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**GORT POOR LAW UNION**  
**BOARD OF GUARDIAN MINUTES**

**G01/12/53**

**14 September 1872 – 8 March**

**1873**

Galway County Council

G01/12/53

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

## MINUTE BOOK.

Union.

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

*Order of the Poor Law Commissioners.*



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OF WHOM MAY BE HAD

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

*Port*

**UNION.**

Population in 1861—20501.

Present Net Annual Value,—£ 43237. 19. 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 7 day of Sept 1872.

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	729	123												
Temporary Buildings														
Additional Workhouse														
Permanent Fever Hospital	67	4												
Cover Sheds														
<b>Total</b>	<b>796</b>	<b>132</b>												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			12	14	29	37	1	9	11	11	124	In Workhouse Hospital, 32	In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital, with other inmates, 3	
Admitted during the Week,			9	3	2			1		2	17	Total, 36	Total, 3	
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>21</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>1</b>	<b>10</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>141</b>			
Discharged during the Week,			7			1		1			9			
Died,														
Total Discharged and Dead,			7			1		1			9			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			14	17	31	36	1	9	11	13	132			No. at corresponding period last year, 146

TURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 187, 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.
I.							Bt. forwd.						
II.							No. X.						
III.							No. XI.						
IV.							No. XII.						
V.							No. XIII.						
VI.							No. XIV.						
VII.							No. XV.						
VIII.							No. XVI.						
IX.							No. XVII.						
forwd.							TOTAL,						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 187.

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:—

*no meeting Saturday 14<sup>th</sup> September 1872*

*non attendance of Guardians*

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

Galway County

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2693 to No. 2719 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, - - - - - £ " : " : "

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 14 : 11 : 7

And that the Balance on the Account for the Guardians was £ 504 : 15 : 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 Ledgers made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.								
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.						
Mr Hardiman	Adamullivan																		
	Ballycahalan																		
	Beagh																		
	Burnahow																		
	Cahernore																		
	Cappard																		
	Dorus																		
	Lyot																		
	Kilbeacanty																		
	Killinny																		
	Kiltarton																		
Kilthomas																			
Shivarsa																			
																			42 16 1
Micheal Taylor	Adrahan																		
	Castle Taylor																		
	Drumaco																		
	Killeely																		
	Killeenarara																		
	Nahasane																		
Shenanagh																			
																			26 12 11
	Total																		69 9

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £

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, £ 20 s. 14 d. 5

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	20	18	10
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was -	-	2	11 1/2
Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - -	-	3	9
Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -	-	5	1 3/4

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

- 730 lbs of Bread
- 66 1/2 lbs of Meat
- 4 Sheep's heads
- 6 1/4 qts of Milk
- 7/2 Gal of Whiskey
- 5 Doz of Porter

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 1877 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

BY CT.	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.
					Bt. forward				
					No. X.				
					No. XI.				
					No. XII.				
					No. XIII.				
					No. XIV.				
					No. XV.				
					No. XVI.				
					No. XVII.				
					Total,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.	£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.

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



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

Read Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ stating that \_\_\_\_\_

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UNION.

Population in 1861— 20501

Present Net Annual Value,—£43237.19.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14 day of September 1872.

No. 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.	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.	
House	729	127												
Ward Buildings														
Small Workhouse														
Infant Fever Hospital	51	3												
Wards														
<b>Total</b>	<b>780</b>	<b>138</b>												
Remaining on previous Saturday			14	17	31	36		1	9	11	13	132	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital, Total, 36	Inseparate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, Total, 3
Admitted during the Week			1	4	1						1	2	9	
<b>TOTAL</b>			<b>15</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>36</b>		<b>1</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>141</b>		
Discharged during the Week			4	3							1	3	11	
Discharged and Dead			4	3							1	3	11	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE			11	18	32	36		1	8	12	12	130		

URN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 187, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
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IV.							No. XII.						
V.							No. XIII.						
VI.							No. XIV.						
VII.							No. XV.						
VIII.							No. XVI.						
IX.							No. XVII.						
forwd.							TOTAL,						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 21 day of September 1872.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *In. Geoghegan*

Other Guardians:—

*Robt. Hlattey, And<sup>r</sup> Nolan, Arthur Alexander, Rich<sup>d</sup> Molony, Martin Deely, Mich<sup>l</sup> Staunton, George Taylor, Owen Sweeney, In<sup>o</sup> Hallinan, Martin Donohue,*

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2693 to No. 2719 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, - - - - - £ 7 : 11 : 7

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 66 : 5 : 10

And that the Balance on the Account favor the Guardians was £ 438 : 9 : 47

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.					
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
Mr Hardiman	Ardamullivan						2									
	Ballycahalan						11	10								
	Beagh															
	Bunnahore						11	2								
	Cahernore						10									
	Cappard															
	Dorus						8	5	9							
	Port						23	3	11							
	Kilbeacanty															
	Killenny							1	6							
	Kiltartan							1	2	7						
Kilthomas																
Kimara							8	9	2							
													42	16	1	
Mr Taylor	Ardrahan						11	6								
	Castle Taylor						2	13	10							
	Drumacor						9	11	7							
	Killeely						6	5	10							
	Killeenarara						3	8	9							
	Rahasone							19	3							
Shehanagh							3	2	2							
														26	12	11
	Total													69	9	

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





6  
Sundry  
3. Washhouse Invoiced Account. £ s. d.

Etabl. Pat Burke Relieving Officer	3.15.0		
Sanitary do Sanitary Officer	2.10.0	6	5
Etabl. Jimy Hardiman Relief Officer	3.15.0		
Sanitary do Sanitary Officer	2.10.0	6	5
Etabl. James Forrest Superannuation	2.10.0		
Sanitary do do	1.6.8	3	16 8
Eleon & James Slator Returning Officer 1/2 Year		5	
Officer Jimy Hardiman for children at Nurse		3	
Extern Hosp. Ja Slator for Tho Flaherty to S Marks		1	7

*Sundry*  
Debit Washhouse Invoiced Accounts and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.


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

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

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

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

The Master reported the Milk Tests as follows

	Sact.	cream
Pat Neilan	26/-	12/-
J Broderick	26/-	10
E Broderick	26/6	10/2

The Sanitary Officers did not send in Diaries

The Porter requested leave of absence for one day, the Master to do duty.—

Granted

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given hereon 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):—

3379 Govt PLU National School  
Education Office 16 Sep<sup>r</sup> 1872

Sir

We forward for the information of the Board of Guardians the following extract from the District Inspector's report of his visit to the above named School on the 22 Ultimo.

"The pupils are fairly taught in Reading, Writing, Spelling, and Slate Arithmetic, but Mental Arithmetic does not appear to receive that attention which so practical an exercise should receive."

We are Sir

Your obedient servants

The Clerk  
Poor Law Union  
Govt

James Kelly  
W H Newal  
Secretaries

Circular from Poor Law Commissioners 6<sup>th</sup> September 1872 No 129 to inform the Board of Guardians that an act was passed in the last Session of Parliament (35 & 36 Vic cap 89) to amend the Union officers superannuation act of 1865, and the Superintendent Registrar of Births Deaths and Marriages, and the Registrar of same, are to be deemed within the operation of Union officers superannuation act (28 Vic cap 26) and in computing the Salary of any Union officer under the superannuation acts, the amount of the Emoluments of his office on the average of the three years concluded in the last preceding Quarter may be taken into consideration by the Guardians,—

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 - - - - - 6

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

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

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

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

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

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 Board accepted the Tender of Sauncelot Mangan for supplying from the 29<sup>th</sup> Instant to 29<sup>th</sup> Sept 1873, Bread and Bread stuffs as follows.

Bread at 7<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> per 4 lb loaf

Indian Meal at £8.5.0 per ton

Oatmeal at £15 per ton

Wholemeal at £15 per ton

and approved of Patrick Halvey and Michl Molony as Sureties

The Board accepted the Tender of Martin Walsh for supplying the best Beef and Mutton free of coarse parts, and Rounds of Beef free of bone at 6<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> per lb, and Sheepheads at 7<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> each from the 29<sup>th</sup> Sept 1872 to 29<sup>th</sup> Sept 1873, and approved of John Tenny and Patrick Keilaw as Sureties, -

Resolved that Walter Shave Taylor, Robt J Sattay, A Bellew Nolan, Jn Hallinan, Martin Deely, John Groghegan, and Michl Staunton, be appointed with any other Guardian whomay attend to consider the remaining contracts on Wednesday next the 24<sup>th</sup> Inst, at 12 O'clock, and that the parties on this list not present on this day be informed of the day appointed, -

The price of Milk having so considerably increased during the last few years, and the difficulty and uncertainty of obtaining a supply having become so great, this Board consider it would be adviseable for the Commissioners to take into consideration (with a view to future contracts) the propriety of substituting for each class of paupers (except infants and perhaps those partially) a substitute for the milk now in use. - The use of milk in the same abundance in Workhouses would be considered by the Public outside as impossible and absurd, and the Guardians trust at the present low prices of Tea coffee cocoa & the Commissioners will see no difficulty in deciding upon a cheap and suitable substitute, -

Mr Owen Lincery P.L.S. requested permission of the Board for his son (who intends taking out a course of practical Pharmacy under Mr. Mustagh) to attend at the Workhouse and Dispensary, under the supervision of the Apothecary, —  
Sanctioned —

The Estimate for a new Rate was laid before the Board and the following Rates agreed upon viz.

Ardamullion	1.0	Gort	2.3
Ardrahan	.. 9	Kilbeacasty	1.1
Ballycahalan	.. 7	Killeely	1.2
Beagh	1.0	Killeenavara	.. 8
Bunmahow	.. 9	Killinny	1.7
Cahermore	1.4	Kiltinstown	.. 11
Cappard	.. 7	Kilthomas	.. 10
Castle Taylor	.. 11	Kinvara	1.10
Doonis	1.3	Nahasane	.. 10
Drumacoo	1.0	Shehanagh	.. 11

Ordered that William Blake abaker by trade a native of Limerick who was admitted through illness be discharged, as the Doctor states he is able to go home and he has money to pay his fare, —

Ordered that £25 of the balance B<sup>r</sup> on the Interest account with the Treasurer, be transferred to the general account of the Union.

*W. H. Pelham*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 187

(Signed,) \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Union.

Galway County Council Archives

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Gort UNION,  
on Satur day, the 21 day of September 1872. — continued.

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

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

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

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

Galway County Council Archives

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

Ardrahan Dispensary District  
Account of Mr. A. Ireland MD for 1/4 Salary: Amount, £25. 0. 0

Port Dispensary District  
A. Kelly Nolan MD 1/4 Salary 25. 0. 0  
do for Apothecary services 5 months 12. 10. 0  
James W. Mustagh do 1 month 2. 10. 0

Minerva Dispensary District  
Denis Hynes 1/4 Salary 35. 0. 0

*J. O'Sullivan*

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 23 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union for the half-year ended 187, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 187

_____ District.	£
_____ District.	£

Galway County

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ stating that \_\_\_\_\_

Galway County

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

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UNION.

Population in 1861—20501

Present Net Annual Value,—£ 43237.19.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 21 day of September 1872.

Table with columns for 'No. of inmates for which accommodation is provided', 'Able-bodied', 'Aged and infirm persons', 'Boys and Girls', 'Children above 2 and under 5 years of age', 'Children under 2 years of age', 'RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS', and 'OBSERVATIONS'. Includes sub-tables for 'NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS' and 'No. at corresponding period last year, 1871'.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1872, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns for 'Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.', 'Total relieved out of the Workhouse.', 'RELIEF DISTRICT.', 'Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.', 'Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.', and 'Total relieved out of the Workhouse.' Rows include I through IX and a TOTAL row.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 28th day of September 1872.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Patrick C. Spelman
Other Guardians:—
Robt. J. Lattery, Ab. Bellew Nolan, Richd. Molony, Martin Deely,
In. Rochford, Owen Sweeney, In. Hallinan,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2720 to No. 2728 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, - - - - - £ " : " :

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

And that the Balance on the Account *for* the Guardians was £ 435 : 3 : 4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
W. Hardiman	Ardamullivan														
	Ballycahalan														
	Beagh														
	Bunnahow														
	Cahernore														
	Cappad														
	Doorus								8	5	9				
	Gort								23	3	11				
	Kilbeacanty														
	Killinny														
	Kiltaton								1	2	7				
Kiltomas															
Kinvara								8	9	2					
													42	16	1
Richd Taylor	Ardrahan														
	Battle Taylor														
	Drumacor														
	Killeely														
	Killeenavara														
	Kahavane														
Skehanagh								3	2	2					
													26	12	11
	Total												69	9	

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the Week was, £ 18 s. 14 d. 0

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 22 : 19 : 11

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was - - : 3 : -

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - : 3 : 8/4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - : 5 : 8/4

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:—

800 lb. of Bread

1 Sack of Meal

1 do Meal

8 1/2 lb. of Meat

4 Sheep heads

9<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> of Milk

7 gal of Whiskey

5 doz of Porter

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 1877 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

£ s. d.

In money	-	-	-	-	-
In kind	-	-	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-	£	-

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

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

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.
					By forward			
					No. X.			
					No. XI.			
					No. XII.			
					No. XIII.			
					No. XIV.			
					No. XV.			
					No. XVI.			
					No. XVII.			
					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.

Martin Healy for Shoes

4 | 5 | 6

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

2. Establishment Account.

Mrs Walker advertisements

2 | 8

W<sup>m</sup> Daniel brushes

1 | 12

Phil Doyle repairs of clocks

2

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

3. Washhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
S. Mangan for Bread & Meal	20	15	8
Tras Falkner Groceries	56	13	.
Pat <sup>r</sup> Sheahan Soap & Candles	9	3	6

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

Sundry

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
Estate P. Aleslie Medicines for Workhouse	35	14	6
Govt Disp <sup>y</sup> do do Govt Disp <sup>y</sup>	32	0	7
Kinvarra do do do Kinvarra do	22	6	1
Burnals J. Burke Coffins	11	0	
W. & Kennedy Smith Work	10	0	
" Jm Glynn Paint Brushes	3	6	
" Ellen Murphy Eggs for Hosp <sup>l</sup>	1	8	
" J. Slator Postage	1	2	11
Invoice Stephen Carty Salt	7	6	
Elect <sup>r</sup> Railway carriage	3		6

Sundry

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

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

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

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

The Master reported the Milk Tests as follows

	Sact	Cream
P. Neilan	27 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	14
J. Broderick	26 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	9 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
E. Broderick	27 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	11 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>

The Sanitary officers did not send in Diaries

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

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

Circular from Poor Law Commissioners No 135, September 24<sup>th</sup> 1872, in reference to the state of the Potato crop in Ireland, to the increase in the cost of the necessaries of life, and especially in the price of Fuel, and suggesting to the Guardians, to provide against any pressure which it is probable may shortly take place upon the funds, to use sanitary precautions with regard to drainage, cleansing and lime-washing, and for providing sufficient stocks of bedding and clothing—

Circular from B. Banks Esq, No 1, September 25<sup>th</sup> 1872, transmitting a copy of the Local Government Board (Ireland) Act 1872, and stating that the Local Government Board has been established in accordance with the provisions of that Act, and that the <sup>Local</sup> Poor Commission has ceased to exist.—

Letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland No 25,324, 27<sup>th</sup> September 1872, in reference to a resolution of the Guardians of the 21<sup>st</sup> Inst, suggesting to them to take into consideration a suitable substitute in lieu of New Milk to be used by certain classes of the inmates in the Workhouse, the Board state that the Guardians with the advice of their medical officers might be able to devise a suitable substitute, and the Board will be prepared to give their consideration to any change that may be proposed, — it is not advisable that any substitute should be provided in place of Milk for the children and infants in the Workhouse. —

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 3

Ditto disallowed - - - - - "

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 1

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

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

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

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

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 Board accepted the Tenders of the following persons for supplies from 29<sup>th</sup> Instant to 29<sup>th</sup> September 1873.

Stephen Kearty for Salt at 2 1/8 per cwt.

Mary Molony for Tea at 2/- per lb

do Sugar 3 1/2 per cwt

do S Sugar 5 1/2 per lb

do Arrow Root 10 per lb

do Rice 7 1/2 per cwt.

do Pepper 10 per lb

do Soda 3 per lb

do Porter 1/9 per doz small bottles

do Soda Water 2/6 per doz

do Whiskey 16 1/6 per gallon

do Brandy 2 1/6 per bottle

do W Soda 7/- per cwt.

do Starch 4 per lb

do Blue 7/- per lb

Thos Falkner Marsala Wine 16/- per doz

do Port Wine 22/- per doz

The Tenders for clothing and other articles postponed to next Board day.

The Clerk of the Union applied for the usual compensation of £20 for his expenses and services under the Parliamentary Voters Act for the present year.

Granted The Local Government Board requested to sanction same

A. C. Melman

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 \_\_\_\_\_

Port UNION.

Population in 1861—20501

Present Net Annual Value,—£ 43237.19.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 21 day of September 1872.

Table with columns for 'Able-bodied', 'Aged and infirm persons', 'Boys and Girls', 'RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS', and 'OBSERVATIONS'. Includes sub-tables for 'NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS' and 'No. at corresponding period last year, 146'.

TURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1872, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

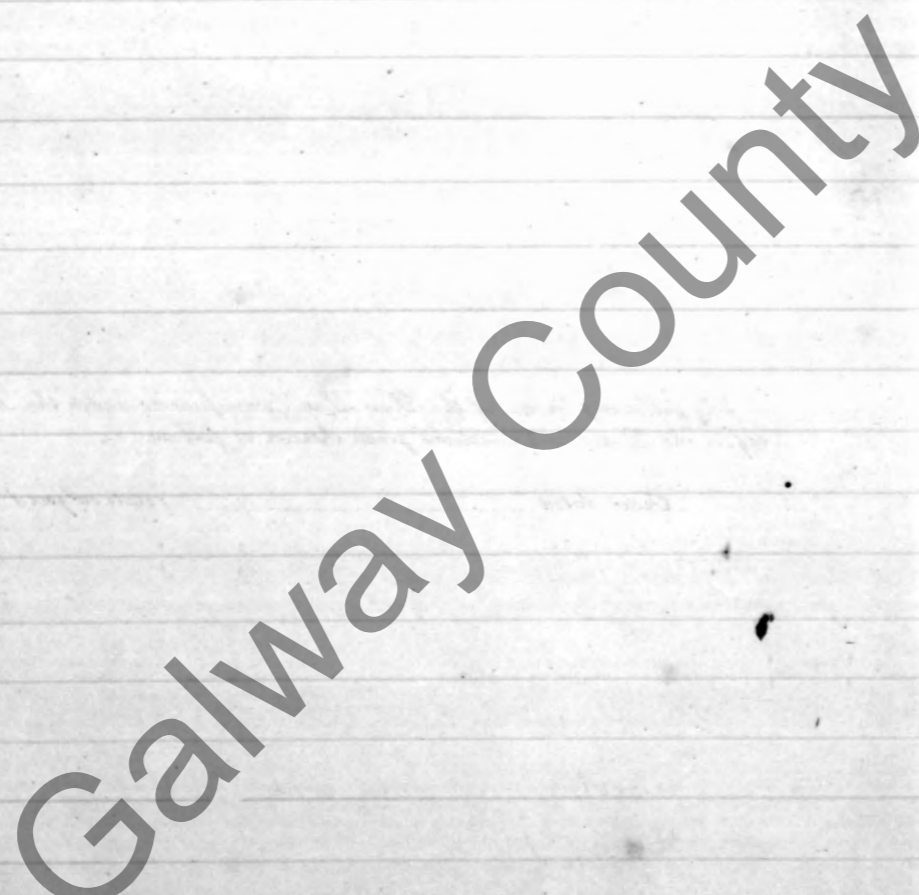
Table with columns for 'RELIEF DISTRICT', 'Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.', 'Total relieved out of the Workhouse.', and 'Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.'.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1872.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Other Guardians:— no meeting, Saturday 5<sup>th</sup> Oct<sup>r</sup> 1872 only two Guardians attended

Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2729 to No. \_\_\_\_\_ both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ 79 : 16 : 8

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 226 : 10 : 8

And that the Balance on the Account *in* favor of the Guardians was £ 288 : 9 : 4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.							
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.					
Mr Hardiman	Ardamullivan																	
	Ballycahalon																	
	Beagh																	
	Bunmahon			7	6													
	Cahermore																	
	Cappard																	
	Dorris		1	14	11													
	Lyot		18	12	8													
	Kilbeacanty																	
	Killinny																	
	Kiltarton			17	8													
Kilthomas																		
Kinvara		2	18	10														
							24	11	7					18	4	6		
Richard Taylor	Ardrahan																	
	Castle Taylor																	
	Drumasson																	
	Killeely																	
	Killeenavara																	
	Kahasane																	
	Keenanagh																	
															26	12	11	
	Total						24	11	7							44	17	5
	Lodged by Clerk of Union transferred from Dist. acct. Master of Workhouse						3	10										
							26											
							26	15	1									

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







The 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 \_\_\_\_\_

Port UNION.

Population in 1861—20501

Present Net Annual Value,—£43237.19.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 5 day of October 1872.

Table with columns for 'Inmates for which accommodation is provided', 'Able-bodied', 'Aged and infirm persons', 'Boys and Girls', 'Children above 2 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', and 'OBSERVATIONS'. Includes rows for 'Remaining on previous Saturday', 'Admitted during the Week', 'Discharged during the Week', 'Total Discharged and Dead', and 'REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE'.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the 12 day of October 1872, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns for 'RELIEF DISTRICT', 'Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.', '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.', and 'Total relieved out of the Workhouse.'. Includes rows for No. I to No. XVII and a 'TOTAL' row.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 12 day of October 1872.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Pat<sup>r</sup> B Spelman  
Other Guardians:—J<sup>r</sup> Rochford Owen Sweeney

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Union.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2729 to No. 2739 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, - - - - - £ : : :

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 154: 19: 8

And that the Balance on the Account favor the Guardians was £ 133: 9: 8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.								
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.						
Thos Hardiman	Ardamullivan																		
	Ballycahalan																		
	Beagh																		
	Bunmahon																		
	Cahermore																		
	Casphair																		
	Dorris																		
	Geet																		
	Kilbeacanty																		
	Killinny																		
	Killarton																		
Killthomas																			
Kinsarra																			
														18	4	6			
Michl Taylor	Ardrahan																		
	Castle Taylor																		
	Drumacoo																		
	Killeely																		
	Killeenavana																		
	Mahasane																		
	Mihanagh																		
															26	12	11		
	Total																44	17	5

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



3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
L. Mangan Bread & Meal to 28 <sup>th</sup> Ult	9	12	3

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

Sundry

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account

	£	s.	d.
Invoice Mary Molony Groceries	12	4	4
Estab <sup>t</sup> . do Sundries for Hospital	3	8	8
Elec <sup>r</sup> . t. J. Slator under Parly voters act	2	0	

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

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

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

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

The Master reported the Milk Tests as follows

	Sact	cream
P Neilan	28 $\frac{1}{2}$	14 $\frac{3}{4}$
M Broderick	26 $\frac{1}{4}$	11 $\frac{3}{4}$
E Broderick	28 $\frac{1}{2}$	15 $\frac{1}{2}$

The Sanitary Officers did not send in Diaries

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

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

Letter from the Local Government Board for Ireland N<sup>o</sup> 196, 2<sup>d</sup> Oct. 1872, observing that no lodgment has been made by collectors during the five weeks ending 21<sup>st</sup> Ult, and requesting to be informed whether the collectors have furnished lists of their arrears. —

Ordered, The collectors to furnish lists of arrears by next Board day, giving names of parties and sums due. —

Letter from same N<sup>o</sup> 460, 4<sup>th</sup> October 1872, approving of the payment of £20, to the Clerk of the Union under the Parliamentary Voters Act.

Letter from Mess<sup>rs</sup> Stalley & Deakin, 12<sup>th</sup> October 1872, praying the Board to release them from the contract for supplying Coals in consequence of the dearth of that article consideration postponed from week to week for other Boards

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 - - -

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

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

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

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

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 Board accepted the Tender of James Harte for supplying Coffins and Shrouds for the Union at 6/6 each all sizes scantlings and materials to be according to advertisement, for 12 Months, -

Walter Shaw Taylor  
Chairman.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Gort UNION,  
on Saturday, the 12 day of October 1872.—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):

*Ardrahan* Dispensary District  
 Account of Mr. *Wm Connolly* for *1/2 year of Dispy* Amount, £3. 10. 0

do *George Taylor* do 3. 10. 0

do *Thos Spelman* do 3. 10. 0

*Kinvara District*

*D Hynes* 1/2 year of Dispy 14. 0. 0

*Walter Shaw Taylor*  
Chairman

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 187, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 187

_____ District.	£
_____ District.	£

Galway County Council

The Board elected the following Post-payers to be Members of the Committee of Management of the following Dispensary District, 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 Committee; namely:—

Dispensary District, No. \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

Read Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ stating that \_\_\_\_\_

Galway County

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Union.

*York* UNION.

Population in 1861—20501

Present Net Annual Value,—£ 43237.19.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 12 day of October 1872.

No. 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.		
House	429															
Temporary Buildings,																
General Workhouse,																
Insane Fever Hospital,	61															
Sheds,																
Total,	780															
Remaining on previous Saturday, per last Return,			10	22	32	37		1	11	13	16	142	In Workhouse Hospital, 31	In separate Wards, 3		
Admitted during the Week,			4	4	2	1					2	13	In Fever Hospital, 2	In Wards with other inmates, 3		
Total,			14	26	34	38		1	11	13	18	155	Total, 33	Total, 3		
Discharged during the Week,			5	1	1							7				
Admitted during the Week,				1								1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			5	2	1							8				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			9	24	33	38		1	11	13	18	147				

TURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the 12 day of October 1872, 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.
I.							Bt. forwd.						
II.							No. X.						
III.							No. XI.						
IV.							No. XII.						
V.							No. XIII.						
VI.							No. XIV.						
VII.							No. XV.						
VIII.							No. XVI.						
IX.							No. XVII.						
forwd.							TOTAL,						

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 19 day of October 1872.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Walter Shawe Taylor*  
Other Guardians:—  
*M. Bellew Nolan Rich<sup>d</sup> Molony Mich<sup>d</sup> Staunton*  
*Martin Deely Jas<sup>o</sup> Rochford Martin Coen*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



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, £ 22 s. 17 d. 2

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was

24 : 17 : 4

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was - - : 3 : -

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - : 4 : 0/4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - : 5 : 10/2

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

940 lb. of Bread  
 6 1/4 lb. of Meat  
 4 Sheep heads  
 7 1/2 qts of Milk  
 7/2 chest of Tea  
 2 b<sup>s</sup> of Sugar  
 7/2 Gal of Whiskey  
 1 doz of Porter  
 4 lb of Pepper  
 2 b<sup>s</sup> of Salt

8 doz of D Candles,  
 4 b<sup>s</sup> of Soap

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 1877 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

£ s. d.

In money. - - - - -  
 In kind. - - - - -  
 Total. - - - - - £

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.		
I.											
II.											
III.											
IV.											
V.											
VI.											
VII.											
VIII.											
IX.											
forwd.											

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.

Gunn & Cameron for advertisements  
 Alex<sup>r</sup>. Thom for Books, &

6 16 .  
 9 9 3

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

## 3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
James Broderick for Milk to 29 Sep	75	3	9
Edw Broderick do do	39	.	6
Pat Neilan do do	57	13	11
Martin Walsh for Meat do	11	1	10

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

4. <sup>Current</sup> Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
L S Mangan for Bread to 5 Oct	8	16	10
James Slator for School requisites	3	.	.

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

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

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

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

The Master Reported the Milk Tests as follows

	Sact	cream
J Broderick	28½	15
E Broderick	26½	15½
P Neilan	29	16

The Sanitary officers did not send in Diaries

The Master reports that on the application of the Relieving officer he sent the Donkey Cart to Jullypa on Sunday last for a patient named Anne Fitzpatrick, who died in the Fever Hospital about three hours after her admission, she was attended in the Workhouse by both Doctor and Priest.—

Mr Hardiman Relieving officer suggested to the Board to provide a covered vehicle for conveyance of sick paupers to the Workhouse, ordered that a covering be made for the afs car. until further consideration of other mode of conveyance for the paupers.—

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 - - - - - 5

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

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

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

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

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

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.)

Messrs. Hardiman and Taylor Rate Collectors applied for an increase of poundage for collecting the Rates

Postponed for further consideration

Doctor Nolan applied for four days leave of absence he having arranged with D. Grose & W. Mustagh for the performance of his duties

Granted

The Board accepted Tenders for the following contracts to the 29<sup>th</sup> September next. -

Robert Glynn for Blankets theight 6 lbs nice at 12<sup>o</sup> per pair

do for Hessian Ticking at 10<sup>o</sup> per Yard

do for Shirting Calico at 6<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> per Yard

do for Lining do at 5<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> per Yard

J<sup>r</sup> B Kennedy for Linsey Woolsey at 1<sup>1</sup>/<sub>5</sub> per Yard

do for Bengal Stripes No 28 at 7<sup>o</sup> per Yard

John Subreith

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

UNION.

Population in 1861—20501

Present Net Annual Value,—£

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 19 day of October 1872.

Table with columns: Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided, No. that can be accommodated in each building, Total No. in each building on the above date, Able-bodied (Males, Fem.), Aged and infirm persons, Boys and Girls, Children above 5 and under 9 years of age, Children above 2 and under 5 years of age, Infants under 2 years of age, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS, OBSERVATIONS.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1872, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1., Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1., Number of cases, Total relieved out of the Workhouse, RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1., Number of cases, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1., Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her, Total relieved out of the Workhouse, Cases, Persons.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 26th day of October 1872.

PRESENT: In the Chair,

James Galbraith

Other Guardians:—

D<sup>r</sup> Brodie P.L.I.

Rob<sup>t</sup> Lattery Rich<sup>d</sup> Molony Martin Deely J<sup>r</sup> Rochford Martin Coen

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2753 to No. 2759 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, - - - - - £ 23 : 13 : 6

Baid during the week, - - - - - £ 135 : 3 : 9

And that the Balance on the Account *in* favor of the Guardians was £ 12 : 7 : 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 Ledgers made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.					
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
Thos Hardiman	Ardamullivan															
	Ballycahalan															
	Beagh															
	Burnahow															
	Cahernore															
	Cappan															
	Doonus								6	10	10					
	Gort								4	11	3					
	Hilbeacanty															
	Killinny															
	Killarton															
Killthomas																
Kilwarra											5	10	4			
													18	4	6	
Michl Taylor	Ardahan		8	10												
	Castle Taylor	2	13	10												
	Drumacoo	8	5	6												
	Killeely	5	16	9												
	Killeenavara	3	2	3												
	Rahasane		19	3												
	Skerranagh	2	7	1												
					23	13	6							2	19	5
	Total				23	13	6							21	3	11

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





3. Washhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
S. Mangan for Bread & Meal to 12 Inst.	9	4	5

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

Sundry  
4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
Clothing Martin Fox for Straw	17.11		
Estab. In Corcoran Sweeping Chimney	12.0		
Elect J. Harte for Coffin out door	6.6	1	6 5

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

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

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

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

The Master reported the Milk Tests as follows

	Lact.	Cream
J Broderick	28	16
& Broderick	27 1/2	14 1/2
P Neilan	29 1/4	15 1/4

The Sanitary officers did not send in Diaries

The Master informed the Board that for the last three weeks the Milk contractors have been deficient in their supplies, and he had to use Tea for the Inmates. —

Ordered that 3/4 lb of Butter be used with each Gallon of Tea, the extra cost to be charged to Contractors. —

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

The number of Provisional Admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 10

Ditto disallowed " "

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was " "

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

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

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

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

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

Ordered that the master make enquiry from carpenters as to the cost of a van for the conveyance of the sick poor to the Workhouse, to be on springs and properly covered. -

The following contracts were accepted to 29 September 1873. -

Robert Glynn for cheque at 7<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> per yard  
do Shauls at 7<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> each

The Rate Books were this day signed for the new Rates adopted on the 21 Ultimo. - amount £2519.1.7. -

The following arrears of last Rates were this day canceled being due on the Convent at Gort, and unoccupied houses. -

Cahermore	£ 10.0	Killinny	£ 1.6
Doorus	10	Kiltarton	4
Gort	4.11.3	Kinvara	1.3.7

I will move on this day fortnight that the poundage of our Rate collectors be increased from 6 to 9 in the £  
Oct 26 1872 John Rochford

I will move on this day week that Bridget & Sarah Maher get clothes to enable them to leave the Workhouse  
Oct 26 1872 Martin Deely

R. H. Spelman

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

Read Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ stating that \_\_\_\_\_

Galway County

(Signed,)

Clock of the Union.

Port UNION.

Population in 1861—20501

Present Net Annual Value,—£ 43254. 0. 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26<sup>th</sup> day of October 1872.

Table with columns for accommodation, age groups, and return of sick and lunatics. Includes sub-tables for Night Lodgers or Casuals and Observations.

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended SATURDAY, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 187, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Table with columns for Relief District, Number of cases, and Total relieved out of the Workhouse. Includes rows for districts I through IX and a total row.

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of November 1872.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Pat<sup>r</sup> C Spelman Other Guardians:—

Rob<sup>t</sup> J Lattery, Mich<sup>l</sup> Staunton, In<sup>o</sup> Rochford, Martin Deely, Dan<sup>l</sup> Georgegan, Owen Sweeney, —

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2760 to No. 2764 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, - - - - £ 4 : 1 : 3

Paid during the week, - - - - £ 176 : 4 : 7

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 159 : 16 : 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total Remaining			Remaining canceled			Total Remaining			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Thos Hardiman	Ardamullivan						2							2
	Ballycahan				11	10								11 10
	Beagh													
	Bunnahow				3	8								3 8
	Cahernore				10				10					
	Cahernard													
	Doorus				6	10	10			10				6 10
	Lyork				4	11	3			4 11 3				
	Kilbeacanty													
	Kilhinny					1	6			1 6				
	Kiltarton					4	11			4				4 7
	Kilthomas													
Kinvara		4	1	3	1	9	1		1 3 7				5 6	
		4	1	3	14	3	3		6 7 6				7 15 9	
Michl Taylor	Adrahan						2 8							2 8
	Battle Taylor													
	Drumacor				1	6	1							1 6 1
	Killeely					9	1							9 1
	Killeenarara					6	6							6 6
	Rahasane													
	Shehanagh					15	1							15 1
					2	19	5						2 19 5	
	Total	4	1	3	17	2	8		6 7 6				19 15 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, £ 18 s. 8 d. 9

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was

24 : 17 : 6

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the Week was - - : 3 : 1

Average Cost in Infirmary, - - - - - : 3 : 11/2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - : 4 : 7/2

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:—

- 970 lbs of Bread
- 640 qts of Milk
- 83 lbs of Meat
- 4 Sheep's heads
- 1/2 Gal of Whiskey
- 4 doz of Porter

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 1877 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

£ s. d.

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

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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. forw.					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.

PH Sheahan for clothing

7 | 5 | 3

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.

