23:10:0 - amt of rate £5.1.10 - arrears of 1851 and May 1852 due by him as Immediate Lessor and Occupier £6:5:7 1/2 were brought forward against him - Total amount due by M Monks in October 1852 £11:7:6 =

Rate Made 28 Sept 1853.

M Monks rated as Occupier for £13. M Davies rated as Occupier (for the first time) for £5. amount of rate on M Monks Arrears previously due by M Monks viz as Immediate Lessor £5.3.3 1/4 As Occupier rate of 1851 £0.13.3 1/2 " " May 52 9.0 1/4 " " Oct 52 5.1.10

Total Arrears brought forward against M Monks in Sept 1853 £11:7:6 Total amount due by him in Sept 1853 £13:19:6

The amt of M Davies Rate in Sept 1853 was £1.0.0 which was paid to Collector. This being the first in which M Davies name appeared it is right for me to explain the reason why no portion of the previous Arrears were charged against him.

In any case the Arrears due by M Monks as Immediate Lessor amt £5.3.3 1/4 could not be brought forward against a person rated as an Occupier unless such Occupier was rated

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in which case it might be correct to do so. previously the S. Lessor and monks name continuing in the Book of 1853 as Occupier of the greater part of the premises at a valuation of £13 the total arrears previously due by him as occupier amt £6-4-2 1/4 was correctly brought forward against him more particularly as the Collector or Valuator could not tell the Clerk how many of the tenements in the previous books and their rating numbers - were rated in the £5. valuation of M Davies as the clerk could not get information on that head. The proper course to be pursued was that adopted to bring the Arrears forward against the person primarily liable his name continuing in the book for part of the premises -

Rate made October 1854.

M Monks rated as Occupier for £5.10.0 Valuation and M Davies rated as Occupier for £10 Valuation M Davies paid his Rate amount £1:15:0 Amount of M Monks rate £0.19.3 Arrears previously due by him viz As Immediate Lessor £5.3.3 1/4 As Occupier viz Rate of 1851 £0.13.3 1/2 " 1852 May 9.0 1/4 " " Oct 5.1.10 1853 2.12:0 £8.16.2 1/4

Total brought forward against M Monks in Book 1854 £13.19.6. Total amt due by M Monks in Oct 1854 £14:18:9

As regards the transfer of the Arrears into the book of 1854 M Monks name appearing in the Book for part of the premises the same observation as then made in the previous case will apply. But if M Davies was rated for the whole in the book of Oct 1854 the Clerk would have no difficulty in the matter. He would then see that he was

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was rated for the whole and it would be right
to bring forward all Rates due by Monks as Occupiers
and continue Monks' name for the Acreas as immediate
Lessee Amount £5.3.3³/₄ and let Mr Davis
if he thought proper to dispute payment of such
portion of the Occupiers Acreas as were over 2 years
due which were in 1851 & 1852 - this should be
competent for him as subsequent Occupier to do,
but he should in that case pay the rate of 1853
Amount £2.12.0 and the Collector can get
make him pay that rate as also the rate of 1854
Amount 0.19.3 and can distrain the Lands for
same Mr Davis being now the subsequent occupier.

The Board will see from the foregoing facts
that the Acreas were correctly transferred from
Book of 1850 to 1851 from book of 1851 to May 1852
and from book of May 1852 to Oct 1852

Mr Monks being the party rated solely in all
the books - that in the book of 1853 Mr Monks
was rated for £13 Value & Mr Davis for
only £5 that the Clerk was unable to get any
information from Collector or Valuator as to the
Acre in previous books included in the £5 Value and
that therefore the safest best and proper course was
the one adopted to bring forward the whole Acreas
against the person primarily liable & whose name
appeared in that book.

That as to the book of 1854 the want of information
as to which were included in Mr Davis
Valuation and Mr Monks name continuing
in the Rate Book as the Occupier of part of the
premises it was therefore the most proper course to
bring all the Acreas against Mr Monks.

It may be urged that as Mr Davis was rated for
£10 in the book of 1854 the greater portion and
Mr Monks for £5.10.0 the smaller portion that
the Acreas ought to have been brought against
Mr Davis, but the Board will observe that in
the book of 1850. 51 & 1852 Mr Monks was the only
person

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person rated, that in the book of 1853 Mr Monks was
valued at £13 and Mr Davis at only £5, that he
was continued in the book of 1854 for part, that
the Clerk could not know the old numbers which
comprised Mr Davis holding, and that even if
brought forward against Mr Davis that only
the rate of 1853 could be recovered from him as
subsequent occupier and that this sum can still
be recovered from him as subsequent Occupier.

The total amount due by Mr Monks up to including
the rate of 1854 is £14.18.9

which is composed as follows -
Rates due by him as immediate
Lessee & which ^{are} not recoverable
from any other party but himself £5.3.3³/₄

Rates due by him as Occupier for
1850. 51 & 1852 & which were 2 years due
when Mr Davis became first rated
& consequently not recoverable
from Mr Davis £6.4.2¹/₄

Rate made upon him as Occupier
in 1853 & 1854 and recoverable from
Mr Davis as Subsequent Occupier 3.11.3

£14.18.9

Should the Clerk have adopted a different course and
brought forward the Acreas due by Monks amount
£11.7.6 against Mr Davis in the book of 1854 the Union
would be in a worse position because should
Mr Davis defend any proceedings taken against
him for their recovery he should succeed they
being over 2 years due and then they were not
standing against Monks holding in the book - but
if them Acreas or the holding rated to Monks in Oct
1853 during the Summer of 1854 it could have been
distrained for the whole rates due, under all those
circumstances I think the Board will be of opinion
that the several Acreas were from time to time
correctly brought forward and that the Union

694 has not suffered by the course adopted by me.

The Board having had under consideration the statement of the Clerk in reference to the circumstances attending the transfer of certain Arrears due on the property of W. Hoyle's it was Resolved, that the Clerk's statement be inserted on the Minutes that a process be this day issued against W. James Davis for the proportion of the rates of 1853 & 1854 due on the land in W. Davis occupation and that the further consideration of the Clerk's statement be postponed to a full meeting on this day fortnight.

Next meeting of the Board to be held on Friday the 5th October 1855 =

Wm. M. McLaughlin
Wm. Kelly } Guardians
Wm. Kelly }
Clerk

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway UNION, on Tuesday, the 2nd day of September 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 Merrion 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:

Resolved that it be recommended to the Contractor to have the amt supplied.

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 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:

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:)

4 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.]

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<u>4</u> District	£
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4 Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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Order dated 4 _____ (state subject,)

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Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

The Report of the Sanitary Committee was read and approved of.

Galway County

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of Sept 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, . . .	1000	542													
Temporary Buildings, . .	850														
Additional Workhouse, . .	"														
Permanent Fever Hospital,	"														
Fever Sheds, . . .	140	4													
Total, . . .	2000	546													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			45	121	16	36	89	127	67	49	10	559	In Work-house Hospital, 98 In Fever Hospital, 4	In separate Wards, 9 In Wards with other Inmates, 6	
Admitted during the Week, . .			5	3	"	2	2	"	"	"	"	112			
TOTAL, . . .			50	124	16	38	91	127	67	49	10	571	Total, 102	Total, 6	
Discharged during the Week, . .			10	5	2	"	2	3	1	1	1	20			
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"			
Total Discharged and Dead, . .			10	5	2	"	2	3	1	1	1	20			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			40	119	13	38	89	124	66	48	9	546			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 29th day of Sept 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.
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No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 5 day of October 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

Nicholas Kilkenny Doeg, Joseph Grealy, Colm D. Burke, James Davis, William Kelly, John Gunning, Francis D. Foster, Henry Connerford, John Harrison, James O. Thompsons &c.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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. 41.

Between Edward Hughes and Rebecca Colmhill

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 21001 to No. 21010, 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. 562 to No. 563 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, - - - £ 30.14.0

Paid during the week, - - - £ 5.10.0

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was - £ 21.16.6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Richard Carter	Galway	20	14	"				2174	9	32			
Edw. Conardine	Barrington	"	"	"	30	14	"	246	9	95	2470	14	14
"	Galway	"	"	"				3552	1	53			
"	Canal room	"	"	"				71	5	72			
Mat. Collins	Ballintemple	"	"	"	"	"	"	654	5	53	3782	12	6 1/2
"	Donadon	"	"	"				114	6	11			
"	Liscannore	"	"	"				89	8	14			
"	Belleisle	"	"	"				61	17	10			
"	Claghmore	"	"	"				85	16	7			
"	Greenpark	"	"	"				111	2	72			
P. Hogue	Lisshabeg	"	"	"				9	9	47	472	14	14
"	Sammore	"	"	"				81	13	93			
"	Clare Galway	"	"	"				82	12	11			
Mathias Fynn	Lishinavalla	"	"	"	"	"	"	9	3	22	173	10	11 1/2
"	Crummore	"	"	"				225	7	7			
"	Ballinacorney	"	"	"				128	12	1			
"	Shadabally	"	"	"				103	9	95			
Martin Heron	Clarebridge	"	"	"	"	"	"	223	18	1	694	7	6 1/2
John Pillauey	Arnon	"	"	"							69	5	4
John O'Raherty	Kilcummin	"	"	"							179	16	5 1/2
"	Maycullin	"	"	"				162	10	6 1/2			
"	Shuvelina	"	"	"				39	12	4			
Jim. O'Brien	Tullokebeg	"	"	"				11	15	7 1/2	313	18	4 1/2
"	Synbrook	"	"	"				50	10	10			
John O'Han	Spiddle	"	"	"				154	6	0	204	17	8 1/2
"	Shillanin	"	"	"				91	1	53			
"	Shenna	"	"	"				42	14	0	252	16	4
James Young	Galway				30	14	"				598	6	1/2
Martin Heron	Arnon										49	5	1
Edward Conardine	Galway										933	2	9 1/2
John O'Raherty	Maycullin										223	16	7 1/2
John Gill	Shillanin										763	1	23
"	Quightward										358	4	4 1/2
Mathew Collins	Clare Galway										90	6	9
Mathew O'Connell	Claremore										104	1	11 1/2
"	Lacflagh										115	"	7
Samuel Cross	Ashery										138	1	0
"	Crummore										369	7	6
"	Ballinacorney										257	4	3
"	Shadabally										28	7	0
											378	19	9
											436	2	5 1/2

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 £ *116* 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*, *11* s. *17* d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - *44*, *19*, *1*

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - *0*, *1*, *6*/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 White Bread & the Candles
1 Ton Indian Meal 84 " Soap
1344 Quarts Milk
5 lbs Tea
56 " Sugar
14 " Flour
17 3/2 Meat
1 Dozen Ale
2 Bottles Port Wine
14 lbs Arrowroot
105 Boxes Inf

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 *29* day of *Sept*; 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. forwd.					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.

Chk of Union payment of Sunday
Small bills for Tradesmen *13*
Clerk of Union postage etc *10*

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.

Time
 Unpaid Bill of
 Michael McNamara Meat
 Pat. W. Gullin Salary

	L	s.	d.
	30		
	12	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 report from the Visiting Committee

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

The Master reported that Mr. Whamond who had been declared Contractor for supplying Tea, Whiskey, and Ale since refused to execute his Bond or supply the amount of the last order issued to him, that he stated he was under the impression he was declared Contractor for Wines and other Articles and as he was not declared he declined supplying as it would not be worth his while to be Contractor for the above few Articles.

Ordered, that the Clerk do write to Mr. Whamond stating that unless he supplies the Articles required according to his Tender that the Board will purchase them and charge him with the extra price, should Mr. Whamond refuse to supply after getting the Whiskeys letter the Master is authorised to get the Articles from the last Contractor and to report the circumstances to the next Board.

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:)

Circular Dated 3rd October 1855, No 346, requesting to be furnished with a Return regarding the Current rates and any new rate agreed upon,

The Board appointed Thursday next the 11th Inst for a meeting of the Rate Committee to examine the old Arrear Lists.

Messrs Harrison and Kelly were appointed Members of the Rate Committee,

The Clerk submitted the following collecting Warrants which were signed by the Chairman and two Guardians and countersigned by the Clerk

North & South Wards Galway Electoral Division
Counabrowne, Ballintemple, Cluphna
Lackalee, Moycullin, Shevenard, Sullotyul,
Killamit & Selina, Electoral Divisions.

Margaret Dempsey was ordered to be provided with a suit of clothes the expense not to exceed 5/- her own clothes not being forthcoming;

Next meeting of the Board to be held on Friday the 12th of October 1855

W. Flaherty = Chairman
D. Ward = Clerk
Patrick J. Conroy = Guardians
Clerk Murin.

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 Proclaiming 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.)

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

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the
UNION, on Friday, the 11th day of October 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
Procquisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon
as follows:*

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

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

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

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

Galway Division
Clerk of Union payments of tradesmen
Sanatory Bills for one Month £ 25.5.0

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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____.

[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.]

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

The following report was read from the Sanatory Committee.

The Sanatory officer reported submitted his report and also for the past week amount £ 3. 13. 19 ordered to be paid

Peter A. Lynn Esq., attended and called the attention of the Committee to the nuisance complained of at Victoria place caused by a sewer partly made by the Board of Works at Public expense.

That We recommend the removal of the Nuisance complained of to the favourable consideration of the Board of Guardians the matter having been frequently under the consideration of the Board of Poor Commissioners to have the desirable work executed and it having been one opinion that it fully comes within the operations of the Sanatory Act.

That the Sanatory Officer be directed to have Notices printed & published for the sale of the Manure on the 1st November next.

With reference to that part of the Report recommending the removal of the nuisance complained of as existing at Victoria place, the Board did as at present agree to it as the

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Sanatory Committee who met in the previous day of meeting passed a Resolution, at variance with the present Report and until such Resolution was rescinded the Board felt that the matter not be entertained. The following notice of motion however was handed in by Mr Gunning and a copy ordered to be sent to each Member of the Sanatory Committee by the Clerk.

I give notice that I will move on this day Fortnight that the Resolution of the Sanatory Committee of the 27th Sept. be rescinded as regards the nuisance at Victoria place and that the Board do take into consideration the propriety of expending a sum not exceeding £5 in abating same.

Signed John Gunning
Guardian
5 Oct 1855.

Attest
Chairman

Patrick J. Gannon
Guardian

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Population in 1851, Present Net Annual Value, £
 STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of October 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.	Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Workhouse,	1000	538													
Temporary Buildings,	860														
Additional Workhouse,	"														
Permanent Fever Hospital,	"														
Fever Sheds,	1110	5													
Total,	2000	543													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			46	114	13	38	89	124	66	48	9	546	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates,	
Admitted during the Week,			3	5	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	9			
TOTAL,			43	124	13	39	89	124	66	48	9	555	97	6	
Discharged during the Week,			4	4	"	"	2	"	"	"	"	10			
Died,			"	"	1	"	1	"	"	"	"	2			
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	4	1	"	3	"	"	"	"	12			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			39	120	12	37	86	124	66	48	9	548			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10th day of Oct authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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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 12 day of October 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair, Anthony O'Flaherty Esq., M.P.
 Other Guardians: Nicholas Sullivan, John Gunning,
Joseph Gealy, John Morrison, Nicholas Lynch,
Jacobus O'Connell, Bernard O'Flaherty, John Blakemore.

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.

[Large handwritten flourish or signature]

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 26788 to No. 26799 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, - - - £172.15.0

Paid during the week, - - - £105.10.0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £89.1.6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Richard Carter	Galway	27	10	"				2,136	193	4			
Edward Conside	Barna				57	11		296	99	24	89	15	
	Galway	173	12	"				3,428	95	7			
	Donabronne	5	8	"				65	12	7			
Mathew Collins	Callintraile	16	13	"	135	5		156	55	36	27	6	
"	Tomadown	"	"	"	"	"		114	6	11			
"	Discoanane	"	"	"	"	"		89	8	0			
"	Bellerille	"	"	"	"	"		61	17	10			
"	Aughnam	"	"	"	"	"		85	16	7			
"	Deensparke	"	"	"	"	"		111	2	7			
Patrick Hogue	Lackagh	"	"	"	"	"		8	9	42	47	1	4
"	Garraore	"	"	"	"	"		81	13	9			
"	Claregalway	"	"	"	"	"		82	13	11			
Mathias Hyam	Fisherwall	"	"	"	"	"		9	5	2	123	6	11
"	Garraore	"	"	"	"	"		238	7	7			
"	Callinacome	"	"	"	"	"		128	12	1			
"	Stradbally	"	"	"	"	"		103	9	9			
"	Clonebridge	"	"	"	"	"		223	18	1	107	2	6
Martin Hermon	Gran	"	"	"	"	"					47	0	1
John Gillane	Milcummin	"	"	"	"	"					177	16	3
John Flaherty	Boycullin	"	"	"	"	"		162	10	6			
"	Geveena	"	"	"	"	"		39	10	4			
"	Fullofingul	"	"	"	"	"		111	15	7	313	18	6
Timothy O'Connell	Fynbogh	9	"	"	"	"		51	10	10			
"	Spiddle	4	"	"	"	"		152	6	0	22	17	7
John Han	Callan	4	"	"	"	"		91	1	5			
"	Selma	"	"	"	"	"		162	14	0	23	16	9
					172	13	"				142	11	7
Jarvis Gorman	Galway	"	"	"	"	"					57	0	1
Martin Hermon	Gran	"	"	"	"	"					17	0	0
Edw Conside	Galway	"	"	"	"	"					43	0	0
John Flaherty	Boycullin	"	"	"	"	"					22	15	7
John Gill	Callan	"	"	"	"	"		763	1	2			
"	Cloughmore	"	"	"	"	"		358	4	4			
"	Claregalway	"	"	"	"	"		90	6	9			
Mat Collins	Tomadown	"	"	"	"	"					10	1	1
Mat Creaven	Lackagh	"	"	"	"	"		115	0	7			
"	Pherry	"	"	"	"	"		138	17	0	23	17	7
Samuel O'Grady	Garraore	"	"	"	"	"		30	7	6			
"	Callinacome	"	"	"	"	"		231	4	3			
"	Stradbally	"	"	"	"	"		38	7	0	27	15	1

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 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 £37, 15s. 6d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 45. 12. 8 1/2

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, - - - - 1. 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:

- | | |
|----------------------|--------------------|
| 150 lbs Bread | 8 lbs Candles |
| 1 Ton Barley Meal | 112 " Soap |
| 1/2 " Sudday Meal | 112 " Washing Soda |
| 1/2 " Cat Meal | |
| 1328 lbs Milk | |
| 500 lbs Salt | |
| 5 lbs Tea | |
| 170 1/4 " Meat | |
| 2 Bottles Port Wine | |
| 1 Bottle Sherry Wine | |
| 93 Boxes Tuff | |

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 6 day of Oct; 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.		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.						Ht. forward					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forwd.						TOTAL,					

Credit Treasurer with 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

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

Ordered that in future the Tent Contractors be required to make the delivery of Tent at least once a week.

The recommendation of the Master as to the sale of Flax and Wooden Wheels &c was referred to the Visiting Committee to report upon.

Mr Whaymond having refused to supply Tea, Allopie, and Whiskey, the Board declared William H O'Connell Contractor for supplying these Articles, viz Tea @ 3⁵/₁₀₀ per lb, Allopie at 7¹/₂ per lb and Whiskey @ 10¹/₄ per gallon.

The sale of the Mannise was referred to the V. Committee to report upon.

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

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

The Board having considered the Commissioners' letter of the 27th September 1855 N^o 25,719 on the subject of the appointment of an Assistant Schoolmistress,

Resolved Unanimously,

That the Commissioners be informed that the Chairman of the Union and other Members of the Board have this day visited the girls' School for the purpose of enquiring whether the School is efficiently conducted and whether the Assistant "Ellen Lee" who has been acting for some time was competent in every respect to perform the duties and they have much pleasure in stating that the school continues to be conducted in equally as efficient a manner as it has always been, that since Ellen Lee's temporary appointment by the Board and discharge of the Workhouse books she has been most attentive and most anxious ^{and capable} ~~in every respect~~ to give the necessary assistance to the Schoolmistress =

the children also evince every desire to obey her and the Schoolmistress now reports such to be the case and that she is satisfied with her as an Assistant. While the Board quite agree with the Commissioners that generally speaking it is not ~~well~~ expedient to appoint persons who have been pauper inmates to be paid Officers of the Union. They are of opinion that in the case of Ellen Lee altho' she is under the age of 21 years the Commissioners ought not to press their objection to her appointment in as much as she is as competent (if not more so) as any other person who might be appointed as also on account of the School having progressed so favorably since her appointment as before, and the more particularly as she was reared and educated in the Workhouse, and the Board having taken so great an interest in her behalf — under all these circumstances they trust the Commissioners will not press their objection and that they will sanction her appointment at once.

The Tender of Martin Kelly for Supplying Best New Milk to the 29th September 1856 in compliance with the conditions of the Board on the 28th Sept last at 5^o per Gallon was accepted.

Simeth Rodrick Connor and Isaac Comerford both of Galway,

The collecting Warrants for Cammors, Clare Galway, Liehemawally and Inshmore dangerous were duly omitted by the Clerk and signed by the Chairman, two Guardians and Countersigned by the Clerk.

With regard to Honks. Arsons referred to our Minutes of 28th September Arnumber of the Board having stated this day that Mr. Conside the Collector mentioned to him that he would have resorted to the Premises long since for recovery of the Rates had

had not Mr Davis promised payment.

It was Resolved that the Collector be directed to pay to the credit of the Union the difference between the £3.11.0 which Mr Davis has been processed for and the whole amount due by Mr Montes.

The Clerk reported that the following Contractors have not yet attended to execute their Contract Bonds altho called upon by Minors to do so,

Thomas Palmer, Martin O'Malley, Stephen Kelly, Michael Killeen, Michael M. O'Donnell, Wm Burke and Thomas Lane,

Ordered that they be called upon again to execute their Bonds.

Monday was named for a meeting of the Rate Committee.

The following irrecoverable arrears of last rate on unoccupied Houses &c were struck off Galway £504..5..6 Inishmore £9:0:4³/₄ Drogheda £1.17.0 & Drammore £1.12.6

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 Poorlaw 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.)

Parish Jane Kelly who has received money from her friends in America to enable her to go out to them was ordered to be provided with an outfit the expense not to exceed £1.10.0

Ordered, that as a meeting of the Arbitrators cannot be had to make an award in the case of Mr Darcy against whom a decree of £43.17.8 was obtained that the Danister be requested to make the Decree absolute at the coming Sessions

Ordered, that the Clerk do write to Mr. Pierce Joyce reminding him of the arrangement come to in November last by which he agreed to pay any Rates which Captain Mulford might find to be due by his tenants at West Towan in the Ballinacorney Electoral Division and that unless such rates are not paid on or before Wednesday next that Processes will be issued against the Tenants to the Ballinacorney Sessions.

Agreeably to the Verbal recommendation of the Rate Committee, the Board appointed Mr. G. G. to collect the outstanding arrears of 1849 in the Claddagh and Goal Wards at 30 in the pound.

Next meeting of the Board to be held on Friday the 19 October 1855

J. Redington Chairman
J. G. G. Guardians
J. G. G. Clerk

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

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway
UNION, on Fri day, the 12th day of October 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
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:

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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____.

_____ District, £ _____
_____ District, £ _____

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 11 October 1855, stating that

that they have before them a report received from their Medical Inspector (Dr. Geary) relative to the Galway Dispensary District from which it would appear that there is only one person qualified and authorised to issue tickets for medical relief resident in the sub-district of the Aran Islands & that the Medical Officer has in consequence felt himself under the necessity of accepting the recommendations of the Clergyman altho' not aware that they have any legal right to issue tickets, the Commissioners requested to be furnished with the observations of the Board of Guardians, on the subject and they also suggested whether it would not under the circumstances be advisable to appoint a Warden or Wardens for the issue of tickets in the Islands of Aran.

The Commissioners are informed that there are 3 persons in the Islands of Aran qualified and authorised to issue tickets namely, one Currier and one Elected Guardian. Mr. Malley and the two Clergymen who have been appointed Wardens long since and who have been furnished with ticket Books and their appointment notified to the Medical Officer, Mr. Omsby.

Poor Law Commissioners letter 11th Oct 1855 referring to a Report received from Dr. Geary (M. Inspector) stating that a supply of Glass stoppered Bottles as also medical Relief Register are required at the Aran Dispensary and requesting that these articles may be supplied by the Guardians on receipt of a Requisition to that effect.

The Board will have the articles supplied when they receive a requisition.

The Report of the Sanatory Officer was read and adopted

Wm Redington
Chas. M. ...
Clerk of the Union

Clerk of the Union

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of Oct 1855.

Table with columns: 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, Boys and Girls, Children above 5 and under 9 years of age, Children above 2 and under 5 years of age, Infants under 2 years of age, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS.

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

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1., 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.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 19 day of October 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair; Wm Redington Esq J.P., Other Guardians; Chas. M..., Edward, D. Burke

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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. 26277 to No. 26326 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. 62 to No. 63, 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, - - - £ 104. 10. 6

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 61. 10. 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 182. 1. 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:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Richard Carter	Galway	47	10					2089	9	36			
Edw ^d Conscience	Galway				47	10		296	9	72	2395	17	14
	Canabron							65	12				
Mat Collins	Ballintemple							150	5	7	2150	7	6
	James town							114	6	11			
	Liscannon							89	8	0			
	Belleville							61	17	10			
	Angbriny							85	15	7			
	Deepowp							111	2	72			
Pat Sique	Lackabeg							9	7	45	472	1	42
	Garrinstown							81	13	74			
	Clonsilla							82	15	11			
Mathias Flynn	Lishinard							9	3	22	73	10	11
	Oxamore	10						228	7	7			
	Ballinacounty	28						100	12	1			
	Stradbally	4						103	9	92			
Martin Stemon	Chaubon	19			07			202	15	137	7	62	
John Hillane	Bushin										49	5	81
John O'Raherty	Slurum										179	16	35
	Inyquillin							162	10	67			
	Slurum							39	12	4			
	Sulloshul							111	15	7	313	18	6
John Curran	Fyrburck							57	10	10			
John Tolan	Spiddle							152	6	10	204	17	84
	Kylbarr							91	1	5			
	Selena							162	14	10	250	16	4
					104	10					522	1	12
James Young	Galway										999	5	1
Martin Stemon	Galway										17	5	0
Edw ^d Conscience	Galway										450	5	90
John O'Raherty	Inyquillin										220	15	74
John Hill	Bellagum							763	1	22			
	Inyquillin							358	4	42			
Mat Collins	Belare							90	6	9	121	12	42
Mat O'neaven	Loughph							115		7			
Samuel Crisp	Abbering							130	17	02	5	17	72
	Garrinstown							309	7	6			
	Ballinacounty							251	4	3			
	Stradbally							38	7	3	270	12	4

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ *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 £ *47* *4* s. *9* d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - *43* *9* *6* 1/2

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* *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:

700 lbs Breadcrumbs
1 Ton Branley Meal
1/2 " Indian Meal
1328 25 Milk
5 lbs Tea
112 " Rice
14 " Flour
16 9/4 Meat
1 Dozen Porter
14 lbs Snow Root
115 Boxes Turf

8 lbs Condensed
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 13 day of *Nov*; 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. forwd.					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.

Apprenticeship Repairs
Ready for Receipt Salary

3 " " *X*
2 " " *X*

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.

	£	s.	d.	
Unpaid Bill account.				
John Hedington Rent	105	"	"	
of ^{quarry} Glynn Balanc Office Pool	53	10	"	X
W. Burke Coffins	3	6	6	X
Carvill Salary	7	10	0	X
Thompson " "	7	10	0	X
Kelly Milk	20	"	"	X
Lane soap & shawls	10	"	"	X

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:

as report

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

No Report from the Master or other officers

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

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

For the Commissioners letter requesting the Clerk to forward the ^{annual} Return of Union Officers as soon as possible

Messrs read letter from W. Stone Joyce in reply to Messrs letter regarding the Rates due by his Tenants at West Tower Mr Joyce stated that he was willing to pay any Rates which were justly and fairly due.

Read letter from Captain Keane Staff Offr at Galway transmitting for the information of the Guardians a printed document which he received from the Central Association for Relief of the families of Soldiers now at

the Seat of War. Captain Keane informed the Board that the Scale of Relief laid down by the Central Association has been adopted by me since Saturday the 22^d ultimo and that he pointed out to the Guardians that the amount of allowance for each family is quite inadequate for its support and if the Guardians should be disposed to grant a little addition to each families allowance he would be most happy in giving the Guardians any information regarding the Women now in receipt of Relief in Galway

Resolved that Captain Keane be inf^d that the Guardians have no authority to afford outdoor Relief but that if families should at present be in the Workhouse or should hereafter be admitted the Guardians will be happy to receive from Captain Keane the Scale of allowance awarded them by the Central Association and place same to the credit of the Discharge they may be chargeable to.

Messrs laid upon the Board a detailed List of the Debt of the Union upto the 29th September 1855 as also of the appts as called for by the Board:

Res^d that Mr Clarke the architect be requested to attend the next meeting of the Visiting Committee for the purpose of consulting with the Committee as to the propriety of ~~erecting~~ constructing a chimney through the roof of the Linn Pool. Next Meeting of the Board to be held on Friday 26 Oct. 1855
W. H. Hart Chairman
Messrs } Guardians
Messrs }

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.)

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

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE

UNION, ON Friday day, the 14 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
Procurement 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 2
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:*

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:)

4 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 4 185, 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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 4 185.

4 District, £
4 District, £

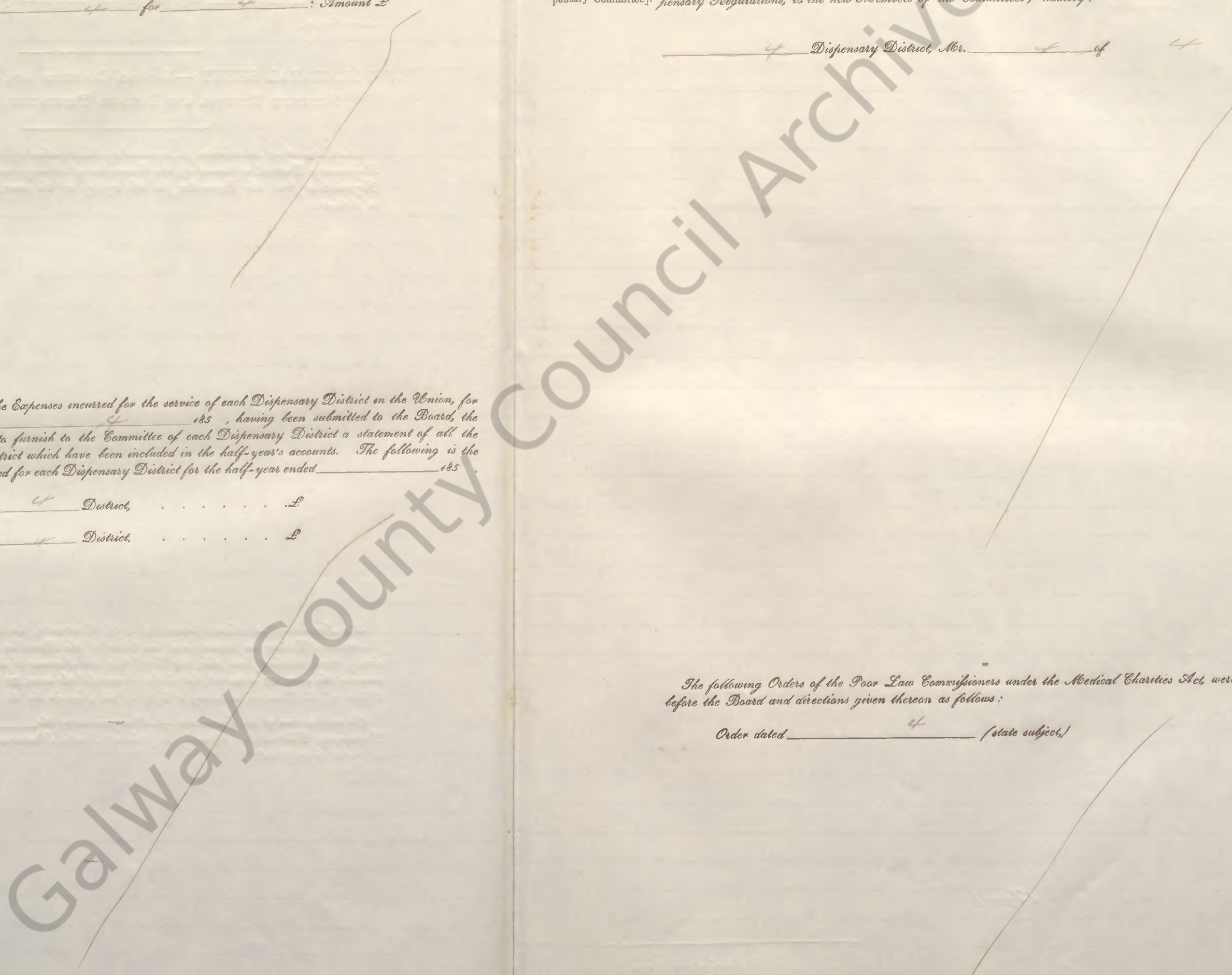
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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

4 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 4 _____ (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

Clerk Read Report from the Sanatory Committee dated 18 October 1855 which was adopted

Chairman

Guardians

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 20th day of Oct 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.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse,	1000	558												
Temporary Buildings,	800													
Additional Workhouse,	"													
Permanent Fever Hospital,	"													
Fever Sheds,	140	2												
Total,	2000	560												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			48	123	13	27	87	122	65	48	10	22	In Work-house Hospital, 119	In separate Wards, 1
Admitted during the Week,			5	7	2	1	1	"	"	1	18		In Fever Hospital, 2	In Wards with other inmates, 6
TOTAL,			53	130	15	28	88	123	65	48	11	57	Total, 111	Total, 6
Discharged during the Week,			5	2	"	"	1	2	"	"	10			
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	1		
Total Discharged and Dead,			5	2	"	"	1	2	"	"	11			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			48	127	10	28	87	121	65	48	10	56		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20 day of October 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.							Et. 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 26 day of October 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair, A. O'Hare, Esq. M.P.
 Other Guardians: Joseph O'Reilly, Nicholas Millan,
 John Gunning, John Harrison, James Davis,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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. 21822 to No. 21839, 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. 868 to No. 1003, 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, - - - £269.14.0

Paid during the week, - - - £ 211.16.6

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 189.19.0

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:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Richard Carter	Salway	116	"	"				2079	9	32			
Edward Concedine	Banora	117	"	"	3			279	9	92	36	1	11
	Galway	140	10	"				328	19	54			
	Caraghmore	23	13	"				41	11				
Matthew Conroy	Ballynampole	4	8	"	168	13		157	17	57	4	11	6
	Quadrone	"	"	"				114	6	11			
	Escapans	"	"	"				89	8	0			
	Wellegh	"	"	"				61	17	16			
	Longrun	"	"	"				55	15	7			
	Traymore	"	"	"				111	2	7			
Pat Nye	Castleg	"	"	"				9	9	4	1	4	1
	Carraig	"	"	"				81	13	9			
	Blairgalwa	"	"	"				88	18	3			
	Lyonsmulla	"	"	"				9	2	2	1	1	5
Mathew Kenins	Oranmore	13	"	"				225	1	1			
	Ballyacomb	4	"	"				6	12	1			
	Stradbally	"	"	"				103	9	0			
	Chambridge	23	"	"	30			181	18	1	1	0	6
James Pierce	Tramore	"	"	"				4	16	7			
John Dillane	Kilcummin	"	"	"				152	10	6			
John Liberty	Moycullin	"	"	"				39	12	4			
	Keenena	"	"	"				111	15	7	1	1	6
Joseph Luram	Yullopue	"	"	"				57	10	10			
John Tolan	Spiddle	"	"	"				152	6	10	1	1	7
	Kilhamin	9	5	"				81	15	8			
	Selma	28	16	"	3	1		133	18	11	1	1	4
					2	7		267	4				5
James Croft	Galway	"	"	"				97	5	1			
Marion Skinnon	Tramore	"	"	"				1	1	0			
Edward Boylan	Galway	"	"	"				7	12	3			
John Liberty	Moycullin	"	"	"				223	15	1			
John Hill	Kilhamin	"	"	"				7	3	1	2		
	Enghelwood	"	"	"				35	8	4	5		
Matthew Conroy	Blairgalwa	"	"	"				46	6	9	1	1	6
Matthew O'Connell	Lyonsmulla	"	"	"				115	1	1			
	Castleg	"	"	"				138	17	0	1	1	7
Samuel Croft	Tramore	4	4	"				309	7	6			
	Ballyacomb	3	"	"				257	4	3			
	Stradbally	4	"	"				38	7	3			

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ *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 £ *39* . *16* s. *11* d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - *13* . *11* . *8*

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - *1* . *2* . *2* 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:

800 lbs Bread
1 Ton of Barley Meal
1/2 " Corn Meal
1352 lbs Milk
6 lbs Tea
176 " Beef
1 Ton Potatoes
33 Boxes Soap
8 lbs Candles
56 " Soap
56 " 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 *1* day of *18*; 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. forwd.					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:

A report from the Resolving Committee

The direction of last Board, regarding the Calf Pool to be suspended until the Board will see what effect the keeping of the Windows open during the night may have.

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

Required for sundry Repairs of Bakehouse and the several fire places of the Establishment
3 Fire Blocks, 12 Fire Bricks, 500 Common Bricks, and 2 Cords of Sand.

Ordered,
Required for general use 3 Coal Boxes, also stock of Charcoal for Industrial department—ordered—

The Master laid the following Returns before the Board, as to the Malt delivered during the Week,

	Monday	Tuesday	Wednesday	Thursday	
1st Delivery	8 ¹ / ₂	9 ¹ / ₂	7	10	10 ¹ / ₂ per Cent
2nd "	9	9	5	10	9 ³ / ₄
3rd "	"	10	"	"	9

Ordered that in future the Master do state the quantity delivered producing each degree of per Centage so that the Clerk may know the amount to be deducted from Contractor whenever the per Centage does not amount to 9 per cent.

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

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

Poor Law Commissioners Letter 20 October 1850 N^o 28180 transmitting queries to be answered and signed by Mr Samuel Croft who has been appointed to collect the outstanding Rate of 1849 in the Claddagh and Goat Wards of the Galway Division.

Poor Law Commissioners Letter 20 Oct 1850, N^o 28180 relative to the Guardians Resolution of the Board on the 12th Inst regarding the proposed appointment of Ellen See to the office of Assistant Schoolmistress of the Workhouse. On reference thereto the Commissioners stated that they have considered the circumstances represented in the Guardians Resolution but they cannot assent to appointing a girl taken out of the Workhouse School being appointed an Officer of the Workhouse. The Commissioners stated while they have no doubt but that Ellen See deserves the good opinion the Guardians have formed regarding her yet if she is fit for so important a post as that of Assistant Teacher there can be little doubt, they may obtain employment or service out of the Workhouse,

and thus the evil effect of a bad precedent be avoided in the administration of the Poor Law. The Commissioners finally stated that they could not dispense with the regulation which requires a Union Officer to be 21 years of age at least and any salary which may be allowed to Ellen See will be liable to disallowance by the Auditor.

Resolved, the Commissioners are respectfully and earnestly requested not to press their objections to Ellen See's appointment particularly as they have frequently sanctioned the appointment of persons to situations in this Workhouse under 21 years of age and also of persons who had been paupers at the time of appointment and the Board are of opinion that among all the cases there was not one more worthy of the objections being waived in her favour than Ellen See.

Read Letter from Dughterard Board regarding payment of the Balance due to it by the Galway Union.

Resolved, that the Clerk do write to the Tyan and Fort Boards for payment of the balance due by those Unions to Galway and that the Dughterard Board be written to, saying that the Board will make arrangements to pay ^{them} within a short time.

Letters were read from Messrs Croft, Keille & Son, John Kennedy, Martin Gualley, Pat O'Shaherty and Mr Young for payment of Amount due to them,

Referred to Finance Committee.

Resolved, that the Finance Committee be summoned, to, W.C. on Friday Evening,

Resolved, that payments be made on Tuesday next and on every second Tuesday afterwards and on no account that this Resolution be departed from without a fortnights notice being given to each Guardian and that the Clerk present in bills to the Committee or Board except on those days.

Mr Cousins offered an explanation regarding Montys arrears which the Board were inclined to believe relieved him from the charge of neglect - and from the manner in which the Poor made the alterations in the several Rates the Board directed the Balance of fees due to him to be retained until it should be ascertained whether he acted properly in the matter.

At a meeting of the N. B. held on 2nd Nov 1855
At the City

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

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

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.)

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

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway
UNION, on fr day, the 26th day of Oct 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:)

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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185

_____ District £
_____ District £

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 25 October 1855 stating that

Noting that they have had a report from Doctor Geary Medical Inspector in which he states that no fire place has been provided in the Waiting Room of the Moycullin Dispensary nor have notifications been affixed to either of the Dispensaries in the form required by Article 16 of the Dispensary rules, the Commissioners directed the attention of the Guardians to their Letter of the 5 April in which the Commissioners requested that the Guardians would have the goodness to take steps to supply the omissions referred to.

The Commissioners are informed that on the occasion referred to the Board wrote to the Committee authorising them to provide the necessary sign boards and fire place and that the Board would pay for them on bills being sent in, this Board will again authorise the Committee to supply the omissions pointed out in the Commissioners letter,

The report of the Sanatory Committee was read and adopted,

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of Oct 1855.

Table with columns: Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided, Aged and Infirm persons, Boys and Girls, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS.

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

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, Total relieved out of the Workhouse, RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, Total relieved out of the Workhouse.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 27 day of Oct 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

John O'Haherty Esq M.P., John Robinson, John Gorman, Joseph Crealy, George Morris, Henry Giffin.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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 & Vic., c. 81.

The Warehouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 21844 to No. 21845 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-poor Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 563 to No. 563, 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, - - - £352.14.0

Paid during the week, - - - £0.0.0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £542.13.11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Richard Carter	Galway							2073	9	33			
Edw. Cousidine	Galway	212	13					3075	6	53			
Mat Comyn	Ballintemple	8	11		27	12		143	6	53			
	Clonsilla							114	6	11			
	Belleville							89	8	3			
	Belleville							61	17	10			
	Belleville							85	16	7			
	Belleville							11	2	7			
Pat Ayer	Common							9	9	4	472	1	4
	Common							87	13	7			
	Common							88	18	3			
Mathew Ayer	Common							9	3	2			
	Common							225					
	Common							96	12	1			
	Common							103	9	9			
	Common							181	18	1			
John O'Hanley	Common							162	10	6			
	Common							39	12	4			
	Common							111	15	7			
	Common							50	11	10			
	Common							111	6	10			
	Common							87	16	5			
	Common							110	8	10			
	Common							352	14				
Samuel Cuff	Galway												
Edw. Cousidine	Galway												
John Cuff	Galway							763	12	5			
	Galway							358	4	4			
	Galway							95	6	9			
Mat Comyn	Galway							115		7			
Mat Comyn	Galway							138	17	10			
Samuel Cuff	Galway							309	7	6			
	Galway							257	4	3			
John O'Hanley	Galway							38	7	3			

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ *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 £ 39. 2 s. 5 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 44. 2. 8 3/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 0. 1. 4 3/4

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - 0. 2. 2 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:

800 lbs Bread	2 Bottles Port Wine
1 Ton Branley Meal	14 lbs Snow Root
1/2 " Indian Meal	71 Boxes Inf
1352 lbs Milk	8 lbs Eggs
7 lbs Tea	56 " Soap
112 " Sugar	56 " W. Soda
14 " Loaf Sugar	
10 " Pepper	
10 " Allspice	
182 " Meat	
1 frozen Porter	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the *10* day of *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.		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.	Article and quantity.			Value. £ s. d.			
No. I.						Bt. forward					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forwd.						TOTAL,					

Credit Treasurer with 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.

*Clerk of Union clothes, for *1* *1/2**

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

Unpaid Bill etc

		£	s.	d.	
Rev Mr. Hall's Salary	22.10.0	437			x
Rev John Treavor	6.5.0	30			x
Mr. Bramhall	10.0.0	24			x
Mr. Lambert	2.10.0	14			x
Leath	4.10.0	26			x
Herrins	7.10.0	19			x
P. Ingham	2.10.0	12			x
W. P. Lambert	7.10.0	9			x
Mr. Griffin	2.10.0	12			x
Dr. Davis	30.0.0	12			x
Mr. Bramhall	11.5.0	8			x
James Forbes Rent	15.0.0	73			x
Dr. O'Connell's Salary	20.0.0	9			x
Mr. Hughes	22.10.0	10			x
P. Barnes	3.0.0	9			x
Dr. Keegan	22.10.0	53			x
Douglas	5.0.0	4			x
Morgan	15.0.0	17			x
Oliver's Rent	67.0.0	30			x
Equ. Kelly's Rent	25.0.0				x
Lynch's Fuel					
Mellan's Groceries					
McNamara's Meat					
do					
O'Connell's Fuel					
Stall's Soap &c					
Ngille & Sons Cotton					
Salmon Printing					
Thom					
Thom's Leather &c					
Kelcey's Hardware					
Esche's Medicine					
Kernedy Printing					
Norman's Spices					
Stamilton's Medice					
Martin's Clothing					
Harrel's Hardware					
O'Leary's Fees					
Kelley's Mills					

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Stephen Law's other Expenses etc

		£	s.	d.	
Lynch's Interest		60			x
Loers		45			x
Tahner		9			x
Surgery		3			x
Chape		13			x
Castello		20			x
Herrins		4			x
Martin		13			x
Oliver		23			x

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 M.C.

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

No report from the Officers

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:

P.L. Letter 1 Nov 1855. N^o 29193. Stating that they have had under consideration the Guardians resolution of the 26th ult. on the subject of the proposed appointment of Ellen Lee as Assistant S. Master. The Poor Law Commissioners stated that they are unwilling to offer any unnecessary objection to the wishes of the Board of Guardians of the S. Union but that they continue to think the app^t of a pauper inmate of the W.H. to the office of Assistant Schoolmistress in the W. House, School so objectionable that they cannot sanction the course which has been proposed in this instance. The Commissioners observed that they are not aware of the particular cases of app^t of Paupers as Paid Officers to which the Board of Guardians refer in their Minutes but the practice of the Commissioners to point out to Boards of Guardians the objection to such appointments when their attention is drawn to a proposal of the kind. The Commissioners hoped the Board of Guardians will not defer taking the necessary steps to appointment of a duly qualified person

to the office.

Resolved Unanimously. The Commissioners are informed that on the 15th February 1850 a pauper inmate named Budget Shaughnessy was appointed Assistant Schoolmistress of the Workhouse, that the Commissioners with acknowledge of her being an inmate very properly sanctioned her appointment that on the resignation of Miss Corvey the Head Schoolmistress Miss Shaughnessy was promoted to her situation that she subsequently held the situation of Head Schoolmistress in the Roscrea Workhouse and present fills the same office in the Cork Workhouse. The Board have no hesitation in stating that they attribute Miss Shaughnessy future success to the course adopted by them in promoting her in 1850 to the office of Assistant Schoolmistress from being a pauper and from Ellen Lee's steady conduct and great efficiency the Board have no doubt but she will prove equally as worthy the good opinion the Board have so repeatedly recorded of her under all the circumstances and considering that every Board has been unanimous in requesting the Commissioners sanction to her appointment. The Board trust it will no longer be deferred. The Board would be far from pressing the matter if they had the least doubt of her competency in every particular.

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 1 Nov 1855.
Enclosing a form to be filled up regarding
Jane Kelly who has been assisted to emigrate.

Poor L. Commissioners Circular 30 Oct 1855.
requiring to be furnished with a return

relative to the schools. 10

Pouhaunmiquis letter 1 November 1855
adverting to the proceedings of the Board
on the 26 ultimo and requesting to be
furnished with a copy of the expl-
anation given by W. J. Condon in relation
to Monk's case.

W. J. Condon to be requested to furnish
written explanation

Pouhaunmiquis letter 1st November
1855 adverting to be informed of the
nature of the order made on the
26 ultimo relative to the cesspool.

Pouhaunmiquis letter 1 Nov 1855
stating that it appeared from a report
received from Dr. Murkin Auditor that
the half yearly abstracts were not
forwarded to him & requesting that

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

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.)

(They may be forwarded at once

Mr. Flah stated that he would
forward the abstracts by the end of
the next week, that he was unable
to do so sooner in consequence of his
attendance at sessions —

Mr. Porter was granted a week's leave
of absence.

Next meeting of the Board to be
held on Friday the 9th November 1855

J. Redington Chairman
Joseph Hoaly }
William Kelly } Guardians

W. J. Condon Clerk

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

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway
UNION, on Friday day, the 24th day of November 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:

Resolved that it be forwarded to the
Contractor to supply:

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 the 24th day of November 1855
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:

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 £

Galway District

Clerk of Union Sanatory expenses £20.0.0

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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185.

[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.]

_____ District	£
_____ District	£

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

Chairman
Secretary

Galway County

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Galway UNION.

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of Nov 1855.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . .	1000	586												
Temporary Buildings, . . .	800													
Additional Workhouse, . . .	"													
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .	"													
Fever Sheds, . . .	140	3												
Total, . . .	2000	589												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			47	128	18	43	86	121	67	48	12	57	In Work-house Hospital, 100 In Fever Hospital, 3	In separate Wards, 7 In Wards with other inmates, 6
Admitted during the Week, . . .			2	4	1	2	1	1	3	7	15			
TOTAL, . . .			49	132	19	45	87	122	70	55	72			
Discharged during the Week, . . .			2	5	2	3	1	2	4	1	16			
Died, . . .			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			2	5	2	3	1	2	4	1	16			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			47	127	17	42	87	121	66	57	11	569		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 3 day of Nov 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 11th day of November 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair, *John Redington Esq. B.C.*
 Other Guardians: *Wm. Kelly, Edward D. Burke, George Morris, Joseph Grealy, James P. Foster, John Plaffery, John Gunning, James Davis, Thomas Cullinane, John Harroun, Wm. Clewley, Nicholas Kilian, Peter S. Morrey*
William P. Brennan Esq. P.L.S.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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. 261 to No. 267 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Outdoor Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 163 to No. 167 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 Council Sale of Sanatory Manure £55, 16. 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, - - - £132, 3. 3

Paid during the week, - - - £112, 10. 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 2. 6. 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Richard Bates	Galway	72	3	3	✓			200	6	0			
Edw Cousins	Banna	41	7	3	✓	113	3	238	9	3			
	Galway	220	2	1	✓			235	4	3			
	Canabrown	4	3	4	✓			18	13	7			
Mat Collins	Ballinacorney	26	2	1	✓	250	7	117	4	3			
	Armagh	18	17	1	✓			95	9	11			
	Liscannan	"	"	"	✓			89	8	0			
	Belleville	"	"	"	✓			61	17	10			
	Longhony	"	"	"	✓			85	16	7			
	Donagh	"	"	"	✓			111	2	7			
Pat Collins	Lackabeg	"	"	"	✓	15	14	9	9	4			
	Grannore	"	"	"	✓			81	13	9			
	Clongshragh	"	"	"	✓			88	18	3			
	Liscannore	"	"	"	✓			9	8	2			
Matthew Fyner	Grannore	56	"	"	✓			169	7	7			
	Ballinacorney	1	"	"	✓			95	12	1			
	Shadballis	42	"	"	✓			61	9	9			
	Clareubrid	61	"	"	✓	160		120	18	1			
Martin Hermon	Grannore	"	"	"	✓								
John Dillane	Kilcarnin	"	"	"	✓								
John O'Flaherty	Moycullen	"	"	"	✓			152	10	6			
	Shreeveena	"	"	"	✓			39	12	4			
	Syllogh	"	"	"	✓			111	15	7			
Sam Collins	Striborough	17	10	"	✓			33	"	10			
John Folan	Spiddale	16	10	"	✓	34		94	16	10			
	Kilcarnin	"	"	"	✓			81	16	5			
	Seema	"	"	"	✓			110	8	10			
					✓	574	7						
Samuel Gross	Galway	"	"	"	✓								
Matthew Hermon	Banna	"	"	"	✓								
John O'Flaherty	Galway	"	"	"	✓								
John O'Flaherty	Moycullen	"	"	"	✓								
John Kelly	Kilcarnin	"	"	"	✓			763	12	2			
	Dyspherraid	"	"	"	✓			358	4	4			
	Canabrown	"	"	"	✓			95	6	9			
Mat Collins	Armagh	"	"	"	✓								
Mat Connam	Lackabeg	"	"	"	✓			115	"	7			
	Athenry	"	"	"	✓			138	17	0			
Samuel Gross	Grannore	"	"	"	✓			309	7	6			
	Ballinacorney	"	"	"	✓			257	11	3			
	Shadballis	"	"	"	✓			38	7	3			

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ *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 £ *57. 11 s. 8¹/₂*.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - *45. 0. 6¹/₂*

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - *0. 1. 4¹/₂*

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - *0. 2. 2*

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - *0. 2. 2*

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

<p><i>1 Ton</i></p> <p><i>650 lbs Bread</i></p> <p><i>240 " Barley Meal</i></p> <p><i>1/2 Ton Indian Meal</i></p> <p><i>1/2 " Oat Meal</i></p> <p><i>1429 lbs Malt</i></p> <p><i>5 cwt Salt</i></p> <p><i>6 " Tea</i></p> <p><i>177 " Meat</i></p> <p><i>203 Boxes Inf</i></p> <p><i>8 lbs Candles</i></p> <p><i>112 " Soap</i></p>	<p><i>112 lbs W. Soda</i></p> <p><i>1 Wax Candles</i></p>
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The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature:

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the *12* 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.		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. forwd.						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:

The Visiting Committee reported that the
Workhouse is in good order,

See memo book

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

The Master reported that the Milk supplied
during the past Week was equal to Contract.

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

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

Poor Law Commissioners Letter November 1855,
approving of the appointment of Pat Newall as
Workmaster, and Nicholas Burke as Assistant
Schoolmaster,

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 5 Nov 1855,
inclosing specifications of Works which may
be required to be performed from time to time
in the Workhouse.

Referred to the Vesting Committee.

Poor Law Commissioners Circular November 1855,
requesting that the Board of Guardians would
be so good as to afford every assistance in
their power to the Registrar General in procuring
Agricultural Statistics.

Circular from Mr Donnelly Registrar General
inclosing forms &c to be supplied to the several
Guardians and requesting that each Guardian

would kindly fill up the necessary forms and
transmit them to him and also that they would
use their influence towards the procuring of
correct information by the Constabulary.

Ordered that the Clerk do furnish the forms
to the several Guardians.

Poor Law Commissioners Letter November 1855
requesting to be furnished with the returns re-
garding the current rates.

The following orders were made on Letters
from ratepayers regarding over rating,
unoccupied Houses &c.

That Mr T Burke be informed that the
Board cannot interfere with the Collector,
the rates being legally due, and means being
on the premises.

That the Clerk do examine the Rate Books
in many Council cases of Mentis and report
to the next Board.

That the Clerk direct the Collector to summon
in the following cases with the view of legal
evidence being had of the unoccupancy of
the premises the parties alledging they were un-
occupied.

Mr Kent of High Street for the rate of
1854.

Mr Smith of Abbeygate Street for the Rate of
1855.

In Mr Nean's case the Collector be directed to take the present rate and the question of the Arrear of 1853 to be referred to the Rate Committee at next meeting,

Mr Peter Conroy having stated that Curreen Collector of the peddler allowed an Arrear of 7/6 to accrue on a holding on which there was plenty of means during the year for the tenant, and lately applied to him for the amount the holding having come into his possession =

Ordered that Curreen's explanation be requested and if not satisfactory that the amount be charged to him.

In the case of Fleck and Feeny who stated they have been rated twice, the Clerk was directed to make enquiry from Mr Cousidine the Collector and Mr French the Landlord and to report to the Board at next meeting the

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

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.)

result of his enquiry,

The Clerk reported that only two of the Collectors Mr Curran and Flynn attended on Yesterday for examination of their accounts,

Resolved, That all the Collectors be directed to attend the meeting of the Board on the 30 November with all their books and papers as the Board and the Inspector will make a searching examination on that day, and that they be informed that the Board will expect all collectable Rates to be lodged by that day and if not that stringent steps will be taken by the Board to insure a speedy closing of the collection =

Ordered that the Clerk do lay a tabular statement before next meeting showing the number of applicants for admission and the R^o relieved from each Relieving Officer's district for the last month,

The Board had under consideration the large debt due by the Parishes of Marlin the defaulting collector when it was,

Resolved, that in the case of the Parishes of Marlin the defaulting collector the Sheriffs be authorised to bring down execution forthwith against Mr. Johnson upon whose part no payment whatever has been made and that in the case of his Co-parish Mr. Gunning, who has made certain payments at foot of his liability, that proceedings be stayed for one month from this date to enable him to lodge a sum of £50 which he has this day undertaken to do and that in the event of this undertaking not being fulfilled

The Solicitor be informed of the circumstances by the Clerk and that he then proceed against him in the same manner as in the case of Mr Townsend.

Read Letter from the Oughterard Board again requesting the Balance due to them may be paid.

Resolved. The Commissioners be requested to inform the Board whether the Galway Board have a right to pay the balance until the final adjustment takes place as it consists of Rates collected since the issue of the adjustment order and the balance appearing in favour of Oughterard Union under same order being long since cleared off.

Miss Leville the Schoolmistress was granted leave of absence from Saturday evening till Monday morning, she promising to be back in time for School on Monday.

That Bridget Flavin be provided with a suit of clothes the expense not to exceed 12/6 her own not being forthcoming and her friends having sent for her from England.

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

(Signed) Clerk of the Union.

Ordered that two Tons of Peat be had from Mr Peep of Galway to absorb the liquid manure in the Cess Pool.

A Letter of Guarantee was handed in signed by Messrs Nicholas Sullivan and Tho. J. Keed binding themselves in the event of the Guardians paying the fees due to Mr Young late Collector who had gone to Australia amounting to £40.12.2 to Mrs Pridge Young his Mother that they would bear the Union harmless from all legal claims being made upon the Guardians for said sum or any part thereof. Mr Blakney the Solicitor having approved of the form of the ~~solvency of the parties~~ guarantee and the Board having approved of the ~~form~~ solvency of the parties an order was made to pay Mr Young the above amount.

Next meeting of the Board to be held on Friday the 16 November 1855.

J. Redington. Chairman.
G. Moore, } Guardians
R. W. ... }
A. ... } Clerk Union

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway
UNION, on Friday, the 10 day of Nov 1855.
—continued.

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NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

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Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a
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as follows:*

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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 £

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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 185 .

[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.]

 District, £
 District, £

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

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

 Dispensary District, Mr. of

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

Order dated (state subject)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

Galway County

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Galway UNION.

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of Nov 1855.

Table with columns: 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 (Males, Fem.), Aged and infirm persons, Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age, Children above 5 and under 9 years of age, Children above 2 and under 5 years of age, Infants under 2 years of age, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS (Number in Hospital, No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse), OBSERVATIONS.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10th day of Nov authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. (Number of cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her), Total relieved out of the Workhouse (Cases, Persons), RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. (Number of cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her), Total relieved out of the Workhouse (Cases, Persons).

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 16th day of Nov 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Redington Esq. V.C., Other Guardians: George Murphy, Pat. J. Doncannon, Joseph Healy, Bernard O'Haghey, Wm Kelly, James Davis, John Blaney, John Gannon, John Harrison, Edward D. Binke.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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 7th & Vic., c. 87.

Between Michael McDonnell & Mary Ann Murphy
 " William Chapel & Bridgeta Crane

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2687 1/2 to No. 2690 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. 865 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 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, - - - £442.1.0

Paid during the week, - - - £144.7.2

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £300.10.1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Richard Carter	Galway	123						18	6	0			
	Barna				120			205	9	9			
Edw. Consideine	Galway	210	18					26	4	6			
	St. Browne							18	13	7			
Mathew Collins	Stamphle	4	17		15	10		112	7	5			
	Agua down							95	9	11			
	Liscannon							89	8	0			
	Beltville	8	8					53	9	10			
	Aughrim	7	19					77	17	7			
	Geespointe	14	9					96	13	7			
Pat Hynes	Lackabeg				10	10		9	9	4			
	Wannore							81	13	9			
	Blonely Galway							88	18	3			
	Lisheenavally							9	3	2			
Mathew Flynn	Frommon							16	9	7			
	Ballinacounty							95	12	1			
	Shadballa							61	9	9			
	Clareybridge							120	18	1			
Maytin Heron	Inshnose												
John Dillane	Glencumin				140	1					105	9	0
John O'Flaherty	Moylecullin							152	10	6			
	Shebeenena							39	12	4			
	Yellohype							11	15	7			
Timothy Carrin	Yuppointe							33		10			
	Spiddale							94	15	11			
John Tolan	Dullann	8	13	4				73	3	0			
	Selenia	24	5	7				86	3	5			
Samuel Leas	Galway												
Maytin Heron	Frommon												
John Consideine	Galway												
John O'Flaherty	Moylecullin												
John Lyle	Dullann							76	3	1			
	Doylepointe							35	8	4			
Mat Collins	Blonely Galway							95	6	9			
Mat Greenen	Agua down												
	Lackagh							115		7			
Samuel Leas	Athemy							138	17	0			
	Frommon							309	7	0			
	Ballinacounty							257	4	3			
	Shadballa							35	7	3			

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 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 £ 46, 6 s. 6³/₄ d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 45.15.5³/₄

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 0.1.4³/₄

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 0.2.2

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:

75 lbs Bread
 2 Sows Spuley Meal
 1 " Indian Meal
 1398 lbs Milk
 5 lbs Tea
 14 " Sugar
 1 Bottle Sherry Wine
 14 lbs Snow Root
 70 Boxes Inf
 8 lbs Candles
 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 7 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.		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. forwd.						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 to purchase School Books 14 s 7 4
 Election Law & other Expenses account
 Henry Stanagan Petty Sessions Expenses 6 12 " 4

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

Workhouse Invoice Account
John Oliver Bread

Unpaid Bill etc

	£	s	d	
Rev P. Dalrymple Salary	22.10.0			X
Mr. Keenan "	6.5.11			X
Doody Bramghally	10.0.0			X
Mr. Shanganess Salary	7.10.0			X
John O'Connell "	45.0.0			X
John O'Connell "	1.10.0			X
Rich. Bentley "	1.7.6			X
Mr. Lambert "	2.10.0			X
Mr. Lell "	4.10.0			X
Mr. Coyle "	12.10.0			X
John Kerrins "	7.10.0			X
Pat Moran "	7.10.0			X
W. P. Lambert "	7.10.0			X
Mr. Guffin "	7.10.0			X
Mr. Daves "	30.0.0			X
Mr. Branphell "	11.5.0			X
Mr. Brimble "	15.0.0			X
Mr. Hughes "	22.10.0			X
Pat Keenan Rent	3.0.0			X
Jam. Mella Post	2.0.0			X
Mr. Keenan Salary	22.10.0			X
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Mr. Keenan Salary	22.10.0			X

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

Debit Bill etc Invoice Account

	£	s	d	
Mr. Morgan	15.0.0			X
Mr. Keenan Rent	2.10.0			X
Mr. Keenan Rent	5.15.0			X
Mr. Keenan Rent	17.5.5			X
Mr. Keenan Rent	20.0.0			X
Mr. Keenan Rent	35.0.0			X
Mr. Keenan Rent	249.0.0			X
Mr. Keenan Rent	12.0.0			X
Mr. Keenan Rent	50.0.0			X
Mr. Keenan Rent	22.0.0			X
Mr. Keenan Rent	4.0.0			X
Mr. Keenan Rent	2.0.0			X
Mr. Keenan Rent	12.0.0			X

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 reported that the House is in good order, that the Meal supplied during the past week was not equal to contract, that some of Male Infirm Class be supplied with White Bread instead of Brown Bread.

Ordered that the Contractor be requested to supply good Meal in future.

That White Bread be supplied to such of the Male Infirm as the Doctor may consider requires it.

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

No 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, for Orders made on them respectively as follows:

Poor Law Commissioners, Letter 14 November 1855, No 29947 referring to the Minutes of the 2nd Inst and to their letter of the 1st Inst, requesting to be informed of the nature of the order referred to in the Minutes of the 26 October as made on the previous day regarding the Deep Pool. The Commissioners again requested to be furnished with the required information.

The Commissioners are informed that the Master was merely directed to keep the Windows of the Manure Tank open at night, the purchase of Charcoal, which had been directed previously that the Charcoal has been purchased and used in absorbing the liquid Manure.

Poor Law Commissioners Letter 15 Nov 1855, No 30520 referring to the Resolution of last Board regarding payment of the Balance due to the Oughterard Union. The Commissioners directed the attention of the Board to

the amended General order of the 11th Dec 1851 from which it appeared that the Guardians of the Galway Union are bound to pay to Oughterard Union any balances in favour of Townlands separated from Galway and added to Oughterard Union without waiting for the final adjustment

Poor Law Commissioners Letter 15 Nov 1855 No 29947 relating to the appointment of Ellen Lee to the Office of Assistant Schoolmistress of the Workhouse. The Commissioners stated that it appeared ^{that} Miss Shaughnessy, referred to in the Guardians Resolution of the 2 Instant was a teacher by occupation before she entered the Workhouse though she was compelled to seek a temporary asylum there and the Commissioners therefore considered that a fair comparison cannot be drawn between Miss Shaughnessy's appointment, and the proposed nomination of a pauper girl who it appears is about 15 years of age to the office of Teacher of Children who have hitherto been her daily companions. The Commissioners therefore declined to approve the proposed appointment of Ellen Lee to the Office in question.

The Board would beg to lay the following Report, this day received, from the National Board's Inspector before the Commissioners and as the school appears from this report to be conducted efficiently, and also in consideration of the unanimous feeling of the Board in Ellen Lee's favour this Board again respectfully requests the Commissioners approval of her appointment.

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Education Office
November 9th 1855

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We forward for the information of the Board of Guardians the following extracts from the District Inspector's Report of the 17th Wk upon the Galway Poor Law Union National Schools.

The Male Teacher ranks in the second division of Second Class, and the Schoolmistress in the first division of the Third Class. The Assistant Teacher is competent. They conduct the business of instruction in a satisfactory manner.

The school is in a very creditable state of efficiency and the junior classes in the Male School are improved since my former inspection. The general proficiency of the Classes is fully up to the programme issued by the

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

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

Do. do. 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.)

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Commissioners. The supply of Ligon Books, Copy Books, &c is deficient.

We are, Sir
Yours Obedt Servants
Maurice Croft
James Kelly
Secretaries

Report taken this day read: -
Poor Law Commissioners Letter dated 15 Nov 1855 referring to the Weekly returns of Rate. The Commissioners requested that the Board of Guardians will be good enough to see that the practice of Collectors holding Balances in their hands be at once discontinued.

Resolved. That the Collectors be called upon to lodge the Balances in their hands.

Poor Law Commissioners Letter 15 Nov 1855 requesting that in future the Weekly returns of Rate may be forwarded Weekly.

Read Letter from Mr Harbyn P.L. Auditor stating that he would attend at the Workhouse on Wednesday the 29th December to audit the accounts of the Half year ending 29 Sept last.

Ordered that the collectors of the Town districts be directed to issue summonses in all cases where parties claim exemption on the grounds of the premises being unoccupied so that legal evidence may be had of the truth of their statements.

The Clerk laid a Tabular statement of the No of Applicants for admission and the No admitted to the Workhouse from each Relieving Officers

Officers disquit, during the Month from the 10th Oct to the 10th Nov. as required by the last Board.

Carroll Pierce late Collector of Rates for Annon applied to the Board to be repaid a sum of £2.15.0 paid by him for summonses and Service of same issued for recovery of Poor Rate in 1853. It appearing that he issued summonses against parties but that on the cases being called on before the Magistrate the parties paid the Rates and the Magistrate in consequence of their showing a good example to the others by paying the Rates gave no costs against them.

Mr Pierce produced the certificate of the Clerk of Petty Sessions, and of Mr O'Shaughnessy Solicitor for the Board, on the occasion testifying as to the above facts.

Resolved that under all these circumstances, the Commissioners be requested to sanction the Board paying Pierce the amount.

Resolved that in future the Finance Committee do meet at half past 11 O'Clock on every second Sunday instead of 11 O'Clock.

Ordered. That Mr Cornell Auctioneer be directed to make enquiry for a suitable Hoysse or place in Town to dispose by Auction of the balance of the Surplus Stock selected for sale.

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

long since and that before agreeing for same he do mention the same to the Board

Ordered. That the Manure of the Workhouse be sold on Saturday the 24th Inst and that Mr Cornell Auctioneer be instructed to advertise it in the Express Newspaper and put Hand-bills in the Town and Suburbs.

The Clerk was granted a weeks leave of absence from Wednesday next. Mr Birmingham his Assistant to act during his absence.

Mr Blakeney Solicitor attended the Board and stated that in compliance with the direction of last Board he had issued Execution in the Case of Mr Townsend and that the Sheriff had advertised the property to be sold on Wednesday next but he suggested that the sale should be adjourned in order to afford him an opportunity of having an interview with Mr Somerville tenant to part of the property who may make such arrangement as may secure the Debt to the Union but if no arrangement was come to he would suggest advise the Board to authorize some person to bid for the property on the part of the Guardians so that it should not go at least for less than the Guardians claim. Mr Blakeney's suggestion was agreed to and he was requested to have the sale adjourned to Wednesday the 5th December in the meantime he was requested to report to the Board the result of his any interview which he may have with Mr Somerville.

Next Meeting of the Board to be held on Sunday the 23rd Nov - 1853

W. Flaherty Chairman
J. G. G. G. Guardian

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

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[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.]

_____ District £ _____
_____ District £ _____

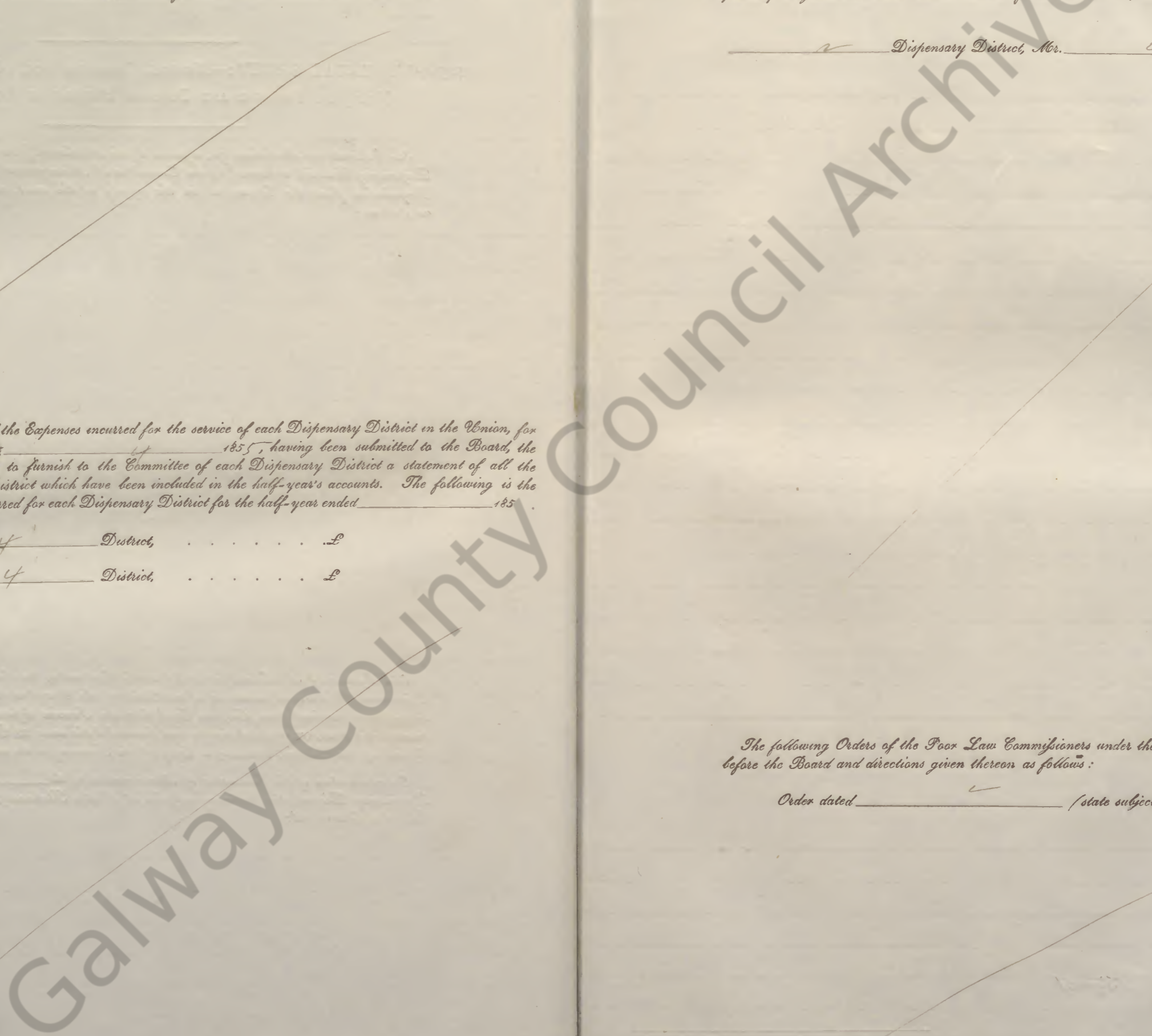
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Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *17th* day of *Nov* 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,	1000	593												
Temporary Buildings,	860													
Additional Workhouse,	"													
Permanent Fever Hospital,	"													
Fever Sheds,	140	3												
Total,	2000	596												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			50	126	20	43	92	121	69	53	13	587	112	
Admitted during the Week,			5	6	5	1	"	1	2	"	2	22	3	
TOTAL,			55	132	25	44	92	122	71	53	15	609	115	
Discharged during the Week,			8	1	1	2	1	1	2	"	1	12		
Died,			"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	1		
Total Discharged and Dead,			8	1	1	3	1	1	2	"	1	13		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			47	131	24	41	91	121	69	53	14	594		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *17th* day of *Nov* 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 *23rd* day of *November* 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair *W. O. Flaherty Esq. M.P.*
 Other Guardians: *John Harrison, John Gunning,*
Joseph Grealy, Francis P. Foster, William Kelly,

Galway County

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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.

Between Thomas Walsh and Mary Woods

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 24903 to No. 26724, 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 the orders of the last Board.

Pat. H. Cullen, Mr. Grattan's Money £7.0.0

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, - - - £581.12.0

Paid during the week, - - - £802.11.0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £79.11.1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Richard Carter	Galway	187	3	"	✓	1697	30	3						
Edw. Conside	Donna	21	10	"	✓	216	19	2	1910	5	11			
"	Galway	129	11	"	✓	254	15	3						
"	Donaghmore	2	4	"	✓	16	9	7						
Mathew Comins	Ballintemple	5	11	"	✓	106	16	5	1910	1	1			
"	Donaghmore	"	"	"		95	9	11						
"	Liscannore	"	"	"		89	8	0						
"	Belleville	10	11	"	✓	43	5	10						
"	Loughrim	"	"	"		77	17	7						
"	Donaghmore	20	17	"	✓	75	10	7						
Pat. Hyne	Lackabeg	"	"	"	✓	9	9	4	1910	7	11			
"	Donaghmore	1	17	"	✓	79	16	9						
"	Clontarf	27	19	"	✓	60	19	3						
Mathew Fyrm	Lishearnahilly	"	"	"	✓	9	2	2	1910	7	19	0		
"	Donaghmore	29	"	"		140	7	7						
"	Ballinacomb	28	"	"		67	12	1						
"	Stradbally	24	"	"	✓	37	9	7						
"	Clontarf	20	"	"	✓	100	18	1	1910	7	13			
Martin Hemon	Donaghmore	"	"	"					45	15	0			
John Dillane	Liscannore	"	"	"					166	9	3			
John Shaberty	Moycullin	"	"	"		152	10	6						
"	Donaghmore	"	"	"		39	12	4						
"	Tullaghan	"	"	"		111	15	7	1910	3	15	6		
Tom Curran	Fyrbough	7	"	"	✓	26	"	10						
John Tolan	Spiddale	18	10	"	✓	25	10		76	6	10	7	8	
"	Balfarnham	8	19	"	✓	64	4	0						
"	Selernax	28	7	"	✓	47	16	5	1910	11	2			
						574	12					6122	9	1
Sammuel Cross	Galway											99	5	1
Martin Hemon	Urban											17	0	
Edward Conside	Galway											953	5	2
John Shaberty	Moycullin											253	15	7
John Gill	Balfarnham								763	1	2			
"	Outergate								358	4	4			
Mat. Comins	Clontarf								90	6	9	12	11	12
Mat. Creaven	Donaghmore											104	1	11
"	Lackabeg								115	"	7			
"	Clontarf								138	1	0	5	17	7
Sammuel Cross	Donaghmore								309	7	0			
"	Ballinacomb								257	4	3			
"	Stradbally								38	7	3			

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ *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 £ 58, *15* s. *3* d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - *48, 12, 53*

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - *0, 1, 13*

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - *0, 2, 3*

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:

- | | |
|--|---|
| <p>800 lbs Bread
1 Ton Indian Meal
1/2 " Barley Meal
1466 Quarts Milk
4 lbs Tea
56 " Sugar
112 " Rice
10 " Pepper
10 " Allspice
18 1/4 " Meat
1 Dozen Porter</p> | <p>1 Ton Coals
112 Boxes Inf
8 lbs Candles
112 " Soap</p> |
|--|---|

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the *17* day of *Nov*; 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. forwd.					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:

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 17th Nov 1855 N^o 355, requesting to be furnished with a return of the Expenditure for the Year Ended 29 Sept 1855, distinguishing under the heads specified, the Expenditure for each of the half years ended 25 March and 29 September 1855 respectively.

The following explanation was received from Mr Currie Collector, and a copy of it ordered to be furnished to Mr Conyngham

Forbough
22 Nov 1855.

Sir

In reply to your enquiry regarding the statement made by Mr Conyngham that I allowed an Arrear of 7/6³/₄ to accrue on a holding occupied by a tenant of his while I could have recovered it of the premises and that I applied to him for

it when it came into his occupation possession. In reply they state that John W Oready the person rated for the 7/6³/₄ being the rate of 1854, left the possession a few days before I got my Warrant and he is living in the C. Kerry since. Rev Mr Oready subsequently held it for a couple of months and could not see any stock on it during his occupation of it. I applied to Mr Oready for it but he stated he made no use of it and that Mr Conyngham had the place and should pay for it. Mr Conyngham is in possession of it since the 25 December 1854. Under these circumstances I think I cannot be blamed for not recovering the rate.

I have the honor to be
Sir
Your Obedient Servant
Timothy Currie

To John Oready Esq
West Union

Read letter from Mr Gullin stating that he received ~~the~~ notice of Eviction of two families at the Claddagh the property of Martin Morris.

Read an application from Mr Gullin requesting payment of 15/8 for repairs of Glass.

Referred to the Finance Committee.

The following notice of motion was handed in by Mr Harristony a copy of which was ordered to be sent to each Guardian,

I will move on this day fortnight the
recourse objection

Re-consideration of the resolution respecting the sale of Mr Townsend's property with the view of having some arrangement entered into to receive the sum due by instalments instead of bringing the property to a sale.

Signed

John Harrison

Guardian

23 Nov 1855

The Clerk reported that one of Mr O'Haherty's securities had lately died.

Ordered that Mr O'Haherty be called upon to name another security.

Ordered that each member of the Visiting Committee be written to informing them that the day of Meeting has been changed from Wednesday to Tuesday at one o'clock.

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.)

Next Meeting of the Board to be held on Friday the 30 December 1855.

W. H. ... Chairman

Millen Guardians

J. ...

Clerk Union

Galway County Council Archives

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* the *30th*
day of *Nov* 185*5*.

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the

UNION, on Friday, the 23rd day of Nov 1857.

—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:*

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:)

4 Dispensary District,
Account of Mr. 4 for 4 : Amount £

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 4 185, 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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 4 185.

[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.]

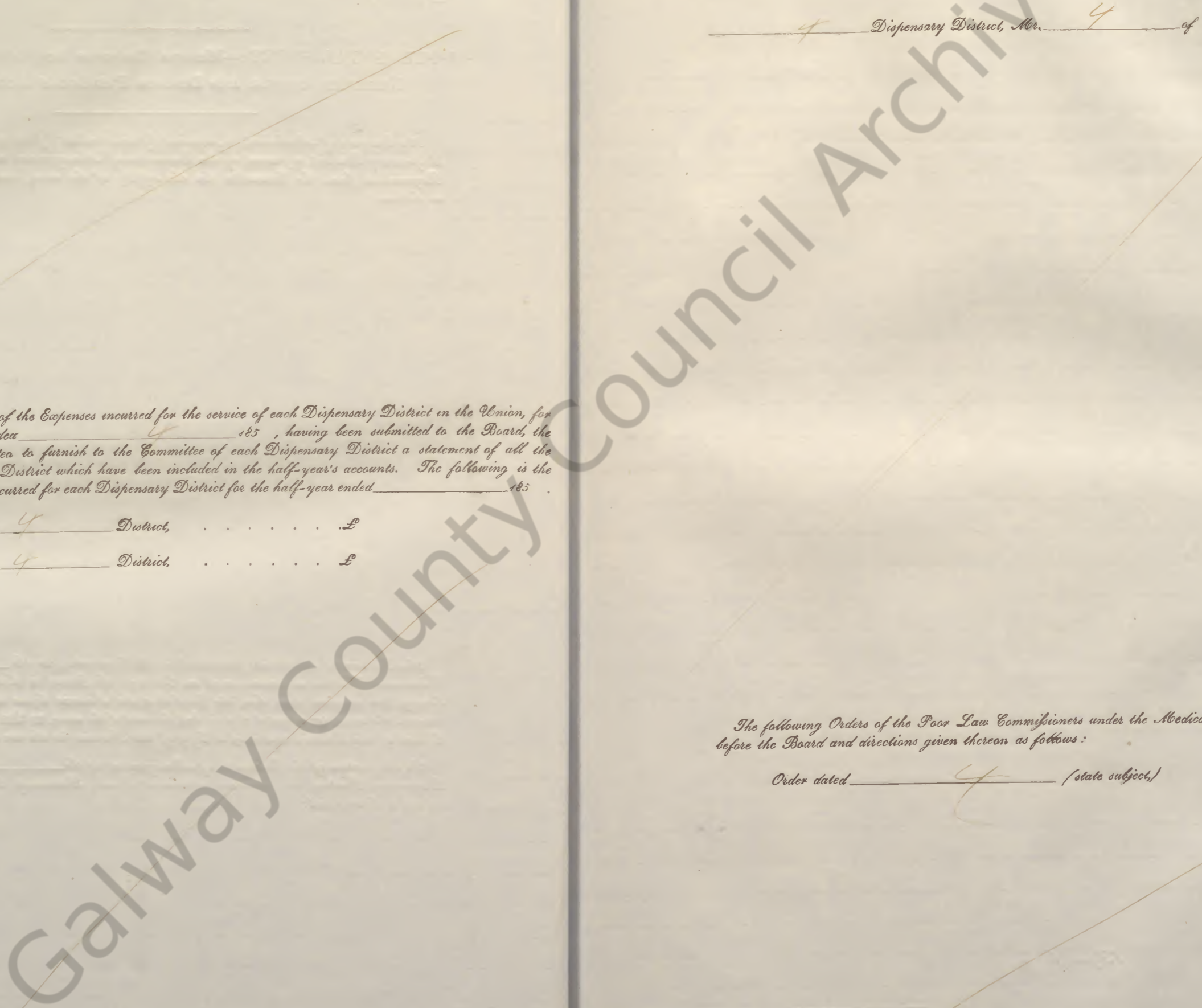
4 District, £
4 District, £

[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 vacancy 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:—

4 Dispensary District, Mr. 4 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 4 (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.

Galway County

(Signer)

Clerk of the Union.

Galway UNION.

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of November 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.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,	1000	599													
Temporary Buildings,	860														
Additional Workhouse,	"														
Permanent Fever Hospital,	"														
Fever Sheds,	140	4													
Total,	2000	603													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			52	131	24	41	91	121	69	53	14	596	In Workhouse Hospital, 113	In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital, 4	
Admitted during the Week,			5	2	3	1	"	2	"	1	1	15			
TOTAL,			57	133	27	42	91	123	69	54	15	611	Total, 117	Total, 6	
Discharged during the Week,			2	2	1	"	"	1	1	"	"	7			
Died,			"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	1			
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	2	1	1	"	1	1	"	"	8			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			53	131	26	41	91	122	68	54	15	608			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24 day of Nov authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but 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, but 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 24 day of November 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair, *V. J. Flaherty Esq. M.P.*
 Other Guardians: *John Hanrahan, John Gunning, J. Leahy, Richard W. Somerville, John Redington, G. Morris, Patrick Blate, Bernard Flaherty, William Clanchey, Nicholas Sullivan, William Kelly, James Davis, Miles Ward, Edward D. Burke, Esqrs.*

William P. O'Donnell Esq. Secy

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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. 26,225 to No. 26,233, 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, - - - £464.17.10

Paid during the week, - - - £267.5.10

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £377.3.1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Richard Carter	Galway	205	18	5				1491	4	7			
Eduard Considine	Barna	7	11	5	213	7	10	209	8	4	1700		
	Galway	204	19					2309	16	5			
	Canabrown							16	9	7			
Mathew Collins	Ballintemple	17	2					89	14	5			
	Annadown	9	2					86	7	11			
	Liscannore	8	15					80	13	0			
	Belleville	6	17					36	8	10			
	Bughmore	4	13					73	4	7			
	Delapark							75	16	7			
Pat Keogh	Lackanagh							9	9	4			
	Carrinroe							79	16	9			
	Claregalway							60	19	3			
	Lisheenard							9	5	2	1		
Mathew Fayon	Carrinroe							140	7				
	Ballinacorney							67	12	1			
	Stradbally							37	9	9			
	Clarebridge							100	18	1			
Maxim Sherman	Inshmore												
John Dillane	Milcummin												
John O'Flaherty	Moycullen							162	10	6			
	Shevonee							39	12	4			
	Yellowne							111	15	7			
Sam Curran	Dunbongh							26		10			
John Tolan	Spiddle							76	6	10			
	Stellanni							64	4	0			
	Telema							47	16	3			
Samuel Cross	Galway												
Maxim Sherman	Annan												
Eduard Considine	Galway												
John O'Flaherty	Moycullen												
John Gill	Stellanni							713	1	2			
	Bughtyand							358	4	4			
	Claregalway							90	6	9			
Mathew Collins	Longdown												
Mathew Creaven	Lackanagh							115		7			
	Athenny							138	17	8			
Samuel Cross	Carrinroe							309	7	6			
	Ballinacorney							257	4	8			
	Stradbally							38	7	3			

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ *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 £41 ¹¹/₁₀ ⁷/₁₀.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 47. 4. 8²

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 0. 1. 6²

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 0. 1. 4²

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 | 112 lbs Soap |
| 1 Ton Barley Meal | 112 " Washing Soda |
| 1/2 " Indian Meal | |
| 1542 2ts Milk | |
| 5 lbs Tea | |
| 14 " Flour | |
| 14 " L. Sugar | |
| 182 1/2 " Meat | |
| 14 " Snow Root | |
| 133 Boxes Inf | |
| 10 lbs Candles | |

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.	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. forwd.					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.

Workhouse Invoice Account

Debit		Credit		Bal.	
Unpaid Bill A/c					
Reverend Salary	£6.5.0	Kenion fur	30	6	"
M Daly	22.10.0	Do "	4	14	"
O'Grady	45.0.0	Expier - Rent	15	0	0
O'Shaughnessy	40.0.0	Debris & Interest	36	"	"
Byrnes	50.0.0	Oliver - Quad	35	14	11
Bingham	10.0.0	Lynna - Mat	21	4	10
Leff	4.10.0	Kelly - Milk	13	14	6
Lambert	2.10.0	William - Groc.	15	13	11
De Paris	30.0.0	Merriam Mat	12	"	"
J. Hayes	22.10.0	do	6	18	2
Keavin	22.10.0	Spulley Trip	14	12	"
Morgan	15.0.0	Flatter Soap	9	13	"
M Daly	15.0.0	Wells others	6	14	3
Morgan	11.5.0	Salconer "	4	14	3
Kelms	7.10.0	Thorn Printing	5	7	0
Morgan	7.10.0	Comins	6	13	6
Lambert	7.10.0	Killeen	4	7	0
Giffin	7.10.0	Leslie	36	0	5
Cullen	2.10.0	Kennedy	4	15	0
Morgan	2.10.0	do	5	14	3
Morgan	2.10.0	do	5	5	0
Morgan	2.10.0	Charter fees	26	13	0
Morgan	250.0.0	do	5	3	10
Morgan	15.0.0	Printing Fees	8	16	1
		Kelly on Tap Milk	13	10	"
Election Law & other expense a/c					
Lynch Interest	£31.1.11	Castro Intest	10	9	7
Jones "	22.2.0	Comins "	2	13	"
Palmer "	4.13.11	Printing fur	6	10	5
Suprey "	2.19.7	Oliver	13	14	"
Coyle "	7.4.10				
Burial a/c					
William Burke		coffins	3	1	8

Credit Treasurer and Debit Cut-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

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

No 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:

Pouhaulman's letter of Nov 1855 No. 31245 opening to the Minutes of the B^d on the 10th inst containing a Report of the District Inspector of National Schools with respect to the General School and requesting the Commissioners to approve of Ellen Lee's appointment. The B^d stated that they regret the difference of view which has arisen between the Board of Guardians and themselves with respect to the proposed appointment of this person to the situation of assistant Schoolmaster, but the case is one of considerable importance in a general point of view and they cannot open to the course proposed by the Guardians in the matter.

Considerable discussion took place and after Ellen Lee being taken up by the Board, the following Resolutions were proposed.

Mr. Samlles proposed a resolution but withdrew it whereupon

Mr. Harrison proposed and Mr. Curran seconded

That Ellen Lee be appointed assistant Schoolmaster, at a salary of £5 a year with Station and Expences

Mr. Army proposed an amendment which was seconded by Mr. Flaherty.

Resolved We are gild to the Commission^r & that we do not fill up the situation of assistant Schoolmaster

As soon as has been taken notice Mr. Harrison's Motion passed by a majority of 12 to 4.

Miss Lee was therefore appointed - and that a certificate of the Baptism be obtained & forwarded to the Commission^r.

Pouhaulman's letter 28 November 1855 approving of the ^{payment} of £2.15.0 to Mr. Pierce

Pouhaulman's letter 28 November 1855 recommending that the Dicks of the Male Infirmary Chapel should be designated as nos 1 & 2.

Pouhaulman's letter 29 November 1855 transmitting an extract from the Minutes of the District Board relating to the Balance due to them & requesting the

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observations of the Board thereon.

Resolved that application be again made to the Surm Agent regarding the cost due by them to this Com in the manner that payment of at least £100 will be made to the Oryctes Board on this day, 3rd Wukh:

Poubae from mission letter dated 24th Nov. saying to be finished with the return of the Expenditure

Read letter from Mr. Roche requesting to be exempt from the rates on the School House at Heedae

Resolved that Mr. Roche be inf. that he must appeal and that the Board will offer no objection to the appeal:

Mr. W. Namara Solicitor appeared before the Board with Mr. Townsend in behalf of the latter Gentleman with regard to the sale of his property. Over

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.)

Mr. Namara suggested that the sale be adjourned for a month to afford Mr. Townsend an opportunity of making an application to the Board

~~Mr. Blake proposed that~~

The Inspector reminded the Board that Mr. Townsend had come to the an arrangement 5 years ago and that not a penny had been paid under that arrangement:

Mr. Blake proposed that the case be left to the solicitor

Mr. Smith proposed that Mr. Townsend's application be granted and the month allowed to him to make such arrangements as may enable him to make an application for the settlement of his liability:

Mr. Davis proposed an amendment that the sale be adj. on for a month until the 10th Dec. to allow time for Mr. Namara's motion to be considered:

All being taken Mr. Davis's amendment was carried. Mr. Blakey was requested to see the adj. to the 10th Dec.

Mr. Board voted £2 to be expended in assisting May & Jane Kemple to emigrate:

The Board had the collector before them and inspected this state of the collection and each collector promised to have large sums lodged by the day then Wukh.

Resolved that the solicitors in the case of Disy do meet at Mr. Blakey's office on

Tuesday Work over -

That the alterations in the case of Robert
Manton do also meet on that day.

That Mr Joyce is entitled to informing him
of the amt due on his property in
Ballinacorney.

And that the old collectors be requested
to attend on this day 3rd inst.

Next meeting of the Board to be held on
Friday the 7th December 1852 -

W. H. H. H.	Chairman
William	} Members
Edward D. Butler	

William
Edward D. Butler

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185 .
(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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 £

Salway District

Clak of Union's Auxiliary Expenses £18. 0. 0

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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____

[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.]

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

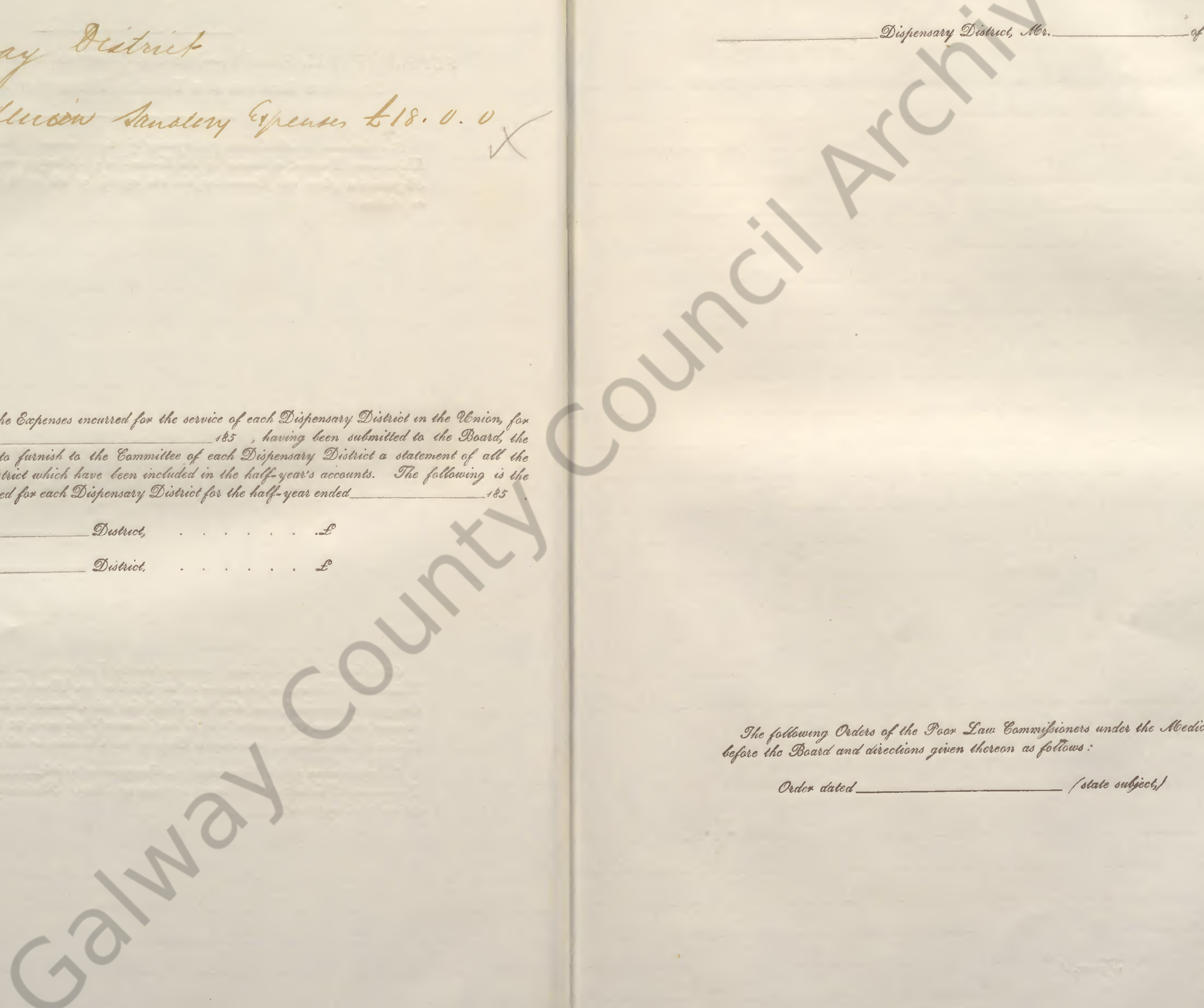
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee].

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject,)



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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

Galway County

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

Galway UNION.

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 1st day of Dec 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	609													
Temporary Buildings, . . .	860														
Additional Workhouse, . . .	"														
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .	"														
Fever Sheds, . . .	141	3													
Total, . . .	2000	612													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			55	131	26	41	91	122	68	54	15	60	In Work-house Hospital, 111	In separate Wards, 111	
Admitted during the Week, . . .			10	5	2	1	"	"	"	"	1	19	In Fever Hospital, 9	In Wards with other inmates, 6	
TOTAL, . . .			65	136	28	42	91	122	68	54	16	79	Total, 114	Total, 117	
Discharged during the Week, . . .			4	3	"	"	2	"	"	"	"	9			
Died, . . .			"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	1			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			4	3	"	1	2	"	"	"	"	10			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			61	133	28	41	89	122	68	54	16	69			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 1st day of Dec 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.	
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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 17th day of December 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

Anthony O'Hanley, Esq. M.P.
Nicholas Kilham, Edward D. Burke,
Edward C. Burke, James Davis, A.M. Somerville,
John Gunning, Joseph Grealy, William Clanchay,
Myles Ward, John Harrison, John Redington.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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. 26740 to No. 26757, 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, - - - £101.12.0

Paid during the week, - - - £1105.6.8

And that the Balance on the Accounts against the Guardians was - £126.11.7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Richard Carter	Galwegy	92											
Edw. Consideine	Barna	110											
	Galwegy	230	0										
	Carrabrown	2	2										
Matthew Commis	Ballintemple	217											
	Annadown							86	7	11			
	Liscannane							80	13	0			
	Belleville							36	8	10			
	Aughrim							73	4	7			
	Deerpark							75	16	7			
Pat. " Nyde	La. Mahoffy							9	9	12			
	Carinstof	14	6					61	11	9			
	Charpt Galwegy	4	15					56	1	3			
Matthew Flynn	Liskenard							7	2	2			
	Erasmus	21						116	7	7			
	Ballinacorney	27						40	12	1			
	Stradbally	20						17	9	2			
	Charneybridge	28						32	18	1			
Martin " Norman	Instonville												
John " Dillane	Delcummin												
John " O'Harety	Moycullin	48	0					144	4	6			
	Shevenena							39	12	4			
	Vullykyuep	13	4					75	15	7			
Sam " Curran	Fynborough	8	14					1	6	10			
John " Tolan	Spiddle	13						13	6	10			
	Bylhamni	8	17					53	6	4			
	Selena	12	12					25	2	11			
								60	12				
Samuel Gross	Galwegy												
Martin " Norman	Gran												
Edw. Consideine	Galwegy												
John " O'Harety	Moycullin												
John " Tull	Bylhamni							76	3	12			
	Aughrim							85	8	4			
Mat " Commis	Clauy Galwegy							70	6	7			
Mat " Crewe	Laughy							115		7			
Samuel " Camp	Utherny							135	17	5			
	Drumny							207	7	0			
	Drumny							25	4	3			
	Stradt							38	7	3			

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 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 £ 49. 11s. 10d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 49. 1. 10³/₄

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 0. 1. 6¹/₂

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - 0. 2. 3¹/₄

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:

800lbs Bread
 1 Ton Branley Meal
 1/2 " Indian Meal
 1/2 " Oat Meal
 1550 lbs Milk
 560lbs Salt
 7 " Tea
 182³/₄ " Meat
 205 Boxes Inf
 10 lbs Candles
 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 1 day of Decr, 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.				
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No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					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:

That the Workhouse is in good order

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

The Master reported that the manure was sold by Auction on Saturday last for £8.12.6

That tomorrow will be the last day for the removal of the manure sold to day tomorrow and that only a small quantity was only yet drawn:

Ordered that Lud Fleimmons be info that any wharf may remain after manure will be forfeited:

The Subject of the sale of the clothes was referred 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:

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 3 Dec 1855, requiring to be furnished with a Return regarding the Current rates.

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 5 Dec 1855, transmitting a form to be filled up and forwarded regarding Mary & Jane Kemple who have been assisted to Emigrate.

Poor Law Commissioners Letter 6 Dec 1855 requesting Mr Cross queries to be forwarded.

Poor Law Commissioners Letter 30 Nov 1855, No 32155, referring to the notice of motion given on the 23 Inst for the reconsideration of the Resolution of the Board requesting the sale of Mr Townsends Property with the view of having some arrangement entered into to receive the sums due by instalments instead of bringing the property to a sale.

The Commissioners reminded the Board that

Some years since an arrangement was entered into with Mr Gunning that notwithstanding no money on acc of the claim of the Union against him has been paid and that Commissioners think it right to call the particular attention of the Guardians to this subject in order that effectual steps may be taken to secure payment of the amount due with as little delay as possible.

Read Letter from the Manager of the National Bank requesting payment of the 1st instalment of £300 advanced by the Bank for Emigration purposes.

Referred to the Finance Committee for payment and that Mr Dennis be informed that the amount will be paid on this day fortnight.

Read Letter from Mr Considine Collector stating that he summoned Mr Hart for the Rates due on his House in High Street which Mr Hart alleged was unoccupied at the time the rate was made although some of his furniture was in it, but that the Magistrates adjourned the case to Monday next and requested of him to attend before the Board and ask the Guardians if they would be satisfied with a Decree for one half the rate that is the landlords portion in as much as they considered Mr Hart enjoyed no beneficial occupation but if the Guardians were not satisfied they would give a Decree for the whole amount the law being against Mr Hart.

Mr Considine was directed to inform the Magistrate that the Guardians have no power to supersede the Law or to interfere with them in their decisions.

Read Letter from Mr Blakeney Solicitor dated
 Dublin 6 December 1853, stating that the Case
 against Mr Townsend at the suit of the Guardians
 will not be out of return untill the 20 Dec. so that
 the sale may be safely postponed up to that date
 that if Mr Gunning gives security for payment of
 £50 year untill the debt is paid. He thought
 the Guardians ought to accept for it and that
 He (Mr Blakeney) had heard that Mr Gunning
 was satisfied to do this on obtaining from
 Mr Townsend an assignment of the reversion
 in the leasehold under seizure at the suit of the
 Guardians or should Mr Townsend secure £100
 to the Board he should under the circumstances
 of his really distressed position be released from
 all further liability. but that without the written
 Consent of Mr Gunning even the latter arrangement
 could not be agreed to. Mr Blakeney stated that
 should the Guardians require his presence He would
 attend them at next meeting.

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.)

Mr Shaughnessy appeared before the Board
 on behalf of Mr Townsend and entered into along
 detail regarding the Bond upon which was
 obtained, that it was a Bond given in 1842
 that Martin was subsequently appointed Collector
 and no fresh Bond required. that no default
 took place in the Collection of 1842, that consent
 for judgment was given by Mr Townsend in igno-
 rance of his real position in the case, if the facts
 stated to him were true. that Mr Townsend or the
 other security was not liable under the Bond of
 1842, and, if the Board agreed with him He
 hoped they would release Mr Townsend from his
 liability without obliging him to resort to law,
 proceedings to set aside the Judgment which
 it was Mr Townsend from his liability without
 obliging intention to do if the Board should refuse
 to do so, on the other hand Mr Shaughnessy
 stated that Mr Townsend held a power of Attorney
 from Mr Martin sent from America authorising
 him to dispose of his property in Galway in pay-
 ment of his debts including the Guardians debt, and
 that He (Mr Shaughnessy) would at once take steps
 to make Martins property available for the Guard-
 ians debt, and Mr Townsend would give every
 facility in the matter

Mr Blakeney being absent the Board made
 no order on Mr Shaughnessy's statements, but
 Mr Harrison in pursuance of his notice of
 motion proposed the following Resolution
 which was agreed to,

Resolved that the sale of Mr Townsends pro-
 perty be postponed untill the 17 Inst and
 that Mr Blakeney be requested to attend the
 Board on this day week.

Read Letter from Mr Gunning the other day
 County requesting a further time of a fortnight
 beyond the 9th Dec for payment of the fifty pounds
 which he promised to pay on that date.
 Granted.

Mr William Clarke applied for Ten Pounds
 being 10% per centage for preparing Plans
 and Specifications and Superintending the
 late Works at the Workhouse.

Referred to the Finance Committee

Resolved. That a cheque for a sum of £22 be
 drawn in favour of the V. Committee to purchase
 Chazy, a Tea Breakfast and Meat Dinner
 for the Paupers on Xmas day.

Next Meeting of the Board to be held on
 Friday the 14 December 1855.

W. H. H. Chairman
 William
 Patrick J. Connamy } Guardians

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

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway
UNION, on Friday, the 7th day of Dec 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 _____
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:

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:)

4 Dispensary District,
Account of Mr. 4 for 4: 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 4 185, 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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 4 185.

4 District £
4 District £

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

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

4 Dispensary District, Mr. 4 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 4 (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.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *8th* day of *Dec* 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 9 and under 15 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 Idlots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse,	1000	612												
Temporary Buildings,	860													
Additional Workhouse,	"													
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds,	140	1												
Total,	2000	613												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			61	133	28	41	89	122	68	54	16	612	In Work-house Hospital, 116	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, 6
Admitted during the Week,			5	8	3	3	"	"	"	"	2	21	In Work-house Hospital, 1	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, 6
TOTAL,			66	141	31	44	89	122	68	54	18	633	Total, 117	Total, 6
Discharged during the Week,			7	3	"	2	1	1	2	"	1	17		
Died,			"	1	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	3		
Total Discharged and Dead,			7	4	2	2	1	1	2	"	1	20		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			59	137	29	42	88	121	66	54	17	613		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *8th* day of *Dec* 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 *14th* day of *Dec* 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair, *A. O'Haherty Esq M.P.*
 Other Guardians: *Nicholas Killeen, Pat. H. Hone, James J. Grealy, William Kelly, Edw. J. Dunbar, Meles Ward, James Davis, George Morris, John Gannon, Bernard O'Haherty, John Redington, Pat. H. Hone, John Blaney, John Harrison, James O. O'Shaughnessy, Richard, N. Somerville,*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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 & Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 24759 to No. 24978 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. 5623 to No. 5627 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 the orders of the last Board.

Grant Peter Palence on behalf of Anshmore Co. D. £3.15.0

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, - - - £257.1.1

Paid during the week, - - - £142.13.1

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was - £12.3.7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Rich Carter	Galway							1399	4	7			
Edw Cousins	Barna							121	5	2			
	Galway	103	16					197	1	5			
	Canabrown							14	7	7			
Mat Collins	Ballinturnip	16	9		120	5		137	2	5			
	Amadown	12	7										
	Liscannan	9	12										
	Bellewells												
	Aughrim												
	Deerpark	27	3										
Ma " " "	Lack Rabeeg												
	Currymore							61	11	9			
	Charlyalway							56	7	3			
	Lisheenavalla							9	2	2			
Mathew Flynn	Gammore							116	7	7			
	Ballinacorney							10	12	1			
	Stradbally							17	7	9			
	Charabridge							72	18	1			
Martin Hemon	Mushmore				21	9							
John Dillane	Mulcumrin												
John O'Haherty	Moycullen	5	8	4									
	Shivceena												
	Dullohy	5	3										
Timothy Curran	Synbough	4	2					18	4	10			
John " " "	Spigale	25	4					24	7	11			
	Stellamin	8	12					46	14	4			
	Selema	10	10					124	13	11			
								23	9	1			
Samuel Cross	Galway												
Martin Hemon	Gran												
Edw Cousins	Galway												
John O'Haherty	Moycullen												
John Hill	Stellamin							763	1	23			
	Oughterard							358	4	43			
Mat Collins	Charlyalway							90	6	9			
Mat O'Connell	Tringdon												
	Lack Ragh							115		7			
	Athens							18	9	17			
Samuel Cross	Gammore							309	7	6			
	Ballinacorney							257	4	2			
	Stradbally							62	1	3			

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 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 £ 52, 4s. 0⁷/₈.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 49, 0. 3¹/₄

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 0. 1. 6²/₈

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 0. 2. 3¹/₄

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:

800 lbs Bread	168 Paves Turf
2 Tons Barley Meal	12 lbs Candles
1 Ton Indian Meal	56 " Soap
1/2 " Oat Meal	112 " Washing Soda
1590 lbs Milk	
8 lbs Candles	
56 " Soap	
114 " Loaf Sugar	
185 " But	
1 Ogen Porter	
14 lbs Snow Root	

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 8 day of Dec; 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.						By forward					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forwd.						TOTAL,					

Credit Treasurer with 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

John Oliver Bread

£	s.	d.
32	13	1

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 Workhouse is in good order.

The Committee recommended that the Horses at present stored in the Shed at rear of Workhouse be sold by Auction, and that the old timber of all descriptions and the surplus forms be sold by Auction.

Agreed to and that the sale do take place

on the first Saturday in January 1851.

The Committee recommended that the allowance of Candles to the following Officers be increased to the quantities mentioned during the Winter.

Warden to half lb a Week
Schoolmaster to one lb a week
do do
agreed to.

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

No 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:

Poulsen's letter 13 Decr. referring to the proceedings of last Board in the case of Martin's Trustees. The Commission observes that it appears that one of the Trustees has availed himself of the time which has been inadvertently granted to him by the Board by seeking to raise technical objections for the purpose of defeating the proceedings. The Commission states that the giving of a quiet Day on the occasion of an appeal being made was a proceeding which did not of necessity ensue until after the issue of the Commission's order of the 19 January 1832 and the Commission states that being upon the

present attempt to annul the fraudulent claim the Board should no longer hesitate to allow the law to take its course in this fraudulent case.

P.M.C. letter 8 Decr. 1855 referring to Martin the appointment of Ellen De to the office of Assistant Schoolmistress =

Poulsen's letter 20 Decr 1855 referring to be furnished with a statement regarding the School.

Particulars for Education Commission. Transmuting Revised Rules for the management of the Schools: —

Mr Blakeney Solicitor ¹⁰ attended the Board with reference to the case of Mr Townsend one of Martin's Smeties, he produced the Bond and read the condition of it, from which it appeared that it was a continuance Bond, and he stated that Mr Townsend had no opportunity whatever of getting rid of his liability.

The Board felt satisfied from the statements of Mr Blakeney as well as from the facts stated in the Commissioners letter, that the point raised in Mr Townsends favour could not avail.

Mr O'Shaughnessy Solicitor on the part of Mr Townsend expressed himself inclined to agree with Mr Blakeney, but he suggested that the Board should adjourn at its rising to Tuesday or Wednesday next to receive a proposition from Mr Townsend, and in the mean time he did not require the Board to interfere in any way with the Sheriff.

The Board having intimated that unless some positive proposition was made by

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.)

Mr Townsend says that they could not entertain the matter. That gentleman with Mr O'Shaughnessy his Solicitor consulted together in the Clerks Office and subsequently made a proposal to pay a sum of Forty pounds and to be released from his liability.

After some discussion Mr Harrison moved a Resolution and Mr Somerville seconded that the offer of Mr Townsend be accepted.

Mr Blakeney informed the Board that without Mr Gummings (the other security) consent it would not be safe for them to accept of Mr Townsends offer but the Board stated that in any case it was not their intention to keep Mr Gunning in for more than his own share.

Mr Davis proposed an Amendment, that Mr Townsend should in addition to the Forty Pounds also pay Mr Blakeney's cost in the proceedings.

A poll having been taken the Amendment was lost, and Mr Harrison's resolution was carried.

A draft proposal was prepared by Mr Blakeney to be signed by Messrs ^{Gummings} ~~Gummings~~ and ~~Townsend~~ the former agreeing to pay the Forty Pounds and the latter agreeing to pay the full amount of his own share of the liability by instalments of Fifty Pounds a year.

It was to be sent any day by Monday or Tuesday the amount of Mr Gummings liability, and inserted same in the document ~~drawn~~ drawn up by Mr Blakeney and then insert said document in the Minutes after some shall be signed by Messrs Gunning and Townsend.

Messrs O'Flaherty & Redington Arbitrators in the case of Mr O'Shaughnessy's rates reported that

They awarded Shuby Pounds as being due, and Mr Tracy (who was present) agreed to pay same at once.

The Clerk reported that in consequence of Mr Blakeney's absence in Dublin the Arbitration did not meet in the case of Mr Martin's rates,

The Arbitrators to fix upon some day after Christmas.

The Clerk reported that the Contract for Barley Meal would expire on the 29 Dec^r.

Ordered that tenders be advertised for same to be considered on Friday next.

With regard to the Decees had at the last Sessions in June last for rates due in Ballinacorney division Mr O'Shaughnessy promised to lay a Return of them before the next Board.

Resolved, that all collectors holding balances in their hands be summoned before the Magistrates for violating the Commissioners rules and disobeying the orders of the Board by retaining rates in their hands.

Attest
Chairman
Guardians

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Sunday the 21 day of Dec^r 1855

(Signed) *[Signature]*
Clerk of the Union.

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 £ _____

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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____.

[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.]

_____ District, £ _____
_____ District, £ _____

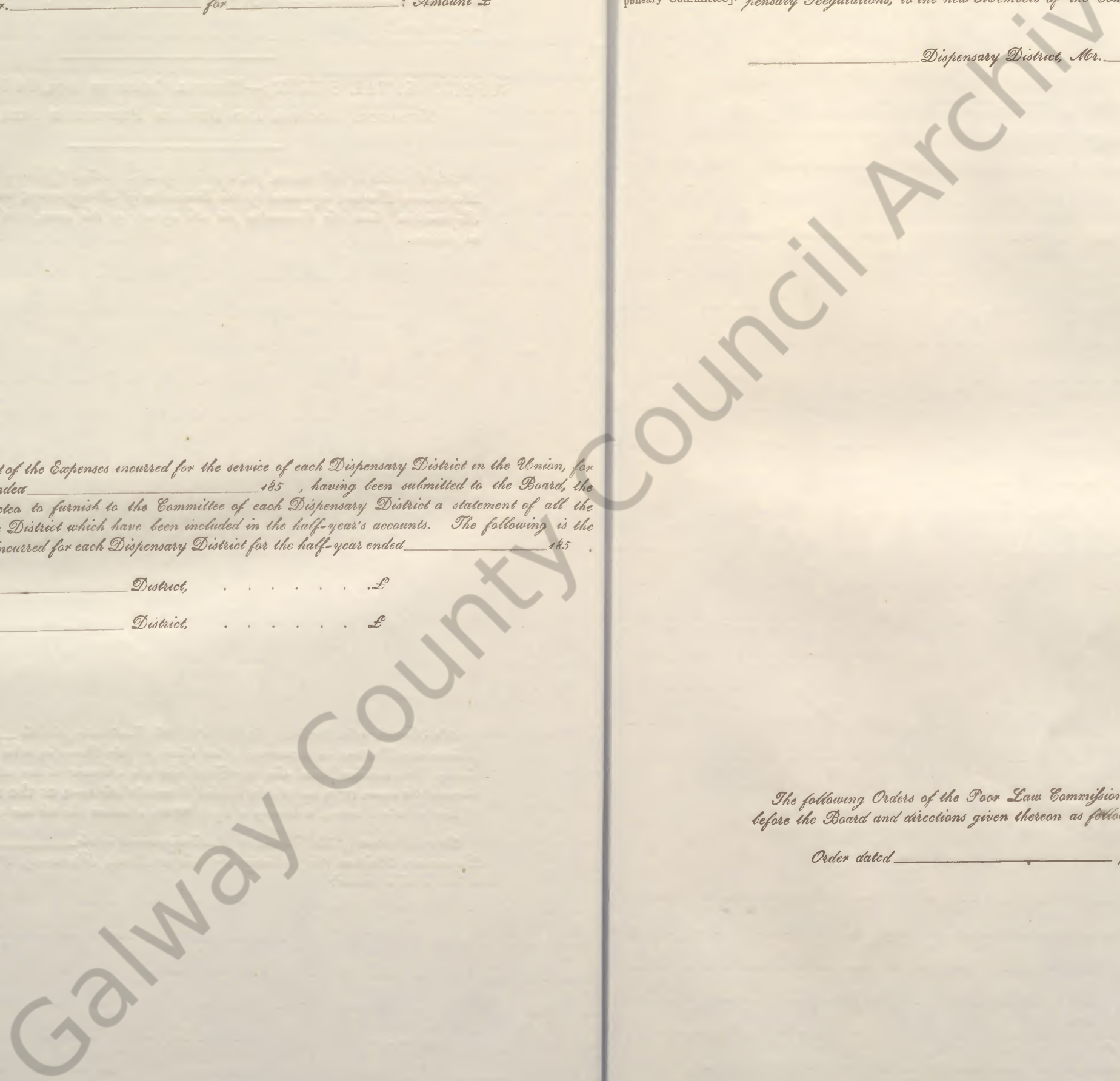
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee].

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject,)



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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of Dec^r 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.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse,	1000	660												
Temporary Buildings,	800	560												
Additional Workhouse,	"	"												
Permanent Fever Hospital,	"	"												
Fever Sheds,	140	3												
Total,	2070	660												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			59	137	29	42	88	121	66	54	17	613	In Work-house Hospital, 115 In Fever Hospital, 3	In separate Wards, 3 In Wards with other inmates, 6
Admitted during the Week,			5	2	1	"	5	"	"	"	"	14		
TOTAL,			64	140	30	42	93	121	66	54	17	627	Total, 118	Total, 10
Discharged during the Week,			6	4	1	"	"	"	2	1	"	11		
Died,			"	"	2	"	1	"	"	"	"	4		
Total Discharged and Dead,			6	4	3	"	1	"	2	1	"	15		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			58	136	27	42	92	121	64	53	16	609		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15 day of Dec^r authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
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No. 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 21 day of December 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair, *V. Flaherty Esq. M.P.*
 Other Guardians: *Nicholas Sullivan, John Redington, Joseph Grealy, John Gunning, John Harrison, Richard W. Somerville, Bernard O'Haherty, Henry Griffin, James G. Shaughnessy, George Dunne, John Blahney, James Davis*

William P. O'Brien Esq.
J. L. J.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Clerk of the Union.

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 Warehouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 21780 to No. 21793 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 the orders of the last Board.

Genl. Pnce. Balance on Hands (Inchmore) £0.19.4 ✓
 St. Townsend Per agreement with Guardians £40.0.0 ✓

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, - - - £509.11.4

Paid during the week, - - - £136.0.7

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £373.10.9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Richard Carter	Galway	107	4	10				129	1	9			
Edward Condon	Barrina	9	5	2	114	10		124	3	2	14	1	3
"	Galway	247	19					272	1	5			
"	Quarabonny	4	1					5	1	7			
Mat Cormus	Ballinacorney	16	5	15				32	5	15	178	9	1
"	Camadown							74		11			
"	Liscannan							71	1	0			
"	Bellwolfe							36	8	10			
"	Clough							73	4	7			
"	Deerpar							48	13	7			
Pat Flynn	Lackabeg							9	9	0	312	18	4
"	Camadown							61	1	9			
"	Cloughgalway							56	1	3			
Mathew Flynn	Lycemore							9	3	2	12	6	3
"	Camadown							116	7	7			
"	Ballinacorney							40	1	5			
"	Stradbally							17	7	9			
Martin Stemon	Charanbridge							72	1	8	247	7	6
John Dillane	Inchmore										57	5	1
John Flaherty	Belcumrus				100	3					4	6	3
"	Moynellan												
"	Sheeverana												
Timothy Curran	Dullofey										26	9	6
John Nolan	Strabally				6	15					6	9	10
"	Spiddle				2	11	4	6	6		27	6	3
"	Killamin				10	12					36	2	4
"	Selma				10	6		20	18		10	7	4
					46	8	12				423	1	7
Samuel Cross	Galway										9	4	5
Martin Stemon	Stran										19	5	
Edward Condon	Galway										53	5	9
John Flaherty	Moynellan										23	6	7
John Gill	Killamin										7	3	2
"	Camadown										35	4	0
Mathew Conroy	Cloughgalway										9	6	9
Mathew O'Keefe	Camadown										10	1	1
Samuel Cross	Lackabeg										11	5	7
"	Cloughgalway										13	1	1
"	Strabally										30	9	7
"	Cloughgalway										25	4	3
"	Strabally										3	7	3
											43	1	1

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ *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 £ *67* s. *0* d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - £ *48.0.6³/₄*

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - £ *0.1.6³/₄*

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - £ *0.2.3*

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - £ *0.2.3*

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

<i>750 lbs Bread</i>	<i>12 lbs Candles</i>
<i>1 Ton Barley Meal</i>	<i>112 " Soap</i>
<i>1 " Indian Meal</i>	<i>1 " Wax Candles</i>
<i>1557 Quarts Milk</i>	<i>For Week ending 29 Dec</i>
<i>4 lbs Tea</i>	<i>750 lbs Bread</i>
<i>10 " Pepper</i>	<i>1 Ton Barley Meal</i>
<i>10 " Allspice</i>	<i>1/2 " Indian Meal</i>
<i>183 " Meat</i>	
<i>2 Bottles Port Wine</i>	
<i>1 " Sherry Wine</i>	
<i>116 Boxes Fuel</i>	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 15 day of Dec, 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.		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. forwd.						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.

<i>Nicholas Burke Salary</i>	✓	2	"	"	✓
<i>John Connor</i>	✓	4	"	"	✓
<i>Check of Union payment of Insurgents</i>		15	13	9	✓
<i>Check of Union payment of Tradesmen's Bills</i>		20	"	"	✓
<i>Green on Ac of In Work Co</i>	✓	4	10	"	✓
<i>William Clarke for Superintending Works</i>		10	"	"	✓
<i>Took on Ac of Plumbing</i>	✓	1	"	"	✓

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

	£	s.	d.	
M. Namara Meat	10	10	9	✓
Kelly Milk	30	7	9	✓
Unpaid Bills &c				
J. Pura Fees £13.16.2	12	"	"	✓
J. Redington on ap 125.0.0	54	"	"	✓
Lynch Meals 237.0.0	7	"	"	✓
Adrian H. J. 20.0.0	13	"	"	✓
Malley Inf 35.0.0	6	"	"	✓
Hatley Soap 23.0.0	5	6	"	✓
Neille Hous Colloid 20.0.0	15	15	12	✓
Sagconer Books 9.0.0				
from " 10.0.0	310	"	"	✓
Comins Leather 13.0.0	14	4	0	✓
of Loan for Amputation of Glump on ap				

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.	
None				
Burial Account				
William Burke Coffins	3	9	"	✓
Election Saw & other Expenses				
G. Pura allowance for Petty Officers expenses	2	15	"	✓

Credit Treasurer and Debit Cut-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 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 19 Dec 1855 N^o 53968.
Sanctioning the appointment of Mr Cross, for the collection of the Rates in the Claddagh and Goal Wards of the Galway Division.

Read letter from Tuam Union enclosing a cheque for £49.4.7, on a copy of the Balance due to the Galway Union under the adjustment order,

Resolved, that a cheque for a similar amount be filled in favour of the Dubuad Board, and that a cheque for an additional sum of £50 be filled also in favour of Dubuad Union in part payment of the Balance due to it.

Read Letter from Mr Butler regarding information regarding the Rates due in the Corporation of Carronmishel.

The Clerk was directed to refer Mr Butler to the Collector for the information he requires.

The Tender of Thomas Palmer for supplying Best Barley Meal for Six Months at £12.10.0 was accepted.

The Clerk reported that the amount of Mr Gummus share of the liability for Mr Marbyus defaultion, unpaid is £251, that Mr Blakeney advised the Clerk not to get the proposal agreed to, on Friday last perfected by Mr Vowensend or Mr Gummus, until the Sheriff should be settled with, and that he therefore did not get the draft proposal signed by Mr Vowensend notwithstanding which Mr Vowensend lodged the sum of £40 with the Treasurer and lodged the Receipt with him.

The Board sent for Mr Blakeney to be advised as to the course which the Board should pursue, under the circumstances, and on his arrival he advised the Board, to leave the case in the hands of the Sheriff, and not to have the document signed until the Sheriff was settled with.

The Board adopted the recommendation of Mr Blakeney.

The Board had the state of the collection before them whereupon the following resolution was adopted.

Resolved, that the Clerk be instructed to summon before the Magistrates, for breach of the order made on the 30th Ult, the undesignated Collectors, unless, that order shall have been complied with and a reasonable progress in addition made, on or before the 4th Proximo.

Mr Carter. Mr Gummus. Mr Gousieau. Mr Egan. Mr Fyfe. Mr Hearty. Mr Curran and Mr Nolan.

The Clerk submitted ¹⁰ the Half yearly Abstracts of the accounts of the Union for Half year ending 27 Sept last, as Audited by James Martin Esq. Poor Law Auditor which were approved of by the Board, and signed by the Chairman, and ordered to be printed

The Board Resolved to adjourn to the 4 January 1856.

Next meeting of the Board to be held on Friday the 4th January 1856.

Sir Redington Chairman
Mr William E Guardian
Mr Gentry Clerk of 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 Poor Law 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.)

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

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway
UNION, on Tue day, the 21 day of December 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 45
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
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 44
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 £

Clerk of Union for Quarterly Expenses £10.0.0

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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____.

[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.]

_____ District,	£
_____ District,	£

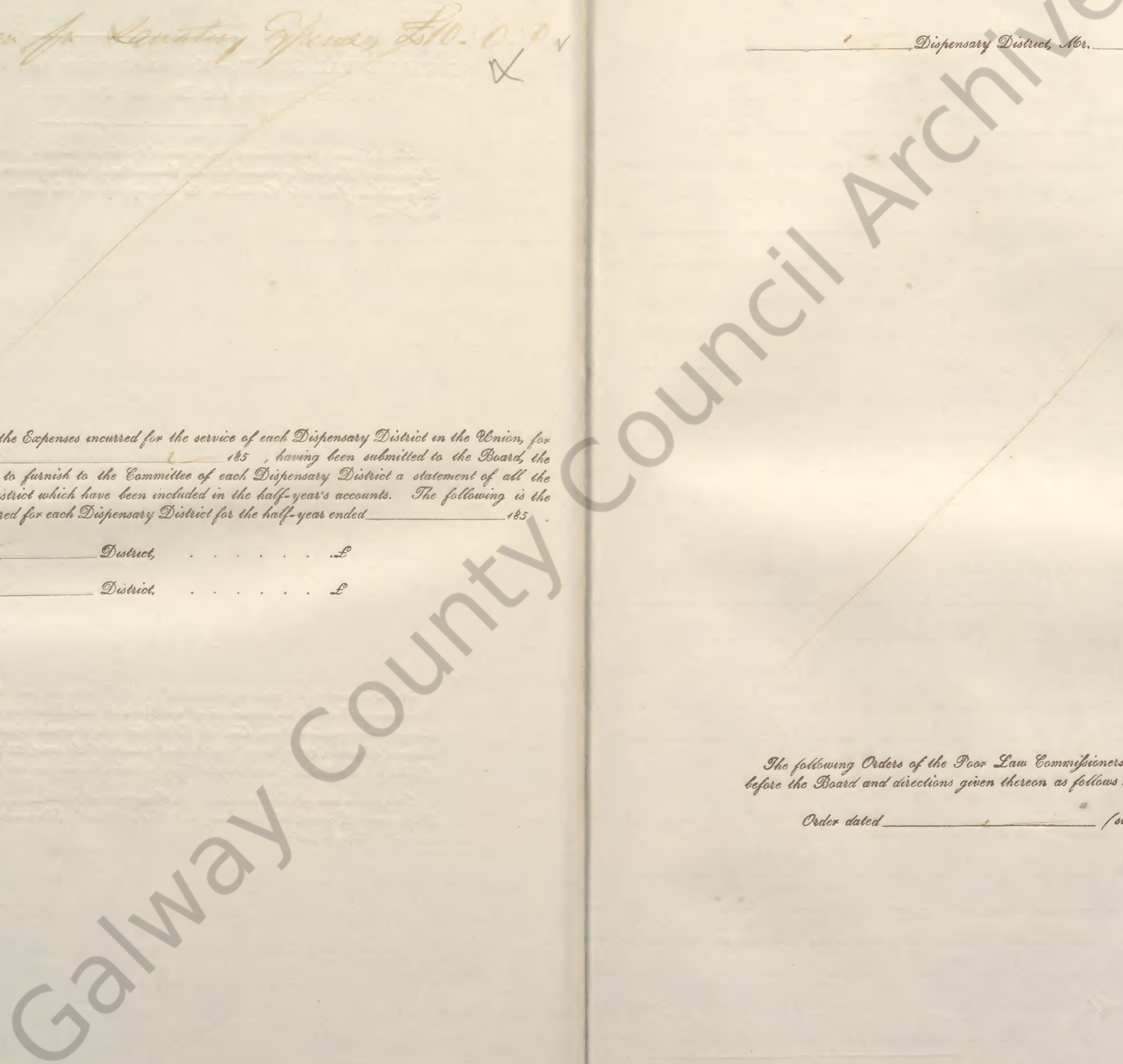
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject,)



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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 29 day of Dec 1856.

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, . . .	1170	577													
Temporary Buildings, . . .	860														
Additional Workhouse, . . .															
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .															
Fever Sheds, . . .	110	3													
Total, . . .	2000	600													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			58	138	27	45	92	119	64	53	15	611	In Work-house Hospital } 100 In Fever Hospital } 3	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, } 6	
Admitted during the Week, . . .			1	2	"	2	"	"	"	"	1	6			
TOTAL, . . .			59	140	27	47	92	119	64	53	16	617	Total, . . . 104	Total, . . . 6	
Discharged during the Week, . . .			2	3	3	"	1	1	"	1	"	11			
Died, . . .			2	"	1	3	"	"	"	"	"	6			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			4	3	4	3	1	1	"	1	"	17			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			58	137	23	44	91	118	64	52	16	604			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 29 day of Dec 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.
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No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Sunday the 4 day of January 1856

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Redington Esq. J.P.
 Other Guardians: John Harrison, George Morris, Nicholas Sullivan, Edward D. Burke, M. Ward, Michael Morris, George Burke, Bernard Flaherty, John Jennings, John Blaney, Joseph Leahy, Richard Aft. Vinnam.

(Signed) _____
 Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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. 2707 to No. 2712 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 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, - - - £ 587. 9. 1

Paid during the week, - - - £ 1028. 7. 11

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was - £ 67. 8. 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Richard Coste	Galway	122	8	11										
Edw & Cousidine	Barna	4	7	11	127	11	10				1343	11	24	
	Galway	21	17					157	4	57				
	Canabroune	12	10					7	1	72				
Mat Collins	Ballintemple	9	7		223	14		42	1	57	1057	6		
"	Annadown	14	18					59	2	11				
"	Luscanman	23	5					47	16	09				
"	Belleville	120	16					15	12	10				
"	Clonbrony	20	4					53		7				
"	Deerpark	19	19					28	14	78				
Pat "Aque	Lack Rakeg	4	3		103	5		5	6	24	209	13	44	
"	Cambridge	39	6					22	5	72				
"	Clonegalway	22	8					33	12	92				
Mathew "Gym	Lisheenavally				11	14		19	3	22	65	19		
"	Crammore	13	12					10	2	53				
"	Ballmacooly	8	18					3	1	41				
"	Shadballly							17	9	92				
Martin "Aemon	Charembidge	9	16		32	6		63	1	82	215	9		
John "Dillaney	Trushmore										27	5	14	
John "Flaherty	Moycullin	19						127	6	67				
	Sheweyna							39	12	4				
Tom "Conan	Yullokeue	14	17		23	17		78	15	72	245	8	62	
John "Solon	Spiddle							6	9	10				
	Fullamni							27	16	102	34	6	87	
	Selena							13	2	42				
								10	7	11	46	10	4	
Samuel "Cress	Galway				572	9					376	11	26	
Martin "Aemon	Ann										99	5	1	
Edw "Cousidine	Galway										453	5	72	
John "Flaherty	Moycullin										223	15	74	
John "Gill	Fullamni							7	63	122				
	Outroad										358	4	42	
	Clonsalway										90	6	9	124
Mat Collins	Annadown										104	1	11	
Mat "Creaven	Lack Rakeg										115		7	
	Clonsalway										138	7	105	253
Samuel "Cress	Crammore										509	7	6	
	B. Denny				15			2	56	4	3			
	S. Denny							38	7	3	583	19		

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.

22 Dec 1855
 Recd £50.15.0²
 Coust £49.13.6²

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 £ 44 . 10 . 11⁴.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 44 . 3 . 1³₄

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 0 . 1 . 4⁴₄

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - 0 . 1 . 11⁴₄

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:

700 lbs Bread
 1358 Quarts Milk
 4 lbs Tea
 167³/₄ lbs Meat
 1 Dozen Porter
 1 Ton Coals
 158 Boxes Vinf
 12 lbs Candles
 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 29 day of Dec; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,	-	-	7
In kind,	-	-	7
Total.	-	4	4

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. forwd.					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.	
John Oliver Bread	✓ 26	12	9	✓
Martin Kelly Milk	✓ 39	10	3	✓
Mich M'Namara Meat	✓ 10	17	7	✓

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.	
Unpaid Bill of				
Quarantine Fees as Collector	✓ 81	"	"	
Lane Shaw	✓ 6	8	4	
Martin O'Malley Surf	✓ 34	1	3	

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

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

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

No report from the Visiting Committee

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

The Visiting Committee reported, that the Matron had been absent for a few days with the consent of the Committee, that Dr Broome and Dr Branghall were also absent on urgent private business and that Dr Davis and Dr Stanton were acting in their stead, that Dr Branghall would be home on tomorrow.

Read and approved of,

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 Circular 22 Dec 1855 requiring to be furnished with a return regarding Vaccination in the Workhouse for the year ending 30 September 1855.

Poor Law Commissioners Letter 3 January 1856 No 2 M/S relative to the Return called for regarding the School of the Workhouse.

The Clerk produced a notice of appeal served on him by Burton Pease, and George Miller against the rating of the New Castle Distillery, ordered, that same be sent to the Solicitor to be defended.

Mr P. M. Lynch reported on the part of Mr. Townsend that that Gentleman had arranged with the Sheriff, and paid him a sum of six Pounds in lieu of his fees, in the case of the

the Guardians against Townsend, and, that therefore the Sheriff had no claim against the Board.

Mr Townsend having lodged the £40 and settled with the Sheriff, the Board directed the Clerk to have the proposal agreed to, on the 14th December last perfected by Messrs Townsend, and Gunning.

The Clerk reported that he notified to Mr Blakeney, the fact of Mr Gunning not having paid the £50 which he promised to have lodged on the 24 December.

Mr Gunning being present as also Mr Blakeney the former stated that as the proposal agreed to, on the 14 Dec, included the balance of his liability, and which, under said proposal, he is bound to pay by half yearly instalments of £25 each, he hoped the Board would not oblige him to carry out the previous arrangement, as he considered that same was done away with by the acceptance of the proposal of the 14th December. After some discussion it was agreed, that the arrangement of the 14th December should be acted upon.

In the case of the families of persons serving in the Falmouth Militia who may be admitted to the Workhouse, the Board request the Poor Law Commissioners would be good enough to inform them of the course the Board should adopt, with the view of procuring a portion of the pay towards the support of the family.

The Clerk reported that the following Collectors did not attend for the examination of their

then accounts by Mr Cousidine, Mr Carter, Mr Comins, Mr Squier, and Mr Curran.

That none of the Collectors except Cousidine and Pillone had yet complied with the order of the Board, of the 30th November, not to speak of the further progress they were required to make, on this day fortnight. That Mr Cousidine had only complied with the order of the 30th November, but made no further progress.

That Mr Cousidine had lodged the Balance in his hands, and that in consequence of the Quarter Sessions, and Christmas interfering, no Petty Sessions had been held for the last fortnight at which Summons against the other Collectors for retaining money in their hands could be tried, but they would be tried during the next fortnight at Headford, Outevord, Athlery and Galway.

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

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

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 the Summonses for retaining Money in their hands be proceeded with, but, that the other Summonses ordered on the 21st December be not issued, as the period allowed for the Collection, will be soon expired, but that the several Collectors be informed that any Collector who may not have his Collection closed when the four months ^{may} be expired, that his Bond will be handed over to the Collector for recovery of the Penalty.

Next meeting of the Board to be held on Friday the 11th January 1856.

J. W. Redington Chairman
J. P. P. J. } Guardians
Edw. D. H. } Guardians

Clerk of Union

Galway Union.
Board Room 11 January 1856.

Three Guardians not having been present. No meeting took place and the Board was adjourned to Friday 18 January 1856.

J. W. Redington Chairman
J. P. P. J. } Guardians
Edw. D. H. } Guardians

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

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the

UNION, on Fri day, the 4th day of January 1856.

—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:*

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 £
Clerk of the Union Laundry Bills £10.0.0

[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 _____ 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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____.

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from Mr. Law Commissioner dated 12th January 56, relating that No. 356,58, requesting to be furnished with a statement of the precise nature of the matter on account, of which, the item of £10, which appears entered on the Guardians Minutes, of the 21st Ulms, as paid for Sanatory purposes, the Commissioners stated at the same time that the order in Council issued under Section 9 of the Nuisances Removal Act of 1848 empowering the Guardians to take the proceedings specified in the 10th Section is not now in force,

The Clerk stated the Cheque referred to was issued for payment of the Staff employed by the Sanatory Committee for clearing the Town

The following Resolution was proposed by Mr George Morris and seconded by Mr O'Flaherty, and Unanimously agreed to, Resolved, the order issued under the Sanatory Act having expired that we from and after Thursday next cease having any further connexion with the clearing of the Town or expending any money under the Sanatory Act.

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of January 1856.

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 Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . .	1000	612												
Temporary Buildings, . . .	860													
Additional Workhouse, . . .	"													
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .	"													
Fever Sheds, . . .	140	4												
Total, . . .	2500	616												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			65	144	26	46	91	119	62	52	18	62	In Workhouse Hospital, 117	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, 4
Admitted during the Week, . . .			1	4	5	3	5	"	3	1	1	2		
TOTAL, . . .			66	148	31	49	96	119	65	53	19	64	Total, 121	Total, 6
Discharged during the Week, . . .			12	5	3	"	2	2	2	1	1	28		
Died, . . .			"	"	1	"	"	"	"	1	"	2		
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			12	5	4	"	2	2	2	2	1	30		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			54	143	27	49	94	117	63	51	18	64		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12 day of January 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.							Et. 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 18 day of January 1856

PRESENT: In the Chair,

John Redington Esq. V.C.

Other Guardians:

Joseph Grealy, Nicholas Kilian,

William Kelly, Edward J. Burke, Peter Joyce,
James C. Shanahan, John Gunning, J. Morris,
Myles Ward, John Flaherty, Esqs.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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. 27042 to No. 27057, 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. 623 to No. 622, 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 the orders of the last Board.

Supern Union Balance under adjustment order £49.4.7.
Thomas Connell Auctioneer 8.2.57

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, - - - £492.7.11

Paid during the week, - - - £272.14.9

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £152.4.5

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Richard Carter	Galway	75	"	"				107	10	0			
Edward Conrodore	Galway	78	"	"				127	11	2			
"	Ballinacorney	11	"	"				5	4	7			
Matthew Conroy	Ballinacorney	212	15	"				40	15	2	135	12	6
"	Ballinacorney	18	"	"				41	2	11			
"	Ballinacorney	28	"	"				19	15	0			
"	Ballinacorney	"	"	"				15	12	10			
"	Ballinacorney	10	3	4				37	1	"			
"	Ballinacorney	"	"	"				28	16	2			
Patrick Noyne	Ballinacorney	101	3	"				5	6	4	148	10	4
"	Ballinacorney	"	"	"				22	5	9			
"	Ballinacorney	"	"	"				23	12	"			
Matthew Conroy	Ballinacorney	"	"	"				9	2	2	65	1	9
"	Ballinacorney	17	10	9				95	4	6			
"	Ballinacorney	7	8	"				24	5	4			
"	Ballinacorney	10	7	0				6	19	9			
Matthew Conroy	Ballinacorney	9	2	4	154	15	11	180	5	5			
Matthew Conroy	Ballinacorney	"	"	"				27	5	11			
John Phelan	Ballinacorney	"	"	"				4	6	3			
John Phelan	Ballinacorney	20	"	"				107	"	6			
"	Ballinacorney	11	5	4				28	"	"			
"	Ballinacorney	4	"	"	51	5	4	76	12	7	214	13	2
Matthew Conroy	Ballinacorney	1	7	"				5	3	11			
John Phelan	Ballinacorney	14	6	"	15	12	"	12	10	10	18	10	8
John Phelan	Ballinacorney	1	9	"				24	10	4			
"	Ballinacorney	"	"	"	9	10	7	11	4	7	4		
					435	8		332	11	10			
Samuel Cross	Ballinacorney	"	"	"				49	5	1			
Matthew Conroy	Ballinacorney	"	"	"				12	0	"			
Matthew Conroy	Ballinacorney	"	"	"				95	5	9			
John Phelan	Ballinacorney	"	"	"				223	15	7			
John Phelan	Ballinacorney	"	"	"				7	15	1			
"	Ballinacorney	"	"	"				35	8	4			
Matthew Conroy	Ballinacorney	"	"	"				90	6	9	121	12	4
Matthew Conroy	Ballinacorney	"	"	"				104	1	11			
Matthew Conroy	Ballinacorney	"	"	"				115	"	7			
Samuel Cross	Ballinacorney	"	"	"				158	17	5	203	17	7
"	Ballinacorney	"	"	"							183	19	"

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 £ 116 was produced and passed.

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

- 1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
 - 2. The Provision Check Accounts.
 - 3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.
- By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 47 10s. 5d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 50. 0. 14

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 0. 1. 6 1/4

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 0. 2. 2 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:

- | | |
|----------------------|----------------|
| 750 lbs Bread | 12 lbs Candles |
| 1 Vn. Barley Meal | 112 " Soap |
| 1 " Indian Meal | |
| 1/2 " Oat Meal | |
| 157 1/2 lbs Milk | |
| 6 lbs Tea | |
| 10 " Pepper | |
| 10 " Allspice | |
| 2 Bottles Port Wine | |
| 1 Bottle Sherry Wine | |
| 180 Boxes Stuff | |

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 19 day of January; 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.		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. forwd.						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 Graduated Bill, £ 13 5 8

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:)

Circular from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 11 January 1856 regarding Election of Guardians:

Poor Law Commission letter 10 January 1856 no. 892. relative to the Resolution of Mr Board on the 4th inst regarding the arrangement made on the 14th ultimo as to the amt of the liability of Mr Dounseid. The Commission requested to be informed whether the Union still concurred in the view of Mr Gunning that the agreement previously made by it in was done away with by the acceptance of the Proposal of the 14 December. The Commission also requested to be

informed how much of the total amount of Mr Martin's default would be lost to the Union by the arrangement referred to in the minutes as regards his two sureties.

The Commission are informed that Mr Blakeney did not concur in the view expressed by Mr Gunning on the 4th Inst but that the Proposal of the 14 December was signed by both parties and the money lodged by Mr Dounseid. That the acceptance of Mr Dounseid's proposal does away with the previous arrangement of Mr Gunning.

The Commission are also informed that the total loss to the Union by the arrangement made with Mr Dounseid is £364 4 5.

Poor Law Commission letter 10 January 1856 regarding the families of Militia Men.

Poor Law Commission Circular dated 4 Jan 1856. requires to be furnished with a return regarding the current Rates and any new rates which may be applied upon.

Read letter from Thomas Palmer Junr. requesting payment of his amount for fuel supplied during the quarter ended on the 31 December & claiming interest @ the rate of 7 per cent until paid ^{at 743-10-0}

The Clerk stated that Mr Palmer was bound to be paid monthly and would have been paid had he furnished his account according to contract but it was only on this day he furnished his account

Mr account was referred to the Finance Committee.

Next meeting of the Board to be held on Friday the 25 January 1856

Mr Redington	Chairman
Joseph Gately	Guardians
John Gwynne	
Mr [Signature]	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.)

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

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____.

_____ District,	£
_____ District,	£

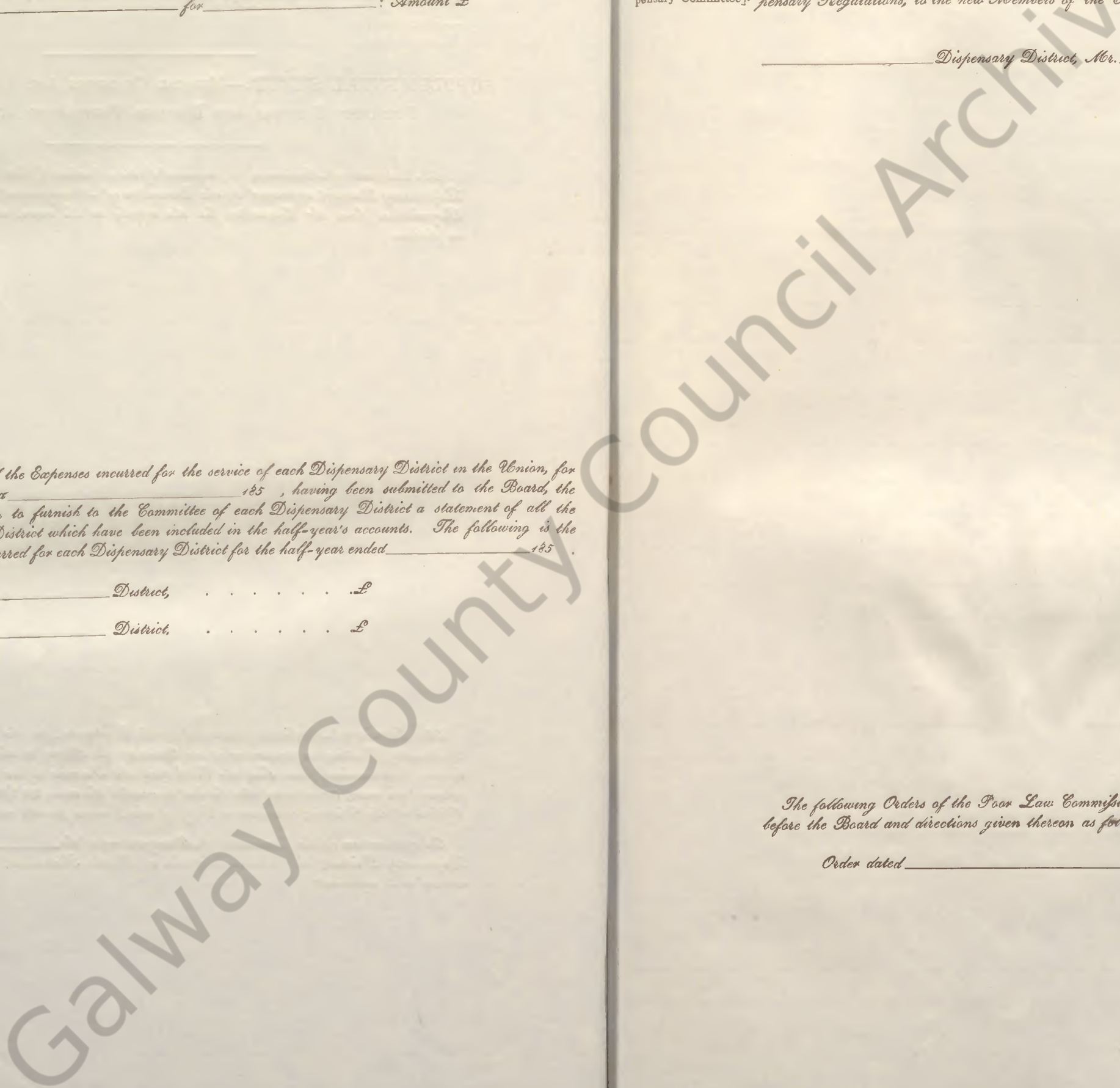
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_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *17th* day of *January* 185*1*.

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,	<i>1000</i>	<i>629</i>													
Temporary Buildings,	<i>800</i>	<i>29</i>													
Additional Workhouse,	<i>110</i>	<i>0</i>													
Permanent Fever Hospital,	<i>110</i>	<i>0</i>													
Fever Sheds,	<i>110</i>	<i>0</i>													
Total,	<i>2220</i>	<i>629</i>													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			<i>54</i>	<i>143</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>49</i>	<i>94</i>	<i>117</i>	<i>63</i>	<i>51</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>616</i>	In Workhouse } <i>120</i> Hospital, } In Fever Hospital } <i>5</i>	In separate } Wards, } In Wards } with other } Inmates, } <i>1</i>	
Admitted during the Week,			<i>9</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>40</i>	Total, } <i>130</i>	Total, } <i>6</i>	
TOTAL,			<i>63</i>	<i>151</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>53</i>	<i>97</i>	<i>121</i>	<i>66</i>	<i>53</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>656</i>			
Discharged during the Week,			<i>6</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>21</i>			
Died,			<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>			
Total Discharged and Dead,			<i>7</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>23</i>			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			<i>57</i>	<i>143</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>51</i>	<i>96</i>	<i>119</i>	<i>62</i>	<i>50</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>634</i>			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *17th* day of *January* 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						
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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 *Tuesday* the *25th* day of *January* 185*1*

PRESENT: In the Chair *John Redington Esq. M.P.*
 Other Guardians: *William Hall, John Stanger, James Morris, Joseph Grealy, John Gannon, Miles Ward, Edward O'Shaherty, John Glattery, Thomas C. O'Shaughnessy, W. H. Donnell*
William P. O'Brien Esq. P.L.D.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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. 27112 to No. 27114, 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. 263 to No. 262, 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 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, - - - £ 415. 15. 7

Paid during the week, - - - £ 394. 15. 0

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was - £ 173. 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:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Richard Carter	Galway	76	10	0				1015	0	0			
Edward Conside	Barna	18	4	7	95	1	7	100	8	53	1175	9	7
"	Galway	21	17	0									
"	Canterbury	"	"	"									
Mathew Collins	Ballinacorney	21	15	0	233	12	0				1170	0	0
"	Canterbury	"	"	"				41	2	11			
"	Liscannore	"	"	"				19	16	0			
"	Deerfield	"	"	"				15	12	10			
"	Buaghmore	"	"	"				37	17	7			
"	Deerfield	"	"	"				28	14	7			
"	Liscannore	"	"	"				2	4	4	480	13	
Patrick Hyne	Dunmore	12	1	0				10	4	9			
"	Claregalway	12	8	6				21	4	8			
"	Liscannore	"	"	"	24	9	6	9	3	25	10	12	9
Mathew Flynn	Dunmore	16	5	11				78	15	7			
"	Ballinacorney	9	10	3				14	10	7			
"	Shadballey	"	"	"				6	19	9			
"	Chamberidge	18	11	4	44	10	0	130	1	6	130	74	15
Mynter Merran	Trinity	"	"	"							27	5	11
John F. O'Keefe	Claregalway	"	"	"	12	23	0				2	23	0
John O'Keefe	Moycullin	"	"	"				107	0	6			
"	Liscannore	"	"	"				28	7	0			
"	Trinity	"	"	"				78	10	7	24	2	2
John O'Keefe	Trinity	2	5	0				21	10	0			
John O'Keefe	Spiddle	4	15	0	9	3	0	8	12	0	11	10	8
John O'Keefe	Ballinacorney	12	8	8				32	4	7			
"	Liscannore	17	7	8	17	11	0	3	4	5	25	5	4
					415	15	7				2910	16	0
Samuel Cross	Galway	"	"	"							977	0	1
Mynter Merran	Trinity	"	"	"							1	0	0
Edward Conside	Galway	"	"	"							100	5	7
John O'Keefe	Moycullin	"	"	"							220	5	7
John O'Keefe	Ballinacorney	"	"	"				76	3	12			
"	Canterbury	"	"	"				353	4	4			
Mathew Collins	Claregalway	"	"	"				90	6	9	21	12	4
Mathew Collins	Canterbury	"	"	"							154	11	0
Mathew Collins	Liscannore	"	"	"				115	0	0			
Samuel Cross	Trinity	"	"	"				138	17	0	23	1	7
	Ballinacorney	"	"	"							210	19	0
	Shadballey	"	"	"							210	19	0

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 11.10 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 £ 0.10.10

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 22.17.1

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 0.1.7 1/2

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:

- 720 lbs Bread
1 Ton Porky Meal
12 1/2 Quarts Milk
560 lbs Salt
5 lbs Tea
14 " Flour
14 " Sugar
15 " Meat
2 Bottles Port Wine
14 lbs Curry Root
138 Boxes Soap
12 lbs Candles
26 " 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 19 day of January, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

Table with 4 columns: Description, £, 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:

Table with 8 columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Check on Treasurer, By Order on Contractors (Article and quantity, Value), RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Check on Treasurer, By Order on Contractors (Article and quantity, Value). Rows include No. I to No. XVII and a TOTAL row.

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:

The following Report appeared on the Visiting Committee's Books.

William Kelly (Partner) was in the Taylor and Sheehan's ship at half past Seven o'Clock this morning when Thomas Murphy came in with a Pack of small Cards, Van Spelman also came in and these two with John Palmer went on playing Cards until the Master made his appearance.

(Signed)

John Gunning

23 January 1855.

John Palmer claimed his discharge and left the Workhouse, and the other two being unable to work the Board ordered their discharge.

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

The Board ordered the expenditure of a Pound in purchasing a suit of clothes for Mary of M^{rs} Loughlin who has been for 124 years in the Workhouse, and for the last 6 years mistress in the School, but who is leaving the Workhouse a Gentleman near Athlone having hired her as Nursing governess.

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

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

The application of Thomas Fitzgerald for the balance of his fees as Revisor of Valuation was referred to the Finance Committee,

The Clerk reported that the period allowed to Mr Carter for the Collection expired on the 22nd Inst.

Mr O'Brien P. L. I., called the attention of the Board to the unsatisfactory state of the Collection and the slow progress made by the Collectors and requested that the Rate Committee may be requested to meet on an early day to investigate the outstanding rates.

It also requested that an meeting of the Finance Committee be called for on an early day to go over the Bill of Costs as lately furnished by the Solicitor with the view of seeing the steps which should be

be taken to recover the Costs due by those parties where the Guardians were successful,

The Board accordingly appointed Monday next the 28th Inst. at 12 o'Clock for an meeting of the Rate and Finance Committees for the purposes mentioned by Mr O'Brien.

The Clerk to request the attendance of the Collectors of the Old and New Union rates as also the Solicitors and Members of the Rate and Finance Committee,

On the suggestion of the Inspector the Board directed the Master to reemploy the Sailor lately discontinued for the purpose of instructing the boys and keeping the clothing in repair,

Next meeting of the Board to be held on Friday the 1st February 1846.

Attest
 M. M. M.
 J. J. J.

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

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

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.)

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

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____.

_____ District,	£
_____ District,	£

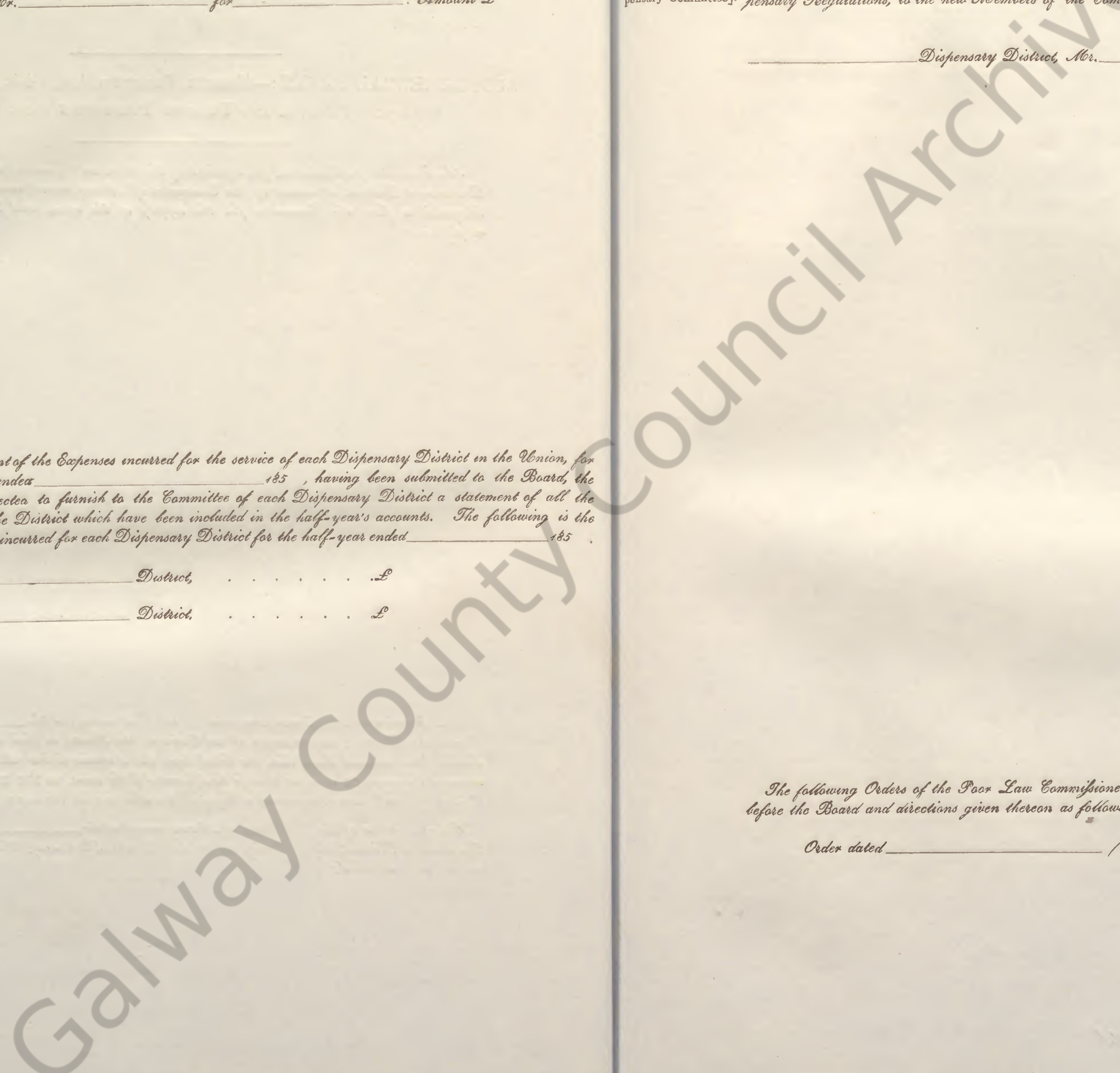
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject,)



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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

Population in 1851,

Galway UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *26th* day of *January* 185*1*.

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 Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse,	1100	637												
Temporary Buildings,	50													
Additional Workhouse,	"													
Permanent Fever Hospital,	100	6												
Fever Sheds,	"	6												
Total,	1250	645												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			57	146	230	50	76	119	63	53	20	127	127	
Admitted during the Week,			2	7	6	3	2				1	21	11	
TOTAL,			59	153	336	53	78	119	63	53	21	148	138	
Discharged during the Week,			4	4	1	"	"	"	"	1	1	11	11	
Died,			"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	1	
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	5	1	"	"	"	"	1	1	12	12	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			55	148	335	53	78	119	63	52	20	138	138	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *26th* day of *January* 185*1* 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 *1st* day of *February* 185*1*.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *C. O'Habert, M.P.*
 Other Guardians: *Nicholas Stellan, John Harrison, John Gunning, William Kelly, Joseph Treacy, George Morris, Pease Vige.*

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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. 2700 to No. 2712, 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. 8123 to No. 8122, 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 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, - - - £52.10.0

Paid during the week, - - - £238.8.6

And that the Balance on the Account Against the Guardians was - £12.1.3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Richard Carter	Galway	22	10	0				962	10	0			
Edward de Concedor	Galway				13			160	8	8			
"	Galway							1107	5	3			
"	Galway							5	16	2			
Mat Connors	Sallins							6	16	5			
"	St. James							41	2	11			
"	St. James							19	16	0			
"	Bellefleur							16	12	10			
"	St. James							37	17	7			
"	St. James							28	14	2			
Pat McShyne	St. James							5	4	4			
"	St. James							10	4	9			
"	St. James							21	4	2			
Mathew Hyne	St. James							9	2	2			
"	St. James							7	15	0			
"	St. James							14	15	7			
"	St. James							6	19	9			
Martin Henon	St. James							230	1	4			
John Dillon	St. James												
John O'Hare	St. James							107	0	6			
"	St. James							28	0	0			
Jim Curran	St. James							58	10	7			
John Tolam	St. James							2	1	10			
"	St. James							8	12	4			
"	St. James							32	4	7			
"	St. James							2	0	5			
Samuel Cross	Galway												
Mathew Henon	Galway												
John O'Hare	Galway												
John O'Hare	Galway												
John O'Hare	Galway							7	0	1			
"	Galway							258	4	4			
Mathew Henon	Galway							90	6	9			
Mathew Henon	Galway							110	0	7			
Samuel Cross	Galway							138	17	0			

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 112 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 110 - 10 s. 3 1/2 p.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 53. 9. 5 1/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 0. 1. 7 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 0. 2. 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:

500 lbs Bread
 2 Vans Barley Meal
 2 " Indian Meal
 12 " Oat Meal
 1594 Quarts Milk
 15 lbs Tea
 179 1/2 " Meat
 3 Bottles Port Wine
 96 Boxes Soap
 103 lbs Candles
 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 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.		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. forwd.						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.

Fuller Valancy as R. Officer	✓	12	10	"	✓
Morris	✓	7	10	"	✓
Clerk Unwin Tradesmens Bills	✓	9	3	4	✓

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

	£	s.	d.
Labour on acc of Meal	71	12	"
Lunch	60	13	3
Kelly	31	17	9

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:

The Visiting Committee recommended that Pat. Naughten be sent before the Magistrates for conveying a pair of Shoes and a Waistcoat from the Workhouse the goods were conveyed to the house of Hugh Pearson who at once came to the Master and told the Circumstance. From the frequent manner in which Officers servants are in the habit of going to Town, the Committee has ordered that in future there should be only one Messenger for the Schoolmistress and Wardmistress and a female Messenger for the Schoolmistress and Hospital Nurse, that they should only go to town once a day except on Saturday when they may go twice.

The Committee strongly recommended that this order shall not be departed from.

Report adopted

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

The Master reported, that at half past one o'clock on Sunday last three adult boys, named Michael Cunningham, Joseph Swift, and Pat Davern left the yard under the pretence of throwing out some Crops and other nuisances they left the barrow at the corner of the yard wall, and proceeded to the old graveyard and took from it the Ass which was grazing there, the three rode on it and otherwise ill-treated it until it fell down from exhaustion and they then beat it cruelly until it died, the Master stated that the Committee which met on Monday last ordered him to prosecute them under "Martin's Act." that he accordingly had them taken before the Magistrates and the above facts being fully proved, the parties were returned for trial to the Assizes.

Approved of.

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:

Circular requiring to be furnished with a Return regarding any cases of Cholera in the Workhouse for past year.

The following report was read from the Rate Committee,

Board Room, 28 January 56.

The Rate Committee beg to report that they met this day (28 Inst) and proceeded with the examination of the Collectors accounts the entire of this day has been unavoidably devoted to the examination of the Arrear Lists of the West Ward in the Collyer district of St. Martin. The amount of Arrear still appearing on the district amounts to the very large sum of £1088.13.11 and the Committee have seen with surprise that at a time when

when Contractors are demanding Interest on their claims the great bulk of their Arrear is due by some of the leading and most solvent persons in this Union. The Committee have adjourned their further proceedings to the 6th Proximo, and they beg to recommend to the Board in the strongest manner that the names of all parties who may be found in Arrear at that period should be published in the local papers and likewise left for Inspection in the Board Room.

The Board made an order as to publishing the names of the defaulters as recommended by the Committee, but directed the Clerk to require the attendance of all the Collectors of the old and new Rates on Wednesday next for the purpose of the Rate Committee completing the examinations of the Books.

The Clerk also to require the attendance of the Finance Committee to go over the Bill of Costs the attendance of the Solicitors also to be requested.

Next meeting of the Board to be held on Friday the 6th February.

William Chuma
Messrs. G. & J. G. G. G.
William Kelly

Wm. H. G. G.

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

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

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.)

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

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE Galway
UNION, ON Fri day, the 11th day of February 1851.
—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
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:*

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 £

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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185 .

[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.]

_____ District,	£
_____ District,	£

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject,)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

Read Copy of a Resolution passed by the Poor Law Commissioners requesting the Board of Guardians to resume the Sanatory operations in cleaning the Town as the Poor Law Commissioners were not in a position to undertake it for want of funds.

Several of the Town Commissioners who were present as Guardians this day expressed themselves against the Resolution and after a good deal of discussion it was

Resolved that the Clerk do write to the Poor Law Commissioners stating that the Guardians are not empowered to resume the proceedings specified in Section 10 of the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Act, and that if the Poor Law Commissioners be of opinion that it is necessary to resume the Sanatory operations they must take the necessary steps to obtain authority for same.

William Kelly Chairman
William Kelly Guardian's

(Signed)

J. P. Kelly
 Clerk of the Union

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of February 1856.

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 6 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 in Hospital and Idlots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse,	1000	625												
Temporary Buildings,	200													
Additional Workhouse,														
Permanent Fever Hospital,														
Fever Sheds,	140	6												
Total,	2000	631												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			53	14	35	50	98	119	60	52	20	140	In Workhouse Hospital, 128 In Fever Hospital, 6	In separate Wards, with other Inmates, 6
Admitted during the Week,			6	5	"	"	1	"	"	1	4	17		
TOTAL,			61	19	35	50	99	119	60	53	24	157		
Discharged during the Week,			10	8	2	1	3	"	"	1	4	29		
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"		
Total Discharged and Dead,			10	8	2	1	3	"	"	1	4	29		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			57	11	33	49	96	119	60	52	20	140		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of February 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 Tuesday the 8 day of February 1856

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Nicholas Wilham Esq.*
 Other Guardians: *Joseph Grealy, James Davis, Wm Kelly, Edward D. K. Parker.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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. 27125 to No. 27141, 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. 5623 to No. 803, 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 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, - - - £295.4.0

Paid during the week, - - - £185.19.4

And that the Balance on the Account *In favor of the Guardians* was - £97.0.5

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Richard Carter	Galway	147	12	7				814	18	3			
Edward Concedine	Danua	42	2	11	279	10	6	98	5	9	713	4	14
	Galway	53											
	Carabroane	4											
Mathew Comins	Bellantemple	2			203						1067		6
	Danua down							41	2	11			
	Liscarranore							17	16	0			
	Bellantemple							18	12	10			
	Aughrani							37	17	7			
	Deerpark							25	14	7			
	Lac Mahony							5	6	4	148	10	4
Patrick Joyce	Quinnagh							10	4	9			
	Claregalway							21	4	2			
	Liskenavalla							9	3	2	110	13	5
Mathew Joyce	Crannore	14	7	7				64	11	1			
	Ballymagombly							8	9	1			
	Stradally							6	19	9			
	Charabroane	11	15		32	8		33	6	1	103	6	5
Mathew Sheehan	Trushmore										27	5	1
John Willane	Willeen										2	0	8
John O'Hare	Moycullin							107		6			
	Sherrinua							28					
	Bullough							78	10	7	311	3	2
Matthew Quinn	Fingore							2	17	10			
	Spadale							8	12	0	11	10	8
John Moran	Ballyninn							32	4	7			
	Seleena							3		8	30	5	4
								29	4		25	3	3
Samuel Cross	Galway										197	5	1
Matthew Sheehan	Gran										17	0	
John Concedine	Galway										103	5	7
John O'Hare	Moycullin										232	12	7
John Hill	Killannin							7	3	1	22		
	Quinn							35	8	4	43		
Mat Comins	Claregalway							9	6	9	12	1	1
Mathew Sheehan	Claregalway							11	5		7		
	Lac Mahony							138	17	0	20	17	7
Samuel Cross	Crannore												
	Ballymagombly												
	Stradally												

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 £ *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 £ 86. 14s. 11¹/₂d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 56. 1. 6

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 0. 1. 7¹/₂
 Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 0. 2. 1¹/₂
 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	13 lbs Corn dyes
1 Von Barley Meal	112 " Soap
1488 Quarts Milk	112 " Washing Soda
6 lbs Tea	
112 " Sugar	
112 " Rice	
14 " L. Sugar	
179 " Meat	
21 Bottles Port Wine	
14 lbs Arrow Root	
180 Boxes Vinegar	

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 February, 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					
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No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forwd.						TOTAL,					

Credit Treasurer with 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:)

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 4 February 56.
N^o 30. requesting to be furnished with a Return of the Rates made and any New Rates agreed upon.

Rate Committee Meeting 6 February 1856.

Present.

William P. Drier Esq. J. P.
John Stameson, Joseph Grealy, William Kelly,
John Blakeney, John Humming, James G. Thompson
and James Davis.

The Committee have to report that they have carefully examined the books of Mr Conside's Collector in whose district the large sum of £1104 is outstanding and the Committee beg to state that altho' a good portion of the houses Conside's Rates are unoccupied premises yet fully three fourths of the above amount are collectable Rates and due by solvent persons and the Committee see no reason why Mr Conside should not be able to close his collection

within a month from this date. He having promised to do so by Monday 10th March. The Committee recommend the Board to give him an extension of time till that date.

The Committee beg to submit the following cases to the Board and recommend that proceedings should be taken for recovery of the Rates for the purpose of ascertaining whether premises so occupied are liable to rate.

South Ward

222. \$2.0.0 a House rated to Isaac Comford and said to be occupied only by a caretaker.

315 \$7.4.0 House rated to Tho' Hynes and said to be similarly occupied.

381 4.0.0 House rated to Tho' Con & said to be occupied similarly.

356 & 357- 6.8.0 Houses rated to George M Hornell and said to be similarly occupied.

The Committee also recommend that Processes to the next Quarter Sessions be issued for recovery of the Rates in the following Cases being stated to be unoccupied on the day the rate was made but which became occupied soon after and are now occupied and in consequence of a decision given by the Recorder some time since the Committee think that the Premises will be held liable to rate.

371 \$9.0.0 Store rated to Hugh and Tabner

372 9.0.0 Do " James J. Fynn

377 9.0.0 Do " John O'Connell

417 3.4.0 Do " Catherine Ryan

418 5.0.0 Do "

435 9.8.0 Do " Tho' M. Osborne

As regards the rural Collectors, the Committee recommend that the Clerk be directed to require them to close their collections by Friday the

the 22nd February.
Bill of Costs.

The Committee beg to report that they have gone through the Bills of Costs as furnished by the Solicitor.

The amount of the Costs for proceedings in the Superior Courts as furnished is £362.6.7 and for proceedings in the Civil Bill Court £186.0.0 and the period which they cover is from February 1850 to 30th of November 1855.

The following are the cases which the Committee think it right to refer to the Board for the purpose of steps being taken to recover the Costs from the parties.

Chr & George Coals £22.15.3 before steps are taken for the recovery of Costs the Clerk to ascertain the nett Balance of Rates due by Mr St George and the Solicitor to apply for both and if not paid to issue execution for recovery of amount.

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

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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.)

Dennis Cahoy Costs £6.16.4 Before any steps being taken for recovery of this sum out of the Property, the Committee, recommend the Board would instruct the Solicitor to submit a full statement of all the facts to Counsel and should the opinion be favourable to the recovery of the claim that not alone proceedings be taken for recovery of this sum but also for the rate of 1849 for which there is a judgment.

Charles Corner Costs £2.7.8 The Committee recommend that the most expeditious steps should be taken to recover not alone these Costs but also the rate and £11.6.3 and for which a decree was obtained & Registered. The decree for the Costs to be paid Mr Dickey to be applied to for those Costs.

Robert J. Mastey Costs £ Robert S. Dickey Costs £1.12.11

Martin Hemon and Sinetres Costs £12.5.9 These Costs to be debited to Hemon in his acc^t of Fees.

Charles Blake Costs £23.3.9 The Committee have no objection to make in this case but refer it to the Board to consider the steps which should be taken for recovery.

A. G. B. Martin £27.6.0 James French 8.17.4 These costs will ultimately be recovered.

As a/c. do the costs of proceedings in the Civil Bill

Bill Court as it is principally for Civil Bill
 decrees obtained for Poor Rates. The Committee
 recommend that the Solicitor shall send to
 the Clerk the Decrees in his possession for the
 purpose of the Clerk ascertaining the names
 of the Collectors in whose districts the Rates
 were due for which they were obtained, and
 to ascertain whether the rates were collected or
 are yet due and in those cases which may yet
 be due, the Clerk to ascertain with the assistance
 of the Collectors whether the parties are solvent
 and in the numerous cases where the Solicitors
 appear to have handed the Decrees to the
 Collectors, the Committee recommend that
 the Clerk shall ascertain the following
 particulars:

- 1st The names of the Collectors to whom the Decrees
 were handed.
- 2nd Whether the rates were paid or are yet due.
- 3rd If paid whether the Collectors received the
 Costs as well as the Rates and in such
 cases the Collectors to be charged with same.

And should the Collectors have received the
 Rates in any cases without the Costs the Committee
 also recommend that the Costs be charged to
 the Collectors.

For the purpose of enabling the Clerk to ascertain
 the above particulars and prepare his report
 the Committee have allowed him a fortnight
 and they have advanced their further con-
 sideration of the Bills of Costs until that day
 on which day they will consider whether

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 day of _____ 185 .
 (Signed) _____
 Clerk of the Union.

the Bills of Costs should not be taxed
 or whether Mr. Blakeney should not be asked
 to reduce it by a certain percentage as was done
 in 1850 when the former Bill of Costs was under
 consideration.

Mr. Gialy as a member of the Rate Committee
 objected to that part of the Report
 recommending Proceedings in rates and
 out of rates occupied by Cautaker:

Finally the adoption of the Report
 was adj. to Friday next:

Next meeting of the Board to be held
 on Friday the 15 February 1856

Wm Redington Chairman
 Edward Blarney } Guardians
 = G. M. Morris }
 Clerk Union

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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____.

_____ District £
_____ District £

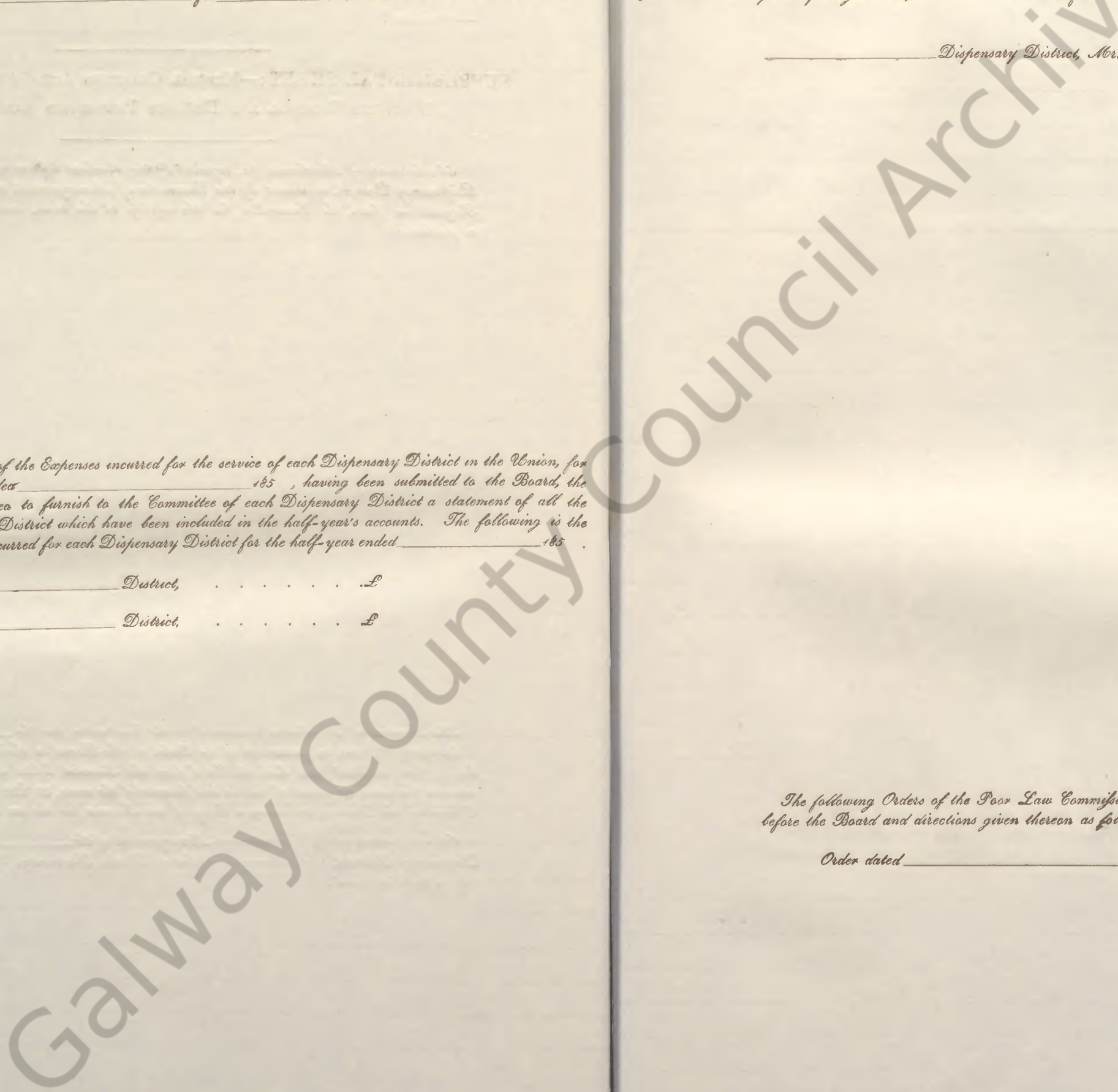
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject,)



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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of February 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.	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	625													
Temporary Buildings,	850														
Additional Workhouse,	5														
Permanent Fever Hospital,	5														
Fever Sheds,	140	5													
Total,	2100	630													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			51	145	33	52	96	117	63	52	20	63	In Workhouse Hospital, 121 In Fever Hospital, 5	In separate Wards with other Inmates, 6	
Admitted during the Week,			2	7	2	1	1	1	2	4	4	24			
TOTAL,			53	152	35	53	97	120	65	56	24	63	Total, 126	Total, 6	
Discharged during the Week,			5	6	1	3	3	1	1	1	3	24			
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1			
Total Discharged and Dead,			5	6	1	3	3	1	1	1	4	25			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			48	146	34	50	94	119	64	55	20	63			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9 day of February, 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 15 day of February 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair,

John Redington Esq. V.C.

Other Guardians:

Bernard O'Haherty, George Morris,

Pat. H. Connamon, Miles Ward, John Gunning,
Joseph Grealy, George G. Burke, James B. Foster,
James G. O'Shaughnessy, Edward D. Burke, A.W. Blake,
C. C. Burke.

Galway County

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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. 27143 to No. 27144, 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. 862 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 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, - - - £150.16.0

Paid during the week, - - - £44.13.11

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £213.2.6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Richard Carter	Galway	"	"	"				814	18	3 1/2			
Edw Consolet	Barra	"	"	"				98	5	9 1/2	913	4	1 1/4
	Galway	155	5	4									
	Canabronny	"	"	"									
Mathew Collins	Ballintemple	"	"	"	155	5	4				911	15	6 1/2
	Granadun	"	"	"				41	2	11			
	Liscannock	"	"	"				19	16	0 1/2			
	Wellsville	"	"	"				15	12	10			
	Highm	"	"	"				37	17	7			
	Deerpark	"	"	"				28	14	7 1/2			
Pat. Flynn	Lackabeg	"	"	"				5	6	4 1/2	148	10	4 1/2
	Garmon	"	"	"				10	4	7 1/2			
	Blaregalway	"	"	"				21	4	3 1/2			
	Liskenavalla	"	"	"				9	3	2 1/2	40	12	3 1/2
Mathew Flynn	Garmon	"	"	"				14	11	1			
	Ballinacorney	"	"	"				8	9	1			
	Stradbally	"	"	"				6	19	7 1/2			
	Clonfadg	"	"	"				28	6	6	103	6	5 1/2
Martin Heenan	Inishmore	"	"	"							27	5	1 1/4
John O'Connell	Clonfadg	"	"	"							2	3	3 1/2
John O'Hakerty	Moyvullin	"	"	"				107	"	6 1/2			
	Shreegan	"	"	"				28	7	"			
	Ballinacorney	"	"	"				78	15	7 1/2	216	3	2 1/2
Samuel Curran	Stradbally	2	"	"				"	17	10			
John Solan	Spiddle	3	11	"	5	11	"	5	7	10 1/2	6	5	5 1/2
	Stillanin	"	"	"				32	4	7 1/2			
	Selena	"	"	"				3	"	8 1/2	35	5	4 1/2
								150	16	"			
Samuel Cross	Galway										240	12	3
Martin Heenan	Arqua										99	5	7
Edw Consolet	Galway										953	5	7 1/2
John O'Hakerty	Moyvullin										223	15	7 1/2
John Hill	Stillanin	"	"	"				7	63	1	2 1/2		
	Oxterard	"	"	"				358	4	4 1/2			
	Blaregalway	"	"	"				95	6	9 1/2	1211	12	4 1/2
Mat Collins	Granadun	"	"	"							104	1	1 1/2
Mat O'Brien	Lackagh	"	"	"				115	"	7			
Samuel Cross	Arqua	"	"	"				138	17	0 1/2	253	17	7 1/2
	Oxterard	"	"	"									
	Ballinacorney	"	"	"							583	19	"
	Stradbally	"	"	"									
											1347	25	7 1/2

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 £ 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 £ 65 . 6 . 1 1/4 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 73. 17. 8 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 0 . 1 . 7 1/4

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 0 . 2 . 1 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:

1000 lbs Bread
 7 " Biscuit
 1 Ton Barley Meal
 1619 Quarts Milk
 5 lbs Tea
 181 " Beef
 2 Bottles Port Wine
 7 lbs Sago
 1 Ton Coals
 1107 Paves Turf
 13 lbs Candles

56 lbs Washing Soda
 1 " Wax Candles.

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

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.		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. forwd.						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.

July Salary	22. 10. 0	Kennis Salary	✓	7	10	0	✓
Manor	6. 5. 0	Juniper	✓	7	10	0	✓
Head	45. 0. 0	Lambert	✓	7	10	0	✓
Shayney	20. 0. 0	Miwell	✓	3	0	0	✓
Wm. O'Shaugh	7. 10. 0	Clark of Union Small Bills	✓	12	0	0	✓
Conner	3. 10. 0						
Carile	7. 10. 0						
Lambert	2. 10. 0						
Kett	4. 10. 0						
McRome	25. 0. 0						
Broxhall	10. 0. 0						

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.
Unpaid Bill Act			
Oliver D. St 20.18.1 Cumins Fees & other	14		
Lynch small 101.0.0 Killeen hardware	3		
Kelly milk 16.0.0 Lenee med ce	12	0	0
Killeen Groc 7.0.0 Kennedy Printing	14		
Mallye Inf 12.0.0 Coker books	1		
Mallye soap 6.0.0 Mille Cotton	12	11	6
Salcorer books 4.0.0			
Mian 3			
Law Funeral & Seaver Inter	2	2	4

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 recommendation of the Committee to take down the timber shed at rear of the Jailman was again referred to the V Committee for consideration

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

The Master reported that the Contractor for sweeping the Chimneys had neglected his Contract.

The Board deputed another man to be employed and the expense charged 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:)

Circular from Poor Law Commissioners
Dated 14 February 1856. transmitting 250
Copies of notice of Election.

Mr. Courmes applied to the Board
to satisfy the judgment standing
against him as one of Martin's
Surety.

After some discussion the Board
expressed signing the necessary
Paper until the Clerk would
ascertain from Mr. Stakewey
whether there was any objection
to the Board doing so. and directed
the Clerk to write to Mr. Stakewey
to that effect.

With reference to the Report of the

Board Rate Committee on the 1st Inst
Mr. Morris handed in the following
notice of motion.

I give notice that while on the
rate fortnight that Mr. Stakewey prepared
a bill of the Defaults for Poor rate
and that it be placed on the
table of the Board Room for inspection.

George Morris
Guardian
15 Feb 1856

The Board again had under consideration
the report of the Committee of last
Friday the adoption of which was
adj. to this day. and after a long
discussion the Board again adj.
the adoption of it till Friday next

Next meeting of the Board to be
held on Friday the 22nd February 1856

Wm Stakewey Chairman
Guardian
Edward D. Smith
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.)

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

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185 .
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Salary	Dispensary District	Account of Mr.	for	Amount
		<i>Cottrell</i>	<i>Indones</i>	£ 1 . 9 . 3
<i>Dr. Dan's</i>	<i>Salary</i>			✓ 30 . 0 . 0
<i>Dr. Bernal</i>				✓ 11 . 5 . 0
<i>Dr. Rossly</i>				✓ 15 . 0 . 0
<i>Western Deeply district</i>	<i>Morgan - salary</i>			✓ 15 . 0 . 0
<i>"</i>	<i>Do ready rent</i>			✓ 15 . 0 . 0
<i>Inlongman</i>	<i>Keown</i>			✓ 22 . 10 . 0
<i>Drumner</i>	<i>Hughes</i>			✓ 22 . 10 . 0
<i>"</i>	<i>Bymer</i>			✓ 3

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

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

_____ District	£
_____ District	£

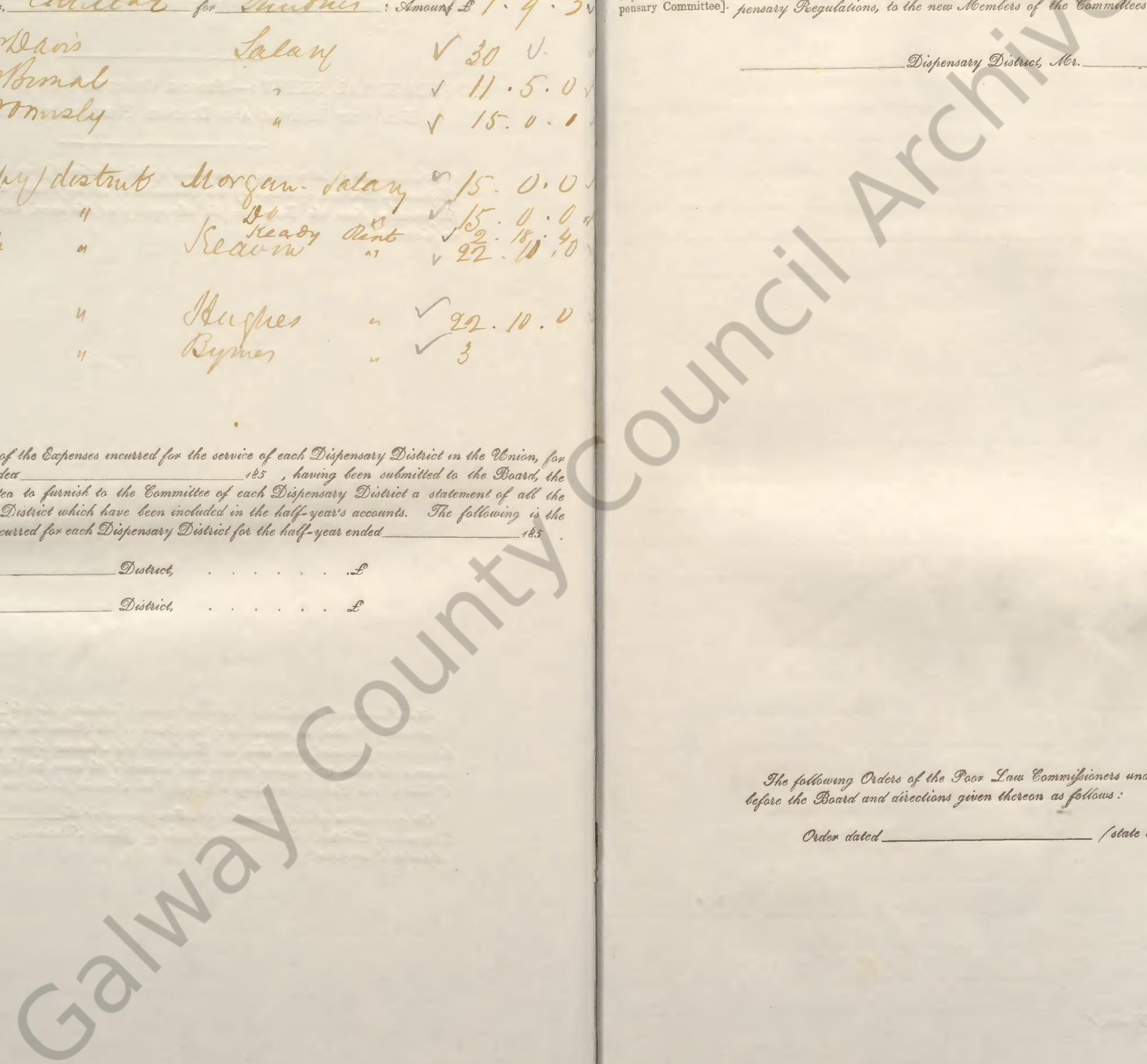
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The Board elected the following Peate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification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

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Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

Galway County

[Signea,]

Clerk of the Union.

Galway UNION.

Population in 1851,

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of February 1851.

Table with columns for accommodation, age groups (Able-bodied, Aged and Infirm, Boys and Girls, Children), and RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS (Hospital, Lunatics, Observations). Includes rows for Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Permanent Fever Hospital, and Total.

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

Table with columns for RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 and not comprised in Sec. 1), Total relieved out of the Workhouse, and Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 and not comprised in Sec. 1). Rows include No. I to No. XVII and Car. forward.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 23 day of February 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair,

John Blakemore Esq.

Other Guardians:

Nicholas Tullahan, Edward D. Penke,

James C. Shanahessy, John Gunning, Nicholas Lynch, George Morris.

William P. O'Brien Esq.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ *N.C.* 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 £ 45. 19 s. 11 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 34. 18. 3³/₄

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 0. 1. 7³/₄

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - 0. 2. 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:

<p>1000 lbs Bread 7 " Biscuit 1000 lbs Barley Meal 1/2 " Indian Meal 112 lbs Cocoa 1517 2¹/₂ Milk 560 lbs Salt 6 " Tea 112 " Sugar 10 " Pepper 10 " Allspice</p>	<p>184³/₄ lbs Meat 17 Dozen Potatoes 21 Bottles Port Wine 14 lbs Arrow Root 159 Pounds Soap 13 lbs Candles 112 " Soap 112 " Washing Soda</p>
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The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature:

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 15 day of *February*, 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.						Et. forward					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forwd.						TOTAL,					

Credit Treasurer with 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 Working Committee reported that they had cast the following articles as worn out and unfit for use and that the Matron would use them in repairing other articles of clothing, 115 Girts, 91 Womens Aprons, 84 Girls Shifts, 81 Womens Shifts, 19 Men Shirts, 12 Sheets, 141 Womens Whiffores, and 34 Boys Shirts.

The Committee reported that the Milk was deficient

during the week, and with the sanction of the Doctor Borda had been substituted for milk to the Adult and Infirm Classes and the boys.

Mr Brown P.L. Inspector recommended that Butter should be given as a substitute instead of Milk whenever the Milk may be deficient that the Medical Officer should state the quantity of Butter which he would consider as equivalent to Milk and he stated that he had been speaking to Doctor Brown on the subject and he approved of Butter as a substitute for Milk in preference to anything else.

The Board adopted the recommendation of the Inspector and requested the Master to ascertain from the Doctor the quantity which he would consider a fair substitute for Milk, and to purchase Butter

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

Should the Contractor not supply it.

present leading to the Idioty and from the Aged
adjoining be kept constantly closed & prevent communica-
tion between the hospital yard, and the Idiotyard,
as the latter is, in future to be for the use of the Male
Inmates of the Infirmary.

Next meeting of the Board to be held on Sunday
the 29th January 1856.

W. H. Hunt	} Chairman	
M. J. Miller		} Guardians
W. J. G. G. G.		
W. J. G. G. G.	Clerk of Union	

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	-	-
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 Poorhouse 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 Passport thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

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

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE

UNION, ON Galway Tuesday day of February 1857.

—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 2
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:

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:)

4 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 4 185, 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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 4 185/.

4 District £
4 District £

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

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

4 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 4 (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 23rd day of February 1851.

Table with columns for accommodation types (Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, etc.), age groups (Able-bodied, Aged and Infirm, etc.), and RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS (Number in Hospital, No. of Lunatics, etc.). Includes handwritten totals and a note 'transferred'.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 23rd day of February 1851, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns for RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1., Total relieved out of the Workhouse, and RELIEF DISTRICT. Includes a diagonal line through the table.

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

PRESENT: In the Chair, H. O'Haherty Esq. M.P. Other Guardians: Nicholas Sullivan, Joseph Grealish, J. Harrison, John Lanning, Pat. L. O'Connell, Wm. Kelly, Edward O'Haherty, John Slattery, James Montoya.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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. 27120 to No. 27207, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Out-poor Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 103 to No. 117, 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 the orders of the last Board.

From *James Connell* Proceeds of Auction £ 36. 4. 2 ✓

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, - - - - - £ 169. 0. 4
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 113. 3. 8
 And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was - £ 11. 8. 1
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Richard Barber	Galway	52	18	2	✓	56	7	10	14				
Edward Bourne	Galway	43	18	8		8	12	18	8				
Mathew Connors	Galway					5	16	7					
	Ballintemple					6	15	8	23				
	Canadown					3	9	10					
	Liscannore					16	13	14					
	Bellevue					11	7	10					
	Augustine					3	7	17					
	Doonough					2	5	14					
Patrick Byrne	Lactacagh					5	6	4					
	Garrinoge					10	4	9					
	Olrogalwan					2	1	4					
Matthew Byrne	Shenavalla					9	8	23					
	Craymore	9	10			5	8	7					
	Ballmacomb	4	10			3	10	1					
	Stradbally	6	10					9					
	Clarefridge	15	10			1	6	6					
Magdalen Sterran	Doonough												
John O'Rahilly	Doonough												
	Moycullin					10	7						
	Shenavalla					2	8						
	Lactacagh					7	8	10					
Jam. Curran	Doonough							1					
John Nolan	Speale					5	7	10					
	Ballintemple					3	2	11					
	Selona					3		8					
						13	2	16					
Samuel Cross	Galway												
Magdalen Sterran	Tray												
Edward Bourne	Galway												
John O'Rahilly	Moycullin												
John Gill	Ballintemple					7	6	3					
	Outward					3	5	8					
Mat Connors	Canadown					9	0	6					
Mat Connors	Lactacagh												
Samuel Cross	Doonough					13	8	1					
	Craymore					2	0	9					
	Ballmacomb					2	4	4					
	Stradbally					3	8	7					

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 71. 10. 0 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 53. 15. 11 1/2.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 53. 15. 11 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 0. 1. 7 3/4

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 0. 2. 1 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:

1000 lbs Bread
 7 " Bread
 1 Ton Barley Meal
 1200 Quarts Milk
 6 lbs Tea
 21 " Pepper
 1 1/4 " Meat
 21 " Brown Root
 155 Boxes Tinf
 7 lbs Candles
 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 5 day of 1844; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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. forwd.					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.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

	£	s.	d.
✓ Martin Selly Milk	15	"	"
✓ Mick McManara Meat	5	"	"
✓ Thomas Palmer Meal	71	15	"

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account

	£	s.	d.
Unpaid Bill Up			
✓ Credit for James Young balance of Fees	9	9	3

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

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

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

The Visiting Committee reported that the Workhouse is in good order. They recommended that the carrying out of the order of the last Board regarding the taking down of the shed be deferred for 3 months. After some discussion on the Board agreed to defer taking any steps in the matter till after Sunday next.

The Committee recommended that a sum of Five pounds be expended in sending an Officer to Dublin and Fen to arrest Webber, Burns and Caherty tradesmen employed in these places but whose families are in the Workhouse they having deserted them and that Mr Cullin's Return Officer be the party to proceed on said mission.

Agreed to.

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

The Master reported that a sufficiency of milk was supplied during the past week and that he did not find it necessary to buy butter.

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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 following letter of explanation was read from Mr Fitz Gerald, Treasor regarding the changes made by him in Monks ratings and he requested payment of the balance of his fees.

Gentlemen

Having heard inadvertently, that the Board required some explanation from me ^{respecting} the Revision of a plot called, "Monks Plot," I attended, at the Board Room on last Friday 3 Weeks for the purpose of giving any explanation they may require, and also of getting a small balance which remained due to me of my salary for revising the Union in 1854.

Although I waited till the business of the Board was over there was no explanation required from me and the Clerk told me my account which I furnished on that day was referred to the Finance Committee for payment so that was not finance day I was aware that should not be paid on that day till the following Friday, and in hearing by the Com that 11 funds on that day Sunday were limited, I did not feel much disappointed at

at not being paid, on last Friday it seems the Finance Committee refused to order payment till an explanation is given regarding this plot.

They to give under, the explanation which I trust will prove satisfactory to the Board.

In 1852 the valuations will be found to be considerably lower than that of 1851 in consequence of many of the Cabins having been taken down between the periods of both revisions.

In 1853 all the Cabins but 4 had been removed 3 of which were on Monks part of the plot and one on Mr Davis portion (Mr Davis) having taken part of the plot previous to this revision.

In 1854 I first changed the entire plot to Mr Davis, having been informed that he had got the entire but on Mr Davis satisfying me that he had not got possession of the entire his statement was "I have not much doubt, but I will be in soon in possession of the entire but I am not yet and dont wish to be charged with the portion I have not got possession of" of course he was right and he could be ~~made pay~~ charged or made pay as subsequent occupier when he got possession.

In 1855 I was not engaged and did not revise the valuation the Plot (I suppose) in the absence of information changed the items as they had been changed in the former valuation.

This gentlemen is the explanation I have to give and which I trust will satisfy you, that I carefully revised the valuation of this Plot in each Revision on the change in the value and also in the ~~Items~~ items, each year from the previous one in consequence of the taking down of Houses and changes in occupation from year to year, required that I should revise this Plot each year, and shall also be sufficient proof to you that I revised every year.

I have the honor to be
Gentlemen
Your obedient Servant
Mr Fitz Gerald
Newtown, July 1856
26 February 56,

is ~~regards~~ the appeal at the suit of Mr Davis against the Decree pronounced against him for part of these rates will come on for hearing at the next Assizes the Board decided on withholding Mr Fitzgeralds fees till the result would be known.

The Board then considered the Report of the Rate Committee regarding the Bills of Costs and as regards the Costs in the Superior Courts, Mr Stacey at the request of some Guardians made the following proposition to make a reduction of ten per cent from same, in lieu of taxation. The Board considering the proposition a very liberal one unanimously accepted of it, and deferred the consideration of the Civil Bill Costs and of the other portion of the Report until the Committee would make their final report.

Mr Morris not having attended to move his notice of motion and no other Guardian feeling inclined to do so it therefore dropped.

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.)

The Clerk reported that Mr Taylor the Collector had lately died.

Ordered, that his successor be advertised for and that his brother be written to, to bring in his books.

Ordered, that Mr Hill be summoned for non attendance in compliance with the Clerk's request.

Resolved, that a meeting of the V. Committee be summoned for Tuesday next to revise the Papers in the house.

Next meeting of the Board to be held on Friday the 7th March 1856.

Attest
Wm. L. Chairman
J. Guardians
J. Clerk of Union

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

(Signed) _____
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the

UNION, on Thu day, the 29 day of February 1856.
—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 5
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of 5
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 5
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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____ 185____.

_____ District £ _____
_____ District £ _____

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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. 27218 to No. 27219, 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. 862 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 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, - - - £96. 17. 0

Paid during the week, - - - £128. 14. 3

And that the Balance on the Account *against* the Guardians was - £20. 9. 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Richard Carter	Galway	36	10					661		12			
Edward Conside	Banna	3			439	10		75	5	756		11	
	Galway	29	16					783	25				
	Galway							5	16				
Mat Comins	Ballinacorney				29	16		6	6	795		5	
	Annadown							33	10				
	Liscannon	2	9					14	4				
	Bellinakeel	5	7					6		10			
	Aughrim	3	6					34	11				
Pyry	Deerpark	14	7					24	7				
John Rydal	Lackabeg	9	2		27	11		3	4	105		19	
	Garraun							10	4				
	Clonergalway							21	4				
Mathew Fyans	Lishinacorta							9	2	140		12	
	Garraun							53	1				
	Ballinacorney							3	1				
	Stradbally								9				
	Clonabridge							7	1	67		6	
Mathew Fernon	Speshmore									27		5	
John Pellam	Kilcummin									7		3	
John O'Hareby	Moycullen							11		57			
	Clonsilla							28					
	Clonsilla							7	1	72		3	
Timothy Curran	Fingough								1	10			
	Spiddale							5	7	102		6	
John Toland	Kilcummin							32	4				
	Delena							2		57		3	
					96	17				205		13	
Samuel Cross	Galway									997		1	
Mathew Fernon	Garraun									17		5	
Edward Conside	Galway									153		5	
John O'Hareby	Moycullen									223		13	
John Hill	Kilcummin							7	5	1		23	
	Clonsilla							35	4			44	
	Clonsilla							90	6	9		124	
Mathew Comins	Annadown									104		1	
Mathew O'Connell	Lackabeg							11	5			7	
	Kilcummin							138	12	25		17	
Samuel Cross	Garraun							30	9	7		6	
	Ballinacorney							24	6	4		2	
	Stradbally							25	7	3		55	
										436		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 £ 100 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 £ 41. 0s. 0²d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 54. 6. 9³/₄

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 0. 1. 7³/₄

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 0. 2. 4¹/₂

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:

1100 lbs Bread
 7 " Biscuit
 1 Ton Branley Meal
 1647 lbs Milk
 6 lbs Tea
 112 " Rice
 167¹/₄ " Meat
 2 Bottles Port Wine
 156 Boxes Inf
 13 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 1st day of March; 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.		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.
No. I.						Bt. forward					
No. II.						No. X.					
No. III.						No. XI.					
No. IV.						No. XII.					
No. V.						No. XIII.					
No. VI.						No. XIV.					
No. VII.						No. XV.					
No. VIII.						No. XVI.					
No. IX.						No. XVII.					
Car. forwd.						TOTAL,					

Credit Treasurer with 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:

Poor Law Commissioners Letter 6th March 1856. N^o 5698.
stating that the Galway Union had been placed in charge of P.^r Serence Breda M.P. as Poor Law Inspector.

Poor Law Commissioners Letter ^{29 Feb} ~~29 Feb~~ 1856 N^o 5699,
requiring to be furnished with the returns regarding the current rates.

Poor Law Commissioners Circular 29 February 1856 N^o 5699,
on the subject of the Collection of the old Union Rates.
The Commissioners requested the Clerk to furnish a return showing the progress made with the Collection of such rates, during each Half year since 25 March 1851.
The Commissioners recommended the Board of Guardians to take immediate steps to close the Collection of these rates, by obtaining lists of defaulters, appointing a Committee to scrutinize each case closely with a view to proceedings being taken to enforce payment whenever the rate is recoverable and by declaring as irrecoverable all such cases as cannot legally be enforced. The Commissioners further recommended the Guardians to adopt some

definite

definite point of time at which the Collection of the rates should be considered as closed.

As regards the scrutiny of the arrears lists and the fixing the time for closing the Collection the Board referred the Circular to the rate Committee for their report.

The Board directed a meeting of the rate Committee to be summoned for Tuesday next at 12 o'clock to complete their report regarding the Solicitors Bill of Costs for proceedings in the Inferior Courts, and to examine the Arrear Lists of Mr Considine Collector for the Eastern district of Galway.

Read Letter from Mr Griffitts Returning Officer stating that he had been served with a notice of the eviction of six gables in the Townships of Moycullen and Tullokye the property of Lord Campbell.

Read Letter from Mr Griffitts Commissioner of Valuation requesting to be informed when the Board of Guardians propose striking their next rate.

That Mr Griffitts be informed the next rate will be struck in August or September but that the Board should like to receive the final Valuation Lists as soon as possible.

Mr Carter appeared before the Board though Mr Harris be allowed to resign the Collection as from the Circumstances of some of his family being ill in fever and the whole of his time will immediately be taken up at the Assizes and Quarter Sessions it is impossible for him to attend the Collection.

After a good deal of discussion the Board decided the Clerk to notify to Mr Carter that his resignation at six would be accepted on the following condition

That he should recommend a fit and proper person to the Board for the Collection of the outstanding arrears, that should any extra poundage be paid by his successor and above the poundage which he has, that same shall be paid out of the fees due to Mr Carter, that himself and his sureties should continue to be accountable for any arrears which may turn out as irrecoverable by his neglect, and finally that Mr Carter present Securities should also be the sureties of his successor.

That he should also produce a letter from Messrs O'Hara and Castello (his sureties) consenting to the acceptance of his resignation and binding themselves to become securities for his successor.

Mr Carter to come before the Board on Sunday next prepared to comply with the above conditions.

Mr C. B. Burke moved that a list of defaulters owing a pound and upwards be made out by the Clerk and laid before the next Board.

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.)

Mr Lynch in pursuance of his notice of motion proposed the following resolution which was seconded by Mr Francis Blake.

Resolved, That the Salaries of all the officers of this Union be reduced to their original amount when the different persons appointed, to them undertook these different situations with the understanding of attending to them for any number of emigrants up to 1000. Remember this house was originally built to contain and that all Salaries and appointments made since be taken into the consideration of this Board with a view to their reduction or if not found absolutely necessary to their abolition.

Mr Cowan proposed an Amendment which was seconded by Mr B. Flaherty.

Resolved That a Committee of the whole Board be appointed to take into consideration the Salary of each officer of the Union with the view of revising the Salaries, fixing the Salary of each officer at a fair and reasonable rate. That the Committee further take into consideration whether it will be possible to dispense with the services of any officer, or officers, of the Union.

Capitol having been taken the Amendment was carried 18 having voted for it and 12 against it.

The Board thereupon formed themselves into a Committee,

Next Meeting of the Board to be held on Friday the 14 March 1856

James Martin
William Kelly

Committee of Whole Board, 7th March 1856.

It was proposed by Mr Bunke and seconded by Mr Harrison,

That We now fix the Salaries of all Officers of the House to the original amount on opening the House and then increase them for additional services.

A poll having been taken Mr Bunke's Resolution was Carried 17 having voted for it and 11 Against it.

The Salaries were accordingly fixed as follows

Protestant Chaplain £20 yearly

Roman C. do 50

Clerk 60 exclusive of retaining offices

Medical Officer 50 Salary Vall^{ce} of £30 under

Master 50 Parliamentary voters act.

Matron 25

Schoolmaster 15

Schoolmistress 10

Porter 10

The Committee were about proceeding to consider what increase should be made in each case for additional duties as also to take the Salaries of all new appointments since the opening of the House into consideration when it was proposed and seconded that the meeting be adjourned to Monday next at 12 o'clock and that the Clerk do give notice to each Guardian of such adjournment

An Amendment was proposed that the business be proceeded with

A poll having been taken, the amendment was lost ~~by being voted~~

The Meeting of the Committee was

accordingly adjourned to Monday next at 12 o'clock.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway
UNION, on Fri day, the 11th day of March 1856.

—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 Western
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:

That it be forwarded to the Contractor to furnish
the same,

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the Western
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of the 11th
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 Western
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:)

4 Dispensary District,
Account of Mr. 4 for 1 : 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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 185.

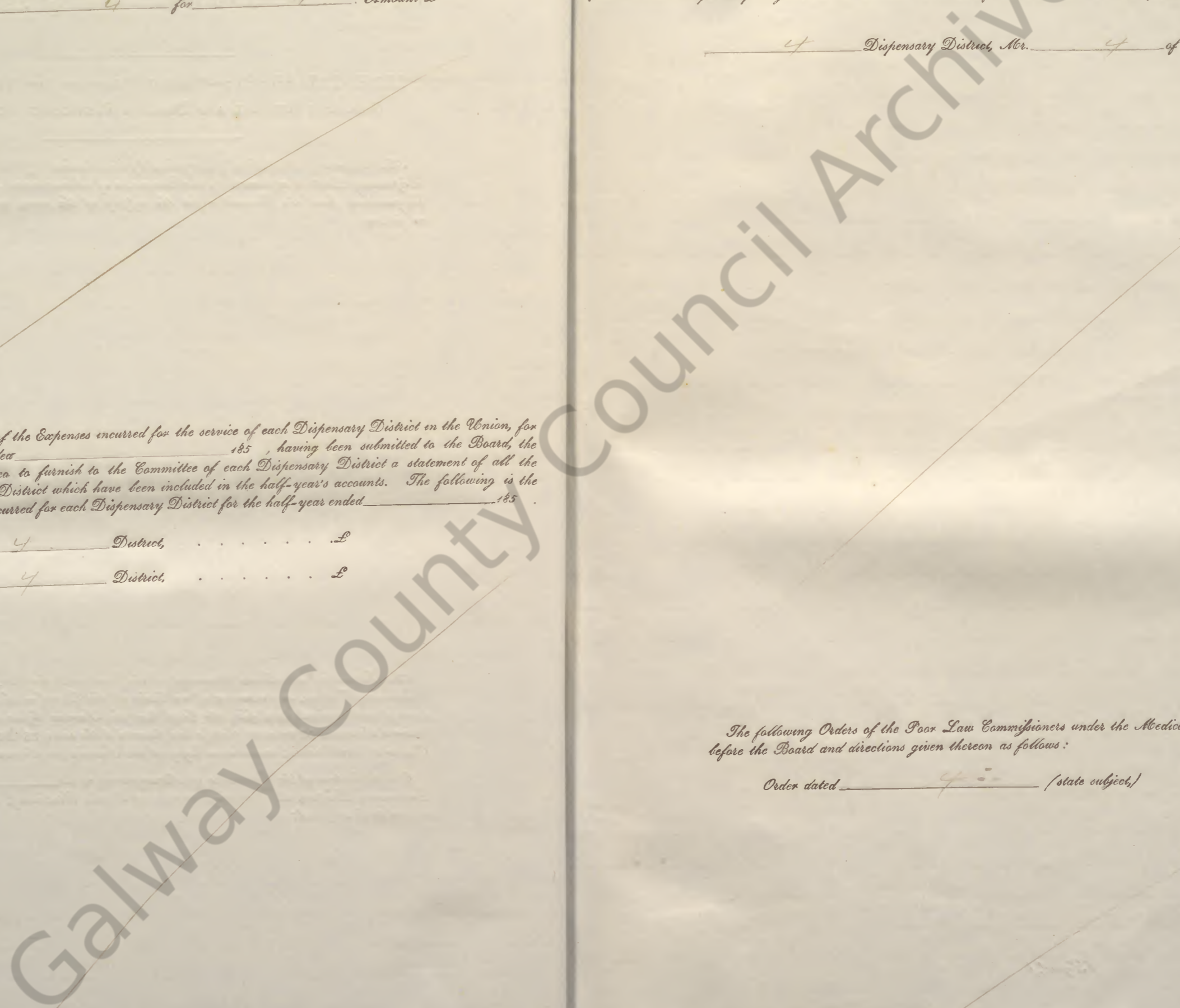
4 District £
4 District £

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

4 Dispensary District, Mr. 4 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 4 (state subject)



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

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 6th March 1856,

relative to the Guardians Resolution of the 27 Febry requesting the Commissioners to reduce the ^{qualification} qualification required under Sec. 7 of the Medical Charities Act to entitle persons to become members of a Dispensary Committee so far as regards that portion of the Galway Dispensary district which is comprised within the Isles of Aran. The Commissioners informed the Poor Law Guardians, that they have no legal power to comply with their request. The Commissioners observed that the Aran Dispensary being a branch of the Galway Dispensary can only be managed by the Committee of the entire district in which it is situated.

Resolved, That the further consideration of the subject be adjourned to this day fortnight.

Referring to the Commissioners Letter of the 28 Febry 1856 and the letter of the Rev. Mr. M. Creevy the following Report was handed in from the Western Dispensary Committee,

Extract from Minutes of proceedings of the Western Dispensary Committee held at Moycullen on Wednesday 5th March 1856.

The Committee having taken into consideration the letters of the Rev. Mr. Creevy, having dates respectively the 13th & 19th February and addressed to the Poor Law Commissioners and by them referred to the Committee of the Western Dispensary district.

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Resolved, that we do not concur with the Rev. Mr. Creevy in thinking that the present arrangements of the Guardians of the Galway Union with respect to the Western dispensary district are defective on the contrary we find on examination of the tickets and Books of the Dispensary that a very large proportion of attendance and Medical assistance have been accorded to the recommendations of that Rev. Gentleman and so far from any extraordinary loss of life in his parish we think very few indeed of the cases have proved fatally.

And we are of opinion that if any inconvenience occurs in the Western portion of the Rev. Mr. Creevy Parish he should rather address himself to the Guardians of the Outward Union than to the Guardians of the Galway Union.

By Order of the Committee
 Martin Griffin

Moycullen 5 March 1856.

After some discussion the following notice of motion was handed in by Mr. J. Blake, a copy of which was ordered to be sent to each Guardian.

I will move on this day fortnight that the residence of Dr. Morgan be changed from Moycullen to Spiddal.

(Signed) Patrick Blake
 Guardian
 7th March 1856.

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