

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 18th December, 1853.]

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

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

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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 Mr. James O'Arcy, Drummore, dated 14<sup>th</sup> April, 1864, stating that

stating that Dr. Kelly, (substitute for Dr. Hughes) refused to attend upon a visiting ticket issued to him by Mr. O'Arcy, although he knew the case to be very urgent.

Order - Referred to the Drummore Dispensary Committee -

Dr. Kelly presented a bill of £12 for four weeks services as temporary Medical Officer of the Drummore Dispensary, <sup>District</sup> during the illness of Dr. Hughes, and also a claim for £1 for attendance upon a case in that District at the desire of Relieving Officer Cullen, previous to his appointment by the Committee -

Order - Referred to the Dispensary Committee -

Ordered - The letter of the Poor Law Commissioners, dated 9<sup>th</sup> instant, in reference to the remuneration to Dr. Kelly, as substitute for Dr. Hughes, to be referred to the Dispensary Committee -

Sanitary Report of Relieving Officer Cullen

That he served 15 persons with notices to abate nuisances on their premises. That he has called upon the owners of Buildings let in small tenements to lime wash & otherwise cleanse these premises: that some are lime-washing, and others promise to do so immediately.

James Davin (Signed)

Thomas Stack  
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1861, 50,821

Present Net Annual Value, £64272.17.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of April 1861

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls				Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	816	458													
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	222	124													
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .															
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	38													
Fever Sheds, . . . . .															
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>1082</b>	<b>620</b>													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			31	115	102	160	53	37	26	60	42	616	In Work-house Hospital, 160 In Fever Hospital, 38 Total, 198	In separate Wards, 7 In Wards with other inmates, 1 Total, 8	
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			5	8	8	10	3	3	.	2	2	37			
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>36</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>110</b>	<b>160</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>62</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>653</b>			
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			4	9	5	5	1	1	2	3	2	32			
Died, . . . . .					1							1			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			4	9	6	5	1	1	2	3	2	33			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			32	110	104	155	55	39	24	59	42	620			

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
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No. I.							Bt. forward,						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Sunday the 29<sup>th</sup> day of April 1861

PRESENT: In the Chair, *John Redington Esq (V.C.)*

Other Guardians: *Mr. Collins, Joseph Fealy, Jas. Forbes, J. Harrison, James Davis, Jas Clarke*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4774 to No. 4792, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. to No. inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

That Collector Young has not attended with his accounts since he made the last lodgment with the Treasurer.

The Leger 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, £156: 8: 5

Paid during the week, £ 3: . . .

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £385: 15: 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: 1823 April

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
William Stelly	Galway North	16	11	3				158	8	4 1/2			
	South	3	6	3				95	4	10 1/2			
	East	30	15	6				287	6	8			
	West	18	4	5				168	5	7			
	Ballintemple							4	16	10			
	Barna	6	1	6				30	7	1 1/2			
	Carrowbrown							8	19	5			
					74	18	11				753	8	10 1/2
Mathew Creaven	Annaghdown							8	17	11 1/4			
	Aughin	9	9	2				9	7	3 1/2			
	Belleville		15	2				26	3	3 1/4			
	Carmore	7	8	0				4	5	7 1/4			
	Claregalway	11	19	5				13	3	3 1/4			
	Deerpark		15	2					17	9 1/2			
	Lackabeg	4	15	8				9	11	11			
	Liscanashane	4	11	7				6	8	10			
	Liskenavalla	2	15	0				1	6	4 1/2			
					42	10	0				80	2	4
William Young	Ballinacounty	20	8	3				6	17	9 1/2			
	Clarenbridge	3	19	6				19	11	6 1/2			
	Oranmore	3	7	3				13	10	5 1/2			
	Shadballly							3	17	7			
					27	15					43	17	6 1/2
Martin Heron	Inishmore							179	10	4			
											179	10	4
John Dillane	Kilcummin												
James J. Morris	Moycullen							18	3	6 1/2			
	Slieveanea							8	2	7			
	Tullokyne							13	1	10 1/2			
											39	7	9 1/2
Timothy Curran	Turbough Spiddle	11	4	6					9	5			
											11	4	6
Nicholas Curran	Killamin									8 1/2			
	Belena									2	5 1/4		
													3
											156	8	5
											1796	19	3 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 £ was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 70 s. 3 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account, - - - - - £ s. d.  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - 65 17 5  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account, - - - - - 2 0 3/4  
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - 2 17 1/2  
 Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 3 2  
 Average cost in Upper Hospital, - - - - - 1 7 3/4  
 The Master's Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely;

3100 lbs. Bread	16 2 11	12 lb Sugar	6 0
72 Meat (off)	1 4 0	80 Tobacco	2 0
1/2 ton Salt meal	4 12 6	1/2 lb Whiskey	2 3
2572 qb Milk	18 10 0	100 Boxes Soap	4 1 3
1 ct Salt	1 3	9 lb Candles	4 2
60 lb Sugar	1 0 0	91 lb Soap	1 4 4
1 ct Rice	15 9		
21 Beef Heads	1 15 0		
428 1/2 lb Meat (No. 1)	8 0 8		
1/2 bil xx Porter	1 1 0		
16 pts Port Wine	1 8 0		
4 lb Av Port	2 6		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 25 day of Nov 1864 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - -	"	"	"
In Kind, - - - - -	"	"	"
Total, - - - - -	4	4	7

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By 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. forward.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

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.

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

4. Out door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

*[Large scribbled-out area]*

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

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

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

*[Large scribbled-out area]*

Reports of Medical Officers -

Workhouse -  
Number in Hospital this day. 161.

In Hospital -  
No. under treatment 22<sup>nd</sup> April, 140  
admitted since 7  
Discharged 16  
No. remaining this day 31

\* A requisition for Medicines for use of the Workhouse, signed by the Medical Officer, was laid before the Board, and ordered to be supplied

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

Ordered - That a half barrel of Poter and 2 1/2 B Sugar, portion of the Supplies ordered at last meeting from Mr. Ryan, were not delivered by him; that these articles were purchased at an extra cost of 3/4 -  
Ordered - Clerk to give notice to Mr. Ryan's Brochet that the Guardians will hold them liable for any loss sustained by the non-fulfilment of the Contract.

Ordered - That John Curley who received a sum of 30/- on Saturday last be discharged from the Workhouse -

Ordered - 2 Tons Straw, 10 Drim Seed, 10 Turnip Seed,  
2 1/2 ft plank Re. 500. 6 nails - 500 - 4 nails -  
50 Boys' Caps -

Ordered - On Master's requisition -  
4 Doz Combs -

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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:)

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, No. 8678/1864, dated 28<sup>th</sup> April, 1864, stating, with reference to the resolution of 22<sup>nd</sup> instant, that the Comtee<sup>s</sup> Concur with the Guardians in thinking it desirable that the same Clergyman should officiate as Chaplain both in the Workhouse and Fever Hospital, which is in the nature of an auxiliary to the Workhouse, and that the Salary for the Chaplaincy of the Workhouse should be increased in respect of the additional duty - That the amount of increase however, which has been proposed, would make the total salary, viz. £95, out of proportion to the Salary in other Unions, similarly Circumstances, and that the Commissioners think that £85 would be a proper arrangement in the present case -

Moved by Mr. Harrison

Seconded by Mr. Conins, and Resolved - The Board request the Poor Law Commissioners to sanction the sum of £25 voted to the Rev. Mr. Chew as special remuneration for his attendance at the Fever Hospital during the past year -

Read Letter from Clerk of Belfast Union, forwarding a copy of a Resolution adopted by the Board of Guardians of that Union on the 5<sup>th</sup> instant, suggesting that a Deputation from the several Boards of Guardians in Ireland should meet in London on the 12<sup>th</sup> of May next, for the purpose of making an united effort to have the expense of the registration of Births &c transferred from the Poor Rates to the Consolidated Fund -

Ordered -

Clerk to communicate with the representatives of the County and Borough of Galway, and request them to aid this movement, and also to request the Marquis of Clonrickarde, as an ex-officio Guardian of the Union, to cooperate with the Deputation -

Letter from General Valuation Office, dated 23<sup>rd</sup> April, forwarding the Valuation Lists of the Union, which have been duly revised and amended for the present year -

As it appeared that the Guardians claim to have the valuation of the Galway Salmon Fishery increased has been disregarded, it was

Proposed by Mr. Conins, Seconded by Mr. Clarke, and resolved -

That our Clerk be authorized to write to Mr. Gregory M.P. on the subject of poor law rating, placing before him the Abstracts of the several documents in connection with the Salmon Fishery of Galway, and the grounds upon which the Guardians were defeated in appealing from said Valuation as being too low, and requesting that Mr. Gregory would be so good as to have a clause introduced in some bill before the House enabling any ratepayer to appeal against a rate made when insufficient, should he consider himself aggrieved thereby -

Letter from Mr. John Kilkenny, Solicitor, dated 25<sup>th</sup> April, 1864, stating that a power of attorney will be required to enable him to sell the Stock in which the Dispensary Trust Fund is invested, and that unless the power of attorney embrace the whole amount of the fund, a new power of attorney will be necessary whenever the guardians desire to sell out any further portion of the Stock.

Order - Consideration postponed to 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	8
Ditto, disallowed	1
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	23

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	3
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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

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

Michael Sullivan of Henry Street and Michael McDonagh of William Street West, were approved of as sureties for Mr. Patrick Morris, Relieving Officer.

Andrew Reil of Manuard Street was approved of as surety for the Porter of the Workhouse, in room of Mr. John Flynn, deceased.

Mr. Patrick Morris of Upper Dominick Street was approved of as surety for Miss Lambert, Hospital Nurse, in room of Mr. Nicholas Kilkenny -

Proposed by Mr. Clarke, and Resolved - That the rural rate Collectors are hereby required to furnish the Board with a list of arrears, with the names of parties owing same, on the next Board day -

Ordered - That the wife of Mr. Collins, a deceased inmate, get the clothing bought by him into the Workhouse -

Ordered - That a sum of Ten Shillings be expended in purchasing clothes for Peter Keane who is about being taken out of the Workhouse -



*W. Labart*  
*Joseph Grealy*  
*James Davis*  
 Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the  
10<sup>th</sup> day of May 1864  
 (Signed) *Thomas Stacke*  
 Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway  
UNION, on Fri-day, the 29<sup>th</sup> day of April 1864  
*continued.*

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

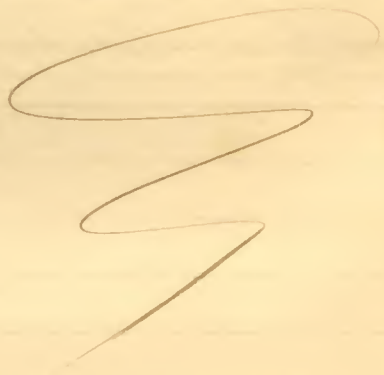
*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the  
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board,  
with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given  
thereon as follows:*

*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):

817  
Oranmore Dispensary District  
Account of Dr. J. L. Kelly for Services as Temporary Medical Officer of the Oranmore Dispensary District £13:0:0



[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 1866, having been submitted to the Board the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 1866

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

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The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the 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 said before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

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

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Board Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_  
stating that \_\_\_\_\_

Received - Copy of Minutes of the Dranmore Dispensary Committee, of a Meeting held on the 28<sup>th</sup> instant, from which it appeared that the Accounts presented by Dr. Kelly, for his temporary services as substitute for Dr. Hughes, amounting to £13, were submitted to the Committee and approved of -

With reference to the Complaint of Mr. James Rixey of the non-attendance of Dr. Kelly on a visiting ticket, the following resolution was passed by the Committee: -

That Dr. Kelly having explained to the Committee that in refusing to act on the visiting ticket of a freeholder, it was not by any means from a desire to disregard the order but <sup>that</sup> he conceived that he would not be justified in affording gratuitous medical aid to a party who he was aware was in a position to pay for medical relief. However he now finds his act was not in accordance with the Disp<sup>y</sup> Regulations, and regrets the course he adopted, with which statement the Committee are perfectly satisfied -

Note by Clerk. - The Committee do not appear to have taken cognizance of the Subject of the Comm<sup>r</sup>'s Letter of the 9<sup>th</sup> instant, with reference to the mode of charging the remuneration allowed to Dr. Kelly, which was referred by the Board of Guardians to the Committee -  
(Signed)

W. H. Smith  
Joseph G. Pealy  
James Davis

Thomas Stack

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1861, 50,821

Galway

UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 64,272.17.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30<sup>th</sup> day of April 1864

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
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TOTAL, . . . . .			40	118	109	159	58	39	26	61	45	655	Total, 179	Total, 8				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			5	7	12	10	3		2	3	4	46						
Died, . . . . .																		
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			5	7	12	10	3		2	3	4	46						
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			35	111	97	149	55	39	24	58	41	609						

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
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No. I.							Bt. forward,						
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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 20<sup>th</sup> day of May 1864

PRESENT: In the Chair,

A. O'Flaherty

Other Guardians:

Joseph Grealy, Thos. Collins, James Forbes, James Davis, George Hill, J. Redington.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Galway County

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4794 to No. 4833, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

That the Visiting Committee did not meet on Wednesday last to take stock of the Clothing and Bedding -

Ordered. Clerk to Summon the Committee to meet on next Wednesday for the purpose -

The Leger 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, £ 72 : 4 : 7

Paid during the week, £ 39 : 10 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 418 : 9 : 10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows: - 10 30 April

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Wm. Kelly	Galway North	19	10	8				138	17	8½			
"	" South	14	17	6				80	7	5½			
"	" East	22	18	6				264	8	2			
"	" West	11	0	0				156	16	11			
"	Ballinacorney							4	16	10			
"	Barna	3	9	3				26	17	10½			
"	Carronbrown							8	19	5			
					72 4 7						681 4 3½		
Mat. Creaven	Annaghdown							8	17	11½			
"	Anglin							9	7	3½			
"	Belleville							26	3	3½			
"	Carnmore							4	5	7½			
"	Claregalway							13	3	3½			
"	Deerpark								17	9½			
"	Lackaghbeg							9	11	11			
"	Liscomanann							6	8	10			
"	Liskenavalla							1	6	4½			
											80 2 4		
Wm. Young	Ballinacorney							6	17	9½			
"	Clarebride							19	11	6½			
"	Carnmore							13	10	5½			
"	Stradbally							3	17	7			
											43 17 4½		
M. Heron	Inishmore							179	10	4			
											179 10 4		
J. Dillane	Kilcummin												
J. J. Morris	Moycullen							18	3	4½			
"	Stiveanema							8	2	7			
"	Tullokegry							13	1	10½			
											39 7 9½		
Tim. Curran	Furbush												
"	Spiddal								9	5			
											9 5		
N. Curran	Killaminn									8½			
"	Solerna								2	5½			
											3 1½		
Totals,					72 4 7						1026 14 8½		

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 60 s. 5 d. 1

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . 65. 11. 0.  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,  
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . 2. 1  
 Average cost in Infirmary, . . . 2. 11/2  
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, . . . 3. 4 1/2  
 The Master's Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was estimated, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

3200 lbs. Bread	16. 18. 4	12 lb. Soap sugar	6. 3
72 lbs. Meat (Officers)	1. 4. 0	1 Bottle Brandy	3. 10
1/2 Ton oatmeal	4. 12. 6	8 oz. Tobacco	2. 0
1 Ton Indianmeal	7. 9. 6	80 Dozes. Lard	3. 5. 0
2580 quarts milk	18. 16. 3	9 lb. Candles	4. 2
1 cwt Salt	1. 3	91 lb. Soap	1. 4. 4
60 lb. Sugar	1. 11. 0	56 lb. washing soda	4. 0
21 Beef Heads	1. 15. 0	Supplemental order	
412 1/4 lb. meat	7. 14. 7	1 Pint spirits	2. 3
1/2 Barrel. R.P. Porter	1. 1. 0		
18 Pints. Port Wine	1. 11. 6		
4 lb. Arrowroot	2. 6		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 30 day of April 1863 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, . . . . .	"	"	"
In Kind, . . . . .	4	"	"

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By 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 Cheques.  
Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

824. E. Burke & Son, Royal Stripe	9	3	4
825. Wm Fox, Shedding & Shirting Linen	20	6	9
826. Jrs. Burke, Straw	4	13	4
834. Jrs. Bradley, Tailor - 1530 Apl -	2	"	"

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

2. Establishment Account.

Estab <sup>t</sup> 327-farway Gas Co., Alteration of Fittings	2	4	8
Collection 331. J. J. Morris, Boundry Fees. Rate of 1/6	7	"	10
D <sup>o</sup> 332. Jim. Furrow, D <sup>o</sup> D <sup>o</sup>	5	18	"
Clerk's of. 333. Clerk of Union, Small Bills	12	9	11
Unpaid Bills			
828. Farquharson & Mon, Clothing Materials for Fever Hospital	9	7	"
829. George Ruddle, Smidies	5	14	"
830. W. Daniel, Tinware	1	8	8

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

810	John Morris	Bread	to 30 April 77	1	8
819	D <sup>o</sup>	Milk	"	90	0
820	D <sup>o</sup>	Chandlery	"	1	11
821	D. Scott & Co	Tea	"	13	6
822	W. O'Donoghue	Ind <sup>o</sup> Meal	"	14	19
835	D <sup>o</sup>	Coals	"	18	6
836	Thos. Lane	Turf	"	10	8

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

4. Out door Relief Invoice Account. L s. d.

*[Handwritten flourish]*

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

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

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

Galway County Council

Reports of Medical Officers -

Workhouse -

Number in Infirmary this day. 153 -  
Linen wanted for application of poultices -  
12 yards of Calico wanted for bandages -  
(Ordered)

Fever Hospital -

In Hospital 29 <sup>th</sup> April	31
Admitted	8
	<u>39</u>
Discharged Cured	7
Remaining this day	<u>32</u>

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

Ordered - The Furniture at the Fever Hospital to be sold by tender -

Ordered - 20 Buckets, and 4 door frames to be repaired -

*[Handwritten flourish]*



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

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

From Poor Law Comm<sup>rs</sup>

- N<sup>o</sup> 70. D<sup>n</sup>/64<sup>d</sup> Requesting a Return showing particulars  
2<sup>nd</sup> May 38 respecting the Rates made and any new Rates paid upon in the Union -
- N<sup>o</sup> 73. D<sup>n</sup>/64<sup>d</sup> Transmitting 76 Copies of a Manual of the  
2<sup>nd</sup> May 38 Law of Chargeability under the Irish Poor Law, for the information of the Guardians and Officers of the Union -  
(Not yet received by Clerk)
- N<sup>o</sup> 7404/1864<sup>d</sup> Stating that the Expenses of the Acts for the  
3<sup>rd</sup> May 38 Registration of Births, Deaths, and Marriages are paid in England as in Ireland - partly from the Poor Rates and partly from the general Taxes, the Expense of providing the Register Offices and the Fees to Registrars being that portion which falls on the Poor Rate in both the Countries -

- N<sup>o</sup> 8678/1864<sup>d</sup> Transmitting a Specification for Painting,  
5<sup>th</sup> May 38 which may be used when the Board of Guardians Contract for the work -
- N<sup>o</sup> 8851/1864<sup>d</sup> Stating that the Commissioners have received  
5 May 38 a further communication from the Revd W. Kilbride, dated 19<sup>th</sup> ult., referring to his complaint against Mr. Connor, Relieving Officer of the Arran Islands - That Mr. Kilbride makes the following observations with respect to the residence of the Relieving Officer on the Islands, -  
namely - "I would ask you to inquire for what length of time the Relieving Officer has been resident on the Islands for the past three months. During his last absence the Medical Officer of the place had to request our Committee to afford relief to a sick man as the Relieving Officer was then absent, a case by no means infrequent -  
Requesting that an explanation may be obtained from the Relieving Officer as to this statement -
- The Relieving Officer was in attendance and stated - that he has been residing on the Island since his appointment, unless when in attendance on the Board, or detained in journey by bad weather or the want of a conveyance - that he got a subpoena to attend at the Clifden Quarter Sessions, which caused a further absence of three days, and that he never heard of the case referred to in Mr. Kilbride's letter -
- The following order was made by the Board - Mr. Connor, Relieving Officer of Arran, is directed to be careful not to absent himself from his duties on any occasion without sufficient cause, nor without acquainting the Dispensary Committee of the fact -

10.9.23/1862  
5 May

Stating, with reference to the Guardians' resolution of 29<sup>th</sup> ultimo, that they think the proposal of a separate payment to the Revd. M. Chen for his attendance at the Fever Hospital is open to objection - that they are therefore unable to sanction the proposed payment of £25; but that they have given directions for the preparation of an order under Seal raising the Roman Catholic Chaplain's salary to £85 - a year -

Moved by Mr. J. Comins  
Seconded by Mr. W. Redington -

Resolved - That in consequence of the absence of Dr. Brodie, and Guardians whom it would be desirable to confer with, we postpone until next Board day the consideration of the increase of the Chaplain's salary - Meanwhile that the Commissioners be requested to suspend the issue of a sealed order on the subject -

(Adopted Unanimously)

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 11

Ditto, disallowed - "

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 27

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 - 7

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.)

Letter from Mr. J. KilKely, Solicitor dated 28<sup>th</sup> April, 1864, signifying his acceptance of the sum of £20 in discharge of his bill of costs furnished at £24.3.7 -

giving instructions for the execution of the power of attorney, authorizing him to sell the forement stock in which the Dispensary Fund is invested -

Requesting a cheque for the amount of his costs in the case -

With reference to the local business of the Board, requesting Clerk to write to him when there is any business to be done at the Quarter Sessions, so he will attend to it personally; but that should anything pressing arise, Mr. Michael McNameara will attend to it -

Letter from Mr. KilKely, dated 5<sup>th</sup> May, 1864, enclosing cheque for £4.15.9, income tax on the dividends on the stock in the Dispensary case, which he succeeded in getting refunded -

Resolved - The Clerk is directed to reply to Mr. KilKely's letters, and to thank him for his attention to the interests of the Board by obtaining a rebate of Income Tax on the dividends of the Dispensary Fund, and also to inform Mr. KilKely that the Board has resolved not to sell out any portion of the stock for the present pending the unsettled state of the funds -

Read Letter dated 29<sup>th</sup> April, from the Secretary to the Committee appointed by the Royal Dublin and Royal Agricultural Societies forwarding queries to be answered relating to the growth of Flax in the Union, to assist the Committee in making arrangements for the <sup>distribution</sup> of a sum of £2000 placed by the Government at the disposal of the Lord Lieutenant for the encouragement of the cultivation of Flax in the Provinces of Munster and Connaught -

Ordered. Referred to Mr. Harrison, Hon. Secy to the Flax Association, to obtain the desired information -

Letter, dated 3<sup>rd</sup> May, from Mr. Gregory M.P. stating that he will afford the proposed deputation from the several Boards of Guardians in Ireland every assistance in his power, towards having the expenses of the Registration of Births, Deaths, & Marriages removed from the Poor Rates to the Consolidated Fund.

Letter from Mr. Martin Griffin, Relieving Officer, naming Patrick O'Flaherty of Kiltola as one of his sureties -  
(Approved)

Collectors' Accounts - James J. Morris & Timy Curran handed in receipts from the Treasurer for the balance outstanding in their Districts, respectively, and were ordered payment of their poundage -  
Mr. Timy handed in the Treasurer's receipt for £31, and a list of arrears amounting to £5.13.5, showing a sum of £4.14.3 to be in his hands. Mr. Timy explained that he forgot to bring with him to lodge with the Treasurer a cheque he had received in payment of Rates, and stated that he would the amount without delay.

Mr. Creaven produced the Treasurer's receipt for £48.3.5, - He had not proper lists of the arrears in his District to lay before the Board - He was allowed one week to bring his Collection to a satisfactory close -

Clerk to write to Martin Hernon and require him to have the amount of his Arrear lodged with the Treasurer by the 31<sup>st</sup> May inst.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 13<sup>th</sup> day of May 1864

(Signed)

Thomas Stack

Clerk of the Union.

The Chaplain's Book was produced and entries of two baptisms read -

Punishment Book -

Pat Connor was brought before the Board, charged with beating a boy and hurting his ear by pulling it very hard, and with his disrespectful conduct to the Master -

Punishment by Master -

12 hours solitary confinement -  
John Ryan was also brought up, charged with scaling the boundary wall and remaining out several hours -

Both being single able-bodied men were not considered to be destitute, and were ordered to be discharged from the Workhouse -

A. O'Flaherty  
Postmaster  
James Davis

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway  
UNION, on Fri day, the 6<sup>th</sup> day of May 1864  
*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 Galway & Furlongmore  
Dispensary District, in pursuance of ~~an~~ Orders of the Board in their Minutes of 1<sup>st</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> April  
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed  
~~to forward the same~~ (OR reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the  
Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

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

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

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

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

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

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

Galway County Council

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the Annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] The Board elected the following Deute-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the 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 said 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

Sanitary Report of P.H. Cullen, Rel's Officer -

That he summoned Michael Conolly of Dominick Street to the Petty Sessions Court on Monday last for persisting in keeping the yard attached to his shop in a filthy condition -

That he served seven persons with notices to abate nuisances on their premises -

Ordered - 600 Sanitary Notices -

W. J. Cahill  
Cashier  
James Davis

(Signed)

Thomas Hood

Clerk of the Union.

Galway County Council Archives

Population in 1861, 50,821

Present Net Annual Value, £64,272 17 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 7<sup>th</sup> day of May 1864

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 2 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	816	453														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	222	126														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	31														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
TOTAL, . . . . .	1082	610														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			35	111	97	149	55	39	24	58	41	609	In Work-house Hospital, 152	In separate Wards, 7		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			1	11	5	8	1		3	7	7	43	In Fever Hospital, 31	In Wards with other Inmates, 1		
TOTAL, . . . . .			36	122	102	157	56	39	27	65	48	652	Total, 183	Total, 8		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			5	5	10	10	3		2	3	3	41				
Died, . . . . .						1						1				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			5	5	11	10	3		2	3	3	42				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			31	117	91	147	53	39	25	62	45	610				

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

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Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Sunday the 13<sup>th</sup> day of May 1864

PRESENT: In the Chair, *A. O'Flaherty*

Other Guardians: *Thos. Collins, Joseph Leahy, John Morrison, Jas. Davis, George Morris, James Forbes, J. E. Burke, Pat<sup>r</sup> Dooley*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Galway County

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4834 to No. 4870, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. ———— to No. ————, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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

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

Paid during the week,

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

\* Receipts include £2-6-0, lodged by Master for repayment of Relief - viz -  
 Mr. Gilpin 0-11-0  
 Mr. Hughes 6-0  
 E. Flanagan 4-6  
 David Fahy 1-4-6  
 £2-6-0

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows: 16/7 May

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
William Kelly	Galway North	12	14	8				12	5	4 0 1/2			
	South	9	7	6				7	0	19 10 1/2			
	East	8	13	9				2	5	14 5			
	West	14	5	8				1	4	2 11 3			
	Ballintemple							4	16	10			
	Barna							2	6	17 10 1/2			
	Carrawbrownne							8	19	5			
					45 1 7						635 3 8 1/2		
Matthew Creaven	Annaghdown	7	3	10				1	14	1 1/4			
	Aughrin	8	0	0				7	10	10 1/2			
	Bellville	18	0	5				8	2	10 1/2			
	Cannmore	1	13	2				2	12	5 1/4			
	Claregalway							5	11	10 1/2			
	Deerpark									17 9 1/2			
	Lackabeg	9	6	8						5 3			
	Liscanorane	3	19	4				2	9	6			
	Lisheenavalla							1	6	4 1/2			
					48 3 5						30 11 1		
William Younge	Ballinacounty	6	10	4						17 9 1/2			
	Clarenbridge	11	3	11						13 6 1/2			
	Crammore	9	10	5				4	0	0 1/2			
	Stradbally	3	15	4						2 3			
					31 0 0						5 13 7 1/2		
Martin Heron	Inishmore							1	7	10 4			
											179 10 4		
John Dillane	Kilcummin												
James J. Morris	Moycullen	18	3	4									
	Sheveanena	11	1	1									
	LulloRyne	13	1	10									
					42 6 3								
Timothy Curran	Furbough												
	Spiddle			9						5			
					9 5								
Nicholas Curran	Killannin									8 1/2			
	Belma									2 5 1/4			
											3 1 1/4		
Totals,					167 0 8						851 1 10 1/4		

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



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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 60 s. 19 d. 0

Table with columns for account type and cost in £ s. d. including Debit Provision Account, The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed, Debit Maintenance Account, and Average cost in Infirmary.

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:

Table listing items such as Bread, meat (Officers), oatmeal, milk, salt, sugar, rice, beef steaks, meat, port wine, snowroot, loaf sugar, tobacco, boxes turf, lb. candles, and lb. soap with their respective costs.

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 May 1864

Summary table for Out-door Relief Lists showing In Money, In Kind, and Total.

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

Table with columns for RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Check on Treasurer, By Order on Contractors (Article and quantity, Value), Name of Relieving Officer, By Check on Treasurer, and By Order on Contractors (Article and quantity, Value).

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

Collection - (837) J. M. Jones, Pomday Fees, on Rate made Oct. 1863 13 9 1

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

£	s.	d.

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

4. Out door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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Medical Officers' Reports -

Workhouse - "Wanted for Hospital a sheet of the stoutest brown ~~pasteboard~~ pasteboard and 2 lb Cotton madding - 14 lb Tackle for apothecary's use - I beg to recommend that the Hospital be supplied with a separate Stock of Straw, as the beds of patients are liable to require the straw to be replaced at uncertain times besides the ordinary course" (Ordered)  
Number in the Infirmary this day. 152

Fever Hospital -  
Number under treatment this day. 30

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

That the Magistrates at Petty Sessions on Monday last committed Mary Anne McDonagh to prison as a dangerous lunatic -

Ordered for use of the Workhouse -  
Two Tons Straw - Two 14 ft plank Rs -  
1/2 Doz Bass Brooms - 4 lb Thread -  
10 Hundred Cabbage plants -

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

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

Read Letter from W. H. Gregory Esq. M.P. dated 6<sup>th</sup> May, forwarding a copy of the amendment to the 31<sup>st</sup> Section of the Incomers Valuation Act, 15 & 16 Vic. Cap. 63, which he has given notice to introduce to the House of Commons - &c.

Ordered - Clerk to request Mr. Gregory to frame the clause so that Boards of Guardians shall have the power to appeal -

Moved by John Harrison Esq. & Seconded by J. R. Burke Esq. & A letter having been read from Mr. Gregory respecting his bill for the amendment of the Incomers Valuation Act, the Board desire to express their deep sense of gratitude to him for not only his valuable assistance in this matter, but in all others in which the interest of this Union is concerned -  
(Passed unanimously)

Received from Leslie & Co. Invoice of Medicines ordered for use of the Workhouse on the 29<sup>th</sup> ultimo - amount £25.18.10 -

Read Letter from P. J. Kelly, Solicitor, dated 11<sup>th</sup> May, applying on the part of the Executors of the late Mr. B. Kitham for payment of £100.11.6 for supplies to the Workhouse, and of £8.17.0 for supplies to the Salway Dispensary -

Ordered - Clerk to inform Mr. Kelly that no accounts have been furnished to the Board, and that when proper accounts accompanied by the necessary vouchers are presented, the amount due will be at once discharged -

Read Letter A.D. 10<sup>th</sup> May, from Secretary to the Catholic Institution for the Deaf & Dumb, Dublin, stating that Bartholomew Deeny having been admitted to the Sacraments and ready to leave the Institution will be sent home on the 12<sup>th</sup> instant - That he has been taught reading, writing, and arithmetic, and has been instructed in the trade of bookbinding for the last 12 months, at which he is exceedingly smart -

Read Letter from Dr. P. Stanton, Apothecary, requesting leave to absent himself from his duties for 14 days from the 23<sup>rd</sup> instant, and naming Mr. W. Cline as his substitute during his absence - (Granted)

The Chaplain's Book was produced -  
Receipts for the payments made at last meeting, were produced and examined -

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - 10

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - "

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 17

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - 1

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 - - - - - 7

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 - The Relieving Officers of the Union, the Collectors of the several Districts of the Union, and the Flax Instructor of the Union are directed to furnish answers to the queries of the Agricultural Society with reference to the grant for Flax Instructors, - and that such information be furnished to Mr Harrison, Honorary Secretary, before Friday next, the 20<sup>th</sup> instant -

Mr. Young produced the Treasurer's receipt for £8 3.10 leaving a sum of £5 3.10 uncollected in his District - He was ordered payment of his poundage on the amount lodged and directed to endeavour to collect the outstanding arrears -

Mr. M. Creaven attended and left the Board-Room to make a lodgment with the Treasurer, but did not return before the Board adjourned -

W. Flaherty

Joseph Gearty  
James Davis

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on  
21<sup>st</sup> day of May 1864

*Friday* the  
*Thomas Stack*

(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 Fri day, the 13<sup>th</sup> day of May 1864  
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 \_\_\_\_\_ 1866, having been submitted to the Board the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 1866

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

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

The Board elected the following Beate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the 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 said 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):

Board Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ stating that \_\_\_\_\_

W. Harrison, Hon. Sec. to the Galway Dispensary Committee reported that, at a meeting of the Committee held on the 11<sup>th</sup> instant, A. O'Haherty Esq. was unanimously elected Chairman, and Nicholas Kilian Vice Chairman -

That a letter was read from Dr. Browne tendering his resignation of the office of Medical Officer, and that Wednesday the 8<sup>th</sup> of June next was appointed for electing a successor.

Notice of Motion - (Copy of Dr. Browne's letter forwarded to Comm<sup>rs</sup> -)

Thereby give notice that on this day for night I shall submit to this Board the following resolution -

Resolved, - that as for a long period during which the medical requirements of the Galway Dispensary District were greater than at present and the number of recipients of medical relief much larger the duties of the Galway Dispensary were satisfactorily and efficiently performed by one Medical gentleman, Dr. J. M. Davies, this Board is of opinion that it is not necessary to appoint a second Medical Officer in the place of Dr. J. V. Browne resigned, and begs respectfully to appeal to the Poor Law Comm<sup>rs</sup> to permit that advantage may be taken of the present opportunity to lessen the taxation on the impoverished ratepayers of this impoverished district,

(Signed)

A. O'Haherty  
Nicholas Kilian  
James Davis

Clerk of the Union.

upon whom of late it would seem that the Poor Law Rating is increasing in proportion to their inability to meet it -  
(Signed) J. V. Browne

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Population in 1861, 50,821

Galway

UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 64,272:17:0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of May 1864

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	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	876	1440														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	222	126														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	30														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
TOTAL, . . . . .	1082	596														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			31	117	91	147	53	39	25	62	45	610	In Work-house Hospital, in Fever Hospital,	146	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates,	
Admitted during the Week,			5	4	5	6	2	2		3	3	27	Total,	176	Total,	
TOTAL,			33	121	96	153	55	41	25	65	48	637				
Discharged during the Week,			3	2	10	17	4	1				37				
Died, . . . . .						3						1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	2	10	20	4	1				38				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			30	119	86	133	57	40	25	65	47	596				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS removed out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of May authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	1	2			1	2	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.						
Bt. forward	1	2			1	2	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 24<sup>th</sup> day of May 1864

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

Other Guardians: B. O'Flaherty, Tho. Connors, James Davis, Joseph Leahy, J. Redington, James Clewke, E.D. Burke, Capt O'Hara, Dr. Harrison, J. S. Burke.

Dr. Brodie, Poor Law Inspector, attended

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4871 to No. 4902, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. \_\_\_\_\_ to No. \_\_\_\_\_, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Leger 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, - - - - - £ 48 : 7 : 2

Baid during the week, - - - - - £ 33 : 15 : 10

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 346 : 18 : 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: - 174 May

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
William Kelly	Galway North	13	6	11				112	16	1/2				
	South							70	19	10 1/2				
	East	5	19	10				249	5	8				
	West	21	6	8				121	4	7				
	Ballintemple	4	9	2						7 8				
	Banna	10	16	3				16		17 1/2				
	Carrowbrown	4	4	6				4	14	11				
							60	3	4				575 10 5 1/2	
Mathew Creaven	Amaghavan							1	14	1 1/4				
	Aughlin							7	10	10 1/2				
	Balleville							8	2	10 1/4				
	Cammore							2	12	5 1/4				
	Clarefarway							5	11	10 1/4				
	Deerpark									17 9 1/2				
	Leskabeg									5 3				
	Liscanahane							2	9	6				
	Lishevavalla							1	6	4 1/2				
													30 11 1	
William Young	Ballinacounty			11						16 10 1/2				
	Clarebridge	7	14	1						13 6 1/2				
	Cramore			8 10				3		11 2 1/2				
	Stradbally									2 3				
							8	3	10				53 10 1/2	
Martin Heron	Inishmore								179	10	4			
John Dillane	Kilcummin												179 10 4	
James J. Morris	Moycullen													
	Slieveaneena													
	LulloRyne													
Timothy Curran	Lubough													
	Spiddle													
Nicholas Curran	Killannin													
	Selema									8 1/2				
										2 5 1/4				
														3 1 3/4
														790 18 10 3/4
														68 7 2

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 67 s. 8 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 63: 5: 6

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 3. 0 3/4

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 3. 2

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

3100 lbs Brand.	16 2 11	2 Bot. Brandy	7 8
72 lbs Meat (officer)	1 4 0	12 lb L. Sugar	6 3
1/2 ton Coal	6 12 6	8 lb A. Rosh	5 0
1 ton Indian Meal	7 9 6	4 lb Tobacco	2 3
2530 gals Milk	18 9 0	1 ct Salt	1 3
56 lb Sugar	1 5 0	80 Boxes Inf	3 5 0
112 lb Rice	15 9	9 lb Candles	4 1
5 lb Pepper	5 0	91 lb Soap	1 4 4
21 Beef Head	1 15 0		
38 1/2 lb Meat (Hosp)	7 3 1		
1/2 Bil Porter	1 1 0		
16 pts P. Wine	1 8 0		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 11th day of May 1864 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, -	2 6
In Kind, -	
Total.	2 6

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By 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 Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

Registration Exp <sup>d</sup>			
820	J. J. Brady.	Fitting up of Register	
		Office + Store Closet	79 17
Clerks acct.			
841	Clerks' Min.	to pay small Bills	2 8 8

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

838.	Fr. B. Killian & Co., Wine Rice &c.	£	s.	d.
	to 25 March	85	10	6
839.	Do. Do. in full	14	17	6

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

4. Out door Relief Invoice Account. £ s. d.

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

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

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

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Medical Officers' Reports -

Workhouse - No. in Infirmary this day. 148

General Hospital - No. under treatment this day. 20

*[Handwritten flourish]*

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

That he lodge with the Union Treasurer 6/- received for Boxes sold -  
That he submit an estimate of fitting up a wash-stand, with Basins, Cocks, pipes, &c. for the use of the School Boys - amount £4:0:9.

Ordered - The Guardians consider the expense too large to be incurred in the present financial circumstances of the Union; the washing trough now in use to suffice for the present.

Ordered - 1/2 B Iron pipe seed - 6 Carts of gravel -  
1 Bot. Malaya Wine - 50 yds Shrouding -  
2 Locks and Keys to be repaired -

*[Handwritten flourish]*

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

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

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, No. 10214/1864, Dated 19<sup>th</sup> May, 1864, stating that the Commissioners have received a report from Dr. Brodie, Poor Law Inspector, of his recent inspection of the Workhouse, and on the affairs of the Union generally.

That as regards the financial condition of the Union, Dr. Brodie reports that the current rate will fall short of the expenditures to the 29<sup>th</sup> Sept next by £1750.

That with reference to the Workhouse Buildings, Dr. Brodie reports that the woodwork requires painting both inside and externally, and that many of the Sashes at the East or West end of the House require to be repaired - also that the floors in the Women's Day-room and Infirmary Ward are in an unsatisfactory state - that the floor of the Fever Hospital which is of Brick is very much worn and broken, and that a boarded floor is absolutely necessary.

That as regards the Clothing and Bedding of the inmates, Dr. Brodie states that the Clothing of some of the male inmates is not in good order, - that the articles of clothing in store are

are generally unfit for further use, and that it appears that a necessity exists for condemning such clothing as is useless - that the Bedding of the inmates both of the healthy and sick classes was also not in a satisfactory condition -

That with respect to the supplies of Provisions, Dr. Brodie observes that the milk is "occasionally bad and usually of poor quality", and that active & persevering efforts will be necessary on the part of the Master to enforce a supply of better quality -

That as regards the Schools, Dr. Brodie states that the Teachers are attentive to their duties, but that the female children present a rather delicate appearance -

Calling attention to the necessity for the children being taken out for exercise under the care of their respective Teachers -

Order -

The Commr's Letter to be taken into consideration at the Guardians' next meeting -

Read Letter from Clerk to the Guardians of the Oldham Union, England, Dated 18<sup>th</sup> May, enclosing a Warrant for the Removal of a Woman named Hannah Holony from that place to the Salway Union Workhouse -

Bartholomew Geeny, a deafmute, appeared before the Board and handed in a letter, written by himself, thanking the Guardians for having sent him to an Institution where he received a moral and religious education, and stating that he was instructed in a trade which he trusts will enable him to earn a livelihood for himself and to be of service to his mother -

Resolved -

Resolved - The Board of Guardians desire to express their approval of the evident care bestowed upon the mate, B. Feeny, both morally and physically, in the Catholic Institution for the Deaf & Dumb, Dublin, and to place on record their conviction of the great blessings upon that most afflicted section of the Community, the deaf-mutes, through the operation of this Institution

The subject of the Roman Catholic Chaplain's Salary having been taken into consideration, the following resolution was

Proposed by Mr J. Davis &  
 Seconded by Mr Redington -  
 That we request the Poor Law Comrs to be so good as to sanction the payment of Fifteen Pounds to the Roman Catholic Chaplain, the Revd Mr. Phew, for his services in attending the Fever Hospital, for the past year - from the 25<sup>th</sup> March 1863 to the 25<sup>th</sup> March 1864 - and to be so good as to issue a sealed Order for the <sup>Salary</sup>

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - 14

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - "

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 17

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - 1

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 - - - - - 6

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

Salary of a Chaplain of both Institutions, the Workhouse and Fever Hospital, to be fixed at £85 per annum, commencing from the 25<sup>th</sup> March last -

The Chaplain's Book was produced and entries of two baptisms read therefrom -

Mr J. W. Roberts, Esq., having certified -  
 "that Mr John Brady has completed the several works included in his contract for the Registry Office on Strong Chert in accordance with the Plan & Specification" -  
 payment of the amount of the Contract, £79.17.0, was ordered -

Mr McCreaven handed in the Treasurer's receipt for £28.0.7 and a list of arrears amounting to £17. The Board considered that a portion of the Arrear could be immediately made available, and directed Mr. Creaven to exert himself to get it in during the next week -

Ordered - James Connaughton to get a pair of shoes and a shirt on leaving the Workhouse.

The Punishment Book was produced and the cases entered thereon inquired into - The following orders were made:-  
 Biddy Commons is pardoned in consequence of the good character given of her by the Doctor.  
 Bridget Loney not to be sent out in future on messeages -  
 Ellen Connor reprimanded -

(over)

Punishment inflicted by Doctor on Julia  
Meffath - 6 hours confinement - for breaking  
windows, approved -

W. L. Kelly  
J. Webb. Greaty,  
James Davis

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the  
27<sup>th</sup> day of May 1864  
(Signed) Thomas Stack  
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway  
UNION, on Fri - day, the 20<sup>th</sup> day of May 1864  
continued.

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

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

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

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



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

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

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

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

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

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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 said 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 \_\_\_\_\_

Interim Report of Receiving Officer Corken -

That several complaints have been made to him of the practice of removing manure at all hours of the day in several parts of the Town - That this class of Nuisance being out of his Province, he requests that the Board will call the attention of the Police and the Town Steward to this offensive practice -

(It was arranged that a Special Meeting of the Town Commissioners should be summoned to meet at 3 o'clock on Saturday, 21<sup>st</sup> instant, to take this matter into consideration.)

Proposed by Mr George E. Burke, seconded by Mr. Bernard O'Maherty, and

Resolved, That the Receiving Officers of the rural Districts are authorized and required to take effective means to cause the immediate removal of Nuisances in their respective Districts, and if necessary to summon all persons refusing to act on notice given by them requiring the abatement of Nuisances on their premises -

(Signed)

Thomas Stack

Clerk of the Union.

W. O'Maherty  
Joseph Grealish  
James Lewis

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 21<sup>st</sup> day of May 1864

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	816	440														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	222	120														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	26														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>1082</b>	<b>594</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			30	123	86	129	54	42	22	65	45	596	In Work-house, } 440 In Hospital, } 26 In Fever Hospital, } 26	In separate Wards, } In Wards with other Inmates, } 7		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			3	8	10	10	2	.	2	4	1	40	Total, } 166	Total, } 7		
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>33</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>96</b>	<b>139</b>	<b>56</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>69</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>636</b>				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			7	4	8	12	4	1	2	4	"	42				
Died, . . . . .																
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			7	4	8	12	4	1	2	4	"	42				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			26	127	88	127	52	41	22	65	46	594				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 21<sup>st</sup> day of May 1864 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

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

Friday 1864

PRESENT: In the Chair,

A. O'Maherty Esq

Other Guardians:

Mr. Collins, Joseph Grealy, E.D. Burke,  
 J. v. Burke, James Daniel, B. O'Maherty,  
 J. Harrison, H.B. Mahon, P. Joyce  
 J. Redington, J. Redington

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4903 to No. 4947, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ 90 : 7 : 1

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 191 : 17 : -

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 243 : 8 : 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

+ Receipts include £ 0.6.0 for Bones sold -  
4.15.6 Rec<sup>d</sup> from Mr. Kilkelly, acct. Dispo<sup>r</sup> Trust Fund.

£ 5 : 1 : 6

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:— to 21<sup>st</sup> May 1864

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
William Kelly	Galway North	7	12	6				105	3	7½			
	" South	17	15	0				53	4	10½			
	" East	28	8	0				221	6	7			
	" West	2	10	0				118	14	7			
	" Ballintemple								7	8			
	" Barna		19	6				15	1	7½			
" Carrowbrovne							4	14	11				
					57 5						578 13 10½		
Matthew Creaven	Amaghdown	1	6	7					7	6			
	Ashburn	8	10	0				5	18	9			
	Bilbille	7	0	5				1	2	5			
	Carnmore	1	16	2					16	3			
	Claregalway	7	11	5				5	11	10½			
	Deerpark		6	0					11	9			
	Lackaghbeg								5	3			
	Liscannamun		3	8				2	5	10			
	Lisheenavalla	1	6	4									
					28 7						16 19 7½		
William Young	Ballinacourtby								16	10½			
	Clarenbridge								13	6½			
	Crammore							3	11	2½			
	Stradbally								2	3			
											5 3 10½		
Martin Hermon	Inishmore							179	10	4			
											179 10 4		
John Dillane	Kilcummin												
James J. Morris	Moycutten												
	Stevencena												
	Tullohryne												
Timothy Curran	Furbough												
	Spiddal												
Nicholas Curran	Killannin								8½				
	Selerna								2	5½			
											3 1½		
Totals.					85 5 7						720 10 10½		

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 58 s. 0 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	62	1	0
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2	0	3/4
Average cost in Infirmary,	3	1	3/4
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	3	0	3/4
The Master's Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:	1	7	0

3000 lb Bread	15	12	6	9 lb Tobacco	2	3
72 lb Meal (offrs)	1	4	0	10 Boxes Surf	3	5
2488 lb Milk	18	2	10	9 lb Candles	4	1
1 ct Salt	1	3		9 lb Soap	1	4
1 Chest of Tea 102 lbs	13	3	6			
56 lb Java Sugar	1	5	8			
21 Beef Heads	1	15	0			
366 3/4 lb Meal (Hospital)	6	17	4			
1/2 Bar Porter	1	1	0			
18 lbs O. Wine	1	11	6			
6 lb A. Rye	3	9				
12 lb L. Sugar	6	3				

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerks having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 21 day of May 1864 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

Credit each Believing Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By 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 Cheques.

Debit each Believing Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.


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

4. Out door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.


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

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

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

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Reports of Medical Officers —

Workhouse - No in Infirmary this day, 142 -

Fever Hospital - No in Hospital this day, 39  
Required - One Cart of Straw for beds -  
(Ordered)

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

That a Woman named Honor Mullen was delivered at the Workhouse on the 24<sup>th</sup> inst. by the Removing Officer of the Oldham Union, and that she left on the same day at her own request -

Ordered - Sell the Hay which remains on hand -

Ordered - 2 Hoes. 1 lb Turnip Seed. 2 lbs Straw.  
6 Stone Hammers - 1/2 gallon paint -  
1 Jar Ink. 1qr Post paper. 1qr Dr paper.  
100 Envelopes - 1qr B<sup>o</sup> paper, 1 Box Steel pens -

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

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

From Poor Law Com<sup>rs</sup>

No 8316/64  
26 May  
Forwarding the Returning Officer's Account of Expenses attending the Election of Guardians in March last, amounting to £2.15.3, for payment by the Board of Guardians -

No 10527/64  
26 May  
Stating that the Commissioners will issue an Order making the Salary for the Office of Roman Catholic Chaplain of the Workhouse and the Fever Hospital Eighty five Pounds (£85) a year, and that they approve the payment of Salary to the Rev<sup>d</sup> Mr. Chen at that rate from the 26<sup>th</sup> March 1863 -

No 10722/64  
26 May  
Stating that the Commissioners are in communication with the post office authorities with a view to ascertain the Cause of the non-delivery of the parcel containing the Manuals of the Law of Chargeability referred to in their Circular Letter of 2<sup>d</sup> inst.

Letter from Clerk of Ballymahon Union, dated 19<sup>th</sup> May, forwarding a copy of a Memorial to the Government, praying for the removal of the restrictions which at present prohibit the growth of Tobacco in Ireland -  
(Adopted)

Letter from Dr. Innes, Resident Surgeon of Doctor Steevens' Hospital, Dublin, stating that patients from the Workhouse will be admitted into that Hospital at a charge of Ten pence per diem -

Ordered - That John Connelly, who has obtained employment out of the Workhouse, get clothes not exceeding Twenty Shillings in value

Ordered - That Margaret Donke, a school girl about being taken out by her friends, get clothes not exceeding in value Ten Shillings -

Ordered - That Maryanne Dwyer get the Clothing which belonged to her mother who died in the Workhouse -

The Comm<sup>rs</sup> Letter dated 19<sup>th</sup> inst. regarding the affairs of the Union and State of the Workhouse having been considered, it was Proposed by Mr. George E. Burke,

Seconded by Mr. John Redington and Unanimously Resolved - That having reference to the observations on the State of our Hospital of the Poor Law Inspector in his Report forwarded to this Board by the Poor Law Commissioners in their letter of the 19<sup>th</sup> inst., we call upon our Medical Officer and the other Officials connected with the Hospital to explain at the next meeting of the Board how the state of matters complained of has arisen -

Dr. Cleland was in attendance and entered into some explanation - The Board expressed an opinion that Dr. Cleland should report directly and immediately to the Guardians whenever he has cause to complain of any inattention or deficiency in the Hospital Department -

The Board postponed the consideration of the subject of the new Bedding and Clothing required until the Visiting <sup>Committee</sup> shall have examined and reported on the stock now on hand - The Committee to be summoned to meet for the purpose on ~~the~~ Wednesday next.

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

H. Redington  
 W. J. Walker  
 W. Curran

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 - 18

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - "

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 9

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered - 6

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the  
3<sup>rd</sup> day of June 1864  
 (Signed) Thomas Stack  
 Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the *Galway*  
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An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 25<sup>th</sup> March 1864, having been submitted to the Board the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 25<sup>th</sup> March 1864

<u>Galway</u>	District, . . . . .	£ 187: 0: 5
<u>Invermore</u>	District, . . . . .	£ 58: 7: 4
<u>Grannore</u>	Dist. _____	£ 64: 13: 8
<u>Western</u>	Dist. _____	£ 61: 5: 0
<u>Aran</u>	Dist. _____	£ 81: 14: 7

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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 \_\_\_\_\_

Mr. George E. Burke introduced the resolution of which he had given notice on the 13<sup>th</sup> instant, viz. that it is not necessary to appoint a second medical officer to the forlary Dispensary District - The subject was discussed for some time, but the Chairman having expressed his opinion that the question properly lay within the jurisdiction of the Dispensary Committee, the motion was withdrawn -

Mr Redington  
Mr J. J. Keenan  
Mr Holman

(Signed) Thomas Stack  
Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1861, 50,821

Present Net Annual Value, £ 64,272.17.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 28<sup>th</sup> day of May 1864

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . .	876	445														
Temporary Buildings, . . .	222	132														
Additional Workhouse, . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	36														
Fever Sheds, . . .																
TOTAL, . . .	1082	583														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			26	127	88	127	57	41	22	65	46	594	In Workhouse } 139 Hospital, } In Fever } 36 Hospital, } Total, } 175	In separate } Wards, } In Wardia } with other } Inmates, } 7 Total, } 7		
Admitted during the Week, . . .			4	7	4	12	1			3	3	34				
TOTAL, . . .			30	134	92	139	58	41	22	68	49	628				
Discharged during the Week, . . .			4	13	4	9	3			3	3	43				
Died, . . .					1							2				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			4	13	5	9	3			3	3	45				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			26	121	87	130	50	41	19	65	44	583				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS, relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 28<sup>th</sup> day of May 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 3<sup>rd</sup> day of June 1864

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Reimington Esq. V.C.

Other Guardians: Mr. Conroy, James Davis, Joseph Leahy, Pat Darby, E.D. Burke, B. O'Flaherty, M.F. O'Driscoll, J. Hill, J. Harrison

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4945 to No. 4980, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

That Collector Hernon has not lodged the amount of his Warrant, as directed by the Guardians' resolution of 6<sup>th</sup> ult.   
Ordered.

Clerk to inform Mr. Hernon that unless the amount of his Collection be paid up by next Friday, proceedings will be taken on his Bond without further delay or notice.

The Leger 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, £ 50 : 8 : 11

Paid during the week, £ 4 : 4 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 293 : 17 : 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: 6 28 May

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
William Kelly	Galway North	6	1	3				97	2	4 1/2			
	South							53	4	10 1/2			
	East	17	15	7				203	11	0			
	West	19	18	9				98	15	10			
	Ballintemple									7	8		
	Banna							15	1	7 1/2			
	Carrowbrown							4	14	11			
					43 15 7						472 18 3 1/2		
Matthew Creaven	Annaghdown			1						7	4 1/2		
	Aughlin	1	7	4				4	11	5			
	Bellville									1	2	5	
	Cammore			10									
	Clarejalway	3	6	4				2	5	6			
	Deerpark			3						8	6		
	Lackabeg			1						3	9 1/2		
	Licananlane	1	4	3				1	1	7			
	Lisheenavalla												
					6 13 4						10 7		
William Younge	Ballinacourty									16	10 1/2		
	Clanbridge									13	6 1/2		
	Oranmore							3	11	2 1/2			
	Stradbally									2	3		
											53 10 1/2		
Martin Hernon	Inishmore							179	10	4			
John Dillane	Kilcummin												
James J. Morris	Moycullen												
	Shiveanena												
	Lullokyne												
Timothy Curran	Turbough												
	Spiddal												
Nicholas Curran	Killannin									8			
	Selerna									2	5 1/4		
											3 1 3/4		
				Totals,			50 8 11			667 16 2 3/4			

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 67 s. 5 d. 9

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account, £ s. d.  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 62: 4: 0  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,  
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was " 2. 0 1/2  
 Average cost in Infirmary, " 3. 1  
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, " 3. 2 3/4

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

2900 lbs Bread	15. 2. 1	10 lb L. Sugar	5. 2
72. Meat (Officers)	1. 4. 0	903 Tobacco	2. 3
1120. Oatmeal	4. 12. 6	80 Bross Soap	3. 5. 0
2496 qts Milk	18. 4. 0	9 lb Candles	4. 1
112 lb Salt	1. 3	91 lb Soap	1. 4. 4
56. Sugar	1. 5. 8	56 lb W. Soda	4. 0
112. Rice	15. 9	Suppl Order	
21 Buff Heads	1. 15. 0	3 Btl. Brandy	11. 6
36 7/8 lb Meat (Hosp)	6. 17. 4		
1/2 Btl Porter	1. 1. 0		
16 qts P. Wine	1. 8. 0		
6 lb A. Root	3. 9		
6 Btl Brandy	1. 3. 10		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 28 day of May 1864 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, -	"	"	"
In Kind, -	"	"	"
Total, -	"	"	"

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By 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.					Bl. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.


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

2. Establishment Account.

Estab. 850. Rev. M. Pheo. Salary, as Chaplain to Fever Hospital - to 25 Mar. 1864	15	.	.
Collection - 851. M. Reaven, Bondage Fees on Collection of Rate made Oct. 1863	18	4	9
Elections Law &c. Th. Stack. Election Expenses of Mar. 64	2	15	3
Acc R's Acct - Th. Stack. to pay small Bills - 852	9	1	3

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

842.	Jno Morris,	Bread	to 28 May	65	12	6
843.	D.	Milk	"	73	6	10
844.	D.	Chamberl	"	1	5	4
845.	J. McNamee,	Meal	"	99	19	6
846.	J. Walsh	Oatmeal	"	37	"	"
847.	W. Costello	Provisions	"	15	9	2
848.	Thos. Lane	Surf	to 3 June	17	1	3

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:

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Medical Officers Reports - Workhouse -

Number in the Infirmary 126 - There are to-day 15 Cases of measles in the Hospital and Nurseries. The Epidemic is of a mild character - Wanted for Hospital 50 Chambers -

It was agreed that Drs Colahan and Heland, with D. Brodie, P. L. Inspector, and two members of the Visiting Committee should meet at the Workhouse on tomorrow to select a place for the treatment of children attacked with measles, as the Fever Hospital does not afford sufficient accommodation -

Fever Hospital.	In Hospital - 27 <sup>th</sup> May	32
	Admitted since	28
	<b>Total</b>	<b>60</b>
	Discharged Cured	10
	Died	2
	<b>Remaining in Hospital</b>	<b>48</b>

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

The two fatal cases mentioned in this report were admitted in a dying state. By the administration of Brandy, Wine, and concentrated nourishment they lingered in a hopeless condition for some days. It is to be deplored that cases so frequently remain out of Hospital during the earlier stages of disease, when life could be saved with certainty, and the very heavy expenses attendant on the management of cases admitted in a state of utter prostration be saved to the institution.

Ordered. 12 Rups to be purchased by the Master, to be approved of by the Board in the first instance - Required - 12 Rups -

(See Master's Report. page 11)



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

Order dated 28<sup>th</sup> May 1864. No. 10.257. Declaring that the Salary for the Office of Roman Catholic Chaplain of the Workhouse shall be at and after the rate of Eighty five Pounds per annum.



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

From Poor Law Commissioners, -

No. 82. In 1864 7<sup>th</sup> May 30<sup>th</sup> Requesting a Return showing the number of persons in receipt of Relief on the first Saturday of January and first Saturday of July, 1863 -

No. 84. In 1864 30<sup>th</sup> May Drawing the attention of the Board of Guardians to those provisions of the Act for the Abolition of the Vestry Case in Ireland (27 Vic C. 17) which relate to the Maintenance of Deceased Children -

No. 83. In 1864 1<sup>st</sup> June Requesting a Return showing particulars respecting the Rates made and any new Rates agreed upon in the Union -

No. 10592. In 1864 2<sup>nd</sup> June Requesting that the Plan of the Registrar Office and Store Closet as approved by the Registrar-General and the Specification for the execution of the work may now be returned to the Commissioners' Office -

Read Letter from W. H. Gregory Esq. M.P. dated 27 May 1864, acknowledging with thanks the receipt of the Board's resolution of 13<sup>th</sup> May -

Receipts for the payments made on the 20<sup>th</sup> ult. were produced and examined -

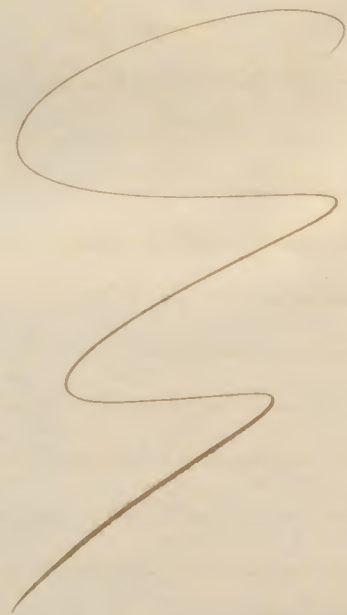
The Chaplain's Book was produced and entries of the baptism of three legitimate children read -

Ordered that Sally O'Brien get the Clothing of Pat O'Brien, her late husband, who died in the Workhouse -

W. W. Heaven submitted a list of the arrears of Rate due in his district, amounting to £10.0.7 and applied for payment of his poundage, which was ordered -

The report of the Visiting Committee having been read, the adoption of the report was moved by Mr. Thomas Collins and seconded by Mr. M. J. O'Flaherty - Mr. Harrison, a member of the Visiting Committee, and who attended the meeting on Wednesday last, refused to sign the report, and opposed its adoption. ~~afterwards~~ The question was put to a poll, and it voted for the adoption of the report, Mr. Harrison alone against - Two Guardians did not vote - (See Report appended - Copy to Commrs with Minutes.)

Letters of Applombition from the Master and Hospital  
 Nurses with reference to the state of the  
 Clothing and Bedding were read -  
 (Copies to Comms with Minutes.)



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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - 21  
 Ditto, disallowed - - - - - " 16  
 The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - - 4  
 Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - - - "  
 The number of other applicants in the Deceiving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - "

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered - - - - - 6

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

Master's Report. That an Order is required for the glazing of 38 panes of glass in the Parsonage, and of 18 panes in other parts of the House under the Superintendance of the Master and Schoolmistress - (Ordered)  
 That he has sold the Drumme at the Fever Hospital for £1:5:0 -

Ordered - piece of ash to make Canteen -  
 50 yds Sicken, & 50 yds Twisted Lath - for repairs -  
 200 pint Tins. 200 quart platens -

W. H. H. of  
 Joseph G. G. G.  
 James Davis

Report

Wednesday 1<sup>st</sup> June 64.

John Stack

The visiting Committee having been summoned to examine and report on the condition and extent of the stock of clothing and bedding as adverted to by Doctor Brodie in his report to the P. L. Commissioners, as well as to inquire into the general state and efficiency of the House, & the manner in which the Officers discharge their respective duties, they met accordingly, but as their attention was first and principally directed to the clothing, the minute and careful examination of which occupied several hours, they were obliged to postpone the consideration of the general state of the house. As regards the clothing, a great portion of the stock presented little more than an accumulation of useless rags, torn, worn, and quite unfitted for any description of garments. The Committee therefore had little hesitation in condemning the several articles named in the sub-joined schedule, including 20 sheets, 36 blankets, 17 rugs, and 21 bedticks worn out stock which belonged to the old Fever Hospital.

	Shirts	Blankets	Rugs	Sticks	Coats	Hats	Shawls	Shirts	Shoes	Caps	Gowns	Blankets	Rugs	Shirts	Shawls	Aggregate
Men's	40	56	31	75	17	35	15	81	105	76						
Boys	"	"	"	"	83	53	28	66	"	82						
Women's	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	26	"	31	26	"	180	257	
Girls	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	74	55	119	274	
Total	40	56	31	75	100	88	43	147	131	158	31	100	55	299	531	1885.

In all 1885 articles of clothing and bedding, of which the stock should have, ere this, been divested, and that they escaped from committees created by the Sanitary Board, but it appears the practice previously pursued was, to count over the articles, typed up as they were, in lots of 10 each, and on application of the Master & Matron a certain number was cast for the purpose of repairing others. But as a general rule the parcels were not opened.

The entire stock in store has now undergone a thorough examination and separation. The store has been emptied of all unserviceable articles, and those that remain are available for immediate use. The Committee cannot refrain from observing, that they have come to the conclusion, that in the management of the clothing department, neither care, prudence, economy, or judgment has been duly exercised, still as they had no means of ascertaining how long this defective system was kept up, they are unwilling to cast all the blame on the present Officers. But unquestionably such articles should not have been permitted into store at all. They should have been either repaired, or rejected, and the Board should in future insist that no torn articles should find their way to store. To carry out this essential regulation a room should be

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

10<sup>th</sup> day of June 1864

(Signed)

Friday the  
Thomas Stack

Clerk of the Union.

apart for the express purpose of repairs, in which all articles leaving the laundry should be examined, and those requiring renovation retained there. The idle females throughout the house should be sent daily, for some hours to the useful employment of mending the clothing.

The Committee recommend such additions only to the stock, as cannot be dispensed with, by reason of the state of the finances, and as many of the contracted goods are of an inferior class. To render the present supply as available as possible, the store for washing purposes, should be divided into sections or wards, and after such division, the articles taken from one ward, when properly repaired and washed, could be applied to the next.

The milk supplied was tasted by the Committee and found good, but its general character should not be judged of, by what is sent in on a published Committee day. Unexpected examinations would be more serviceable, and reliable.

The attention of the Committee has been called to the risk, in a sanitary point of view, likely to be incurred, if the operations of steeping and spreading the flax are now going on upon the limited area of the workhouse, and so contiguous to the public road, be permitted, as contemplated. This appears a subject worthy of consideration, and should be referred for their opinion, to the ~~Sanitary~~ Workhouse Medical Officers.

The schools have been visited, comparing results with former inspections, a marked progress in the appearance, clothing, discipline and proficiency of the Boys is manifest, reflecting much credit on the zeal and ability of the Master. The same observations apply to the girls school, where all appear to be very obedient and attentive, and moreover contributing a good deal to the industrial stock of the House by needlework.

Finally, the Committee herewith annex, an improved schedule, gleaned from other workhouses, shewing at a glance the state of the clothing account. It presents in a clear and concise form the various data required before buying supplies, namely - The stock on hand, articles cancelled, not available stock, an approximate estimate of the additional quantity required, provided on the number of inmates, together with the quantity sanctioned by the Board, It is recommended that printed forms of this summary, should be ordered.

The Board should also consider what is best to be done with the cast clothing.

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James Lamb

Summary of Clothing account. 1st June 1864.

Bedding	Mens' Clothing			Womens' Clothing						Boys' Clothing			Girls' Clothing																		
	Shirts	Shirts	Shirts	Shirts	Shirts	Shirts	Shirts	Shirts	Shirts	Shirts	Shirts	Shirts	Shirts	Shirts	Shirts	Shirts															
Stock on hand	1075	51558	95149	205280	178771	186	64195	2	20	9	413780	584513	1571	85	42	740	32	28	36	182	102	154	300	9	138	12	336	417	445	516	
Cancelled	1st June	4056	3175	17	35	15	81	105	76	"	31	26	180	257	26	"	"	"	"	"	83	53	28	66	82	"	55	74	119	774	
Available Stock	1058	51152	92394	188	163	171	64119	2	20	9	382704	401256	1545	59	12	740	32	28	36	174	99	126	234	9	56	12	281	343	326	212	
Approximate Estimate	550	26000	55000	188	163	171	64119	2	20	9	387754	401256	1571	59	12	740	32	28	36	174	99	126	234	9	56	12	280	343	326	212	
Difference	11	"	"	30	"	"	30	"	"	"	40	50	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Recommended by Committee	11	"	"	30	"	"	30	"	"	"	40	50	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Sanctioned by Board																															

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James Lamb

for June 1864

clothing account

Receipt on

Galway County Council Archives

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the  
UNION, on 3<sup>rd</sup> day, the June day of Galway 1864  
*continued.*

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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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  
 Sanitary Report of Relieving Officer Luffen—

That he summoned five persons before the Magistrates at Petty Sessions on Monday last for keeping their premises in a filthy condition, that one was fined six pence in the costs and four ordered to abate. That several others were served with notices to cleanse and lime-wash in different parts of the town—

W. H. Luffen  
 Joseph Grealy  
 James Davis

(Signed)

Thomas Stack

Clerk of the Union.



# Galway UNION.

Population in 1861, 50,821

Present Net Annual Value, £ 64,272.17.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 4<sup>th</sup> day of June 1864

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	816	394														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	222	30														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	444	48														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>1082</b>	<b>567</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			26	121	87	120	50	41	19	65	44	583	In Work-house } 133 In Hospital, } In Fever Hospital, } 63 Total, } 176	In separate Wards, } - In Wards } with other } Inmates, } 7 Total, } 7		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			4	2	12	6	4	3			5	36				
<b>TOTAL,</b>			30	123	99	126	54	44	19	65	49	619				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			6	10	6	14	1	2		5	4	48				
Died, . . . . .						3					1	4				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			6	10	6	17	1	2		5	5	52				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			24	113	93	119	53	42	19	60	44	567				

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	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

PRESENT: In the Chair, A. O'Flaherty Esq. the 10<sup>th</sup> day of June 1864

Other Guardians: Mr Collins, Joseph Leahy, John Harrison,  
 Jas. Davis, George Hill, Robt. Stephens,  
 Jas. D'Arcy, J. L. Conyn,  
 Dr. Brodie, Poor Law Inspector, attended -

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4982 to No. 5010, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

The Leger 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, - - - - - £ 84 : 13 : 5

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 382 : 1 : 8

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 46 : 3 : 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

+ Receipts include £ 1-0-0 - Repayment of Relief - Bur. Reis. Clareway -  
 17-6 - - - - - D. - - - - - In<sup>o</sup>. Flynn -  
 13-0 - - - - - D. - - - - - D. Fahy -  
 1-5-0 - Sale of Manure -

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:— 10/4 Jme

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
William Kelly	Galway North	.	.	.	.	.	.	47	2	4 1/2	.	.	.
	South	.	.	.	.	.	.	53	4	10 1/2	.	.	.
	East	.	.	.	.	.	.	203	11	0	.	.	.
	West	.	.	.	.	.	.	98	15	10	.	.	.
	Ballintemple	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	8	.	.	.
	Barna	.	.	.	.	.	.	15	1	7 1/2	.	.	.
Mathew Creaven	Carrowbrown	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	14	11	.	.	.
	Annaghdown	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	7	4 1/2	.	.	.
	Aughlin	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	11	5	.	.	.
	Belleville	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	5	.	.	.
	Cummole	.	5	7	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Clareway	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	5	6	.	.	.
	Deerpark	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8	6	.	.	.
	Lackabeg	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	9 1/2	.	.	.
	Liscanahane	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	1	7	.	.	.
	Lisheenavalla	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
William Younge	Ballinacounty	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	16	10 1/2	.	.	.
	Clarebridge	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	13	6 1/2	.	.	.
	Dranmole	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	11	2 1/2	.	.	.
	Stradbally	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	3	.	.	.
Martin Henon	Inishmore	.	.	.	.	.	.	179	10	4	.	.	.
	Kilcummin	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
James J. Morris	Moycullen	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Shiveanena	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Lullo Rhyne	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Timothy Curran	Dumbough	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Spiddle	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Nicholas Curran	Killannin	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	8	1/2	.	.	.
	Selena	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	5	1/4	.	.	.
Totals,					57						667	16	2 1/4

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.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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Reports of Medical Officers -

Workhouse - Number in Hospital 147  
including 22 Cases of measles -

Fever Hospital - In Hospital 3<sup>rd</sup> June - 42  
Admitted since 9  
51  
Discharged Cured - 11  
Died - 1 12  
Remaining in Hospital - 39

A joint report of Drs. Colahan and Cleland relating to an outbreak of measles amongst the children in the Workhouse, was read -  
(Copy to Comm<sup>y</sup> with minutes)

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:  
That he sold the Hay for £1:12:0, which he has lodged with the Union Treasurer, as also £1:5:0 received for manure -

Suggesting the employment of a competent person to inspect the Woodwork of the House and give a Specification of the necessary repairs, which with painting should be executed during the present season -

Ordered - That Mr. Roberts be requested to look over the ~~woodwork~~ windows and other woodwork as reported by the Master to require repairs, and that he be requested to make a Specification and estimate of such work as he may consider absolutely necessary for the preservation of the House.

Required - 1 Key lock and Key for Clothes Store -  
3 Small Keys for padlock and press -  
7 Locks to be repaired -  
2 lbs Penny Cord, for bed -  
1 lb Wax Candles - 1/2 gallon black ink -  
2 doz Ink stands -

(Ordered)  
The Stationer's report of blotting repaired during the week was read -

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

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

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, dated 8<sup>th</sup> Messrs, N<sup>o</sup> 11428/64, Stating that all the inquiries for the missing packet of Manuals on the Law of Chargeability have been unsuccessful - That fresh Copies of the Manual will however be forwarded to the Board of Guardians -  
(Received)

Relieving Officer Cullen reported that he has received notice of the eviction of three families from the property of Lord Campbell in the Barna Electoral Division

Relieving Officer Griffin reported that he has received notice of the eviction of one family from the property of Lord Campbell in the Tullokyne Electoral Division -

The Chaplain's Book R was produced -

Receipts for the payments made at last meeting were produced & examined -

Ordered - The Master is directed to procure materials for 20 pair of shoes, so as to employ a shoemaker at present an inmate of the Workhouse -

Upon the representation of Dr. Brodie, Poor Law Inspector, regarding the state of the flooring in the lower apartments of the Fever Hospital, the following order was made:-

The Master is directed to purchase boards sufficient to board the two rooms of the Fever Hospital, and that the work be proceeded with without delay.

In pursuance of the recommendation of the Visiting Committee, orders were signed for the following supplies:

- 11 pair of Blank Kets -
- 135 yds of Ticken -
- 200 yds of Linen -
- 30 Irish Capes -
- 75 yds check -

At Redington, Ch<sup>rs</sup>

Thos Corrius  
James Davis

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	14
Ditto, disallowed -	"6
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	"16

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	2
Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians	"
The number of other applicants in the Poor-relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	"

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered	4
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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

17 day of June 1864

Friday

the

(Signed)

Thomas Stack

Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the  
UNION, on Friday, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of June 1864  
continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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The Board elected the following Deute-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the 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 received from Mr. Harrison  
Hon. Secy of the Galway Dispensary Committee -

At a Meeting of the Galway Dispensary  
Committee held on Wednesday, the 8<sup>th</sup> inst -  
Anthony O'Flaherty Esq in the Chair,  
and 27 other Members of the Committee in  
attendance -

Letters were read from Dr. Comerford  
and Dr. Kelly, applying for the Office of  
Medical Officer of the Western Division of  
the Galway Dispensary District, vacant by the  
resignation of Dr. Binnone -

On a poll being taken  
18 voted for Dr. Comerford and 10 for Dr. Kelly -

Dr. Kelly <sup>Comerford</sup> was declared elected  
Subject to the approval of the Poor Law  
Commissioners -

W. Redington Esq

Thos O'Connell  
James Davis

(Signed)

Thomas Stack

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851, 50,821

*Galway*

UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £14,272.17.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *11<sup>th</sup>* day of *June* 1864

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	816	389														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	222	130														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	39														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
TOTAL, . . . . .	1082	558														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			24	113	93	119	53	42	19	60	44	567	In Work-house Hospital, In Fever Hospital, } 140 In separate } Wards, } In Wards } with other } Inmates, } 39 Total, } 179			
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			2	2	8	10	2	2		1	2	29				
TOTAL, . . . . .			26	115	101	129	55	44	19	61	46	596				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			4	4	7	9		3	1	2	2	39				
Died, . . . . .					2	2				1	1	6				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			4	4	9	11		3	1	3	3	38				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			22	111	92	118	55	41	18	58	43	558				

RETURN of DESSTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *11<sup>th</sup>* day of *June* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	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.	2	2			2	2	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.						
No. <i>Dot</i>	2	2			2	2	TOTAL						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Friday* the *17<sup>th</sup>* day of *June* 1864.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *John Redington Esq (W.C.)*  
 Other Guardians: *Mr. Collins, James Davis, Dr. Harrison, and F. L. Conyngham*

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

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 5011 to No. 5024, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. \_\_\_\_\_ to No. \_\_\_\_\_, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Leger 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, - - - - - + £ 181: 2: 4  
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 15: 9: 2  
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 211: 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.

+ Receipts include £ 1. 12. 0. received for Hay sold -

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows. *11 June*

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
Wm. Kelly	Jahway North	20	5	6				78	16	10 1/2					
	" South							53	4	10 1/2					
	" East	36	11	1				146	14	3					
	" West	9	18	2				88	17	8					
	" Ballinacorney									7					
	" Barna	9	18	6				5	3	7 1/2					
	" Carrowbrown	3	19	1						15	10				
					80	12	4				374		9 1/2		
Mat. Greaven	Annaghdown									7	4 1/2				
	" Inghrin							4	11	5					
	" Bellville							1	2	5					
	" Carnmore														
	" Clarejahway							2	5	6					
	" Deerpark									8	6				
	" Larkspoke									3	9 1/2				
	" Lisceanahm							1	1	7					
													10	7	
Wm. Jones	Balthnacorney									16	10 1/2				
	" Clarenbridge									13	6 1/2				
	" Droopark														
	" Drammore							3	11	2 1/2					
	" Stradbally									2	3				
													53	10 1/2	
M. Heenan	Droghda	179	10	7											
Jn. Dillane	Kilcummin				179	10	7								
J. J. Morris	Moycun														
	" Skewongna														
	" Tullagh														
Thos. Curran	Furlong														
	" Spiddal														
Nich. Curran	Kilnammin									8					
	" Serna									2	5 1/2			3	13 1/4
Totals,					260	2	8				389	8	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 £ was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 56 s. 10 d. #

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account £ 56 s. 10 d. #

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 54 s. 10 d. #

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account, £ 2 s. 0 d. #

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was " 3 s. 0 d. #

Average cost in Infirmary, " 3 s. 13 d. #

Average cost in Fever Hospital, " 1 s. 7 d. #

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

2800 # Bread	14. 11. 8	90 # Tobacco	2. 3
72 # Meal (ops)	1. 4. 0	60 Boxes Turf	2. 8. 9
246 1/2 qts Milk	17. 19. 4	9 # Candles	4. 1
1 ct Salt	1. 3	91 # Soap	1. 4. 4
50 # Sugar	1. 2. 11		
1 ct Rice	15. 9		
21 Beef Heads	1. 15. 0		
33 1/2 # Meal (asp.)	6. 6. 2		
10 pts P. Wine	17. 6		
16 # L. Sugar	8. 4		
12 # A. Root	7. 6		
4 Bot. Brandy	15. 4		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 11 day of June 1864 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, -	£	s.	d.
In Kind, -	"	5	0
Total, -	"	5	0

Credit each Believing Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By 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.	P. Cullinane	1. 0. 0	(853)		Bt. forward				
No. II.									
No. III.									
No. IV.									
No. V.									
No. VI.									
No. VII.									
No. VIII.									
No. IX.									
Car forward		1. 0. 0			TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Believing Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

8524 Mr. Hack, Clerk, School Registrar 4 19 3

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:

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Medical Officers Reports

Workhouse -

No in the Infirmary this day, 145 including 20 Cases of Measles - I recommend that some of the boys and girls should have the benefit of sea bathing, as heretofore - (Approved) "Old linen wanted for Hospital" - Ordered - Old linen to be given by the Clerk -

Fever Hospital -

In Hospital, June 10<sup>th</sup> 39 Admitted since 5 Discharged 7 Remaining in Hospital 37 "Two of the boards in upper wards require to be repaired, and a door for the dead-house." (Ordered)

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

That M. Merrick (for Mr Roberts) has inspected the woodwork of the Workhouse, and will furnish a specification of the necessary repairs as soon as possible -

That Mary Sheavin, admitted last Board day, has refused to go before the magistrates to make an information respecting the paternity of her illegitimate child -

Ordered - To be discharged from the Workhouse unless she make the information -

Required - 2 Tons Straw - 1 cart of lime - 3 lbs Cord - 1 prem. book - 4 lbs Thread - 50 yds Tweed -

Ordered - The linen supplied by contractor to be returned -

The Ination's report of clothing to be repaired during the week was read -

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

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

The Clerk read a Letter from Mr. J. Flaherty, Chairman of the Board, stating that he could not attend this day's meeting of the Guardians, being obliged to attend an important meeting of the Harbour Commissioners, and enclosing Communications addressed to him by Mr. W. H. Gregory M.P. -

Read Letter from Mr. W. H. Gregory M.P., dated 13<sup>th</sup> June, 1854, forwarding a Parliamentary paper, moved for by Mr. Bawell, M.P., giving an account of the number of sheep destroyed by dogs during the past year - Stating that if the Board of Guardians consider it desirable to petition Parliament on the subject, he will be happy to take charge of the petition -

Letter from Mr. Gregory, M.P., enclosing a copy of the bill "to amend the law relating to the valuation of rateable property in Ireland" - Stating that the Bill has gone through Committee, will be read a third time on Friday next, and will then go up to the House of Lords - That it will be advisable for the Board, at once to communicate with Lord Clonmacnoise, and request him to take charge of

the bill - giving his lordship an explanation of its object - Stating also that he is very much indebted to Sir Colman O'Loghlen for his assistance in preparing the bill - Moved by Mr. Comins, seconded by Mr. Davis, and Resolved -

That the Clerk convey to the Marquess of Sligo the request of the Board of Guardians that his lordship will have the kindness to take charge of the bill "to amend the law relating to the valuation of rateable property in Ireland", brought into the House of Commons by Mr. Gregory and Sir Colman O'Loghlen, when it shall have been sent to the House of Lords. -

Moved by Mr. Comins, seconded by Mr. Davis, and Resolved Unanimously -

The Board of Guardians of the Galway Union desire to express their acknowledgments of the valuable assistance given by Sir Colman O'Loghlen, M.P., to Mr. Gregory, M.P., in the preparation of the Bill to amend the law relating to the valuation of rateable property in Ireland, and their thanks for his kindness in doing so.

Letter from Mr. W. H. Gregory, M.P., dated 15 June, 1854, stating that he has received the Memorial of the Board of Guardians on the subject of the cultivation of Tobacco in Ireland, and that he has forwarded it to the Chancellor of the Exchequer -

Received from Mr. Gregory, M.P., a Parliamentary paper, showing the gross receipts of the Galway Extension Railway from 1<sup>st</sup> July 1853 to the 31<sup>st</sup> Decr. 1853, the Working Expenses, and Deficit of Interest, &c. -

The Deputy Registrar of Births, Deaths, and Marriages<sup>+</sup> having forwarded to the Registrar General a claim for payment of the sum of £1.1.0 for expenses of attendance on the Supt. Registrar with the Returns for quarter ended 31<sup>st</sup> March last, the Registrar<sup>General</sup> returned the acct to the Deputy Registrar, with instructions to present it to the Board of Guardians for payment -

The communication of the Registrar General and the account having been submitted to the Board, the following resolution was moved by W. Connors, seconded by W. Davis, and passed -

Resolved - The Board of Guardians having looked into the Registration Acts, (26 Vic. C. 11, and 26+27 Vic. C. 90.) find that they are liable only for the payment of the Fees specified therein, and therefore decline to make any payment to Registrars for expenses for their attendance on the Superintendent Registrar. That the Clerk forward a copy of this resolution to the Registrar General -

+ for the Kilmurrah or Western Dist<sup>y</sup> Sub-District.

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 Deceiving 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.)

Relieving Officer Callen reported that on Wednesday last he prosecuted a rapist named McDemott, a native of Roscommon, who assaulted him in his own house on the 9<sup>th</sup> instant, on refusing her for a night's lodging in the Workhouse; that the Magistrates ordered her to be imprisoned for two months -

Ordered. The application of the Porter of the Workhouse for a suit of Clothing was postponed to next Friday.

Ordered. That Catherine James get the Clothing which belonged to her mother (Biddy Higgins) who died in the Workhouse -

Ordered. That Biddy Ferguson get the Clothing of Frank Ferguson, her late husband, who died in the Workhouse -

The tender of Wm. Dooly for flooring the two wards of the Fever Hospital for the sum of £44 0:0 (Four Pounds) was accepted. The Guardians providing all materials -

The Chaplain's Book was produced -

Resolved. The consideration of the sale of the Government Stock in which the Dispensary Trust Fund is invested is postponed to next Board Day -

The observations of the District Inspector of National Schools at his inspection of the Workhouse Schools on the 10<sup>th</sup> instant, were laid before the Board -

His remarks on the progress of the Children and state of the Schools generally were very satisfactory.

With respect to the boys' school, the Inspector states - "I have much pleasure in recording marked improvement in the proficiency, intelligence, and manners of the pupils since last visit."

On the girls' school he remarks -  
 "School on the whole in a satisfactory state. The juniors have made much greater progress than the few in the advanced classes; the former compose the body of the school - All are neat and tidy in dress and person - I have recommended the Commissioners of Education to award a gratuity to Miss Griffin for 'Care and Efficiency' -"

Lists of Registers for the Schools were submitted by the Schoolmaster and Schoolmistress, amounting to £4:19:3, and were ordered to be supplied -

W. J. Lambert  
 Joseph Leahy

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 24<sup>th</sup> day of June 1864  
 (Signed) Thomas Stack  
 Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the  
UNION, on *Tu* - day, the *17<sup>th</sup>* day of *June* 186*4*  
continued.

*Galway*  
*June* 1864

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 & 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:

*Ordered to be supplied -*

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

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

*Ordered - That the prescription paper forms  
in Clerk's hands be first used  
before new books are provided -*

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

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

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

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

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

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the Annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] The Board elected the following Deute-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the 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 Commr. (No. 11.723) dated 11<sup>th</sup> June 1864 stating that

Enclosing a copy of a letter addressed to the Galway Dispensary Committee, expressing their approval of the appointment of Dr. Michael Comerford as one of the Medical Officers of the Galway Dispensary District, at a salary of £90 per annum.

Sanitary Report of Relieving Officer Lemen.

That he visited several Villages in the Electoral Divisions of Galway and Carronbrowne during the week, and found pools of stagnant water in front and rear of several houses.

That he served notices on the parties to abate the nuisances complained of.

W. Flaherty  
Superintendent  
Joseph Grealy

(Signed)

Thomas Mac N.

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1861, 50,821

Galway UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 64,272:17:0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 18<sup>th</sup> day of June 1864

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	Number in Hospital on the above date	
Workhouse, . . .	876	413												
Temporary Buildings, . . .	222	128												
Additional Workhouse, . . .														
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	33												
Fever Sheds, . . .														
<b>TOTAL, . . .</b>	<b>1082</b>	<b>574</b>												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			22	111	93	117	55	44	18	69	32	558	In Work-house Hospital, 145	In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital, with other Inmates, 33
Admitted during the Week,			3	8	7	7	3		3	6	4	41	Total, 178	Total, 7
<b>TOTAL,</b>			<b>25</b>	<b>119</b>	<b>100</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>44</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>75</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>599</b>		
Discharged during the Week,			1	5	5	8	1			1	3	24		
Died, . . .												1		
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	5	5	8	1					1	4	25
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			24	114	95	116	57	41	21	74	32	574		

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	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.	2	2			2	2	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	2	2			2	2	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 24<sup>th</sup> day of June 1864

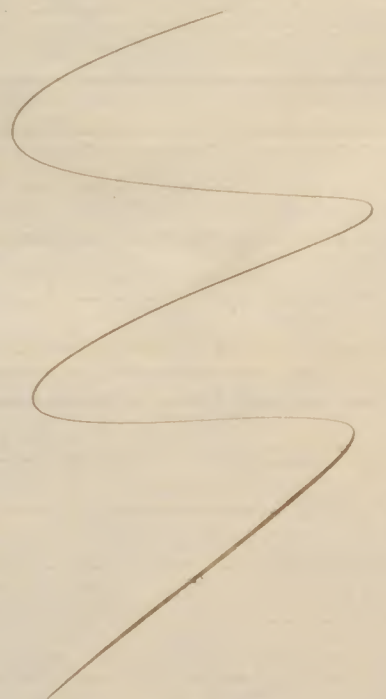
PRESENT: In the Chair, *A. O'Flaherty Esq*

Other Guardians: *Mr. Collins, George Hill, J. Grealy, G. Morris, B. O'Flaherty, J. Davis, J. B. Fooster, E. C. Burke, J. Harrison,*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 5042 to No. 5077, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. ——— to No. ———, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:



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

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

Baid during the week, - - - - - £ 5 : 19 : 3

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £205 : 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:—to 18 June.

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
<i>No lodgment of Rates during the week.</i>													
<i>Totals.</i>													

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 0 s. 3 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	58	3	3
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2	0	
Average cost in Infirmary,	2	9	2
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	2	10	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:			

2600 lbs Bread	13.10.10	8 lb Arrow Root	5.0
72 " Meal (opp)	1.4.0	10 lb L. Sugar	8.4
1/2 Ton Oatmeal	4.12.6	903 Tobacco	2.3
23 9/6 qts Milk	17.9.5	60 Boxes Soap	2.8.9
1 ct Salt	1.3	9 lb Candles	4.2
50 # Sugar	1.2.11	91 lb Soap	1.1.4
1 ct Rice	15.9	(Supp <sup>r</sup> Orders)	
21 Beef Heads	1.15.0	4 lb Aw. Root	2.6
5 # Pepper	5.0	1003 Tobacco	2.6
323 lb Meat (Hosp <sup>r</sup> )	6.1.2		
1/2 Bot Porter	1.1.0		
16 pts P. Wine	1.8.0		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 18 day of June 1864 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	£	s.	d.
In Kind,	"	"	"
Total,	"	6	0

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By 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 Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

855- Collection from Kelly, acct Pomdaye Fees - 100

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

*[Handwritten flourish]*

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

4. Out door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

*[Handwritten flourish]*

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

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

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

*[Large handwritten flourish]*

Reports of Medical Officers -

Workhouse -

N. in Infirmary this day — 137

Cases of measles

"I beg to recommend that the benefit of sea  
"bathing be extended to the adults in the same  
"way as in previous years" (Approved)

Fever Hospital -

N. under treatment this day - 26

"The bedticks are now undergoing repairs  
"and there are 20 yards of ticken and 1<sup>1/2</sup>  
"of thread required for the purpose" (Ordered)

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

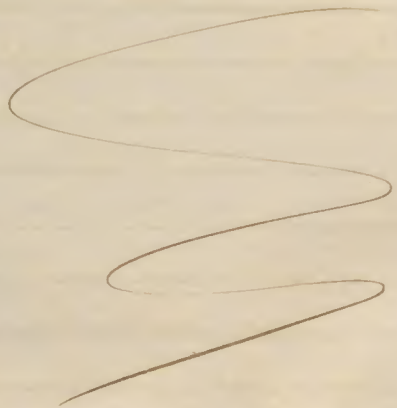
That Colonel Dixon of Malton has given him  
permission to sleep the Workhouse Flats on his  
land. ~~admission~~

That he has received 44 yards of Frieze from Mr.  
Jesson of Athlone, which he submits for  
inspection of the Board.

Ordered - 1/2 doz Whitewash Brushes. 2 Flaps. 4ft by 2.  
5 deal scantlings for striking Fever Hospital floors.  
1 cwt. weight of cut nails for D.  
6 pair of T knives for D.  
Repair of six fireplaces for D.

*[Handwritten flourish]*

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

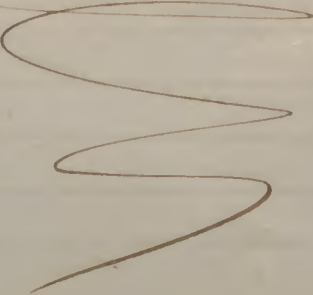


The following Letters, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

From Poor Law Commrs

N<sup>o</sup> 90. D<sup>o</sup> 1847  
21 June  
Transmitting a revised list of questions which the Commissioners recommend to be put to Gaolers removed from England or Scotland on their arrival at the Workhouse -

N<sup>o</sup> 12437/1847  
23 June  
Stating with reference to the Order made at last meeting regarding Mary Mawen, that the only question which can be properly entertained by the Board of Guardians in determining whether relief is to be given, or continued, is that of destitution - That the woman is entitled to relief so long as she is destitute, notwithstanding her refusal to fix the paternity of her child -



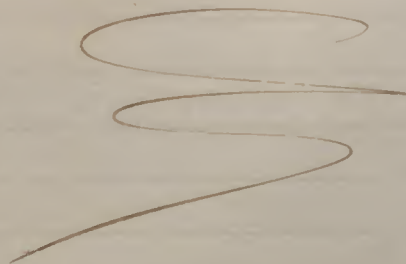
Read Letter from Registrar General, dated 29<sup>th</sup> June 1847, stating that the Guardians acted correctly in not paying the account of the Deputy Registrar of the Western District for travelling expenses; that the amount will be paid by him - (Reg General)

Read Letter from Mr W. H. Gregory M.P. dated 21<sup>st</sup> June forwarding Mr. Radstone's reply to the Memorial of the Board of Guardians respecting the growth of Tobacco in Ireland - The reply states - "that in principle Her Majesty's Government have no objection to an arrangement of this kind, but that up to this time no practical mode has been discovered by which the assessment of this large duty could be conducted."

Letter from Mr. Roberts, dated 24 June, stating that it is desirable to make provision for lighting the new Dispensary with gas, and to make better provision with regard to the present supply of water.

Resolved - The consideration of these subjects is postponed until the Dispensary Building is completed and handed over by the Contractor.

Letter from Mr. Roberts, dated 24 June, enclosing a Specification of repairs as desired by the Board's resolution of 10<sup>th</sup> instant - estimated cost £30 -  
Ordered - Clerk to advertise for a Contractor -





M. C. Nan, Relieving Officer, reported that that he attended the Petty Sessions at Granmore on yesterday to prosecute Margaret Kenan for deserting her infant child in Clarendonbridge on the 1st instant, and that the Magistrates ordered her to be imprisoned for one month for the offence, and the child now in the Workhouse to be included in the Committal warrant

William Dooly, Carpenter, put in an Estimate for some repairs required at the Fever Hospital, in addition to the flooring, amounting to One pound. The Board agreed to give 15/-

Ordered - Mary Anne Mack to get clothing to the value of 15/- on leaving the Workhouse.

Ordered - Kate Heffernan to get clothes, provided her statement as to having obtained employment be correct - M. Cullen, R.O., to inquire -

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - 12

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - 9

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - 20

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

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

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - 7

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

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

M. William Kelly, handed in the Treasurer's receipt for £145:16:7, with an abstract of his Collection, showing recoverable arrears - £37:3:10 irrecoverable - £211:16:2 Detailed lists of the Sums Due were also submitted - M. Kelly applied for and was ordered payment of £100 on account of his Poorhouse fees -

The consideration of the sale of the Dispensary Fund was again postponed for a week.

A Suit of Clothing was ordered for the Porter.

W. J. Lambert  
Joseph Gandy  
Pat Dooly

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on 1<sup>st</sup> day of July 1864

Friday the

(Signed)

Thomas Stuch

Clerk of the Union.

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the *Galway*  
UNION, on *Fri*-day, the *24<sup>th</sup>* day of *June* 186*4*  
*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 *Galway & Western*  
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of *17 June 1864*  
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed  
to forward the same ~~or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,~~ to the  
Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter from Poor Law Com<sup>r</sup> (No 9123) dated 20<sup>th</sup> June 1863  
stating that

Calling attention to their Letter of 30<sup>th</sup> ultimo in reference to the remuneration of Dr. Kelly for his services as substitute for the Medical Officer of the Drammore Dispensary <sup>District</sup> ~~Committee~~, and requesting that they may be furnished with a reply to their letter -

The Honorary Secretary to the Drammore Dispensary Committee transmitted a copy of the Minutes of Proceedings of the Committee at a meeting held on the 23<sup>rd</sup> instant, containing the following resolution:

Moved by James D'Arcy Esq  
and unanimously Resolved -

That the payment made to Dr. Kelly for his services during Dr. Hughes' late illness be paid out of the Rates, and that no deduction be made from Dr. Hughes' salary therefor -

Mr. Collins, as a Member of the Drammore Dispensary Committee, objected to the resolution on the ground that the Committee did not meet at the regular hour, and on the ground also that the Board's resolution of 1<sup>st</sup> April last should be rescinded before the question can be reconsidered.

The Clerk was directed to communicate with the Honorary Secretary on the subject

W. J. Lushington  
Wm. J. G. G. G.  
Pat. Doolley

(Signed)

Thomas Stack

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1861, 50821

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UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 64272:17:0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 25<sup>th</sup> day of June 1864

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 16 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	876	448														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	222	128														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	444	27														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>1082</b>	<b>573</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			24	114	95	116	57	41	21	74	32	574	In Work-house Hospital, 135	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, 7		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			2	7	4	8	3	4	3	2	3	36				
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>26</b>	<b>121</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>124</b>	<b>60</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>76</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>610</b>				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			6	8	5	3	3	1		3	2	31				
Died, . . . . .					1					1	3	6				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			6	8	6	3	3	1	1	6	3	37				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			20	113	93	121	57	44	23	70	32	573				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 25<sup>th</sup> day of June authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	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.	2	2			2	2	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.						
<b>Tot Gen forward</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>			<b>2</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>TOTAL,</b>						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 1<sup>st</sup> day of July 1864

PRESENT: In the Chair,

A. Flaherty Esq

Other Guardians:

James Davis, Joseph Freely, Patrick Dooly, James Clarke.

Dr. Brodie, Poor Law Inspector, attended

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 5078 to No. 5113, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. \_\_\_\_\_ to No. \_\_\_\_\_, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Leger 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, - - - - - £145:10:7

Paid during the week, - - - - - £100: - : -

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £257:14:5

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: 10<sup>th</sup> June

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Wm Kelly	Galway North	28	16	6				50	5	3			
"	" South	20	14	7				32	10	3 1/2			
"	" East	57	4	6				115	15	5			
"	" West	41	19	7				46	18	1			
"	Ballinacorney		16	4					1	14			
"	Barna	1	19	7				3	4	1/2			
"	Carrowbrone		15	7						3			
					145	16	7				248	9	10 1/2
M. Creaven											10		7
Wm Young											5	3	10 1/2
M. Heenan													
M. Dillon													
J. J. Morris													
Tim Curran													
Nick. Lurcan												3	1 1/2
Totals,					145	16	7				243	17	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 £ was produced and passed.

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

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

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

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - 57 : 13 : 4  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,  
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - 2 : 0  
 Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - " 2 : 10 3/4  
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - " 3 : 3 1/2  
 The Master's Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

2700 lbs Bread	14 : 1 : 3	16 H L. Sugar	8 : 4
72 " Meat (off)	1 : 4 : 0	2 Bot. Brandy	7 : 8
1/2 Ton Cornmeal	4 : 12 : 6	13 oz Tobacco	3 : 3
1 Ton Ind. Meal	7 : 9 : 6	80 Bots Turf	3 : 5 : 0
2400 gals Milk	17 : 10 : 0	4 H Candles	4 : 1
112 H Salt	1 : 3	91 H Soap	1 : 4 : 4
50 H Sugar	1 : 2 : 11	50 H W. Soda	4 : 0
24 Reef Heads	1 : 15 : 0		
315 1/4 lbs Meat (No. 1)	5 : 18 : 3		
1/2 Bbl Poter	1 : 1 : 0		
16 pt. P. Wine	1 : 8 : 0		
6 H A. Root	3 : 9		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 25 day of June 1864 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, - - - - -	"	5 : 6
In Kind, - - - - -	"	"
Total, - - - - -	"	5 : 6

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By 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.	P. H. Lyken	2 : 0 : 0	875		Bt. forward				
No. II.	P. Cullinane	1 : 0 : 0	876		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	Wt.	3 : 0 : 0			TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

[Handwritten flourish]

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

2. Establishment Account.

[Handwritten flourish]

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



3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.
878 {	John Norris	Bread. to 25 June	57	5	10
	D <sup>o</sup>	Milk	71	5	1
	D <sup>o</sup>	Chemistry	1	5	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:

Reports of Medical Officers -  
Workhouse -

N. in the Infirmary 134  
 Materials wanted for mending bed-ticks of Hospital -  
 Ordered - The Matron is directed to comply with this requirement, and to report to the Board next Board day what she has done -

Fever Hospital -

Number under treatment 26.  
 Two deaths during the week, one aged 6 months and one aged 5 years - admitted in a dying state and lived only a few hours.

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

That a man named Mr Seary was found on the Workhouse premises about 12 o'clock on the night of Sunday last, and that he has been summoned to the 1st Sessions Court.

That he has received £3 from a man Lydon in America, whose wife and two children are in the Workhouse, and that Lydon promises to send for them in a short time -

That Miss Lambert, Hospital Matron, has received Len Skinnip for an inmate who is sick in Hospital -

Ordered - The flap round the boilers in the Kitchen to be taken up and reset, and the flues to be cleaned -

Ordered - 1/2 doz Sewing Brushes - 4 Sweeping Brushes, and 2 doz latches - for fever Hospital -  
 1950 nails of different sizes -

The Matrons report of clotting repaired was read -  
 Required - 50/3d taken for repairs -

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

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

Read Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, dated 29<sup>th</sup> June, 1864, N. 94. M. 64, transmitting a copy of an Act (27 & 28 Vic. c. 22) to amend the Laws which regulate the Registration of Parliamentary Votes in Ireland - and calling Clerk's attention to certain provisions therein -

Read Letter from Sir Colman M. O'Loghlen, M.P., dated 27<sup>th</sup> June, 1864, acknowledging the receipt of the resolution passed by the Board of Guardians on the 17<sup>th</sup> instant -

Read Letter from Mr. Roberts, dated 29 June, stating that he has added to the Specification for repairs the items since pointed out by the Master, and now estimates the cost of immediate repairs, absolutely necessary at £33:0:0 - Recommending the entire of the external timber work to be painted -

Resolved - Mr. John Kilkelly, our Solicitor, having in pursuance of the instructions of the Board of Guardians, sent down a power of Attorney, empowering him to sell the entire of the Dispensary Trust Fund, now invested in the name of the Guardians of the Poor of the Galway Union in Government 3 per Cent Stock,

Resolved - That said power of Attorney be now executed and transmitted to Mr. Kilkelly, with instructions to remit the proceeds of said Stock, together with any interest due thereon, to the National Bank, Galway, to be placed to the Credit of the Guardians -

Mary Hughes, a widow with four children, appeared before the Board as an applicant for relief - It was ordered that the Relieving Officer's Report on the Case be inserted on the Minutes, and the Commissioners' notice drawn thereon -

Report -  
Applicant's Husband, Michael Hughes, a Pensioner, died in Athlone three weeks ago - Applicant and Husband resided two months in Athlone and eight months previously in Galway - Applicant's husband was a native of the Port Union - Applicant states she applied to the Relieving Officer in Athlone to be relieved in the Longhrea Workhouse - He refused to relieve her, at the same time desiring her to go to Galway to be relieved there - Applicant is destitute -

W. H. H. H.  
Gross  
Joseph Gentry

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - - 10

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - 4

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 12

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

Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - 4

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - 4

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on  
8<sup>th</sup> day of July 1864

Friday the  
Thomas Stack

(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 15 day of July 1864  
*Galway*  
*July*  
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):

Salway Dispensary District, 877. Account of Mr. J. J. J. for Salary in full Amount £ 18: 10: 0

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

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

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

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

The Board elected the following Boat-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 Comm<sup>rs</sup> (No 12894) dated 30<sup>th</sup> June 1874  
stating that

transmitting a copy of a Letter which they have received from Mr. George Hill, in reference to the remuneration of Dr. Kelly for his services as Substitute for the Medical Officer of the Oranmore Dispensary District; together with a copy of the Commissioners' reply -

Ordered -

Clerk to forward a copy of the Correspondence to the Hon. Secy of the Oranmore Dispensary Committee - Inform the Commissioners that the Board of Guardians defer coming to a decision on the question until the Dispensary Committee shall have expressed an opinion upon it at a meeting duly notified to the several members -

Letter from Mr. Cullen, Relieving Officer, requesting the Board of Guardians to fix the amount of remuneration he should receive for quarter ended 25<sup>th</sup> June, for his services in enforcing the provisions of the Sanitary Acts -

Resolved, That the Commissioners be requested to sanction the same allowance granted for last previous quarter, viz. £4.10.0 -

Mr. Cullen's Sanitary report was read, stating that he has summoned one person, and served several others with notices to abate Nuisances on their premises -

(Signed)

W. H. H. H.  
George H. H.

Joseph H. H.

Thomas Shack

Clerk of the Union.

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*Galway*

UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £64272:17:0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of July 1864

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	816	453														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	222	90														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	44	23														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
TOTAL, . . . . .	1082	574														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			20	113	93	121	57	44	23	70	33	573	In Work-house Hospital, In Fever Hospital, } 135 23	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, } 7		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			3	6	2	8	1	3	"	4	2	29	Total, 158	Total, 7		
TOTAL, . . . . .			23	119	95	129	58	47	23	74	35	603				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			2	4	8	4	1	1	"	2	1	23				
Died, . . . . .					1				1	1	3	6				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			2	4	9	4	1	1	1	3	4	29				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			21	115	86	125	57	46	22	71	31	574				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of July authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	2	7			2	7	Bt. forward,						
No. II.	2	7			2	7	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	4	9			4	9	TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of July 1864

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

Other Guardians: *Joseph French, Edward D. Burke, J. Forbes, Jas. Davis, Mr. F. O'Flaherty, J. Clarke, Geo. Hill, Jas. D'Arcy, Tho. Pope*

*Dr. Brodie, Poor Law Inspector, attended - D. King, Medical Inspector, was also present - The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.*

Galway County



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 5114 to No. 5147, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. \_\_\_\_\_ to No. \_\_\_\_\_, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Leger 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, - - - - - £ 367 : 17 : "

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 151 : 6 : 3

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 468 : 5 : 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.

+ Rec<sup>d</sup> from Dispy Trust Fund - £ 365. 0. 6  
 - for Repaymt. of Relief - 2. 13. 0  
 - " Bonds sold - 3. 6

£ 367. 17. 0

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows: - 2 July -

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total														
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.												
<i>No lodgment of Rates during the week</i>																									
<i>Totals,</i>																									

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 54 s. 1 d. 11

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

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 58 5 7

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1 11 3/4

Average cost in Infirmary, 2 10 3/4

Average cost in Fever Hospital, 3 7 1/2

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

Handwritten list of provisions and their costs, including items like Bread, Meat, Oatmeal, Milk, Salt, Sugar, Rice, Beef Heads, etc.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 1 day of July 1864

Summary table showing In Money and In Kind amounts, totaling £ 13 0.

Credit each Believing Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

Table with columns for RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Check on Treasurer, By Order on Contractors, and Value.

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Believing Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

Table listing bills for clothing, including items like Sweed Frize & Blankets, Leather, Straw, etc., with amounts in £ s. d.

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

SALARIES - to 25 June -

Table listing salaries for various officers and staff, including names like Tremor, Pugh, Stack, etc., and their respective amounts.

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

Table listing bills for burial and clerks' accounts, including items like Coffins & Gate, Payment of Small Bills.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.
888.	H. P. M. Lynch, M <sup>d</sup> . Meal -	to 2 July -	22	8	6
889.	D. Scott & Co - Tea	"	13	3	6
890.	W. Costello - Groceries	"	18	10	3
891.	Thos. Lane - Turf	"	10	11	3
892.	Finness & Co - Potter	to 25 June	7	7	"

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:

Galway County Council

Medical Officers' Reports -

Workhouse - No in the Infirmary this day. 131 -  
 "There are still Blank Beds in Hospital which are in great need of being repaired - I think that this ought to be attended to at present when the Hospital is not in a crowded state, as it might be at another time -" (Ordered)

Fever Hospital - Admitted during the week - 5  
 Discharged - 9  
 Died - 3  
 Remaining in Hospital - 19

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

That the Magistrates dismissed the Complaint against Jim Scarry for trespass on the Workhouse grounds -

Ordered for use of the Workhouse -  
 1/2 ct. Cement - 2 flaps each 3ft. by 2 -  
 1 cwt. Slates - 100 - 2/6 slate nails -  
 50 2/6s Shunting - 2 Keys to be repaired -  
 2 Press Locks - 12 cwt. Straw -

Master's Report -

Made - 20 Bedticks  
 Repaired - 10 Bedticks - for Hospital -  
 " 80 pieces of linen -

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

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

From Poor Law Commissioners

No 13229/627  
5 July 3 - Stating that the Commissioners are in communication with the Board of Guardians of Southsea Union regarding the case of Mary Hughes, who alleges that she was refused relief in that Union.

Read Letter from Mr. John Kilkenny, Solicitor, dated 5 July, 1862, stating that he had remitted to the manager of the National Bank, by way of a cheque for £1382:6:7, proceeds of sale of the Government stock in which the Dispensary Trust Fund was invested, including dividend and interest thereon, - and enclosing the Stock Broker's Docket of Sale - Requesting payment of his costs in the matter, amounting to £64:1:0 - The Clerk produced the Treasurer's receipt for £365:0:6, amount advanced by Guardians towards Dispensary Building, and a Deposit Receipt for £1017:5:1 -

Read Letter from D. O'Leary, Medical Officer of the Workhouse, dated 8<sup>th</sup> July, 1862, requesting six weeks leave of absence from his duties, and stating that his asst. D. Hill, who possesses the necessary medical, surgical, and midwifery qualifications, will discharge the duties in his absence, and that D. Colman promises to give him any requisite assistance -  
- Leave granted -

Ordered - The Clerk is directed to advertise for contracts for the repairs of the Workhouse under Mr. Roberts' specification and superintendence -

Ordered - The Master is authorized to procure clothes for Margaret Toole and her two children, not exceeding 30/- in value, provided the answer to the inquiry he is directed to make be satisfactory -

Ordered - The Clerk is directed to prepare an estimate for the new Rate, so as to place it before the Guardians for their consideration as soon as practicable -

Mr. Cullen, Retiring Officer, reported that, on Monday last he prosecuted two persons named James Curtin and John Hickey, natives of Tipperary, for vagrancy, and they were each sentenced to one month's imprisonment, with hard labour - That he prosecuted Richard Dooly for refusing to accompany his wife to the Workhouse, and that he was sent to prison for one week -

For Bedington Chm  
James Davis Ditto

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 - - 20

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - "

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - 4

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - 1

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered - - 7

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the  
15 day of July 1864  
 (Signed) Thomas Stuck  
 Clerk of the Union.

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

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway  
UNION, on Fri day, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of July 1864  
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 Invernessmore  
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board,  
with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given  
thereon as follows:

Ordered to be supplied—

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

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

3 qrs Foolscap - 3 Doy. large envelopes - 6 qrs Note paper  
75 letter envelopes - 1 Box Steel pens -  
Arran Dispensary -

Vaccination Register - 2 qrs. Vaccination Report -  
2 qrs Requisition for Medicines -

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	Dispensary District.	for	Amount £
879	D. Conside	Salary to 25 June	22.10.0
880	D. Comerford	do	4.0.0
881	P. Stanton, Apothecary	do	17.10.0
902	J. McDonaugh, Advertising		1.4.0
906	P. H. Gaben	Sanitary off. to 25 June	5.5.0
<b>Turloughmore District -</b>			
882	D. Duffan	Salary to 25 June	22.10.0
883	Yrs Burke (Porter)	do	1.5.0
884	Yrs Burke	Rent to do	1.5.0
<b>Oranmore District</b>			
885	Mr Melville	Porter - to 25 June	2.10.0
906	Mr P. H. Cullen	Sanitary officer	2.5.0
907	D. Hughes	Salary	2.10.0
<b>Western District</b>			
886	D. Morgan	Salary	20.0.0

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.] An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 186, having been submitted to the Board the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 186

District	£
District	£

**Arran District -**

887	D. Stoney	Salary - to 25 June	20.0.0
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Registration of Births, Deaths, & Marriages -

Gateway District	894	D. Conside	Fee - quarter to 31 Dec	£12.2.0
Turloughmore	895	D. Duffan	do - 1/2 yr. to 30 June	5.11.0
Arran	896	D. Stoney	do - quarter to 31 Dec	1.15.0

[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 Poor Law Commrs. (No. 13329) dated 7 July, 1864, stating that

transmitting a copy of a Letter which the Commrs. have received from Mr. George Hill in reference to the hour for holding the ordinary meetings of the Drammore Dispensary Committee, together with a copy of the Commissioners' reply -

Received - Minutes of a Special Meeting of the Drammore Dispensary Committee at a meeting held on the 7<sup>th</sup> inst., from which it appeared that a resolution was unanimously adopted - that no deduction should be made from Dr. Hughes' salary on account of the payment made to Dr. Keble for his temporary services during the illness of Dr. Hughes -

Moved by Mr. George Hill, seconded by Mr. Jas. O'Keefe, and resolved unanimously - That Dr. Hughes,

Medical Officer of the Drammore Dispensary District, be paid his salary in full, without making any deduction for the time of his illness -

Mr. Cullen, Relieving Officer, reported that he summoned Patrick Kane for keeping the premises known as Kane's in a filthy and unwholesome condition, and that the Magistrate ordered the nuisance to be abated in a week.

(Signed)

Thomas Stack

Clerk of the Union.

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Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, No. 13289/64, dated 7<sup>th</sup> July, 1864, expressing their sanction to the payment of a sum of £7:10:0 to Mr. Cullen, Relieving Officer, for extra services rendered by him under the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts -

Dr. King, Medical Inspector, brought under the notice of the Board certain improvements he considered it would be desirable to make in the new Dispensary Building for the Galway District - (Consideration deferred -

John Redington  
James O'Keefe  
L. H. W. S.

Population in 1861, 50,821

Galway

UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 64,272.17.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9<sup>th</sup> day of July 1864

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
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Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	222	86														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .	44	20														
Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>1082</b>	<b>541</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			21	115	86	125	57	46	22	71	31	574	In Work-house (Hospital, In Fever Hospital, } 20	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, } 7		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			2	1	3	6	2	2		1	1	10				
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>23</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>89</b>	<b>131</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>72</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>592</b>	<b>Total, 147</b>	<b>Total, 7</b>		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			2	10	8	9	5	3	1	5	3	46				
Died, . . . . .					1	2	1		1			5				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			2	10	9	11	6	3	2	5	3	51				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			21	106	80	120	53	45	20	67	29	541				

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
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No. I.	2	8			2	8	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.						
<b>TOTAL</b>	<b>2</b>	<b>8</b>			<b>2</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>TOTAL,</b>						

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

Friday the 15<sup>th</sup> day of July 1864

PRESENT: In the Chair,

John Redington Esq (v.c.)

Other Guardians:

Joseph Leahy, John Harrison, P. Dooley, James Davis, E. D. Burke, J. L. Connors, D. Brodie, Poor Law Inspector, attended.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Galway County

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 5148 to No. 5161, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. — to No. —, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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

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

Paid during the week, — — — — — £ 379 : 13 : 2

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 88 : 12 : 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: — to 9 July.

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
No lodgment of Rates during the week.													
Totals.													

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 0 / s. 12 d. /

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	58	0	11
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	"	1	11 3/4
Average cost in Infirmary,	"	2	11 1/2
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	"	4	0

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

2800 lb Bread	14. 11. 0	4 lb A. Root.	2. 6
72 lb Meat (Soft)	1. 4. 0	12 lb L. Sugar	6. 3
1/2 Ton Potatoes	4. 12. 6	4 lb Tobacco	2. 3
2332 qts Milk	17. 0. 1	1700 Bows Surf	3. 5. 0
1 ch. Salt	1. 3	9 lb Candles	4. 1
1 chest Tea		9 lb Soap	1. 4. 4
50 lb Sugar	1. 2. 11	20 lb Soda (Soft)	7. 6
1 ch Rice	15. 9	<del>20 lb Soda</del>	
21 Beef Head	1. 15. 0		
317 3/4 lb Meat (Soft)	5. 19. 2		
1/2 Bbl xx Porter	1. 1. 0		
16 pts P. Wine	1. 8. 0		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 9 day of July 1864, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	£	s.	d.
In Kind,	"	"	"
Total,	"	9	0

Credit each Believing Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By 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 Cheques.

Debit each Believing Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

M. Brennan, Master, to purchase Clothing for Mary, Toole & Children 1 10 "

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:

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Medical Officer's Reports

Workhouse - No in the Infirmary this day. 132.  
D. Cleland, before leaving, desired me to request the guardians to allow the mothers in the front nurseries as much access as possible during the day to the adjoining fields, as confinement to the House for all but one hour in the day is very prejudicial to the health both of the mothers and children. I would also suggest that some means be found of taking the windows out of all the inhabited sheds during the day so as to insure a thorough ventilation, for without this precaution they are liable to be shut immediately after visit - This is more than ever indispensable at the present time in consequence of the late epidemic of measles and without taking such measures we cannot expect the children to be restored to a proper state of health.

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

Some green Calico is required to make eye shades - (Signed) James Hill -

Ordered - The Master is directed to carry out the recommendations of the Medical Officer -

Fever Hospital - In Hospital 8<sup>th</sup> July -

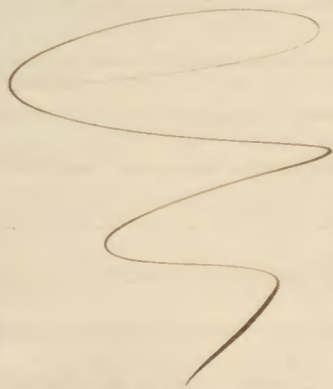
In Hospital 8 <sup>th</sup> July	19
Admitted	14
Discharged	5
Remaining	28

Master's Report - That he has about one ton of Hay - Requesting to be informed whether it will be sold or kept for the Donkey -  
Order - Keep it -

Ordered - 2 Sooks to be repaired -

Master's Report - That 123 pieces of Clothing had been repaired during the week -

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



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

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners, No. 13,758/1862, dated 14<sup>th</sup> July 1862, forwarding extracts from the Minutes of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians of the Loughrea Union on the 9<sup>th</sup> instant, relating to the case of Mary Hughes an applicant for relief -  
(Mary Hughes was called before the Board and questioned - The matter however dropped.)

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Report of Retiring Officer Lusher -

That he has received notice of the eviction of Pat Moran from the Downland of Ballynaclophy in the Ballynaclophy Division, the property of Lord Walscourt - also the eviction of four persons in Middle Street out of tenements belonging to Mr. James Davis -

Report of Retiring Officer Lullinane -

That he has received notice of the intended eviction of two families off the Downland of Ballydavid, in the Electoral Division of Sagharm, the property of Lord Dunsandale

Ordered - That a Mary Twibony get the clothing of her daughter, Judy Gavin, who died in the Workhouse.

Ordered - That application be made to our Treasurer for an advance of £1600 until the new Rate is made, and to know upon what terms the advance will be given -

The Chaplain's Book was produced -

Receipts for the payments made on 1<sup>st</sup> and 8<sup>th</sup> instant were produced and examined -

Attest  
James Davis

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	-	9
Ditto, disallowed	-	-	"
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	12

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	2
Do. do., in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	"
The number of other applicants in the Deceiving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	"

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered	-	-	2
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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the  
22 day of July 1864  
 (Signed) Thomas Stack

*Clerk of the Union.*

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Galway  
UNION, on Fri day, the 15<sup>th</sup> day of July 1864  
continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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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 Govt Secy No 13579 dated 14 July 1864, stating that

The Commissioners do not object to the arrangement proposed by the Board of Guardians on the 8<sup>th</sup> instant respecting the payment of Dr. Hughes' salary.

W. Flaherty  
Joseph Grealy  
James Davis

(Signed)

Thomas Stack

Clerk of the Union.

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