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Galway County Council

**Loughrea Poor Law Union**  
**Board of Guardian Minutes**

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**23 Sept 1854 – 3 Mar 1855**

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**MINUTE  
BOOK**

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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.*



DUBLIN:

ALEXANDER THOM & SONS, PRINTERS AND PUBLISHERS, 87 & 88, ABBEY-STREET,

OF WHOM MAY BE HAD

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

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Population in 1851, *38,698*

Present Net Annual Value, £ *57,040. 15.*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 185

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.										RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.			OBSERVATIONS.	
			Able-bodied.		Males.		Fem.		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.	Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.									
Workhouse, . . . . .	<i>1000</i>	<i>335</i>															
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	<i>100</i>	<i>28</i>															
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																	
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .																	
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																	
<b>Total, . . . . .</b>	<b><i>1100</i></b>	<b><i>343</i></b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			<i>14</i>	<i>54</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>80</i>	<i>113</i>	<i>46</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>386</i>	In Workhouse Hospital, <i>47</i>	In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital, with other inmates, . . . . .			
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			<i>4</i>	<i>5</i>							<i>4</i>	<i>13</i>					
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b><i>18</i></b>	<b><i>59</i></b>	<b><i>12</i></b>	<b><i>25</i></b>	<b><i>80</i></b>	<b><i>113</i></b>	<b><i>46</i></b>	<b><i>16</i></b>	<b><i>20</i></b>	<b><i>399</i></b>	<b><i>47</i></b>	<b>Total, . . . . .</b>			
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			<i>3</i>	<i>5</i>			<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>16</i>					
Died, . . . . .																	
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			<i>3</i>	<i>5</i>			<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>16</i>					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			<i>15</i>	<i>54</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>79</i>	<i>111</i>	<i>45</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>383</i>					

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Saturday* the *23<sup>rd</sup>* day of *September* 185 *14*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Sad Cunsandle*

Other Guardians: *The Marquis of Clanrickard, James Conyngham Esq, Messrs G. J. Kelly, J. H. Blake, J. J. Tophill, Colophon Kerrell, O'Leary W. Rogers, J. Rogers, Hensworth, Faly, Conroy, Taylor, Burton Peppé, Burton R. P. Peppé, Carey and J. W. St Lambert*

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

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

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 297 to No. 307, 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, - - - - - £2. 16. 0

Paid during the week, - - - - - £9. 11. 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £676. 4. 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 Peates 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.	
Tinn Cragion	Lille							1	3	3/4				
	Kilconick							7	7	4/2				
	Lackan							1	18	4				
	Cashel							6	12	9				
	Quynsaur							6	6	2/2				
	Kilchreest							6	8					
	Longford							157	11	1/4				
Benj <sup>n</sup> Smyth	Mountain							1	6	9	17	12	10 1/2	
	Killimor							1	3	1/2				
	Grange							2	18	10 1/2				
	Greenhill							2	5	8 1/2				
	Lyaginn							7	11	1				
	Athenry							22	18	9 1/4				
	Craiguelley							1	-	6 1/2				
	Colmanstown							"	"	"	2	10	0 1/2	
	Garrett Burke	Marble Hill							18	3 1/2				
		Grumleary							1	4	11			
Loughalrick								"	"	"				
Woodford								11	5	9 1/2				
Ballingar								5	15	11	14	4	11	
Nicholas Simsky		Kilgulleen	2		4				3	3	5			
		Moyoke							8	5	5 1/2			
	Raford	1	3	8				7	10 1/2					
	Orangehall	16	4		4	4		6	13	2 1/2	10	7	1/2	
	Patrick Kelleghy	Bullane							"	"	"			
Kilmee								4	4	7 1/2				
Kilbrulle								2	8	1 1/2	6	11	1/2	
John Birmingham	Kilconinon							"	"	"				
	Kilshra							"	"	"				
	Cappalun							9	3					
John Bislane	Clontarf							1	5 1/2		10	8 1/2		
	Drachlagh							1	13	1 1/2				
	Leitrim							"	"	"				
	Killeshil							1	7 1/2		1	10	2 1/2	
								11	4		21	3	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 £ 13. 4 s. 5 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 26. 16. 1<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2. 4

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - "

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

Bread	600 lb
Meat	63 "
Indian meal	20 cut
Oatmeal	10 "
Sweet milk	1000 qt
Tea	3 lb
Sugar	14
Rye meal	20 cut
Barley meal	20 "
Mould gaudles	2 lb

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

	£	s.	d.
William Ford mill,	10	10	6
Laurence Ford do	10	1	8
John Glinn do	9	12	9
William Power do	7	2	7
	37	8	5

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

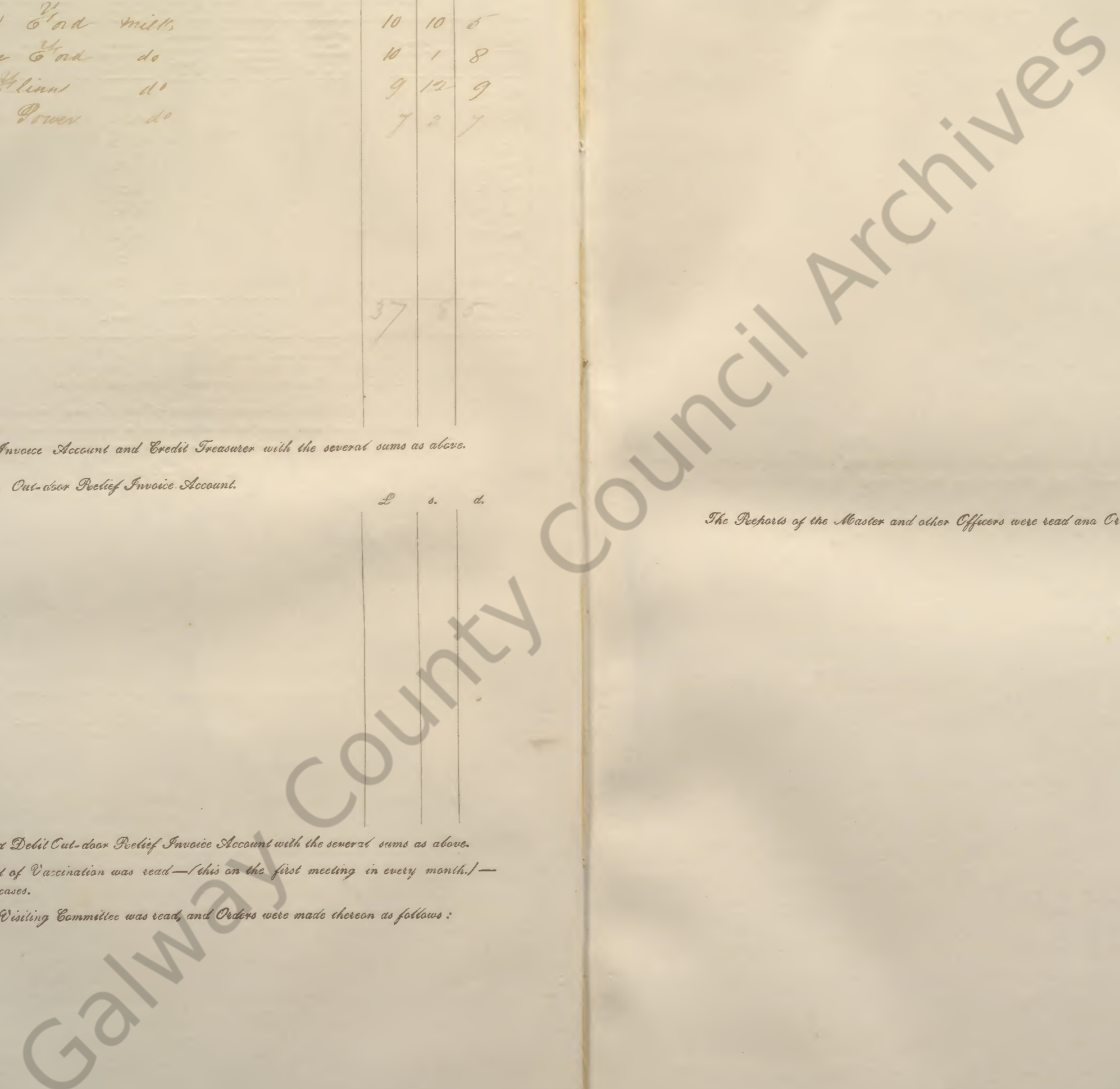
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Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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:

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



3. Workhouse Invoice Account

	£	s.	d.
William Ford mill	10	10	5
Laurence Ford do	10	1	8
John Glenn do	9	12	9
William Power do	7	2	7
	37	8	5

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

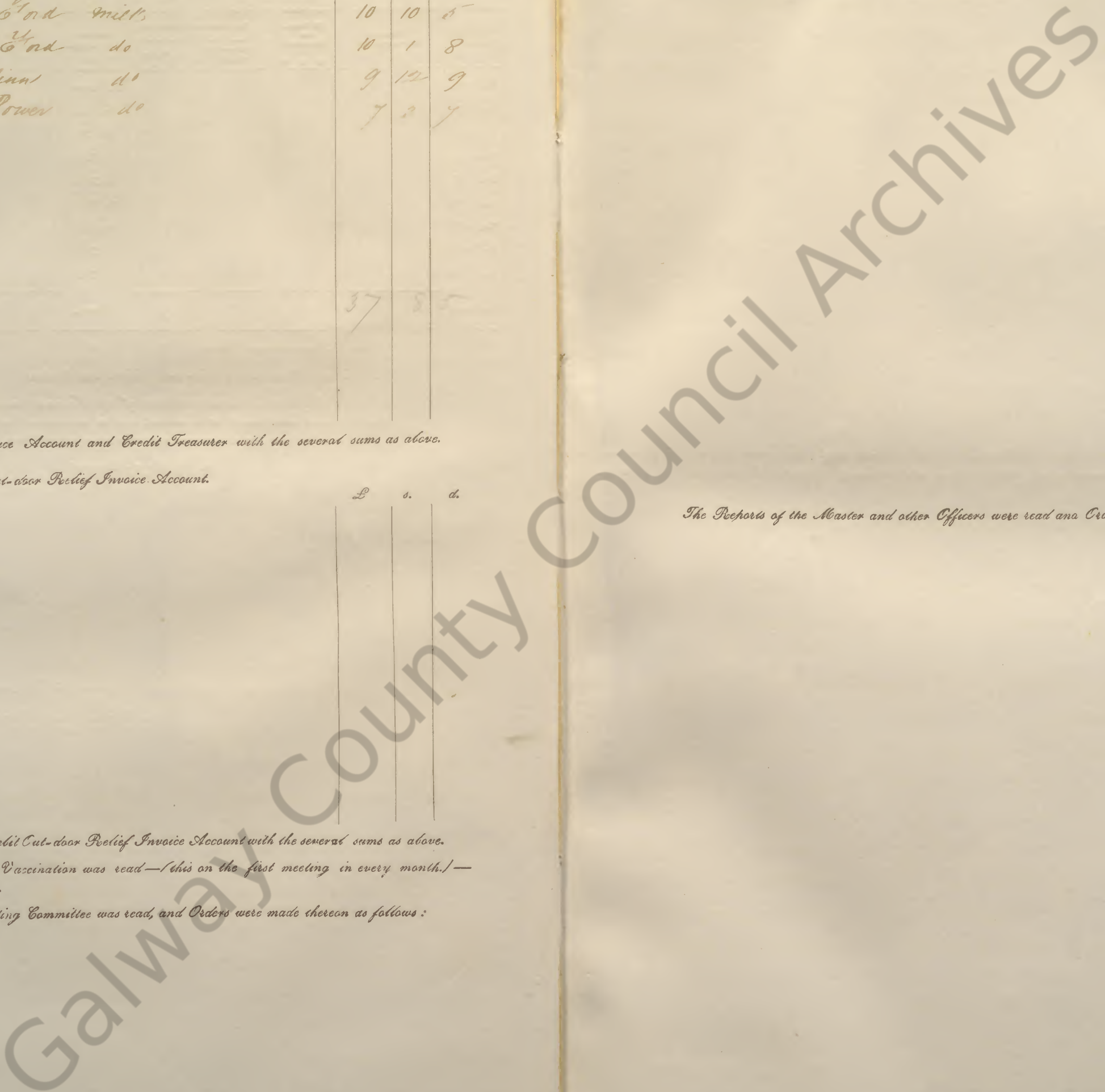
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Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

Sealed Order N<sup>o</sup> 30143 dated 21<sup>st</sup> Septer  
 sanctioning expenditure of £2.10.0 in defraying  
 the expenses of the Reynolds; to America chargeable  
 to the electoral division of Hillmead

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 N<sup>o</sup> 31346 dated 22<sup>nd</sup> Septer  
 enclosing queries list to be returned with  
 particulars respecting Mary Lynch whom the  
 Guardians propose assisting to emigrate

The following tenders were accepted by the Guardians  
 for six months

Patrick McFarthy	Tea @ 2 <sup>10</sup> / <sub>10</sub> lb	Whiskey @ 5 <sup>10</sup> / <sub>10</sub> gal
	Port Wine @ 24 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> doz	Grocer @ 3 <sup>10</sup> / <sub>10</sub> doz
Mark Whelan	Sugar @ 34 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> lb	pepper @ 11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> lb
Patrick Davy	Candles @ 7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> lb	Mould do @ 8 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> lb
	Black L <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> blue 7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> & Washing soda 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> lb	
	White soap @ 36 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> lb	Brown soap @ 35 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> lb
Joseph Hanigan	nails @ half prices	shoe nails @ 1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> lb 1000

The consideration of the tenders for provisions was  
 postponed in consequence of their being considered too high  
 until this day month, as was also the tenders for clothing &c  
 New advertisements to be used

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	-	-
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	-

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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*J. H. Bennett*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the  
30<sup>th</sup> day of *Sept* 1854.

(Signed) *Philip M. M...*  
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 Loughrea

UNION, on Saturday, the 29<sup>th</sup> day of September 1854,  
—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:

The Board of Guardians, with a view of meeting  
the Commissioners wishes and the convenience of the sick,  
poor have reconstructed the medical districts of the  
Loughrea Union, and as nearly as possible equalised the  
duties and salaries of the medical officers in a way  
which they trust will meet with the Commissioners'  
approbation and which they expect will have removed  
all cause of complaint.

In making this new arrangement the Guardians have  
maturely considered the extent, and population, of the  
respective districts (the details of which are annexed) which  
their local knowledge of the districts has enabled them to do, and they are  
convinced that no better arrangement could be made.

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 has 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 arrangements of the districts are as follows—

No. of District	Area	Population	Population
No 1. Loughrea dist.	Loughrea	7599	7404
	Kilcennishnew	3865	1044
	Kilchrone	3818	1046
	Castletroy	6120	663
	Kilgilleen	6236	1134
		<u>29638</u>	<u>11296</u>
			14416



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:)

*No 2* Bullane Dispensary District

Account of Mr.	for	Amount £
Bullane	2386	680 987
Lackan	2060	2711 1229
Inanga	8753	10921 2921
Rahad	3882	521 1356
Alconnon	1819	774 2122
Almon	7143	1051 3227
Kilostree	2104	726 1441
Mountain	5000	681 881
Hill	7003	916 1465
Kilbrack	5050	967 2250
	<u>55810</u>	<u>7854 17939</u>

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

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

*No 3* Athens District

District	£
Athens	2765 2421
Kiltalla	1263 1832
Moyode	409 1162
Colmanstown	355 604
Graigieabbey	593 889
Vyaginn	858 984
Greethill	681 1357
Cappalusk	1327 1900
Clonkeen	823 949
Killimore	1051 1305
Cranghwell	1336 2150
	<u>56426 11461 15613</u>

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

*No 4* Woodford Dispensary District

Mr.	of	population	valuation
Woodford		5806	1405 500
Loughalewilly		4500	414 156
Ballingar		5733	972 1138
Berrysdale		10068	538 275
Bannkerry		5932	1347 1059
Manbistien		8806	1214 1129
Cracknagh		6762	1304 2700
Britain		4273	793 1750
		<u>56940</u>	<u>8087 9660</u>

*No 1*—The Loughrea district as at present constituted, by the detachment of the Loughrea medical divisions originally included in its sub-district, is made much smaller in extent, while the population which appears to be large resides almost entirely in the town of Loughrea where the medical officer resides, the dispensary in the town is in consequence considered sufficient now, as it has always been for the wants and conveniences of the seats of the district and the medical officer will only have to attend another depot at Kilcross, three miles distant from Loughrea.

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,)

*No 2*—The district marked *No 2* and called the Bullane district is composed of the divisions detached from the three original districts of the Union and forms a compact and convenient district as now arranged, it will be taken charge of by G. Underwood and will be provided with three depots for dispensing medical relief, to all of which that medical officer has agreed to attend at the salary now fixed namely £45 per annum

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

No 3 The Athorney district, like Longhrea, has been reopened in extent by the detachments of the divisions complained of by the medical officer as giving him by their distance from his residence an undue amount of labor, the population too, like Longhrea is principally resident at Arbury where the medical officer resides, - by the removal of these divisions from this district, the depot at Oubunside which is within a mile of the Bullane depot will be now abolished, and consequently the duties as well as the district of the medical officer much diminished.

No 4 The portion of the Woodford district, which on account of its being so mountainous and remote from the medical officers residence was the cause of the guardians giving Dr Blackton a larger salary than the other medical officers, having by the present arrangement been added to the Bullane district, and his district being thus so much diminished, and with a much smaller population, the guardians do not now consider him entitled to the same amount of salary and have reduced it to £65 the same as the other medical officers receive of annum.

By these new arrangements the following are the dispensary districts as now constituted with their medical officers & salaries, *qual*

No 1	Longhrea district	Dr Clau Med <sup>o</sup> off <sup>r</sup>	£ 65 of annum
No 2	Bullane	Dr Andrewood "	£ 65
No 3	Athorney	Dr Egar "	£ 65
No 4	Woodford	Dr Blackton	£ 65

(Signed) *Rich<sup>d</sup> Harrison*  
*Thos. Harrison*

Clerk of the Union.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 20<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 1854.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Workhouse, . . . . .	107	350													
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	150	22													
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .															
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .															
Fever Sheds, . . . . .															
<b>Total, . . . . .</b>		<b>1100</b>	<b>372</b>												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			15	54	12	25	79	111	45	15	27	389			
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			1	4							3	8			
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>16</b>	<b>58</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>111</b>	<b>45</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>397</b>			
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			2	4			2	4	2		3	17			
Died, . . . . .			1								1	2			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			3	4			2	4	2		4	19			
<b>REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .</b>			<b>13</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>107</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>372</b>			

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 30<sup>th</sup> day of September 1854

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

No guardians being in attendance up to two o'clock the time for holding the ordinary meeting is expired

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

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

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ 20 . 2 . 10

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 20 . 4 . 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 6 7 6 . 3 . 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
John Cogger	Alles							1	3	2 1/2				
	St. Ann's							7	7	4 1/2				
	Laithley							1	11	4				
	Castellary							5	12	4				
	Portlaur							6	6	2 1/2				
	St. Michael's							6	8					
	Loughrea	30	7					124	4	6 1/2				
	Mountain				20	7		1	6	7	145	0	10 1/2	
	Benjamin Smith	St. Martin							1	3	6 1/2			
		Grange							2	10	10 1/4			
St. John's								2	5	8 1/2				
Cyprus								7	11	1				
Athony								22	10	9 1/2				
Grange								1	1	1 1/2				
St. Mary's											77	11	6 1/2	
St. Michael's								18	8	5 1/2				
St. Mary's								1	4	11				
St. John's								11	5	1 1/2				
Garrett Banks	Ballinggar							5	15	11	14	4	11	
	St. Michael's							3	3	5				
	St. John's							8	5	0 1/2				
	St. John's							7	10	1/2				
Nicholas Linstock	St. Michael's							6	15	2 1/2	18	4	1 1/2	
	St. John's							4	4	7 1/2				
	St. Michael's							2	8	1 1/2	5	12	1/2	
Patrick Hickey	St. Michael's									1/2				
	St. John's													
	St. Michael's													
John Birmingham	St. Michael's													
	St. John's													
	St. Michael's													
John Pristan	St. Michael's													
	St. John's													
	St. Michael's													

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 £ 12 . 3 . 5 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ 2 . 17 . 6

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - 3 . 11 . 11 1/2 . 17 . 3 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2 . 4

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -

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

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

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

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

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

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

Total, -

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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



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

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

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	-	-
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	-

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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*Pat. Merrick*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the  
7<sup>th</sup> day of *October* 1854.

(Signed) *[Signature]*  
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 Southwest  
UNION, on Saturday, the 25<sup>th</sup> day of Sept<sup>r</sup> 1854,  
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Galway County

(Signed)

*Wm. J. McEwen*  
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851, 38,692

Present Net Annual Value, £57,640.15

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30<sup>th</sup> day of *Sept* 1854.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse, . . . . .	1000	330													
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	100	70													
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .															
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .															
Fever Sheds, . . . . .															
Total, . . . . .	1100	399													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			12	34	12	25	71	107	11	15	26	372	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital, Total, 53	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, Total, 53	
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .				2			1				2	5			
TOTAL, . . . . .			13	56	12	25	70	107	11	15	28	377			
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			2	6		3	2	1	1		3	18			
Died, . . . . .															
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			2	6		3	2	1	1		3	18			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			11	50	12	22	74	106	12	15	25	359			

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Saturday* the 7<sup>th</sup> day of *October* 1854

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

*Owing to the guardians being attending the fair of Ballinascree and the Clerk at the revision Court at Tuam there was no meeting today*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

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

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £23. 4. 0

Paid during the week, - - - - - £10. 1. 8

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £89. 5. 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 53 . 13 s. 2 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - 26 - 17 - 6 De. 9. 5 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 2 3 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -

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

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

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

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

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

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

Total, -

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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

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The following Orders of the 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:)

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	-	-
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	-

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the  
*14* day of *October* 1854.

(Signed) *W. H. ...*  
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 Sanctuary  
UNION, on Wednesday, the 7<sup>th</sup> day of Oct 1851,  
—continued.

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

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

*No meeting of the Board*

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

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

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

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

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]  
An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185\_\_\_\_, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185\_\_\_\_.

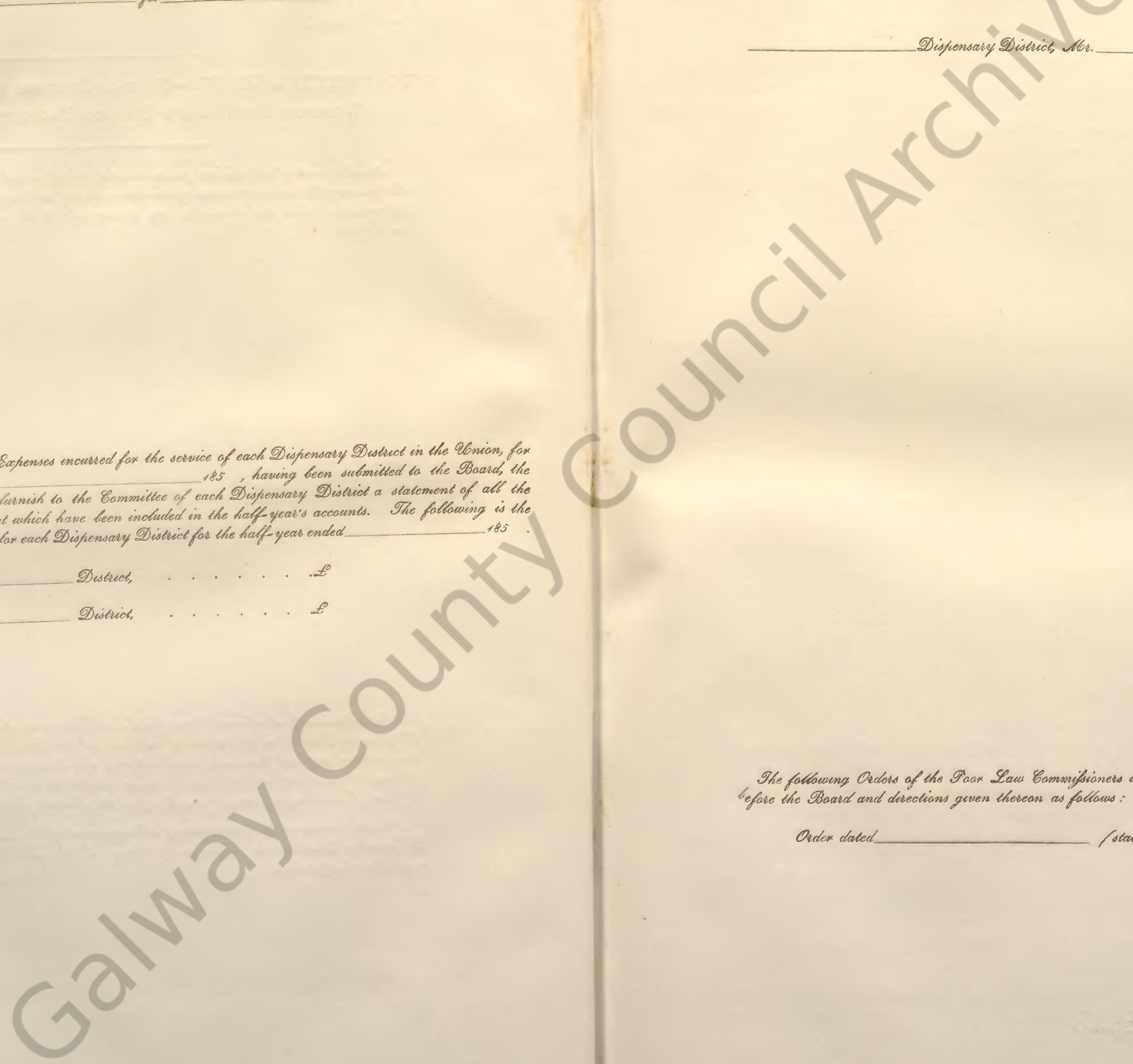
\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £  
\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £

[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 Poate-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 \_\_\_\_\_

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(Signed)

*[Signature]*  
Clerk of the Union.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of October 1854

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 16 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Workhouse, . . . . .	1000	354													
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	150	50													
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .															
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .															
Fever Sheds, . . . . .															
Total, . . . . .	1150	354													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			11	10	12	22	76	106	42	15	25	307	In Work-house Hospital, . . . . .	In separate Wards, . . . . .	
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			3	5								9	In Fever Hospital, . . . . .	In Wards with other Inmates, . . . . .	
TOTAL, . . . . .			14	55	12	22	76	106	42	15	26	368	Total, . . . . .	Total, . . . . .	
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .				1				7				8			
Died, . . . . .						1						1			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .				1		1		7				9			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			14	54	12	21	76	99	42	15	26	359			

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 14<sup>th</sup> day of October 1854

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians: In consequence of the fair of Aughinish being held this day there was not a sufficient number of Guardians in attendance to constitute a Board.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. \_\_\_\_\_ 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, - - - - - £ - - -

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

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* of the Guardians was - £ *689 17*

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.

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 £ 114 s. 11d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 26.5.9<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1.4<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2.3

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -

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



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

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

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

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

£ s. d.

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

Total, -

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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



3. Workhouse Invoice Account

£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

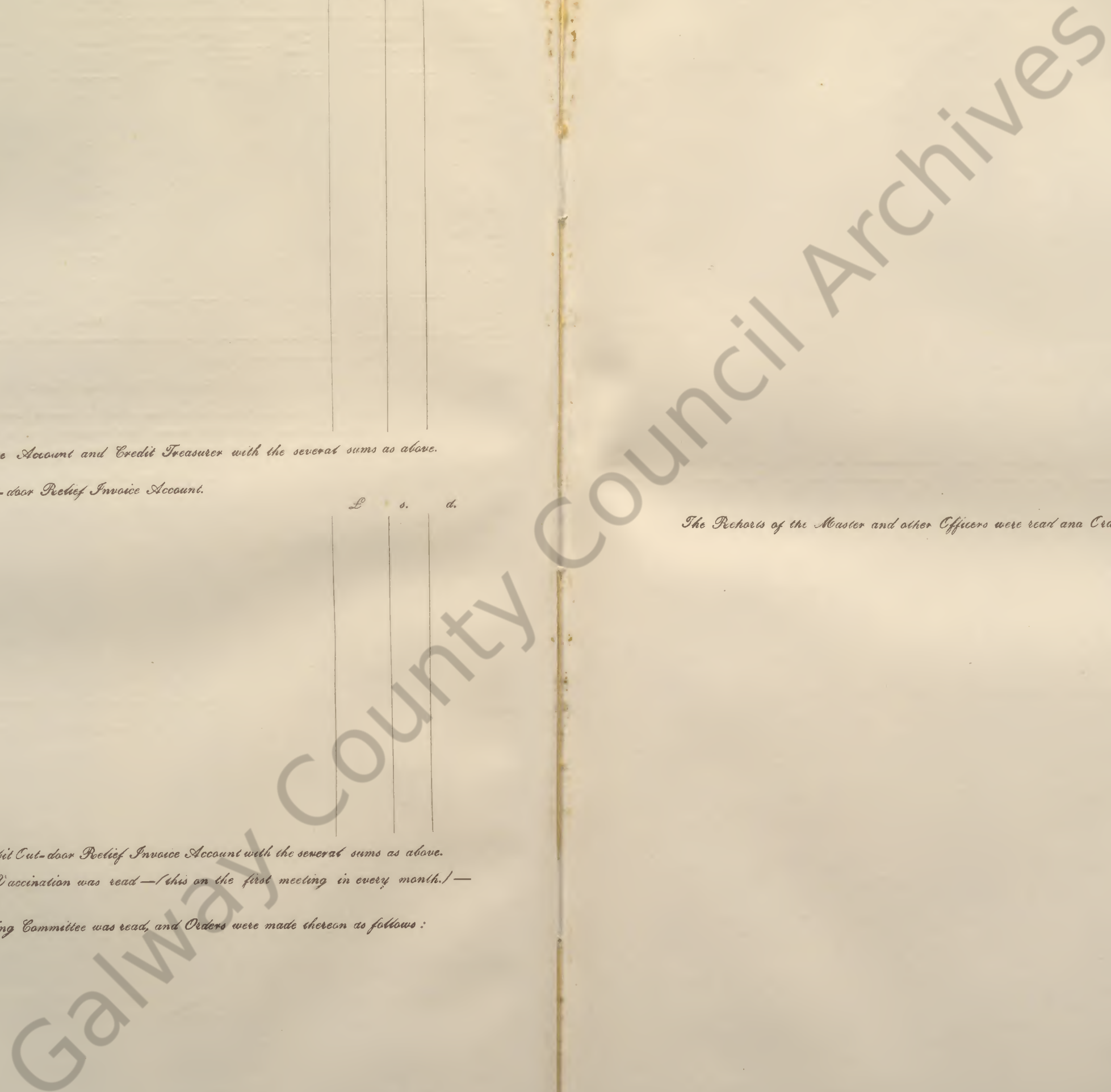
£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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



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

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

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	-	-
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	-

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the  
*21<sup>st</sup>* day of *April* 185*4*.

(Signed) *Philip Morris*  
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 Supercas  
UNION, on Satur day, the 4<sup>th</sup> day of Oct 1854  
—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:

*No meeting*

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 has forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical  
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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)

*[Handwritten Signature]*

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851, 28,698

Present Net Annual Value, £ 37,040.15.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of October 1854.

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.						Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.			Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.		
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	No. of Lunatics in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.								
Workhouse, . . . . .	1000	330																	
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	100	25																	
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																			
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .																			
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																			
Total, . . . . .	1100	355																	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			14	54	12	21	76	99	42	15	26	309	In Work-house Hospital, . . . . .	In separate Wards, . . . . .					
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			1	4								2	In Fever Hospital, . . . . .	In Wards with other Inmates, . . . . .					
TOTAL, . . . . .			15	58	12	21	76	99	42	15	28	311	Total, . . . . .	Total, . . . . .				Pomigo. 17	
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			2	2			1	3			2	10						Note, - 1 of class 4 (boys) has been changed to class 11 and 2 of class 6 changed to class 5	
Died, . . . . .										1		1							
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			2	2			1	3		1		2	10						
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			14	56	12	21	74	96	43	13	26	355							

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 21<sup>st</sup> day of October 1854

PRESENT: In the Chair, Patrick Skerrett Esquire  
 Other Guardians: Messrs J. Rogers, W. Rogers, Edw Howe Burke, Thomas Burke & James Furlong

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.



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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 308 to No. 334, 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, - - - - - £ 9 . 12 . 9

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 79 . 12 . 10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
A. J. G. G. G.	Kille							1	3	2 1/2					
	Kilcomiskey							7	7	4 1/2					
	Lacka							1	18	4					
	Loughbeg							6	12	9					
	Geoghegan							6	6	2 1/2					
	Milckrest									6	8				
	Longhrea							121	4	6 1/2					
	Mountain							1	6	9	100	5	1/2		
	Benjamin Smith	Killinor							1	13	6 1/2				
		Grange							2	18	10 1/2				
Greeshill								2	8	8 1/2					
Lyagiu								7	11	1					
Ashery								22	18	9 1/2					
Graiguesabbey								1	1	6 1/2					
Colmanstown											37	11	1/2		
Garrett Parke		Marble Hill									18	3 1/2			
		Drumkeary							1	4	11				
		Loughatnick													
	Worford							11	5	9 1/2					
	Ballingar							5	15	11	19	4	1/2		
	Nicholas Linskey	Kilragilleen							3	3	5				
		Mayode							8	5	0 1/2				
		Rafnd									7	10 1/2			
		Granghewell							6	13	2 1/2	11	11	1/2	
		Patrick J. Kelly	Kullane												
Kilmeas									4	4	7 1/2				
Kilreekle									2	8	1 1/2	6	13	1/2	
John Birmingham			Kilconinora												
			Kiltalla												
			Capulush									4	3		
	Clonkeen										1	5 1/2		1	
	John Bristol		Braethaghl							1	13	1 1/2			
			Lethin												
			Killea Hill							1	7	1/2	1	14	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 £ 12 . 17 s. 3 1/4 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 26 . 8 . 2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 2 . 2 1/4

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -

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

Bread	64 0 lbs
Meat	64 "
Indian Meal	20 cwt
Sweet Mills	10 00 lbs
Tea	2 lbs
Sugar	14 "
Flour	14 "
Rice	112 "
Candles	7 "
Soap	112 "
Mould Candles	2 "

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

## 3. Workhouse Invoice Account

The Master for the purchase of meal

£	s.	d.
11	-	-

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:

In consequence of the absence of the Clerk at the Parliamentary Revision Court at Ballinacree, his duties were performed during the meeting of the Board by the Master.

Advertisements were directed to be issued for tenders to contract for supplies not already contracted for

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

The rats on the Workhouse farm was sold by auction on the 23<sup>rd</sup> ultimo the amount of the sale was £36-2-0 the quantity of land under that crop being very little over three acres.

The sale of the barley has been postponed, there being no bidders in attendance as the price of that grain was not well established at the time.

I have lodged in the Bank to the credit of the main £23-4-0 part of the proceeds of the above sale and placed the receipt in the hands of the Clerk.

There is a quantity of about 2000 heads of cabbage on the farm over what it would suppose necessary for the use of the Establishment and which could be disposed of.

There are about fifteen schoolgirls who are now fully instructed in reading writing arithmetic &c and who from their size and residence in the house could be transferred to class 2.

They are much required in doing the business of the house, there being no abbodied but the nurses.

The schoolmistress is ill and confined to her bed since the 15<sup>th</sup> inst the Matron has taken charge of the children.

Ordered, — The Barley to be advertised for sale on the 28<sup>th</sup> inst & orders on the other subjects of report, postponed to next meeting.

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

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

Circular N<sup>o</sup> 411 dated 2<sup>nd</sup> October

Requiring returns of current rates

Circular N<sup>o</sup> 408 dated 2<sup>nd</sup> Oct<sup>r</sup>

Calling for returns of payments on account of first instalment of annuities during the month of Sept<sup>r</sup>

Circular N<sup>o</sup> 409 dated 2<sup>nd</sup> Oct<sup>r</sup>

Requiring like particulars on account of 2<sup>nd</sup> instalment

Circular N<sup>o</sup> 424 dated 13<sup>th</sup> October

Enclosing two copies of enlarged edition of collectors manual, copies of which the Commissioners consider desirable should be procured for each collector

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 32270 dated 22<sup>nd</sup> Sept<sup>r</sup>

Enquiring who is to take charge of a young girl named Mary Lynch a list of particulars of whom the comm<sup>r</sup> have received, as being about to be assisted to emigrate

The girl has been taken charge of by a family who were emigrating to whom she was known, and who were considered proper guardians for her on her voyage

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 32225 dated 16<sup>th</sup> October 1857  
Requesting the guardians will take the necessary steps to effect the immediate closing of the collection of the present rate

The guardians directed, that the collectors be called upon to comply at once with the Commissioners request

From the Clerk of the Portumna Union enclosing copy of a resolution adopted by the Portumna Board of Guardians in reference to the amalgamation of that Union with the Malinbeg and Doughrea Unions.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	-	-	-
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	-	-

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the  
28<sup>th</sup> day of *October* 1854.

(Signed) *John M. O'Connell*  
Clerk of the Union.

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Loughrea  
UNION, on Saturday, the 27<sup>th</sup> day of October 1854,  
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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[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:)

*Special*  
Recd Letter from the Commissioners No 205 dated 23<sup>rd</sup> Septor  
stating that

On the subject of the sanitary precautions to be taken by Guardians for the prevention or mitigation of disease

Letter No 221/1 dated 13<sup>th</sup> October  
Relating to the proposed alteration in the dispensary districts and stating that as the new arrangement will effect a decided improvement, the Commissioners will issue an order under seal constituting the districts as proposed by the Guardians

They however request the Guardians, again to take the subject of the salaries to be fixed for the medical officers of the districts into their consideration, as those now proposed are below the average of other districts, taking into account the area & population

The attendance of Guardians being too small to interfere with the decision heretofore come to by the majority of the Board, the consideration of the Commissioners letter has been postponed to this day week

*Joseph Rogers*  
(Signed)  
*Philip M. ...*  
Clerk of the Union.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 21<sup>st</sup> day of October 1851

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Workhouse, . . . . .	1000	230													
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	100	21													
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .															
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .															
Fever Sheds, . . . . .															
Total, . . . . .	1100	251													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			14	36	12	21	74	94	40	13	26	253	In Work-house Hospital, 34 In Fever Hospital	In separate Wards, } In Workhouse with other inmates, }	
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			2	10			2			1	4	21	Total, 34	Total,	
TOTAL, . . . . .			17	46	12	21	76	98	41	14	30	274			
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			1				2	2				11			
Died, . . . . .												1			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			1				2	2				5			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			16	27	12	21	72	95	41	14	25	254			

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 28<sup>th</sup> day of October 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Joseph Rogers Esq*  
Other Guardians: *Wm. J. Butler J. Conroy & D. Rogers*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 327 to No. 326, 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, - - - - - £ 12. 1. 1

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 11. 0. 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 680. 13. 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Simon Rogers	Killea												
	St. Ann's												
	St. Andrew's												
	St. James's												
	St. John's												
	St. Mary's												
	St. Michael's												
	St. Patrick's												
	St. Peter's												
	St. Vincent's												
Benjamin Smith	Mountain												
	St. Andrew's												
	St. James's												
	St. John's												
	St. Mary's												
	St. Michael's												
	St. Patrick's												
	St. Peter's												
	St. Vincent's												
	St. Ann's												
James Hunter	St. Andrew's												
	St. James's												
	St. John's												
	St. Mary's												
	St. Michael's												
	St. Patrick's												
	St. Peter's												
	St. Vincent's												
	St. Ann's												
	St. Andrew's												
Nicholas Lindsay	St. Andrew's												
	St. James's												
	St. John's												
	St. Mary's												
	St. Michael's												
	St. Patrick's												
	St. Peter's												
	St. Vincent's												
	St. Ann's												
	St. Andrew's												
Patrick Walsley	St. Andrew's												
	St. James's												
	St. John's												
	St. Mary's												
	St. Michael's												
	St. Patrick's												
	St. Peter's												
	St. Vincent's												
	St. Ann's												
	St. Andrew's												
John Birmingham	St. Andrew's												
	St. James's												
	St. John's												
	St. Mary's												
	St. Michael's												
	St. Patrick's												
	St. Peter's												
	St. Vincent's												
	St. Ann's												
	St. Andrew's												
John Bristol	St. Andrew's												
	St. James's												
	St. John's												
	St. Mary's												
	St. Michael's												
	St. Patrick's												
	St. Peter's												
	St. Vincent's												
	St. Ann's												
	St. Andrew's												

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 £ 119 - 14 s. 3<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub> d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 26 - 0 - 7<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1 - 14<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub>

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 2 - 3<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -

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

Bread	620 lb	Arrow root	14 lb
Meat	67 -	quills, drift	9 -
Milk	960 "	mouse	2 -
Tea	3 -		
Sugar	14 -		
Flour	14 -		
Pease meal	20 cwt		
Barley meal	20 cwt		
Wine	6 bottles		
Whiskey	14 qts		
Port	12 bottles		

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

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2. The Medical Officers' Books.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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The consideration of the tenders for supplies which were to be accepted today was postponed to this day week

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

In consequence of the contractor not supplying on two occasions I had to purchase 2 cwt. of oatmeal at an advanced price the difference to be charged to the contractor

The school mistress was recovered from her illness and had resumed her duties on the 27<sup>th</sup> but is unwell today and the doctor states that she cannot take charge for a week in which case, it is necessary to get a person to take temporary charge of the school

The master furnished a list of girls referred to in his last report, and was directed to change all above fifteen years of age to Class 2

As it was thought the matron, with the assistance of one of the girls referred to in the list furnished by the master, could sufficiently manage the girls school during the illness of the school mistress, directions in accordance were given

The master was directed to dispose by sale of the cabbage referred to in his last report

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:)

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

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

Ditto disallowed - - - - -

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

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

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Wednesday the  
4<sup>th</sup> day of November 1854.

(Signed) [Signature]  
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 Leighbrad  
UNION, on Saturday, the 28 day of October 185 14  
—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:

The attendance of guardians at this days meeting  
being too small to enter upon the subject of the Commission,  
Letter N<sup>o</sup> 32171 of date 13<sup>th</sup> Oct its consideration was again  
postponed to next meeting

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 has forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical  
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

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

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

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

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]  
An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185 .

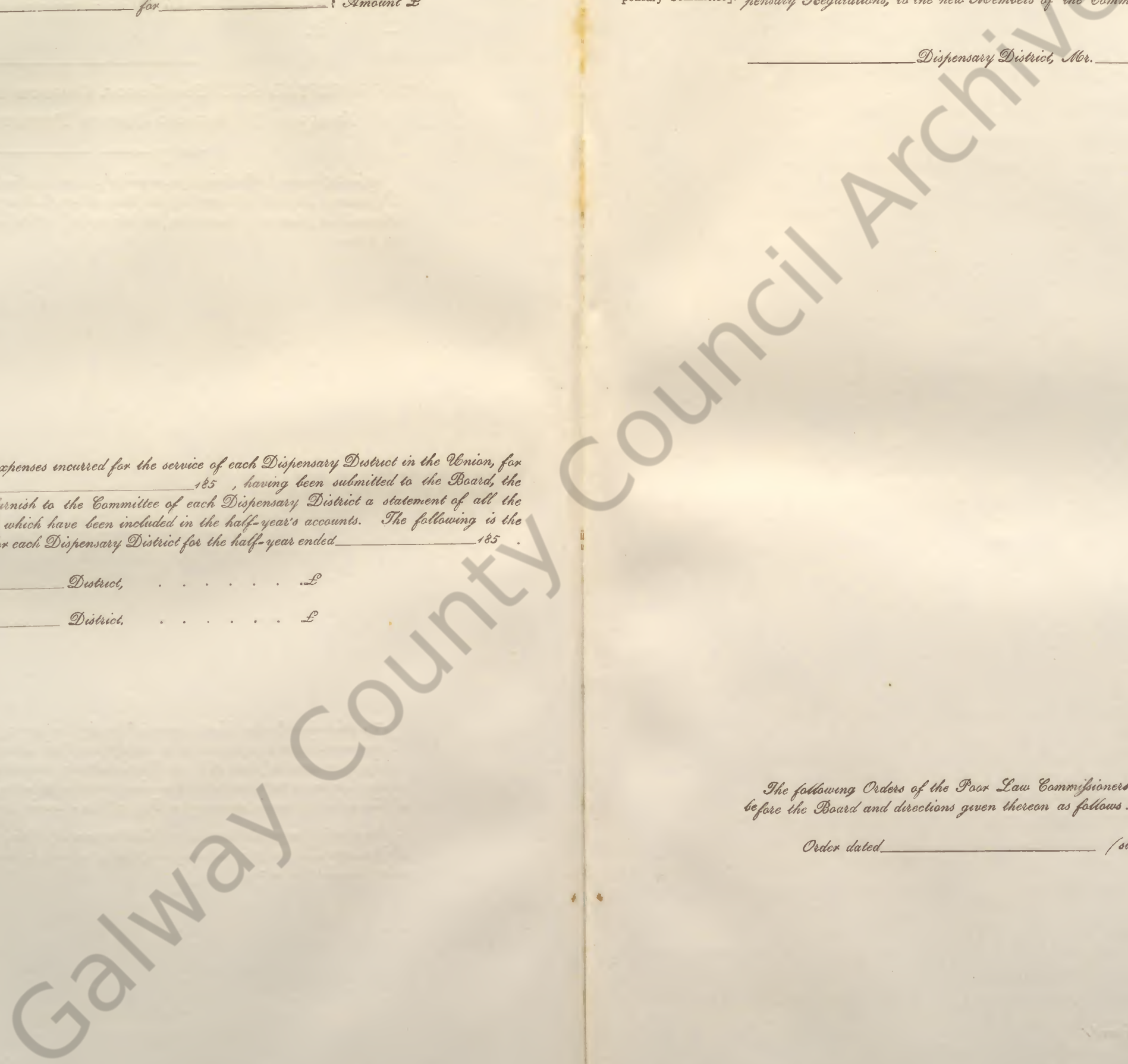
\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £  
\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £

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

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

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

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



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

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

Population in 1851, *28,698*

Present Net Annual Value, £ *27,640.15.0*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *28<sup>th</sup>* day of *October* 185*1*

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Workhouse, . . .	<i>1000</i>	<i>340</i>													
Temporary Buildings, . . .	<i>100</i>	<i>80</i>													
Additional Workhouse, . . .															
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .															
Fever Sheds, . . .															
Total, . . .	<i>1100</i>	<i>370</i>													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			<i>16</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>72</i>	<i>96</i>	<i>43</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>25</i>	In Work-house Hospital, In Fever Hospital } <i>56</i>	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, } <i>56</i>	
Admitted during the Week, . . .			<i>7</i>	<i>9</i>			<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>			<i>3</i>	<i>21</i>			
TOTAL, . . .			<i>23</i>	<i>36</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>73</i>	<i>97</i>	<i>43</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>37</i>			
Discharged during the Week, . . .			<i>4</i>	<i>1</i>					<i>1</i>		<i>1</i>	<i>7</i>			
Died, . . .											<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			<i>4</i>	<i>1</i>					<i>1</i>		<i>2</i>	<i>8</i>			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			<i>19</i>	<i>37</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>72</i>	<i>96</i>	<i>43</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>37</i>			

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Saturday* the *4<sup>th</sup>* day of *November* 185*1*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Lord Dunas*  
 Other Guardians: *Sir Tho. Bart. Bart. James Smyth Esq. Messrs Lambert Peck, J. Rogers, Conway, Glina, P. Merritt, P. Egan, Tho. Davis, Lawrence Miles, B. Taylor*

*M. W. H. H. H.*

*M. W. H. H. H.*

Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3. 24 to No. 37, 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, - - - - - £ 15. 17. 1

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

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 696. 11. 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
Minors	Kille							1	3	2 1/2				
	Kilcristney							7	7	1 1/2				
	Castled							1	18	4				
	Castledon							6	12	9				
	Brayglaw							6	6	2 1/2				
	Kilbreest									6	8			
	Longhrea							121	4	6 1/2				
	Mountain							1	6	9	14	5	10 1/2	
	Benjamin Smith	Millinor	14	4 1/4							9	1/2		
		Grange	"	"	"				2	18	10 1/4			
Greethel		19	2 1/2					1	6	5 1/2				
Byquin		3	15	7 1/2				3	15	5 1/2				
Athenry		1	8	1 1/2				21	10	5				
Garigueabbey		"	"	"				1		6 1/2				
Calmonstown		"	"	"	6	17	7				31		11 1/2	
Garrett Burt		Marble Hill	"	"	"						1/2			
		Bramble	"	"	"						"			
		Long Kilmick	"	"	"						"			
	Woodford	"	"	"				5	6	9 1/2				
	Ballingar	"	"	"				1	17	2	7	3	11	
	Nicholas Sinstrey	Kilgillan	"	"	"				3	3	5			
		Mayode	15	8					7	9	9 1/2			
		Raford	"	"	"						7	10 1/2		
		Cranghwell	3	6	2	4	1	5	3	7	1/2	14	8	1 1/2
	Patrick Astell	Bullane	"	"	"						"			
Kilmear		4	4	7						6				
Kilrooke		2	8	1	6	12	8			1/2				
John Birmingham	Kilcormin	"	"	"						1/2				
	Kilcree	"	"	"						"				
	Cappahost	"	"	"						9	3			
	Kilnakea	"	"	"						1	5 1/2		10 8 1/2	
John Wislane	Bracklagh	"	"	"				1	13	1 1/2				
	Linton	"	"	"						6				
	Kilteshid	"	"	"				1	7 1/2		1	14	2 1/2	
				17	11	8				201	3	8 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 £ 42: 4 s. 9 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 27. 2. 2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2 - 5 1/4

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -

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

Bread	660 lb
Meat	72 -
Sweet milk	980 qts
Tea	3 lb
Sugar	21 -
Flour	14 "
Wine	6 bottles
Whiskey	4 qts
Porter	6 bottles
Arrow root	14 lb

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

W. Rev. P. Derry M. chaplain 7/6 salary	30	-	-
Philip Newman Clerk 7/6 salary	20	-	-
J. J. Moran Medicines	50	-	-

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

	£	s.	d.
Walter Plunkett meal & milk &c	10d		
Emigration Expenses			
J. MacDonald paid for Catherine Murray	1	10	

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

No Protestant divine service celebrated since the 24<sup>th</sup> September there being no Protestant inmate in the house

The guardians beg to call the attention of the Commissioners to their letters N<sup>o</sup> 24307 dated 2<sup>nd</sup> August and N<sup>o</sup> 26079 dated 8<sup>th</sup> August containing copies of resolutions passed by the guardians of Ballinacree and Fort Unions in reference to the sums due to this Union by them under final adjustment orders and which the guardians of this Union by their resolution of the 8<sup>th</sup> July last requested the Commissioners to have paid.

The four Ballinacree guardians then stated it probable that they would pay the sum due of them early in September, and the Fort guardians stated the amount of their debt would be included in their next estimate.

The guardians of this Union again beg to urge upon the Commissioners the necessity of their having these sums now paid over to our treasurer as both these Unions, from the statements then made by them must now be in a position to discharge their debts.

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

The Barley on the Workhouse grounds was sold by auction on the 28<sup>th</sup> ultimo, the amount of the sale was £11 11-0

Some of the turf contractors having but a few for the conveyance of turf to the Workhouse, request permission to give in a partial supply as they state that in the event of bad weather setting in they would be occasionally unable to supply—there are about 200 tons in store  
permission given

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

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

Circular No 442 dated 28<sup>th</sup> Oct.  
Requesting the guardians will direct their clerks to afford every assistance in his power to the Registrar General in procuring information required for the completion of agricultural returns  
The Clerk was directed to comply with the Commissioners request

Circular No 457 dated 3<sup>rd</sup> November  
Forwarding forms to be filled up showing the total expenditure chargeable to each electoral division with a summary for the entire union for the half years ended 25<sup>th</sup> March & 29<sup>th</sup> September respectively

Letter No 32,270 dated 3<sup>rd</sup> Nov<sup>r</sup>  
Relating to the emigration of a girl named Mary Lynds who has lately emigrated, and giving their sanction to the referees incurred in assisting her to emigrate

The following notice of motion was given by Mr Rogers  
I give notice that in consequence of their being no protestants & pauper inmates in the Workhouse, I shall this day fortnight move that the services of the protestant chaplain be dispensed with  
4<sup>th</sup> Nov<sup>r</sup> signed Joseph Rogers

The following tenders were accepted  
John Mangen best white bread @ 9<sup>d</sup> & 4<sup>th</sup> loaf for 6 months  
Rush & Palmer Indian meal @ £12.15.0 of ton  
Rye meal @ £12.15.0 of ton for 12 months  
Walter Plunkett, Barley meal @ £11.10.0 of ton for 12 months  
Oatmeal @ £14.0.0 of ton for 3 months

Patrick Niskey meat @ 4<sup>d</sup> of lb for 12 months  
Patrick Carey Sugar @ 3<sup>d</sup> of lb prepared oil @ 3<sup>d</sup> of gal  
rape oil @ 4<sup>d</sup> of gal, twine @ 7<sup>d</sup> of lb  
shambray @ 5<sup>d</sup> of y<sup>d</sup>, Calico @ 3<sup>d</sup> of yard  
shrouding 2<sup>d</sup> of y<sup>d</sup>, check 5<sup>d</sup> of y<sup>d</sup>  
black & gray thread 7<sup>d</sup> of lb, bengal stripes 6<sup>d</sup> of y<sup>d</sup>, best sweeping brushes 2<sup>d</sup> each  
white wash do 7<sup>d</sup> each, arrowroot 6<sup>d</sup> of lb  
candle 2<sup>d</sup> of doz, pepper 1<sup>d</sup> of lb  
for 12 months

J. H. H.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	-	-	-	-
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-	-	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	-	-	-

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the  
*11<sup>th</sup>* day of *November* 1854.

(Signed) *Philip Newman*  
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 Loughrea  
UNION, on Saturday day, the 11<sup>th</sup> day of June 1854,  
—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 Loughrea  
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a  
Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon  
as follows:

The medicines were ordered.

The Consideration of the Commissioners letter No 32471 dated  
13<sup>th</sup> Oct. having been entered upon by the Guardians, on  
the subject of the salaries of the Medical Officers of the  
several dispensary districts of the Loughrea Union

The Guardians have to observe that in deciding upon  
these salaries, they have given the subject very great  
consideration, - if however the Commissioners desire particularly  
to increase the salaries to £70 each the Guardians will  
not object, the Guardians make the proposition with  
the view of meeting the Commissioners wishes and not  
because they consider the salaries insufficient, the feeling of the  
Guardians being, that these officers have extremely little to do,

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 has forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical  
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

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

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

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

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]  
An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185\_\_\_\_, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185\_\_\_\_.

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

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

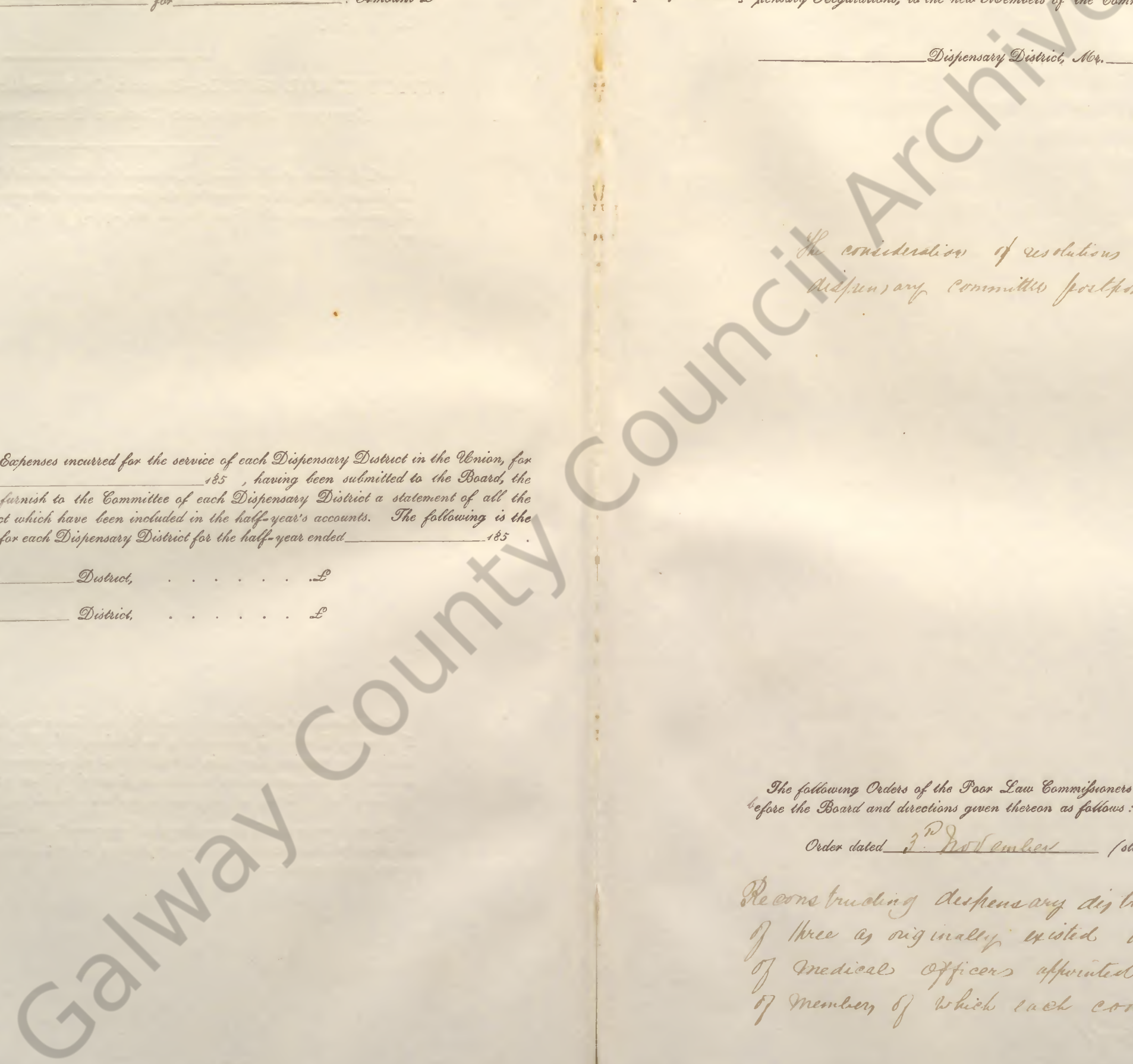
Dispensary District, Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

The consideration of resolutions adopted by Longford Dispensary Committee postponed to next meeting

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 3<sup>rd</sup> November (state subject)

Reconstituting dispensary districts, forming four instead of three as originally existed and specifying the number of medical officers appointed for each and the number of members of which each committee is to consist



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:)

Recd Letter from the Commissioners dated 3<sup>rd</sup> Oct stating that

accompanying sealed order declaring districts and stating that the committees of management for the four new districts should be at once made out. The clerk was directed to place the names of guardians on the committee of the districts in which their divisions are included and to make out by next Board day a list of the highest rate payers not being guardians in each district to make up the numbers of which the committee is to consist.

Galway County

*[Handwritten Signature]*

(Signed)

*[Handwritten Signature]*

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851, 38,678

Present Net Annual Value, £ 5,640-15-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 11<sup>th</sup> day of November 1854.

Table with columns: Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided, No. that can be accommodated in each building, Total No. in each building on the above date, Able-bodied (Males, Fem.), Aged and infirm persons, Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age, Children above 5 and under 9 years of age, Children above 2 and under 5 years of age, Infants under 2 years of age, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS (Number in Hospital, No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse), OBSERVATIONS.

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

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. (Number of cases, Number of Persons), Total relieved out of the Workhouse (Cases, Persons), RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. (Number of cases, Number of Persons), Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. (Number of cases, Number of Persons), 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 11<sup>th</sup> day of November 1854

PRESENT: In the Chair, James Smyth Esq. Other Guardians: Dudley Puffer Esq. Mr. P. Dolphin Blata Esq. & Gloria Captain Huband P. Esq. W. J. in attendance

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 178 to No. 180, 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, - - - - - £17. 11. 3

Paid during the week, - - - - - £202. 10. 1

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £571. 12. 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
<i>Henry Rogers</i>	<i>Kille</i>							1	3	3/16				
	<i>Keinstonny</i>							7	7	4/6				
	<i>Lackalea</i>							1	18	4				
	<i>Castletroy</i>							6	12	9				
	<i>Perrylour</i>							6	6	2/5				
	<i>Blanchard</i>								6	8				
	<i>Loughree</i>							121	4	1/2				
	<i>Mountain</i>							1	6	9	146	5	10/2	
	<i>Benjamin Smith</i>	<i>Kilmer</i>							9	5				
		<i>Grange</i>							2	18	10/2			
		<i>Greetho</i>							1	6	3/4			
		<i>Hyquin</i>							3	15	5/4			
		<i>Atheroy</i>							21	11	5			
<i>Graigusabbay</i>								1	6	6				
<i>Colmauntyre</i>											31	11/2		
<i>Garrett Burke</i>		<i>Marbisthills</i>												
		<i>Drumkerry</i>												
		<i>Loughalena</i>												
	<i>Woodford</i>							5	6	9/4				
	<i>Ralmeigar</i>							1	17	1/2	7	3	10	
	<i>Kilgiltreen</i>							3	3	5				
<i>Nicholas Lingley</i>	<i>Moyra</i>							7	9	9/2				
	<i>Raford</i>							3	7	11/4				
	<i>Loughwill</i>							3	7	0/2	14	8	1/2	
<i>Patrick Mahony</i>	<i>Ballane</i>													
	<i>Kilmeen</i>													
	<i>Kiltraile</i>												1/2	
<i>John Birmingham</i>	<i>Kilmeen</i>													
	<i>Kiltraile</i>													
	<i>Kilmeen</i>													
	<i>Kiltraile</i>							9	3					
<i>John Bristow</i>	<i>Kilmeen</i>													
	<i>Kiltraile</i>							1	5	1/2			10	8/2
	<i>Kilmeen</i>							1	13	1/2				
	<i>Kiltraile</i>										1	14	2/2	

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.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 26, 10 s. 10 1/4 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 27. 8. 9 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2-5 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -

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

Bread	660 lb	Mould Candles	2 lb
Meat	67 -		
Indian Meal	20 cwt		
Oatmeal	10 -		
Sweet milk	1050 qts		
Tea	2 lb		
Sugar	14 -		
Flour	14 -		
Pepper	1 lb		
Surf	80 boxes		
Candles	10 lb		

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

W B Lane Stationer 3 mth salary to 29<sup>th</sup> Sep 3 15 0

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

		£	s.	d.
William O'Connell	Unp <sup>d</sup> 3. 11. 11	6	17	3
Lawrence O'Connell	Unp <sup>d</sup> 4. 0. 8 1/2	7	5	4
John O'Connell	Unp <sup>d</sup> 4. 5. 9 1/2	7	10	4
William Pomeroy	Unp <sup>d</sup> 3. 11. 3	6	16	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.

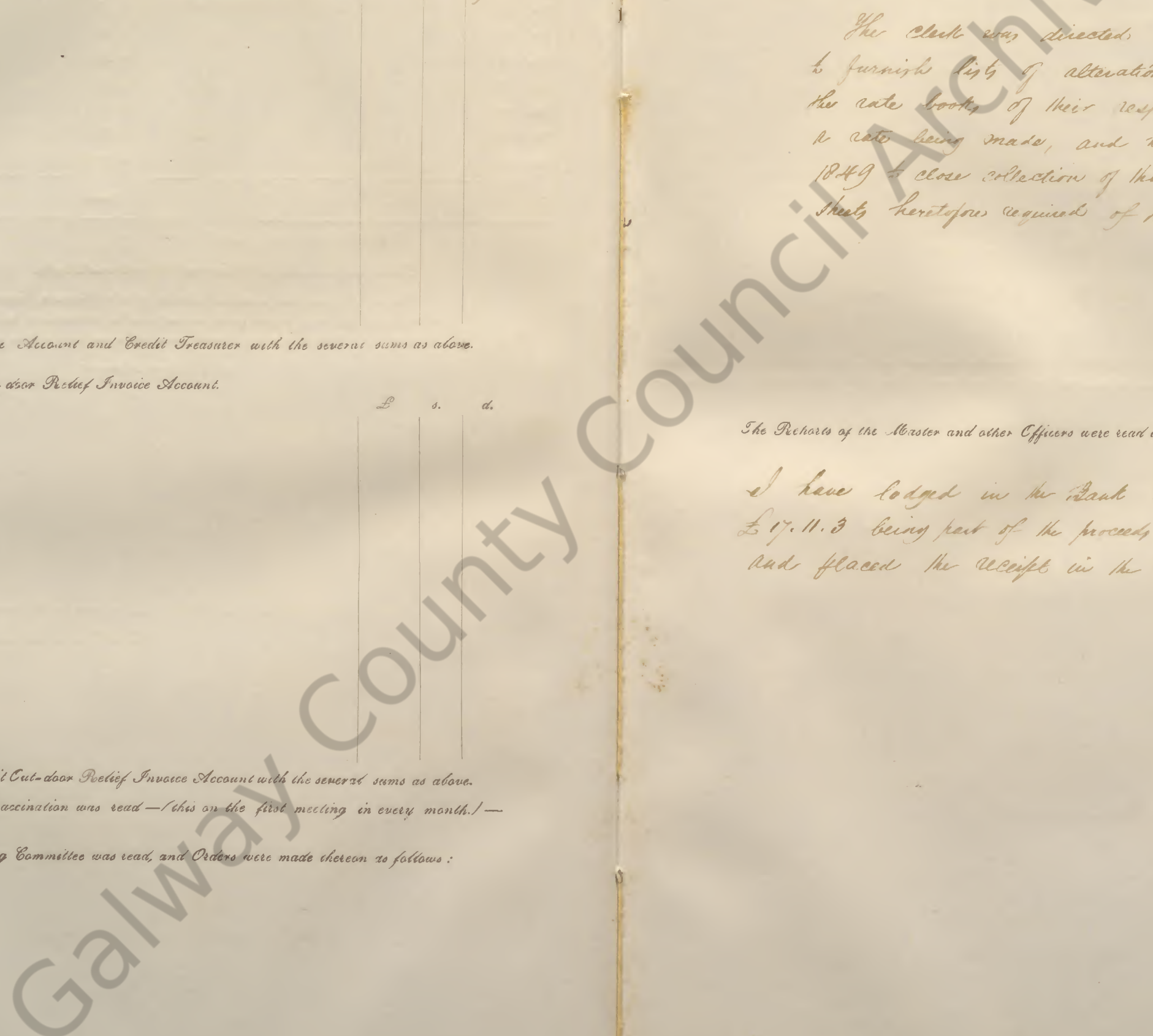
The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

Captain Huband called the attention of the Board to the fact that no stock was taken at the close of the half year as directed by 24<sup>th</sup> article of master's instructions. The clerk was directed to summon the clothing committee to meet for the purpose.

The clerk was directed to call upon the collectors to furnish lists of alterations required to be made in the rate books of their respective divisions previous to a rate being made, and to require the collectors of rates of 1849 to close collection of that rate and complete arrears sheets heretofore required of them.

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

I have lodged in the Bank to the credit of the Union £17.11.3 being part of the proceeds of the sale of the Carrey & Co's and placed the receipt in the hands of the Clerk.





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

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

- Circular No 444 dated 6<sup>th</sup> November  
 Requiring return of current rates for October
- Circular No 445 dated 6<sup>th</sup> Nov  
 Requiring particulars of payments on account of first instalment of annuities during the month of October
- Circular No 448 dated 6<sup>th</sup> Nov  
 Like, as to second instalment of annuities
- Letter No 37195 dated 10<sup>th</sup> Nov  
 Calling for certified extract from Union ledger to show that credit has been given by Treasurer in his account for the advance of £100 from rate-in-aid paid in Feb<sup>r</sup> 1852
- From the Clerk of Ballinacree Union enclosing resolution of that Board of Guardians <sup>held</sup> at their meeting of the 8<sup>th</sup> inst relative to the debts due between unions under the Commissioners adjustments order
- The Ballinacree Guardians state their readiness to exchange cheques for the respective amounts due by and to them provided the Guardians of this Union pay a sum of £50.5.9<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> in account of the maintenance and transmission

of papers alleged to have been chargeable to this Union, - for which sum the Ballinacree Guardians consider this Board equally responsible

The Clerk was directed to inform the Guardians of Ballinacree that while they are prepared to exchange cheques for the respective sums set out in Commissioners adjustments order as payable by and to each of the two unions, they do not consider the claim separate from those and made by the Ballinacree Guardians, is well founded and they therefore do not feel themselves justified in entertaining such

They expect the Ballinacree Guardians will without further delay have the sum settled as due under adjustment order with interest thereon paid as they state they are now in a position to do so

From the registrar general enclosing forms for distribution amongst the Guardians which he shall feel obliged by their filling up for their divisions and returning when complete

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	-	-	-	-
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-	-	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	-	-	-

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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*J. Burke*  
Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the  
*9* day of *November* 1854.

(Signed) *W. H. Newman*  
Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Loughrea  
UNION, on Satur day, the 11<sup>th</sup> day of November 1854,  
—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:

The following resolutions adopted by the Loughrea  
dispensary committee were approved of by the Board and  
ordered to be carried into effect

At a meeting of the committee of management held the  
31<sup>st</sup> day of October 1854

Resolved, that the Board of the Loughrea Union be requested  
to furnish the medical officer of the Loughrea dispensary  
district with the duplicate of medicine invoices in accordance  
with the Poor Law Commissioners instructions dated 22<sup>nd</sup> Sep/53

Resolved - That an inscription board (form O) be provided  
for the Loughrea and Killebreest dispensaries and that the  
Board of guardians be requested to have the depot at Killebreest  
fitted up as agreed upon at the meeting of the 3<sup>rd</sup> Decr 1853, &c.

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 has 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:

That the sub dispensary at Killebreest be forthwith  
opened and fitted up with the view of affording medical  
relief for the sick poor of that district,  
and that the Requisition hereto be sent into the committee  
conformable with the Bullane dispensary district

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:)

Althorpe Dispensary District,

Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_: Amount £

W. Shaughnessy rent of Althorpe dispensary	2.0.0
J. Brien rent of Althorpe	1.5.0
Oliver Colpin rent of Dullaun	2.10.0

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

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

_____ District	£
_____ District	£

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

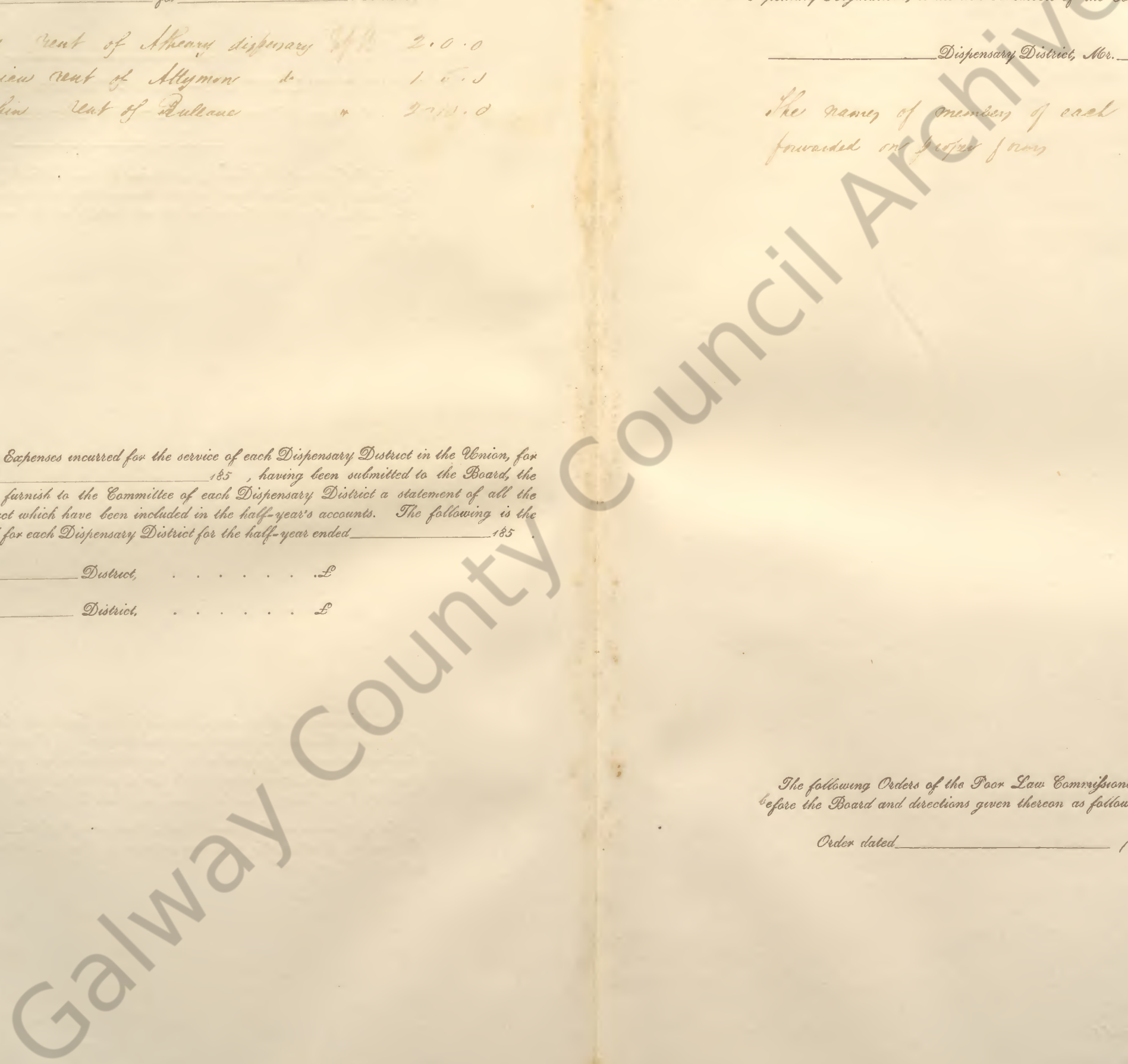
The Board elected the following Poole-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Proclaim accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers 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 names of members of each of the committees will be forwarded on proper forms

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 the Commissioners No. 26981 dated 10<sup>th</sup> Nov. 1854 stating that

Referring to report recently received from Dr. Geary Medical Inspector on his inspection of the Loughrea dispensary district, he states that altho' sanitary measures had been adopted in the district it is necessary that further steps should be taken to prevent reaccumulations of nuisances

Letter No. 34111 dated 10<sup>th</sup> November

Relative to Dr. Geary's inspection of Athlery dispensary district and giving suggestions of Inspector as to steps to be taken to improve the depot at Athlery and <sup>Athlery</sup> ~~Athlery~~

Letter No. 34111 dated 10<sup>th</sup> Nov

Stating that Dr. Geary had reported that the invoices sent the Medical Officer of the Athlery dispensary do not specify the prices of the several medicines and requesting the attention of the guardians to the subject

The guardians directed that invoices sent for the future shall contain the prices of medicines supplied

Letter No. 34436 dated 10<sup>th</sup> November

Stating that it has been represented to Dr. Geary that several members of the committee of management of the Woodford district are non-residents and that consequently sufficient facility does not exist for obtaining medical relief in the district - the Commissioners request the guardians will consider the subject upon the appointment of the district new committee for the district

The Clerk was directed to communicate with the respective committees the particulars of the Medical Inspector's reports having reference to each and to request their attention thereto in order that the requirements pointed out may be supplied

(Signed)

*Philip Newman*  
Clerk of the Union.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 11<sup>th</sup> day of November 1854.

Table with columns: Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided, No. that can be accommodated, Total No. in each building, 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 (Number in Hospital, No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse), OBSERVATIONS. Includes rows for Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, and Remaining on previous Saturday.

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

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. (Number of cases, Number of Persons), Total relieved out of the Workhouse (Cases, Persons), RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. (Number of cases, Number of Persons), Total relieved out of the Workhouse (Cases, Persons). Includes rows for No. I to No. XVII and Car. forward.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 18<sup>th</sup> day of November 1854

PRESENT: In the Chair, Lord Ounsandla

Other Guardians: Sir Tho. Burke Bart. James Smyth Esq, Messrs J. N. Blake, Oliver Dolphin Denis, Esq, Joseph Rogers, Patrick Skerratt, Jas. Furlong, J. J. Hennessy, Tho. Conroy, Tho. Olinn & Ben Taylor

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 327 to No. 412, 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, - - - - - £ 29. 14. 2

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 571. 12. 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
Mina Ferguson	Arles							1	3	2 1/2					
	Kilcrickmay							7	7	1/2					
	Laattolas							1	10	1/4					
	Castlebeg							6	12	9					
	Donnybrook							6	6	2 1/2					
	Kilshreeb							6	6	8					
	Longwood							121	4	1/2					
	Mountain							1	6	9	146	5	10 1/2		
	Benjamin Smith	Killinor							9	1/2					
		Grange							2	18	10 1/2				
Greethill								1	6	1/2					
Byagins								3	15	5 1/2					
A Henry								31	10	5					
Graigunabeg								1	6	1/2					
Colmanstown											31	11 1/4			
Marshall Dunlop		MacCrack Hill													
		Quamblane													
		Longkatoosh													
	Woodford							5	6	9 1/2					
	Ballingar							1	17	1/2	7	3	10		
	Nicholas Lindsay	Kilgiltwood							3	3	5				
		Argoda							7	9	1/2				
		Raford							3	7	10 1/4				
		Kenagh Hill							3	7	1/2	14	8	1 1/2	
		Patrick Hickey	Ducane												
Kilmeen															
Kilreehill															
John Birmingham			Kilnashin												
			Kilbuck												
			Kilbuck												
	Cappuluck								9	3					
	Colenhan								1	5 1/2		10	8 1/2		
	John Wisland		Bracklagh							1	13	1/2			
			Leitrim												
		Kilcree							1	14	2 1/2				
											201	3	8 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.



# Loughrea Union.

## CONTRACTS FOR WORKHOUSE SUPPLIES

WILL be entered into by the Board of Guardians of this Union, at their Meeting, on Saturday, Sept. 29th inst, for supplying the Workhouse from that date, for TWELVE MONTHS, with the following Articles, viz:—

Tea, per lb	Wine, per doz	Leather, per lb
Soft Sugar, per lb	Porter, per doz	Carpenters' Nails, 1000
Meat, per lb	Whiskey, per gal	Shoe do per do.
Rice, per cwt	Grey Calico $\frac{7}{8}$ & $\frac{1}{4}$ , per yd	Iron Spoons, per gross
Pepper, per lb	Shrouding, per yd	Sweeping Brushes, doz
Salt, per cwt	Check, per do	Whitewash do do
Arrow-root, per lb	Corduroy, per do	Scrubbing do do
Candles, dipt, per lb	Linsey-woolsey, per do	Blacklead do do
— mould, per lb	Bengal Stripe, per do	Spades & Shovels, each
Soap, per cwt	Tape, per doz yds	Prepared Oil, per gal
Starch, per lb	Linon Thread, per lb	Whitelead, per lb
Blue, per lb	Studs, per gross	Lime, per barrel
Washing Soda, do	Scissors and Thimbles	Oat-straw, per ton
	Needles and Pins	Racks and Combs

The above to be delivered, carriage free, at the Workhouse, when and in such quantities as may be required.

Also, for executing SMITHWORK and repairs of Locks, Keys, &c.; and the insertion of Union advertisements, for each publication.

Sealed Tenders, properly endorsed, and addressed to the Chairman, accompanied with samples where practicable, will be received by me up to 12 o'clock on the above day, 29th Sept.

### CONTRACTS FOR

**Medicines, and Medical or Surgical Appliances,** will also be entered into on same day. The Medicines to be delivered carriage free at the Workhouse and Dispensary depots of the Union, as and when required, and allowances in full made for all Empties, which must be taken back by the Contractor

Tenders, in special printed forms, which can be had at my Office, and will be furnished to all parties applying, must be priced according to the quantities stated, and will be received by me at same time as the other tenders. The Guardians will not be accountable for rejected samples not removed within the following week.

By Order of the Board of Guardians,

**PHILIP N. NEWNAN,**  
CLERK OF UNION.

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# Longfathers Union

## CONTRACTS FOR WORKHOUSE SUPPLIES

When he entered into by the Board of Guardians of this Union at their meeting on Saturday Sept 20th inst for supplying the Workhouse from that date for Twelve Months with the following Articles, viz:—

1. Leather, per lb	11.7	Water per day	11.7	Tea, per lb	11.7
2. Soap, per cwt	16.0	Wax, per lb	16.0	Salt, per cwt	16.0
3. Flour, per cwt	10.0	Butter, per lb	10.0	Arrow-root, per lb	10.0
4. Bread, per lb	4.0	Oil, per lb	4.0	Candles, per lb	4.0
5. Sugar, per lb	2.0	Starch, per lb	2.0	Soap, per cwt	10.8
6. Rice, per cwt	2.0	Blanc, per lb	2.0	Starch, per lb	12.6
7. Pepper, per lb	1.0	Washing Soda, per lb	1.0	Blanc, per lb	12.6
8. Salt, per cwt	16.0			Washing Soda, per lb	11.7
9. Arrow-root, per lb	4.0				
10. Candles, per lb	4.0				
11. Soap, per cwt	10.8				
12. Starch, per lb	12.6				
13. Blanc, per lb	12.6				
14. Washing Soda, per lb	11.7				

The above to be delivered, carriage free, at the Workhouse when and in such quantities as may be required.

Also, for executing Smithwork and repairs of Locks, Keys, &c., and the insertion of Union advertisements for each publication.

And the insertion of notices and advertisements for the Union, accompanied by the usual fee, and addressed to the Chairman of the Union, at the above place, which notices will be received by the Union at the above place.

### Medical and Surgical Appliances

And the insertion of notices and advertisements for the Union, accompanied by the usual fee, and addressed to the Chairman of the Union, at the above place, which notices will be received by the Union at the above place.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 29. 0 s. 8 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 28. 17. 7

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 5. 8 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -

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

Bread	580 lbs
Meat	72 "
Subst milk	1050 qts
Tea	3 "
Sugar	14 "
Pepper	1 "
Wines	6 bottles
Curf	60 boxes
Candles	10 lbs
Soap	112 "
Mould (quills)	2 "

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

	£	s.	d.
L. S. Mangau meal imp <sup>d</sup> bills	84	-	-
Rob McDonald bread imp <sup>d</sup> bills	37	11	2

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

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

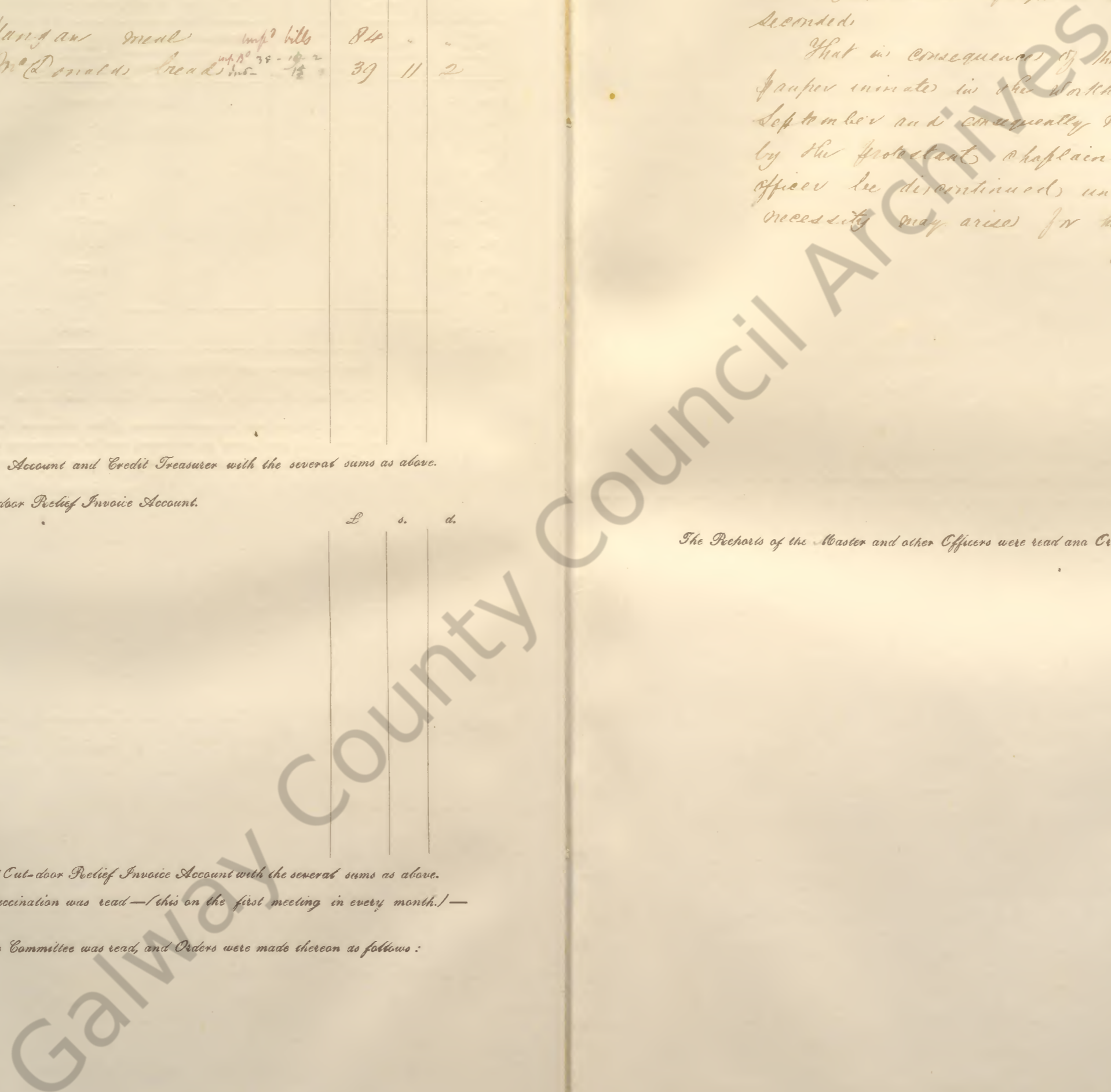
The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

Mr. Poyer moved pursuant to notice and Mr. Skerrett seconded.

That in consequence of their being no protestants pauper inmates in the Workhouse since the 24<sup>th</sup> of September and consequently no duties to be performed by the protestant chaplain, the services of that officer be discontinued until such time as a necessity may arise for his attendance.

Carried

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



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

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

The Guardians having taken into consideration an estimate of the probable expenses of the current year prepared and submitted for the purpose of striking a rate

Resolved

That the following rates set opposite the respective divisions, and which produces in the aggregate the sum of £3845.10.0 be adopted, and that the ratebooks be forthwith prepared and all necessary steps taken previous to their being signed.

Loughkeel	2.3 in the £	Castlerytown	1.16
Stilconichney	1.6	Cappinastle	1.8
Lackacor	1.10	Kiltinor	11
Stilchreast	1.11	Graigwaboy	9
Castlery	1.1	Eyagwin	1.8
Villo	1.0	Balenagar	1.1
Mountain	1.10	Brumbarry	2.2
Quynlan	1.0	Loughkeelick	1.6
Athenry	1.11	Harbistice	2.6
Stilconiar	1.11	Woodford	3.0
Loughkeel	1.11	Leitrim	1.0
Kilgillan	1.2	Ballinacragh	1.2
Moyade	1.7	Kiltickis	11
Lpac Hill	1.2	Kiltoon	1.1
Kilnora	1.7	Bulman	1.0
Rosford	1.1	Kilneakle	10
Colerhan	3	Orange	2

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

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

Ditto disallowed - - - - -

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

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

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the  
*25<sup>th</sup>* day of *November* 1854.

(Signed)

*Philip Whelan*  
Clerk of the Union.

*Michael Whelan*

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Longford  
UNION, on Monday day, the 18<sup>th</sup> day of November 185 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 \_\_\_\_\_  
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of \_\_\_\_\_  
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to  
forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical  
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

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

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

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

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]  
An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185\_\_\_\_, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185\_\_\_\_.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Population in 1851, 22,698

UNION. 1851

Present Net Annual Value, £57,640.15.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 18<sup>th</sup> day of November 1854.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . . . .	1000	348												
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	100	36												
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .														
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .														
Total, . . . . .	1100	404												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			26	89	12	21	74	79	43	14	28	386	In Work-house Hospital, 30	In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital, with other inmates, Total, 38
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			8	15			5	1	1		2	27		
TOTAL, . . . . .			31	104	12	21	79	80	44	14	30	413		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			3	5								1		
Died, . . . . .														
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			3	5								1		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			28	99	12	21	77	80	44	14	29	401		

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 25<sup>th</sup> day of November 1854

PRESENT: In the Chair, Lord Ounsardie

Other Guardians: Sir Tho. Burke Bart James Smyth Esq  
Messrs Gully J. Rogers P. Skerrett J. Murray and Egan

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

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 413 to No. 437, 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, - - - - - £22 0 5

Paid during the week, - - - - - £130 16 6

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £373 2 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
John Cosgrove	All	11	5					11	5					
	Kilcormick	5	1	1/2				5	1	1/2				
	Lectlow	"	"	"				1	18	4				
	Longford	"	"	"				6	12	9				
	Berryland	3	19	5				3	6	1/2				
	Kilcreech	"	"	"				2	6	8				
	Longford	11	8	4				10	9	1/4				
	Mountain	1	-	1/2	22	-	5	6	7	1/2	124	5	5 1/2	
	Wm. Smyth	William							9	12				
		Grange							2	18	10 1/2			
Greenhill								1	6	5 1/2				
By a quins								3	13	5 1/2				
Athenry								21	10	5				
Freigueaboy								1	-	6 1/2				
Colmanstown								"	"	"	31	-	11 1/2	
Garrett Burke		Marblehill							"	"	"			
		Quinnkeary							"	"	"			
		Longford							"	"	"			
	Woodford							5	6	9 1/2				
	Ballynagaw							1	17	2	7	3	10	
	Nicholas Sinstrey	Kilgillman							3	3	5			
		Moyoda							7	9	1/2			
		Raford							7	10	1/2			
		Longhwell							2	7	1/2	14	8	1/2
	Patrick Hottelmy	Bullans							"	"	"			
Kilmeen								"	"	"				
Kilcreech								"	"	"			1/2	
John Wilmington	Kilconiron							"	"	"				
	Kiltulla							"	"	"				
	Cappalusk							9	3					
	Colinton							1	5	1/2			10 8 1/2	
John Rislane	Wraathagb							1	13	1/2				
	Leitrim							"	"	"				
	Kilcreech							1	3	1/2	1	14	2 1/2	
				22	-	5				179	3	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 £ 36. 14 s. 8 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 29 8 6 3/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1 5

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2 9 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -

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

Bread	380 lb	Turf	60 boxes
Meat	68 "	Candles	10 "
Sweet milk	1050 qts	Mould do	2
Yea	3 lb		
Sugar	14 "		
Flour	14 "		
Potter	1 "		
Rye meal	20 cut		
Barley meal	20 "		
Wine	3 bottles		
Porter	6 bottles		

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

Simon Metley & Co contract	1-2-6	2	10	
Lad John Watkins do	1-7-6	1	2	6
R. J. Green medicines	1-7-6	2		

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

The collector's lists of arrears having been examined it was

Resolved

That the clerk be directed to inform each of the collectors who have not yet closed their accounts that in case they do not do so immediately they shall not be continued as collectors of the present rates and they are directed to attend this day fortnight with detailed lists of outstanding arrears

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

I beg to report that I am subjected to repeated acts of annoyance in the discharge of my duties by the schoolmaster my willingness to overlook him in the hope that he would see his error has only caused him to become more rampant in his disrespect, — On a late occasion he reported a tradesboy at my office for not attending at morning prayers after I had investigated the case and started the punishment he stamped his foot and in the presence of an officer and four gentlemen said in a blustering manner that it was not adequate to the offence and that he would again report me to the Board where he had me already reprimanded on a similar occasion

I have also to state that he has on more than one occasion insulted the matron and once to my knowledge but which she requested I would not report not being willing to appear before the Board while so new in office

This complaint was investigated and there appeared to have been fault on both sides, they were each directed to be more careful in future

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

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

Circular No 33.159 dated 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov.

Requiring a statement shewing the dates and foundations of all rates made from 1<sup>st</sup> Jan<sup>y</sup> 1853 to 25<sup>th</sup> March 1854

Circular No 476 dated 22<sup>nd</sup> Nov

Calling for return of Vaccinations during year

Letter No 29.693 dated 24<sup>th</sup> November

Stating that guardians resolution of the 18<sup>th</sup> inst. proposing the discontinuance of the protestants Chaplain shall receive Commissioners attention

From Mr Martin Esq stating that he will attend to audit the Union account, on the 6<sup>th</sup> of December

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

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

Ditto disallowed - - - -

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

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

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not granted

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 Saturday the  
2<sup>nd</sup> day of December 1854.

(Signed) Philip H. H. H. H.  
Clerk of the Union.

*[Faint handwritten scribble]*

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Longwood  
UNION, on Saturday day, the 25<sup>th</sup> day of November 1854,  
—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 has 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, 1863.]  
An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185\_\_\_\_, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185\_\_\_\_

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

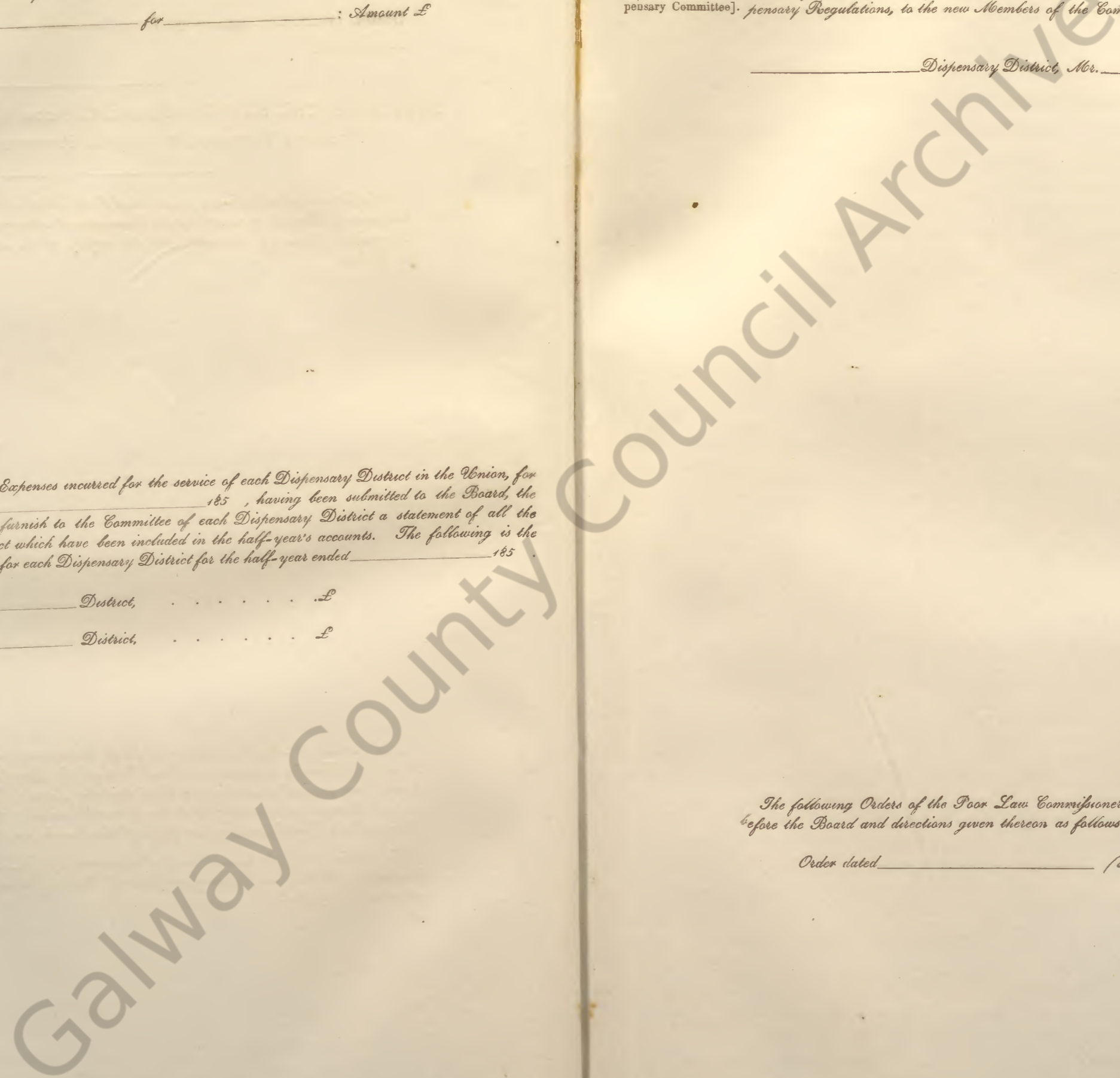
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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

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

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

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



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

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

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(Signed)

*Michael Brennan*

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851, *32,691*

Present Net Annual Value, £ *57,640.15.0*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *25<sup>th</sup>* day of *November* 185*4*

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.						Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.			Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.		
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Total.	No. of Lunatics in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.										
Workhouse, . . . . .	<i>1000</i>	<i>360</i>																			
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	<i>100</i>	<i>39</i>																			
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																					
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .																					
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																					
Total, . . . . .	<i>1100</i>	<i>399</i>																			
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			<i>28</i>	<i>99</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>77</i>	<i>80</i>	<i>42</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>404</i>						In Work-house } <i>54</i>	In separate } <i>54</i>		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			<i>2</i>	<i>5</i>			<i>3</i>					<i>10</i>						In Hospital } <i>10</i>	In Wards } <i>10</i>		
TOTAL, . . . . .			<i>30</i>	<i>104</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>80</i>	<i>80</i>	<i>44</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>414</i>						Total } <i>54</i>	Total } <i>54</i>		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			<i>2</i>	<i>7</i>				<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>			<i>12</i>									
Died, . . . . .				<i>1</i>								<i>3</i>									
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			<i>2</i>	<i>8</i>				<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>			<i>15</i>									
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			<i>28</i>	<i>96</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>80</i>	<i>79</i>	<i>42</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>399</i>									

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Saturday* the *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *December* 185*4*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Sir Geo. Burke Bart.*

Other Guardians: *Messrs Blake Skerrett Lourey & Gaby*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 440 to No. 449, 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, - - - - - £ 24. 3. 1

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 343. 18. 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
John Cosgrove	Ailea							11	11					
	St. Ann's							2	6	3				
	Loe Kalda							1	10	4				
	Knappoboy							6	12	9				
	Berryglan							2	6	9 1/2				
	St. Andrew's								6	8				
	Songhroa							109	16	2 1/2				
	Mountain								6	7 1/2	124	5	5 1/2	
	Benjamin Smith	St. Ann's							9	12				
		Lyange							2	18	10 1/2			
Greethill								1	6	5 1/2				
Byaquin								3	15	5 1/2				
Athenny								24	10	5				
Yraigie abbey								1	"	6 1/2				
Colmanstown								"	"	"	31	"	11 1/2	
Garrett Burke		Monk's Hill							"	"	"			
		Quinn Mary							"	"	"			
		Songhatoonick							"	"	"			
	War of nd							5	6	1 1/2				
	Blackmings							1	17	1/2	7	3	10	
	Nicholas Linstay	St. Andrew's							3	8	5			
		May's							7	9	9 1/2			
		Duff's							4	4	1 1/2			
		Lyange White							3	7	1 1/2	14	8	1 1/2
		Patrick Kottelley	Bullans							"	"	"		
St. Michael's									"	"	"			
St. Michael's									"	"	"			
St. Michael's									"	"	"			
St. Michael's									"	"	"			
St. Michael's									"	"	"			
St. Michael's								"	"	"				
St. Michael's								"	"	"				
St. Michael's								"	"	"				
St. Michael's								"	"	"				
John Birmingham	St. Michael's							"	"	"				
	St. Michael's							"	"	"				
	St. Michael's							"	"	"				
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	St. Michael's							"	"	"				
John Briglone	St. Michael's							"	"	"				
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	St. Michael's							"	"	"				
	St. Michael's							"	"	"				
	St. Michael's							"	"	"				

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.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 15 . 15 s. 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 30 . 14 . 5 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 2 . 7

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - - - -

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

Bread	640 lb,	Arrowroot	14 lb,
Meat	70 -	Surf	80 bags,
Indian meal	20 ea <sup>d</sup>	Starch	4 lb,
Sweet milk	1500 qt,	Blue	1 -
Tea	3 lb,	Mould candles,	2 -
Sugar	14 lb,		
Flour	14 -		
Pepper	1 lb		
Wine	2 bottles,		
Whisky	2 -		
Potter	12 bottles,		

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

£	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 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:)

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 39. 1893 dated the 1<sup>st</sup> of December  
Concurring in the proposal contained in Guardians  
Minutes, of the 18<sup>th</sup> inst. That the services of the  
Protestant Chaplain be discontinued until a  
necessity may arise for his attendance

The Clerk was directed to have inserted in the  
Galway Vindicator a notice that rates are about  
being made and to have the necessary notices posted  
throughout the divisions previous to the books being signed

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	-	-
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	-

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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*J. White V. Lamin*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the  
*9<sup>th</sup>* day of *December* 1854.

(Signed) *W. H. H. H. H.*  
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 Leighfield  
UNION, on Satur day, the 21<sup>st</sup> day of December 1851,  
—continued.

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

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the  
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 has forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical  
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

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

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

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

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]  
An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185\_\_\_\_, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185\_\_\_\_.

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

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

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Proclamation 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 such 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 29<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup>. No 32171 (state subject)

Appointing the Medical Officers to the several newly arranged dispensary districts of the Union

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

Read Letter from the Commissioners No 27729 dated 24<sup>th</sup> Oct. stating that

Sanctioning the salaries of the several dispensary medical officers as agreed upon by the Guardians at their meeting of the 4<sup>th</sup> November namely £70 each p<sup>a</sup> annum

Galway County

*J. W. O'Connell*  
(Signed)

*Miss M. Newman*  
Clerk of the Union.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 2<sup>d</sup> day of December 1854.

Table with columns: Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided, No. that can be accommodated in each building, Total No. in each building on the above date, Able-bodied (Males, Fem.), Aged and infirm persons, Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age, Children above 5 and under 9 years of age, Children above 2 and under 5 years of age, Infants under 2 years of age, RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS (Number in Hospital on the above date, No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date), OBSERVATIONS. Rows include Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, Total, Remaining on previous Saturday, Admitted during the Week, Discharged during the Week, Died, Total Discharged and Dead, REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.

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

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. (Number of cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her), Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. (Number of cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her), Total relieved out of the Workhouse (Cases, Persons), RELIEF DISTRICT, Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. (Number of cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her), Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. (Number of cases relieved, Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her), Total relieved out of the Workhouse (Cases, Persons). Rows include No. I to No. IX, Car. forward, TOTAL.

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 2<sup>d</sup> day of December 1854

PRESENT: In the Chair,

*Sir Thomas Burke Bart*

Other Guardians:

*James Smyth Esq*  
*Messrs J. Lofell, Shearh, Dealey Courcy & Taylor*

*Captain Hubert P. I. Esq*  
Was in Attendance

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 450 to No. 465, 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, - - - - - £ " " "

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 34,3.8.1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
Hew Logrove	Ailla							11	9	1/2					
	Kilcomiskey							2	6	3					
	Laalkera							1	18	4					
	Castletroy							6	12	9					
	Dungannon							2	6	9 1/2					
	Kilchreest								6	8					
	Loughrea							109	16	2 1/4					
	Mountain								6	7 1/2	124	5	5 1/2		
	Benjamin Smith	Millinor							9	1 1/2					
		Frangi							2	18	10 1/4				
		Junthill							1	6	5 1/2				
Pyquin								3	15	5 1/4					
Atheung								21	10	5					
Fraigueaboy								1	"	1 1/2					
Keimany town								"	"	"	31	"	1 1/4		
Garrett Burt		Marble Hill							"	"	"				
		Braunberry							"	"	"				
		Loughatomb							"	"	"				
		Woodford							5	6	9 1/2				
	Keimany gar							1	17	1/2	7	3	10		
	Nicholas Linskey	Kilgillan							3	3	5				
Moyda								7	9	9 1/2					
Papato								7	7	10 1/4					
Franghwell								3	7	1/2	14	8	1 1/2		
Patrick Ahtley		Buccan							"	"	"				
	Kilman							"	"	1/4					
	Kilbrack							"	"	1/4			1/2		
John Birmingham	Kilconner							"	"	1/4					
	Kilbulla							"	"	"					
	Cappalusk								9	3					
John Buisson	Colontan							1	5 1/2		10	8 1/2			
	Dractragh							1	13	1 1/2					
	Leitrim									1/2					
	Kilmaskeil							1	1/4		1	14 1/2			
											179	3	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 £ 110 . 11 s. 10 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 31 . 8 . 10

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 1-5 3/4

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 2 . 9

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -

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

Bread	680 lbs	Wine	2 bottles
Meat	70 -	Potatoes	12 -
Oatmeal	10 cut	Yarf	80 boxes
Sweet milk	1100 qts	Candles	10 lbs
Salt	10 cut	Mould candles	2 lbs
Tea	3 lbs		
Sugar	14 -		
Flour	14 -		
Pepper	1 -		
Rye meal	20 cut		
Barley meal	20 cut		

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

John Madden	R. B.	3 mo's salary	£ 29. 6	5	0	0
Michael Hayes	R. O.	do		6	5	0
William Proctor	R. O.	do		6	5	0
John Winn	R. O.	do		5	0	0
John Taylor	R. A.	do		3	15	0
John Spelman	R. O.	do		3	15	0
Martin Kottling	R. O.	do		3	15	0

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

## 3. Workhouse Invoice Account

£	s.	d.

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

## 4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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 Clerk was directed to issue advertisement, for  
Collectors of the next rate, pending to be received, and  
collectors appointed on his day fortnight.

The half yearly abstracts of Unions accounts,  
certified by the auditor were laid before the Board,  
they were signed by the Chairman.

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

The Medical Officer reported that the fees in  
the male and female schools are insufficient.

They were ordered to be increased.

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

Sealed Order No 39,693 dated 8<sup>th</sup> Decr. 1854  
 Rescinding orders of 10<sup>th</sup> July 1849 and 13<sup>th</sup> Decr. 1853  
 which declared the Rev<sup>d</sup> Jas<sup>s</sup> E. Mills, protestant Chaplain  
 of the Workhouse, the said appointment not being  
 at present required in the Union

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 No 479 dated 14<sup>th</sup> Decr.  
 Requiring particulars of current rates, and rates agreed upon  
 Circular No 481 dated 14<sup>th</sup> Decr  
 Calling for particulars of payments made of first  
 instalment of annuities  
 Circular No 483 dated 14<sup>th</sup> Decr  
 Like as to second instalment of annuities

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

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

Ditto disallowed - - - - -

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

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

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the  
*16<sup>th</sup>* day of *December* 185*4*.

(Signed) *W. H. Murray*  
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 Loughrea  
UNION, on Saturday, the 9<sup>th</sup> day of December 1854,  
—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 Bullin  
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites, were  
ordered to be supplied:*

*a minute book & 1 quire paper*

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

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

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]  
An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185\_\_\_\_, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185\_\_\_\_.

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

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

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

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

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

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

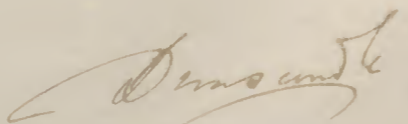



The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively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

Read Letter from the Commissioners, No. 40737 dated 6<sup>th</sup> Decr. stating that

Requesting the observations of the Guardians respecting a communication addressed the Commissioners by Dr. Moran stating his salary as medical officer has not yet been paid him. The Guardians in reply beg to say, they have always as a rule, paid the several medical officers at the same time, and that rule they will observe as soon as their arrangements will permit, — to do which with the least possible delay they are causing every exertion to be made but they decline giving precedence to Dr. Moran, not now being in a position to pay other officers having an equal claim on them.

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 (Signed)  
  
 Clerk of the Union.

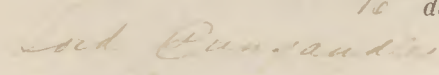
STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1851


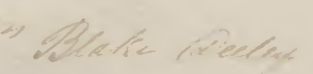
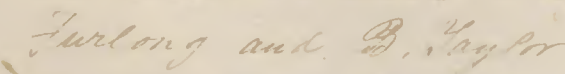
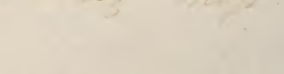
Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse, . . . . .	1000	360													
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	100	45													
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .															
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, . . . . .															
<b>Total, . . . . .</b>	<b>1100</b>	<b>405</b>													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			32	95	12	21	77	79	42	13	27	400	In Work-house Hospital, In Fever Hospital } 53	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, } Total, 53	
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			4	9			2					10			
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>36</b>	<b>104</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>79</b>	<b>81</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>410</b>			
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .								2				1	8		
Died, . . . . .												1	3		
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .								2				2	11		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			32	95	12	21	77	79	42	13	25	405			

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1851

PRESENT: In the Chair, 

Other Guardians:    and 

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

1851



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 £ 42 5 s. 9<sup>2</sup> d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 32 - 0 - 2<sup>1</sup>/<sub>4</sub>

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2 - 10

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -

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

Bread	680 lbs	Candles	10 lbs
Meat	82	Wax	3 lbs
Do for Christmas,	113 lbs		
Indian meal	20 cwt		
Sweet milk	1120 qts		
Tea	3 lbs		
Sugar	14 -		
Pepper	1 -		
Wine	3 bottles		
Porter	12 -		
Turf	81 boxes		

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

P. Jewell Straw

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

2. Establishment Account.

Francis J. Lynch Med Off. 3 mo salary £ 29 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub> Sep	22	10	-
Thomas Underwood apothecary	10	-	-
Patrials Shelman master	17	10	-
Margaret Sandford waterman	2	6	-
A. Mulkeru schoolmaster	5	-	-
P. Gaby schoolmaster	4	-	-
J. Keen tailor	1	10	-
B. Seridge nurse	2	10	-
Per? G. Wells protestant-chaplain	10	-	-
P. Gaby time	6	-	-
J. Mangerton repairs	6	9	-
P. Newman carriage of books	2	6	-

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



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

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

From the Clerk of the Ballinasloe Union enclosing copy of a resolution passed by the Guardians of that Union at their meeting of the 13<sup>th</sup> inst. referring to the claim made by them for a sum of £50.0.0 alleged to be due them by this Union, and requesting such claim may be allowed and payment made on account of debt due between two Unions.

The Clerk was directed to refer the Guardians of Ballinasloe Union to a letter dated 11<sup>th</sup> inst. forwarded to them in reply to a resolution of their Board of the 9<sup>th</sup> ultimo, and to request that under such circumstances the Guardians of Ballinasloe Union will no longer seek to connect the payment of a sum, which is considered by the Guardians of this Union not legally or fairly due, with the amount set out in the Commissioners' adjustment orders, and which consequently both Unions are bound to discharge, and they hope that further delay in the payment of these sums shall be avoided, as if prolonged, they will only prove useless to the one Union, while injurious to the other and cause the Guardians of this Union to apply to the Commissioners for redress by enforcing prompt and

immediate payment of a debt now too long permitted to remain unpaid

From the Clerk of the Galway Union requesting to be furnished with particulars respecting the balance of certain townlands formerly comprised in this Union

J. Smith

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

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

Ditto disallowed - - - - -

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

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

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the  
*23<sup>rd</sup>* day of *December* 185*H*.

(Signed) *W. H. Newman*  
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 County of Galway  
UNION, on Saturday day, the 16<sup>th</sup> day of April 1854,  
—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., requisited 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 has 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:)

<i>Longford</i> Dispensary District		
Account of Mr. <i>Flanagan</i>	for 3 <sup>rd</sup> salary by	Amount £ 16. 5. 0
<i>Wanderwood</i>	"	7. 10. 0
<i>Henry district</i>		
<i>McGar</i>	"	16. 5. 0
<i>Henry Mackey</i>	"	11. 1. 8
<i>Woodford &amp; Blackton</i>	"	18. 15. 0

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 1855, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 1855.

_____ District	£
_____ District	£

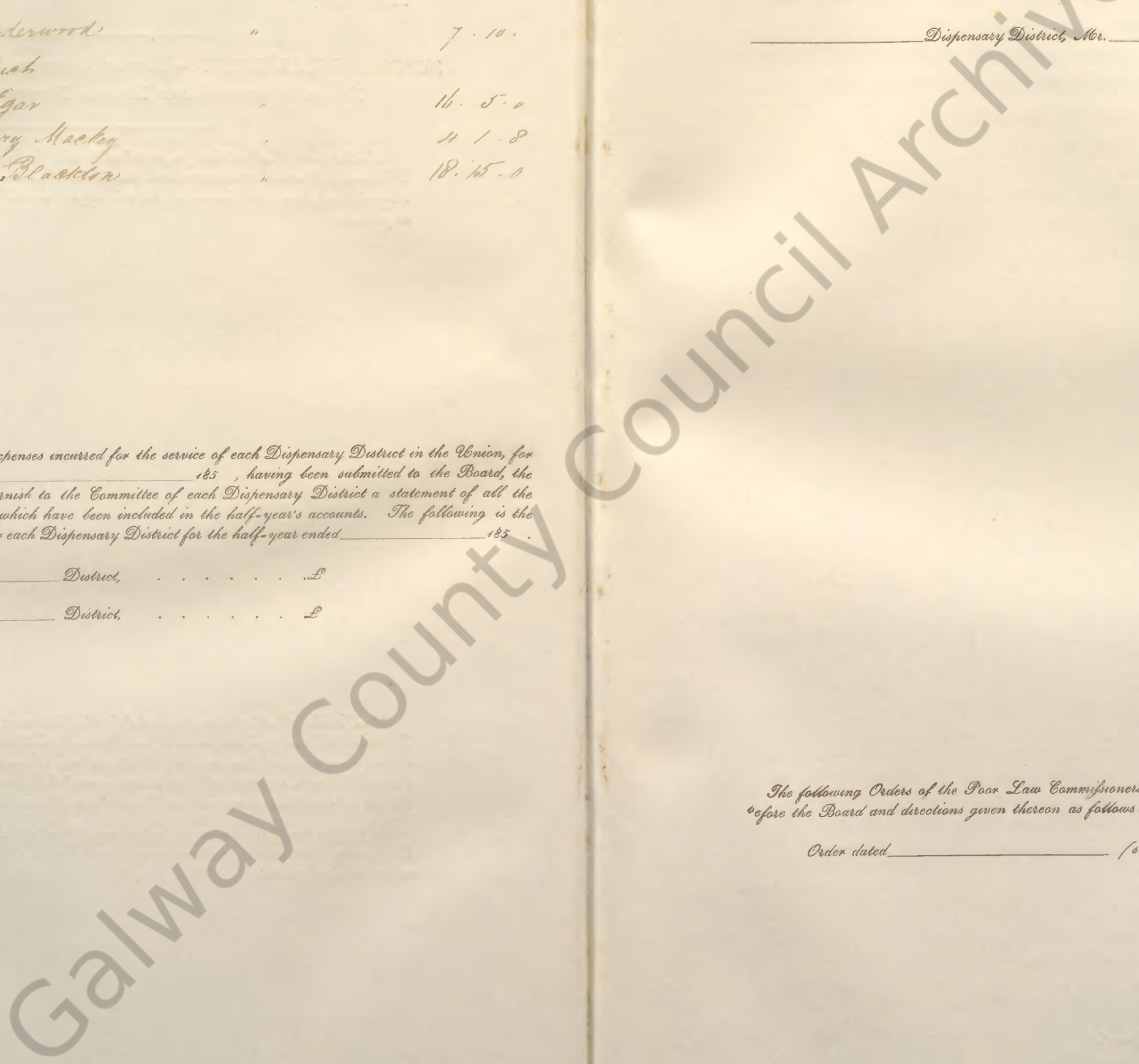
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee].

The Board elected the following Poate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Poeturn 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 the Secy of Bullman dist<sup>d</sup> dated 12<sup>th</sup> Dec<sup>r</sup> stating that

Enclosing resolution, passed at first meeting of Committee held on the 12<sup>th</sup> inst as follows

- Resolved that Lord Dunstable be appointed ch<sup>m</sup> and J<sup>r</sup> Smith Esq Secy
- That Denis O'Leary be appointed hon. Sec, and J<sup>r</sup> Talbot Esq. hon. Sec.
- That the committee meet at Bullman on every alternate Tuesday at 12 o'clock and that the next meeting be on Tuesday the 26<sup>th</sup>
- The committee having taken the question of the necessary accommodation to be afforded to the poor into their full consideration, feel that ample accommodation will be afforded by another dispensary, and that to be fixed at a point between the chapel of Cullin and Killeenadema the committee feel supported in this view by a comparison with the accommodation already afforded by the Bullman dispensary, and the committee find that taking a point between the Cullin and Killeenadema chapels as a centre, the most distant place from thence will not be greater than the most distant point from Bullman in other directions that cannot be accommodated by his dispensary. The committee therefore see no reason to incur the additional expense of a third dispensary as it could afford no additional advantage to the poor of one half the district already fully accommodated by the Bullman dispensary.
- That therefore a dispensary be opened forthwith at a new site between Cullin and Killeenadema and that a house be taken there for that purpose
- That the committee are of opinion that as the Bullman dist<sup>d</sup> is no longer required, the fixtures & medicines here should be transferred to the Killeenadema dispensary. That the days and hours of attendance of the Medical Officer be every Tuesday at Bullman and every Friday at Killeenadema from 11 to 3 o'clock

(Signed)

*John Smith*  
*Philip Newman*

Clerk of the Union.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 16<sup>th</sup> day of December 1854.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . . . .	1000	350												
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	100	47												
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .														
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .														
Total, . . . . .	1100	397												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			32	101	12	24	74	70	42	10	25	405	In Work-house Hospital, In Fever Hospital	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates,
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			1	2					1			4		
TOTAL, . . . . .			34	103	12	24	74	70	43	10	25	409	Total, . . . . .	Total, . . . . .
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			1	7								2		
Died, . . . . .				1								1		
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			1	8								2		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			33	95	12	24	74	70	43	10	23	347		

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 23 day of December 1854

PRESENT: In the Chair, James Smith Esq  
Other Guardians: Messrs W. Dwyer, Wm. Conroy, Durling, Egan, Taylor, Ginnon & M. J. Signal

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 480 to No. 484, 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, - - - - - £16. 19. 10

Paid during the week, - - - - - £103. 14. 3

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £229. 10. 5

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
John Cooper	Little														
	Bilcompton	14	3												
	Lackley														
	Castletown	3	13	2											
	Perrycote														
	Wickham														
	Loughrea	14	6												
	Mountain	6	7		19		3						105	5	3
	Benjamin Smith	Hillmoss													
		France													
Greenfield															
Maguire															
Almora															
Quinquetton															
Rednaustan															
Patrick Burke		Kubleton													
		Quamby													
		Loughmuck													
	Ward														
	Bedlinagar														
	Stilgithen	14	2												
	Moyode	2	8	5											
	Wafn														
	Patrick Arkelley	Craughwell	18	3		11		11							
		Stullane													
Stilmeen															
Stilmeekle															
John Birmingham		Weston													
		Almora													
		Cappalush													
		Ward													
		Stilmeekle													
John Dislane		Dracklagh													
	Lubrin														
	Stilmeekle														
				23	1	1				147	15	8			

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 23 - 14 s. 7 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 23 - 14 - 7

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 2 - 5 - 4

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - - - - -

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

Bread	181 3/4	Soap	112 1/2
Meat	80 -	Wool (andies)	5 -
Sweet milk	1100 -		
Tea	3 -		
Sugar	14 -		
Flour	14 -		
Rice	112 -		
Peas	2 -		
Arrowroot	14 -		
Pur	100 -		
Landis	2 - 1/2		

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

Mr. Keenan's bill under adjustment order	28	1	-
Mr. Keenan's bill under adjustment order	1	11	6
Mr. Keenan's bill under adjustment order	2	-	-
Mr. Keenan's bill under adjustment order	1	-	-

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

Thomas, Mullaville 100  
 Thomas, Mulligan 10

£	s.	d.
2	5	2
2	5	1

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

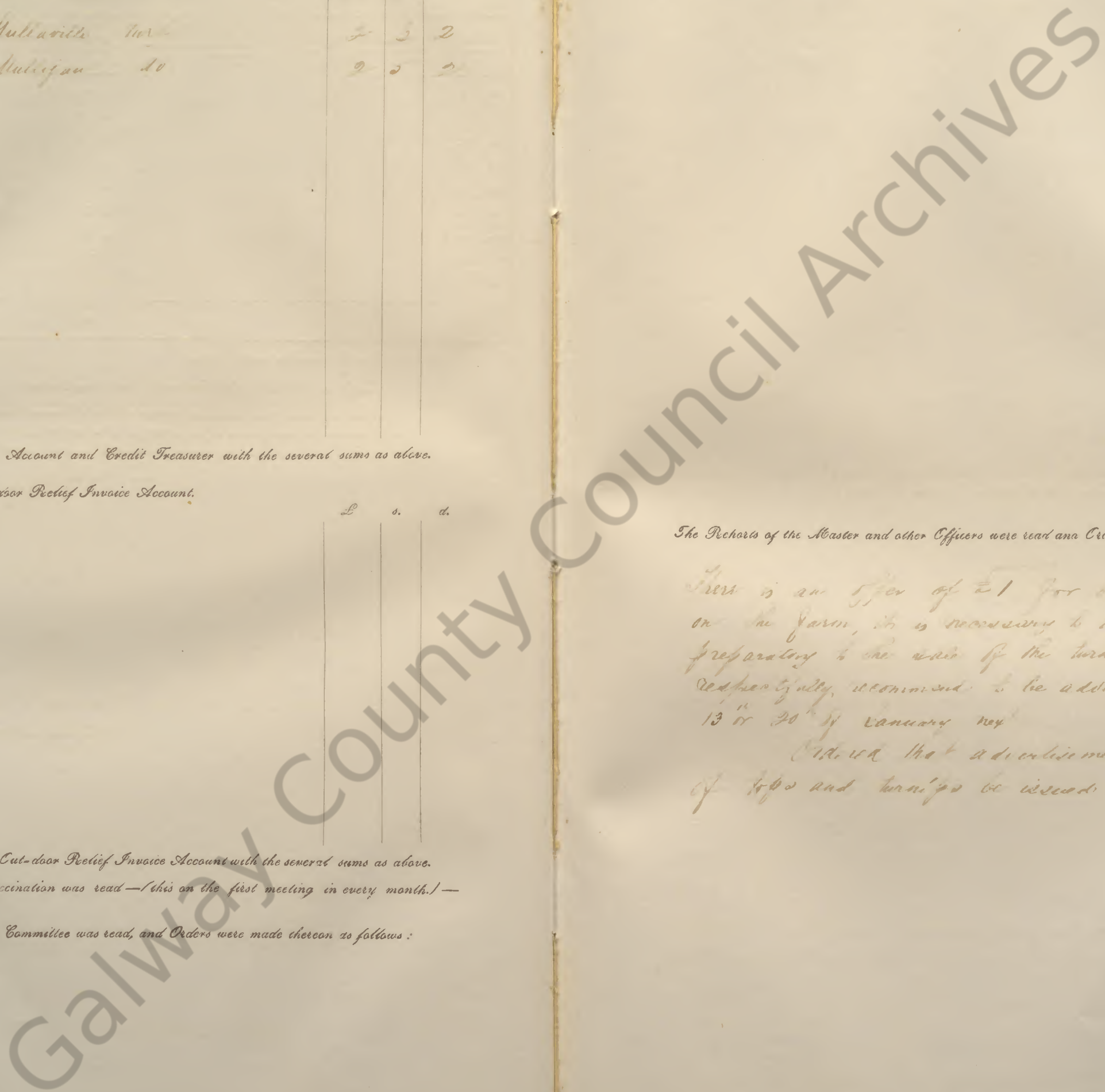
The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first meeting in every month.)—  
Number of successful cases.

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

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

There is an offer of £1 for the crop top of the turnips  
 on the farm, it is necessary to dispose of them immediately  
 preparatory to the sowing of the turnips which I would  
 respectfully recommend to be advertised for sale on the  
 13<sup>th</sup> or 20<sup>th</sup> of January next

Ordered that advertisements for the sale by auction  
 of tops and turnips be issued to take place on the 13<sup>th</sup> Jan<sup>ry</sup>



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

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

Letter No 49, D.D. dated 15 Decr.

Enclosing quere forms for answers by the collectors to be appointed for the new rate

From Commissioners of National Education, inquiring from Mr. Factors what, on his recent inspection of the house school, - The teachers are efficient and fair progress has been made by the children

From the Clerk of Ballina, Co. Wick enclosing copy of resolution of that Board requesting that the Clerk of this Union be directed to attend next meeting of their Board with a cheque for the amount due this Union will be handed him in exchange for a cheque of this Board for the sum due them

A cheque was given to the Clerk for the amount due of the debt of this Union to Ballina, Co. Wick and he was directed to attend the meeting of the Ballina, Co. Wick Board on Wednesday in compliance with their request that the necessary exchange of cheque and receipt, may be made

The tenders for the collection of the new rate having been opened, the following were accepted

Garrett Burke to collect No 3 district @ 6 <sup>d</sup> in the £			
Nicholas Linsley " No 4 " " d <sup>o</sup> d <sup>o</sup>			
Patrick Kellon " No 5 " " d <sup>o</sup> d <sup>o</sup>			
John Birmingham " No 6 " " d <sup>o</sup> d <sup>o</sup>			
John Dwyer " No 7 " " d <sup>o</sup> d <sup>o</sup>			

The following resolutions were adopted in reference to districts nos. 1 and 2

Resolved, - That we for those appointing collectors for the two collections of Longhrea and Ahenny for a fortnight, that collectors Ferguson and Smith may in the mean time collect the arrears and be prepared to account for the sums then outstanding

A tender from Richard O'Neill to collect the Longhrea district @ 3<sup>d</sup> in the £ having been read

Resolved, - That Richards O'Neills proposal to collect the rate @ 3<sup>d</sup> in the £ be submitted to the Commissioners for their opinion they having upon the occasion of his appointment to collect the last rate refused their sanction to such

The other collectors are allowed 6<sup>d</sup> in the £ there being no lower tenders except in the Longhrea district

Advertisements for new tenders for the collection of districts nos 1 and 2 are to be issued, to be assented this day fortnight

*[Signature]*

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	-	-	-	-
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-	-	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	-	-	-

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Monday* the  
*30<sup>th</sup>* day of *December* 1854.

(Signed) *Wm. J. McKeown*  
Clerk of the Union.

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Longford  
UNION, on Monday day, the 27 day of June 1854,  
—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.; and  
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Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon  
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ordered to be supplied:*

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

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

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

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

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

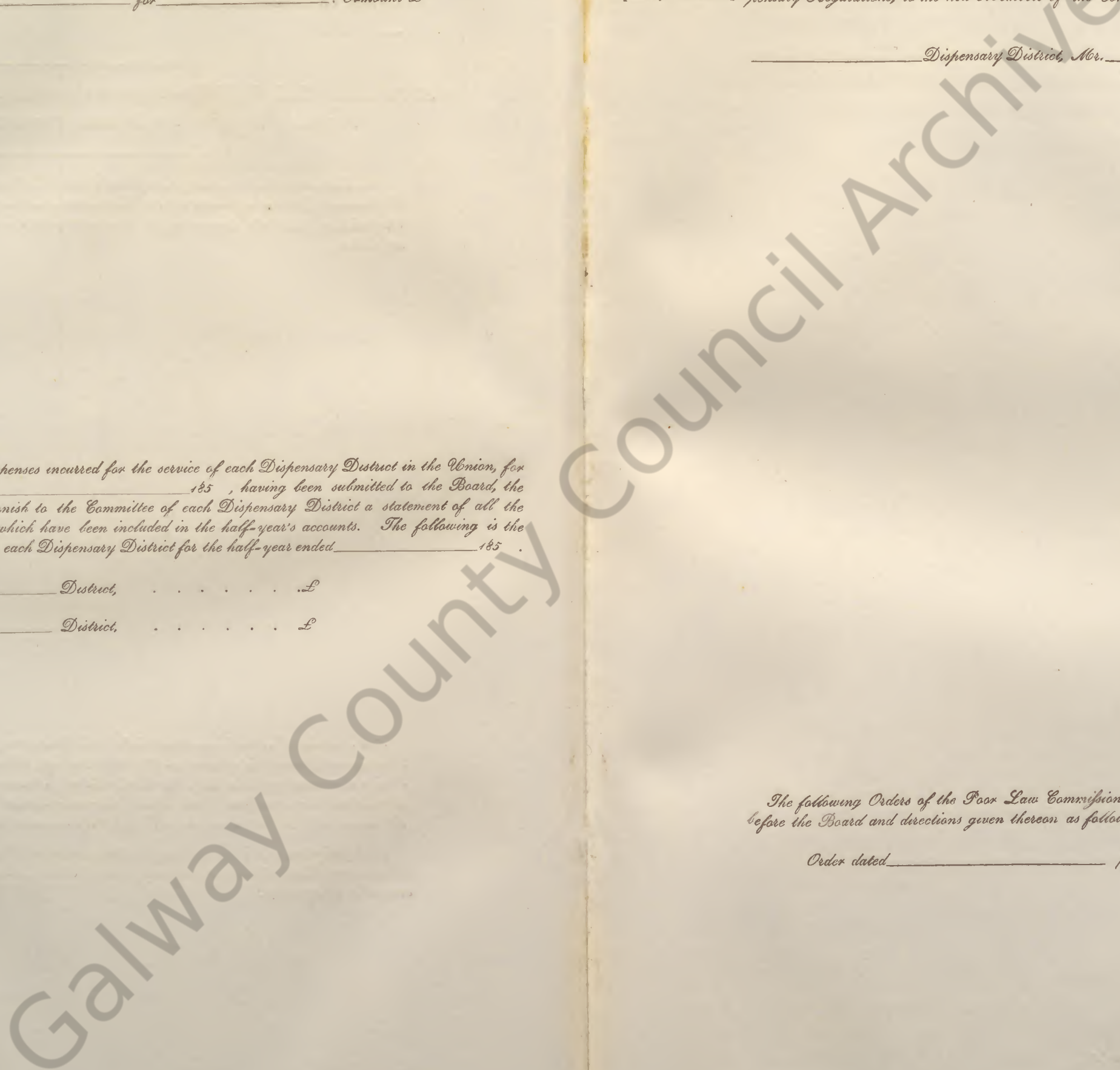
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee].

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

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



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

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

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 28<sup>th</sup> day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1854

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 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.				Total.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Workhouse, . . . . .	1020	830													
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	150	41													
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .															
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .															
Fever Sheds, . . . . .															
<b>Total, . . . . .</b>	<b>1170</b>	<b>871</b>													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			35	45	12	21	77	78	43	13	23	31	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates,	
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			2	5							3	11			
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>37</b>	<b>50</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>77</b>	<b>78</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>Total, . . . . .</b>	<b>Total, . . . . .</b>	
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .				11					2		2	15			
Died, . . . . .												1			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .				11					2		2	16			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			35	39	12	21	77	78	41	13	23	31			

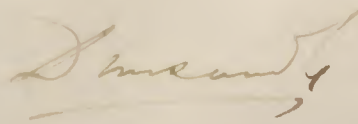
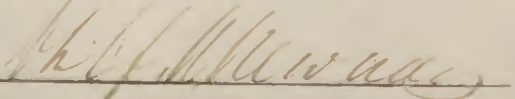
RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
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COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of December 1854

PRESENT: In the Chair, Lord Bunscombe  
Other Guardians: James Smith Esq & John Dwyer

Galway County

  
 (Signed)  
  
 Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

*Michael Kelly and Anne O'Connell*

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 485 to No. 475, 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 Vest reported he had with the Treasurer £585.6.11 the amount of the debt of the Ballinacree Union under grant of just order

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, - - - - - £585.6.11

Paid during the week, - - - - - £50.11.10

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £704.5.11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

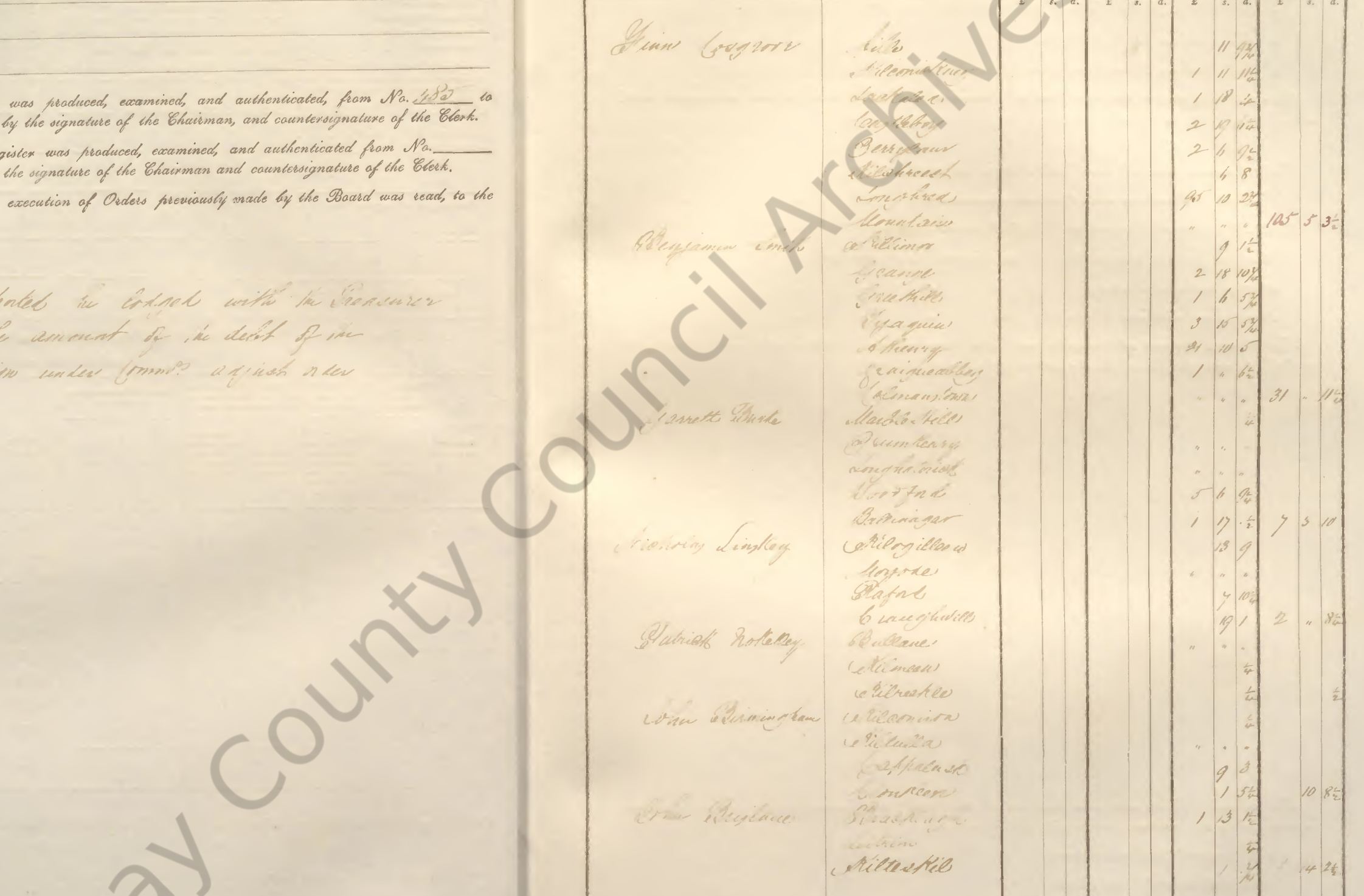
The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
<i>James Cooper</i>	<i>Wills</i>								11	9	1/2			
	<i>Silkenhill</i>								1	11	1/2			
	<i>Longford</i>								1	18	3/4			
	<i>Berrigane</i>								2	17	3/4			
	<i>Widdoway</i>								2	6	9/2			
	<i>Longwood</i>								4	8				
	<i>Mountain</i>								95	10	2 1/2			
<i>Benjamin Smith</i>	<i>Widdoway</i>											105	5	3 1/2
	<i>Widdoway</i>								9	1 1/2				
	<i>Widdoway</i>								2	18	10 1/2			
	<i>Widdoway</i>								1	6	5 1/2			
	<i>Widdoway</i>								3	10	5 1/2			
	<i>Widdoway</i>								21	10	5			
	<i>Widdoway</i>								1	6	5 1/2			
<i>James Smith</i>	<i>Widdoway</i>											31	11	1/2
	<i>Widdoway</i>													
	<i>Widdoway</i>													
	<i>Widdoway</i>								5	6	9 1/2			
	<i>Widdoway</i>								1	17	5 1/2	7	3	10
<i>Stephen Lindsay</i>	<i>Widdoway</i>								13	9				
	<i>Widdoway</i>													
	<i>Widdoway</i>								4	10 1/2				
<i>Jubiah Hotalley</i>	<i>Widdoway</i>								19	1	2			8 1/2
	<i>Widdoway</i>													
	<i>Widdoway</i>													
<i>John Birmingham</i>	<i>Widdoway</i>													
	<i>Widdoway</i>													
	<i>Widdoway</i>													
	<i>Widdoway</i>								9	3				
	<i>Widdoway</i>								1	5 1/2		10	8 1/2	
<i>John Bejlane</i>	<i>Widdoway</i>								1	3	1 1/2			
	<i>Widdoway</i>													
	<i>Widdoway</i>								1	1	2 1/2		4	2 1/2

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

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



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

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 32. 1. 7

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 1- 6 5

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 2. 8

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -

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

Bread	680 lbs	Butter	20 lbs
Meat	76 "	Candles	12 "
Patmeal	10 cut	Starch	4 "
Sweet Corn	1100 qts	Blue	1 "
Tea	3 lbs	Mouldflour	3 "
Sugar	14 "		
Pepper	1 "		
Rye meal	20 cut		
Barley meal	20 "		
Wine	3 bottles		

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.						Bt. forward					
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Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

The Clerk's Expense, under Parliamentary Votes, Act for 1854

20

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

John MacLoughlin turf

£	s.	d.
8	5	10

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

The Guardians being desirous of having all balances existing in favor of and against this Union under adjustment, orders cleared off, again beg to call the attention of the Commission to the debt due this Union by the Govt Board of Guardians (amt £241. 5. 7<sup>1/2</sup>) and in doing so beg to refer the Commission to their letter No 24,337 dated in 2<sup>d</sup> August enclosing copy of resolution of Govt Guardians stating that provision for its payment would be included in their next estimate, - also to the Minutes of this Board of the 4<sup>th</sup> November urging upon the Comm<sup>rs</sup> the necessity of their causing this sum to be paid, any reply to which (in reference to the sum due of Govt Union) the Guardians have not since received, - they ~~will~~ hope the attention of the Commission will be most directed to the matter that further delay in its settlement may be avoided.

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

As the Master being temporarily ill, no report was received from him



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

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

Circular No. 1403, dated 27<sup>th</sup> Decr. 1852  
Calling for names, and ages, of any blind inmates  
who may be in the house

From the Ballinacloe Guardians forwarding  
Copy of their resolution passed at meeting of the  
27<sup>th</sup> Decr. 1852 asking the consideration of payment  
of a sum of £50.5.0<sup>0</sup> which they allege is equitably due  
by this Union

The resolution being read the Guardians of this  
Union very finally & state in reply that they are decidedly  
of opinion that there are no grounds whatever for the  
claim of £50 made by the Ballinacloe Guardians

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

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

Ditto disallowed - - - -

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

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

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the *6<sup>th</sup>*  
day of *January* 1855.

(Signed) *W. J. ...*  
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 London  
UNION, on 4th day, the 1st day of December 1854,  
—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 has forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical  
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

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

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

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

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]  
An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185\_\_\_\_, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185\_\_\_\_.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30<sup>th</sup> day of December 1854.

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, . . . . .	1171	240														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	177	55														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .																
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
Total, . . . . .	1171	240														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			35	88	12	21	80	78	41	13	23	391	In Work-house Hospital, . . . . .	In separate Wards, . . . . .		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			4	5			1				2	12	In Fever Hospital, . . . . .	In Wards with other inmates, . . . . .		
TOTAL, . . . . .			39	93	12	21	81	78	41	15	25	403	Total, . . . . .	Total, . . . . .		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .				3			2	1			1	7				
Died, . . . . .												1				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .				3			2	1			1	8				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			39	90	12	21	79	77	41	12	24	395				

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
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COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 6<sup>th</sup> day of January 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair, Sir Thomas Burke Bart  
 Other Guardians: James Smyth Esq. M.P. (Mr. Fahy J. Rogers Saylor, Kelly, Furlong, Lynch, Mr. Burke and Oliver Polphin  
 Captain Auband P.L.S.  
 Was in attendance

Galway County

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

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 496 to No. 517, 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 .. 0 .. 10

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 54 .. 10 .. 16

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 713 .. 15 .. 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.								
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.						
John Coughran	Allen										11	9	1/2						
	Milcomating										1	11	11/2						
	Lactaloo										1	18	4						
	Collaoy										2	19	6	1/2					
	Perunglan										2	6	9	1/2					
	Milbreest												6	8					
	Loughrea											9	5	10	2	10	5	2	
	Mountain											"	"	"					
	Benjamin Smith	Killinot			9	1	1/2					"	"	"					
		Grange	2	18	10														
Greathelm		"	"	"							1	6	5	3/4					
Lyngquin		"	"	"							3	15	5	3/4					
Atherry				18	10							20	11	7					
Graigieabbey		1	"	6								"	"	"					
Colmanstown		"	"	"				5	7	4		"	"	"	25	13	7		
Garretts Burke		Harbels Hill																	
		Bruon Keary										"	"	"					
		Loughalmoish										"	"	"					
	Wardol										5	6	9	1/2					
	Balunagar										1	17	1	1/2		7	3	10	
	Nicholas Linskey	Killogilgan											13	9					
		Moyle										"	"	"					
		Dafin											7	10	1/4				
		Loughwell											19	1			2	8	
		Patrick McKelley	Bulleane										"	"	"				
Milmeau																			
Kiltraekle																			
John Birmingham			Milsonion																
			Killallen																
			Loughal											9	3				
	Leontow												1	5	1/4		10	8	
	John Drigland		Prospectagh											1	13	1	1/2		
			Leitrim																
			Kiltraekle											1	7	1/4		1	14
									5	7	4						122	8	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.
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By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 30 . 9 s. 3/4 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 34 . 13 . 3 1/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1 . 8

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2 . 7 1/4

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -

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

Bread	68 1/2
Meat	75
Sweet milk	105 0 1/2
Tea	3 1/2
Sugar	14
Pepper	1 1/2
Turf	30 1/2
Candles	12
Mould (candles)	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 Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

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

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

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
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No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forward.					TOTAL.				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

12 Guardians of Galway Union			
See them under adjut. order	83	14	5
The Guardians of Swan Union			
do do	57		2
		15	

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

## 3. Warehouse Invoice Account

£	s.	d.

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

## 4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

The Clerk was directed to issue a copy of the 4<sup>th</sup> edition of the Collector's Manual to each of the collectors a supply of which was ordered for the purpose.

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

The Wine Whiskey and Poter supplied by the contractor Mr McCarty, is found to be of an inferior quality and not according to sample.

The lard lately supplied by the contractor Mr McCarty I have rejected as being of a very inferior quality and also some of the milk but have not as yet resorted to the market which I generally find to be a very good caution the price there being double the contract.

The Clerk was directed to inform Mr McCarty of the report which the Master found it necessary to make respecting his supplies and the Master was directed to have recourse to the market for the purchase of supplies required instead of those rejected.

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:)

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 43,937 dated 5<sup>th</sup> January  
Sanctioning the appointments of Messrs. Farrell, Burke, Nicholas, Lindsey, Patrick, Astley, John, Whittingham and John, Wislane, respectively as collectors of poor rates

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 43,669 dated 5<sup>th</sup> January  
Stating in reference to the proposal of Mr. O'Keefe and the resolution of the guardians on the subject that on consideration of the circumstances connected with Mr. O'Keefe's collection the Commissioners are not prepared to sanction approval of his being entrusted with a warrant for the collection of the new rates

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 103 dated 5<sup>th</sup> January  
Stating that the Commissioners have again addressed the fat guardians on the subject of their debt to this Union referred to on minutes of the 30<sup>th</sup> ultimo

From the Clerk of Galway Union asking payment of the balance due that Union under adjustment order

From the Clerk of Tuam Union on a similar subject

Cheques for the amount of the debts to both Unions were drawn to be forwarded in payment

In consequence of no progress having been made in the recovery of arrears due on the district of Collector Henry Loggins and he having stated to the Board that such was owing to the postponement by the Magistrate of the hearing of summonses brought out him against defaulters, until the 18<sup>th</sup> inst. and no report having been received from the Committee to whom the arrest sheets of collector Benjamin Smith were referred for examination. The appointments of collectors for the districts Nos. 1 and 2 was postponed to this day fortnight the 20<sup>th</sup> inst.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - -  
 Ditto disallowed - - - - -  
 The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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*M. J. O'Connell*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the  
*13<sup>th</sup>* day of *January* 1855.

(Signed) *P. J. O'Connell*  
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 Londonderry  
UNION, on Saturday day, the 15 day of January 1855,  
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]  
An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185\_\_\_\_, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185\_\_\_\_

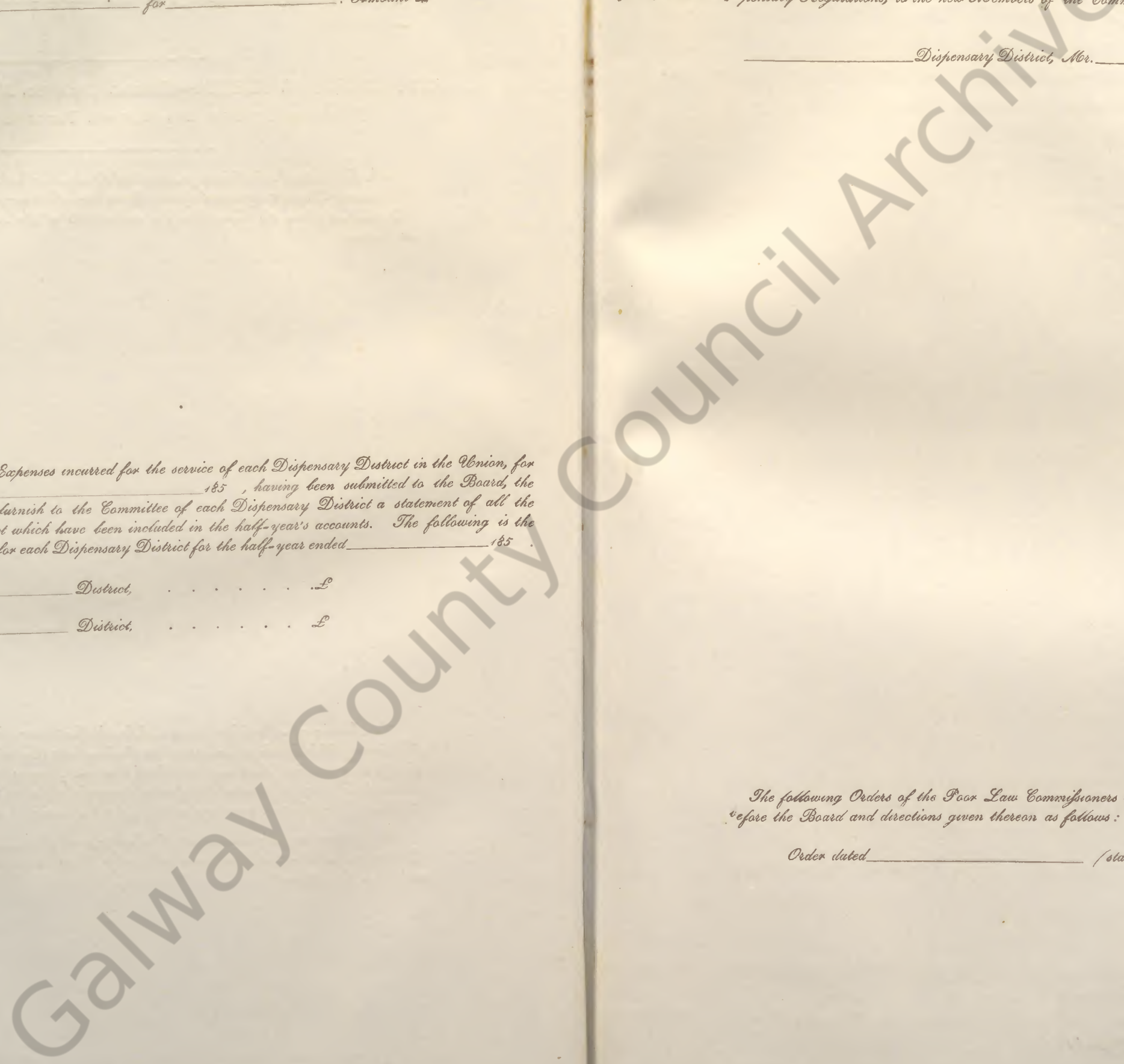
_____ District	.....	£
_____ District	.....	£

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

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

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

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





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

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

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(Signed)

*[Handwritten Signature]*  
Clerk of the Union.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *6<sup>th</sup>* day of *January* 185*5*.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . . . .	<i>1000</i>	<i>270</i>												
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	<i>100</i>	<i>53</i>												
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .														
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .														
Total, . . . . .	<i>1100</i>	<i>412</i>												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			<i>39</i>	<i>94</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>79</i>	<i>77</i>	<i>41</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>38</i>		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			<i>6</i>	<i>11</i>				<i>3</i>	<i>1</i>		<i>2</i>	<i>27</i>		
TOTAL, . . . . .			<i>45</i>	<i>105</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>83</i>	<i>80</i>	<i>42</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>65</i>		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			<i>4</i>	<i>3</i>			<i>2</i>					<i>7</i>		
Died, . . . . .								<i>1</i>				<i>1</i>		
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			<i>4</i>	<i>3</i>			<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>				<i>8</i>		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			<i>41</i>	<i>97</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>81</i>	<i>79</i>	<i>42</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>57</i>		

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Monday* the *15<sup>th</sup>* day of *January* 185*5*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Lord Curzon*

Other Guardians: *Mr. Ho. Smith, Mr. James Smith, Mr. J. H. White, Mr. J. Black, Mr. G. Green, Mr. F. Brown, Mr. D. Clark, Mr. E. Evans*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. \_\_\_\_\_ 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, - - - - - £. . . . .

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

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 93-15-6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
John Taylor	St. Andrew's												
	St. James's												
	St. John's												
	St. Peter's												
	St. Paul's												
	St. George's												
	St. Michael's												
	St. Nicholas's												
	St. Martin's												
	St. Elizabeth's												
Richard Smith	St. Andrew's												
	St. James's												
	St. John's												
	St. Peter's												
	St. Paul's												
	St. George's												
	St. Michael's												
	St. Nicholas's												
	St. Martin's												
	St. Elizabeth's												
Thomas Brown	St. Andrew's												
	St. James's												
	St. John's												
	St. Peter's												
	St. Paul's												
	St. George's												
	St. Michael's												
	St. Nicholas's												
	St. Martin's												
	St. Elizabeth's												
Total											112	8	6

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 21 " 2 s. 6 d.

£      s.      d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was                      £ 21 - 6 - 8

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was                      £ 1 - 6 - 2

Average cost in Infirmary,                      £ 2 - 8 - 2

Average cost in Fever Hospital,                      £                      -                      -                      -

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

Beer	10 00	Arrow root	24 00
Meat	80 -	Lard	48 00
Whisky	22 00	Yards	12 00
Loaf milk	118 00	Loaf	12 00
Tea	4 00	Shoulder	3 00
Sugar	21 -		
Wine	10 -		
Butter	1 00		
Oil	3 00		
Soap	2 00		
Salts	1 00		

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.                      £      s.      d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

*John Hunt*

£	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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

The Master reported at the instance of the Committee, that the  
 Schoolmaster had submitted by presenting and delivering  
 conduct given to the master instructions in the discharge of his duty.  
 The guardians made an enquiry into the matter, and  
 the schoolmaster, he when asked after a report of the committee, stated  
 he was well and was not interfering with the management of  
 the school.

The guardians having heard the statement of the  
 Master, and the children that the committee were given an  
 unkindly feeling existing between him — they informed  
 the schoolmaster that should any complaint of any kind  
 be made they would feel bound to call upon him to state  
 his explanation and they requested the Master and  
 Master of the same means to ensure that the children  
 the present was well and that such a condition of  
 the school management and discipline of the  
 Establishment.

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

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

- Circular N<sup>o</sup> 516 dated 8<sup>th</sup> January
- Calling for returns of several rates and other accounts
- Circular N<sup>o</sup> 513 dated 8<sup>th</sup> January
- Calling for particulars of payments on account of first instalment of annuities
- Circular N<sup>o</sup> 512 dated 8<sup>th</sup> January
- Like as to second instalment of annuities
- Circular N<sup>o</sup> 511 dated 8<sup>th</sup> January
- Calling for returns in the form of certain particulars relative to workhouse schools since 1846
- Circular N<sup>o</sup> 510 dated 8<sup>th</sup> January
- Calling for returns of number of cases of disease (Cholera) and Typhoid in Union during 1847
- Letter N<sup>o</sup> 509 dated 12<sup>th</sup> January
- Enclosure of the Board of Guardians in reference to the payment of the debt due this Union by them
- The resolution bears the first of May next as the period of payment

I saw the Commissioners of the Board of Guardians Requesting attendance of the Sub-Commissioner to be present in the Model Schools in Dublin

The Sub-Commissioner stated he was unprepared to avail himself of the summons

A memorial praying the dissolution of the Pottery Union and a division of the townlands comprised therein between the Longhrea and Ballinacree Unions was adopted by the Board and signed by the Chairman

*[Signature]*

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	-	-	-
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	-	-

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday* the  
*20<sup>th</sup>* day of *January* 1855.

(Signed) *Philip Moran*  
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 Leighlin  
UNION, on Saturday day, the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of January 1855,  
—continued.

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

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the \_\_\_\_\_  
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a  
Proquisition 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 has 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:*

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Langford  
UNION, on Saturday, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of January 1855,  
—continued.

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

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

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the  
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of  
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to  
forward the same, or reported that he has 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. Roll Power for 24<sup>th</sup> Oct 1853: Amount £ 8. 0. 0

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]  
An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185.

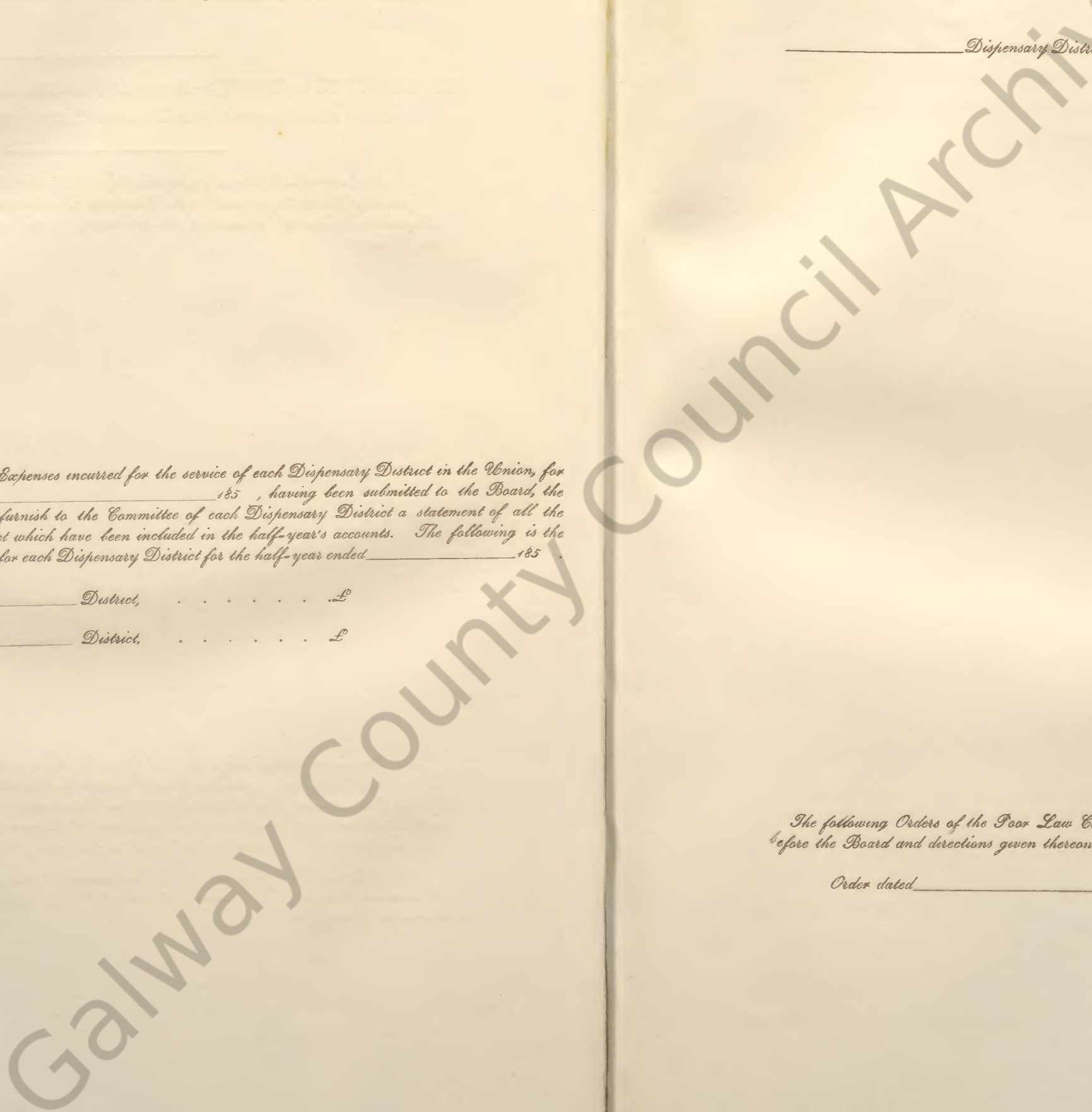
_____ District	.....	£
_____ District	.....	£

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

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

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

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



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

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

Population in 1851, 28,698

Present Net Annual Value, £ 27,000

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 12<sup>th</sup> day of January 1851.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.						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.	In Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.								
Workhouse, . . .	1000	380																
Temporary Buildings, . .	100	43																
Additional Workhouse, . .																		
Permanent Fever Hospital, .																		
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																		
Total, . . . . .		1100	423															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			41	48	12	21	81	17	42	12	26	112						
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			8	6			3	1			6	30						
TOTAL, . . . . .			49	54	12	24	84	18	42	12	32	142						
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .								5				10						
Died, . . . . .												1						
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			8	4				5				11						
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			44	50	12	24	81	13	42	12	22	132						

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.							Et. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
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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 \_\_\_\_\_ the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1851.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *John Henry White Esq.*  
 Other Guardians: *Joseph Peter White Esq., James Kelly Esq., James Gurlong Esq., John Gallo Esq., Benjamin Taylor Esq., Michael Brennan and Henry Colfer.*

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

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 35 to No. 38, 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, - - - - - £222 .. 5 ..

And that the Balance on the Account in *Genl.* of the Guardians was - £170 .. 11 ..

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
James Green	Alles									11	9				
	Kilaministree									1	11	11			
	Leckard	1	4								14				
	Cothelers	1	10	6							1	7	6		
	Partridge		19	3							1	7	6		
	Kilministree														
	(unfilled)	5	7	2							90	3			
Diamin Smith	Unfilled				9		11						96	4	5
	Whittier														
	Unfilled										1	6	5		
	Unfilled									8	5	5			
	Unfilled									10	11	7			
	Unfilled												25	13	7
	Unfilled														
Harold Parke	Manthill														
	Prumthorn														
	Loughatree														
	Worjod									5	6	9			
	Polinagar									1	17	5		7	
	Belogillan										13				
	Mynde														
Robert Archer	Kalnd									7	10				
	Caughwell									17	1		2	8	
	Stogran														
	Winnan														
John Birmingham	Althorn														
	Althorn														
	Althorn														
	Althorn														
John Taylor	Althorn														
	Althorn														
	Althorn									1	13	1		11	
	Althorn														
												1	14	5	
				9		11				133	7	5			

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 42 . 12 s. 10 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 33 . 4 . 10 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2 . 7 1/4

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -

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

Bread	400 0	Candles	12 1/2
Meat	75	Mould candles	3 ..
Butter	13 1/2		
Indian meal	150 0		
Tea	4 1/2		
Sugar	2 1/2		
Stew	14 3		
Pepper	1 1/2		
Boiled meal	20 1/2		
Raw meal	20		
Soap	15 10 1/2		

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.	W. Hunter	5.0			No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

Thomas Callanan Shaw

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

2. Establishment Account.

P. Newman by J. Ballinastoe 2 6  
 Patrick Kelly linen 0 0  
 John Callanan iron work 7 6  
 Thomas Lally boiler 2 11

	£	s.	d.
	2	6	
	0	0	
	7	6	
	2	11	

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

	£	s.	d.
William Ford, milk	7	10	11
Lawrence Ind. do	9	7	11
John Mean do	3	17	9
William Power do	7	6	1
Salto Ridge do	1	17	2

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

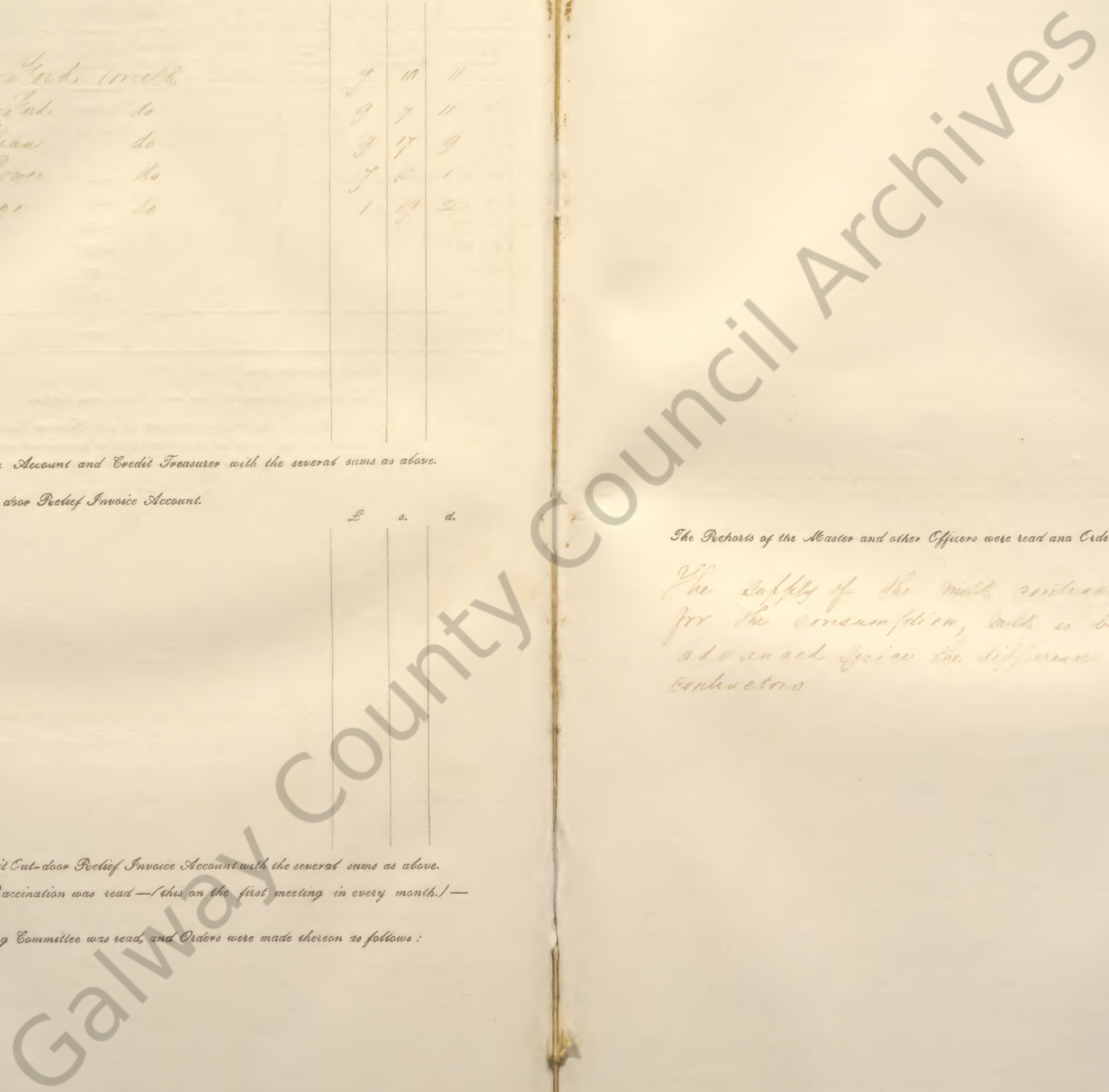
Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

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

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

The supply of the milk contractors being insufficient for the consumption, milk is being purchased at an advanced price the difference to be charged to the contractors



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

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

Circular No 22 dated 13<sup>th</sup> January  
Stating that the entire information required on forms transmitted on the 6<sup>th</sup> inst. had not yet been made out for the Commissioners

Circular No 20 dated 17<sup>th</sup> January  
Containing instructions for the guidance of the Returning Officer in conducting the approaching election of Guardians for 1855

In consequence of the absence of the Clerk, chairman the election of collectors did not take place but was postponed to the day week



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

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

Ditto disallowed - - - - -

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

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

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the  
*27<sup>th</sup>* day of *January* 185*5*.  
(Signed) *Wm. J. O'Connell*  
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 London  
UNION, on Saturday, the 20th day of January 1858,  
—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 has 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:)

Loughrea Dispensary District  
Account of Mr. P. P. P. for Salary: Amount £ 1. 0. 0

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Population in 1851, *31,670*

Present Net Annual Value, £ *5,640.15.0*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 1855

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 9 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, . . . . .	<i>100</i>	<i>260</i>														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	<i>100</i>	<i>86</i>														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .																
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
Total, . . . . .	<i>100</i>	<i>416</i>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, } as per last Return, . . . . .			<i>14</i>	<i>100</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>81</i>	<i>80</i>	<i>113</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>33</i>	<i>42</i>	In Work-house } <i>62</i>	In separate } <i>14</i>		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			<i>3</i>	<i>2</i>			<i>1</i>					<i>6</i>	In Hospital } <i>6</i>	In Fever } <i>6</i>		
TOTAL, . . . . .			<i>47</i>	<i>102</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>82</i>	<i>80</i>	<i>113</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>32</i>	<i>48</i>	Total, . <i>62</i>	Total, . <i>14</i>		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			<i>5</i>	<i>5</i>								<i>12</i>				
Died, . . . . .												<i>2</i>				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			<i>5</i>	<i>6</i>								<i>4</i>				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			<i>12</i>	<i>96</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>82</i>	<i>80</i>	<i>113</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>46</i>				

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Saturday* the *27<sup>th</sup>* day of *January* 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Sir Tho' S. Burke Bart. M.P.*

Other Guardians: *Quilley Perce Esg, Jas Smyth Esg, Messrs J. Saly & Esau W. Rogers, B. Taylor Tho. Glenn, Jas. Dunlop W. Kelly, Dolphins & J. J. Lohdell*

(Signed)

*Wm. M. Munn*  
Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 557 to No. 564, 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, - - - - - £ 9 - 0 - 11

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 37 - 2 - 2

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 488 - 18 - 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 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.	
Finis Ferguson	Killee			11 7 5		
	Midway			1 11 10		
	Lactated			14 4		
	Coastbeg			1 9 5		
	Downglau			1 7 6		
	Millbrook			6 8		
	Loughrea			90 3 2		
	Mountain			" " "	96 4 4 1/2	
	Benjamin Smith	Millinor			" " "	
		Lyons			2	
Quashill				1 6 5 1/4		
Yacquin				3 15 5 1/2		
Athony				20 11 7		
Coaigueabeg				" " "	25 13 1 1/2	
Colmanstown				" " "		
Garrett Burke		Marble Hill			1/2	
		Quinberry			" " "	
		Loughalisk			" " "	
	Woodford			5 6 9 1/2		
	Nicholas Lindsay	Balvina gar			1 17 5 1/2	7 3 10
		Millgillow			13 9	
		Myfode			" " "	
		Raford			7 10 1/2	
	Patrick Atwell	Coaughwell			19 1	2 80
		Bullane			" " "	
Kilmee				1/2		
Millbrook				1/2		
John Birmingham	Millinor			1/2		
	Millinor			1/2		
	Cappanist			7 3		
John Driscoll	Colnbrook			1 5 1/2	11 5 1/2	
	Dracklagh			1 13 1 1/2		
	Loitum			1/2		
	Millbrook			1 2 1/2	1 11 1/2	
					133 7 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 £ 30 . 0 s. 11 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 34 . 0 . 14

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2 . 3 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -

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

Bread	760 lbs	Yeast	40 boxes
Meat	83 -	Candles	12 lbs
Indian meal	20 cwt	Mould Candles	3 "
Sweet milk	1200 qb		
Tea	3 "		
Sugar	14		
Starch	14		
Pepper	1		
Wine	3 bottles		
Whiskey	2 qts		
Arrow root	14 lbs		

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
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No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Robert May (rent of work house site)	29	0	9
J. Stanton for 3 wks salary	8	15	-
Margaret Lerridge nurse do	3	10	-
Bridget Fahy schoolmistress do	4	-	-
Joseph O'Brien bal <sup>ce</sup> of build <sup>g</sup> cont <sup>l</sup>	5	-	-

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

2. Establishment Account.

Finia (expense on acct of collection fees)	20	-	-
Benjamin Smith do	10	1	8
Pat. O'Leary Sundries	34	2	9

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



3. Workhouse Invoice Account

Robert McDonald bread  
John Mangan do

	£	s.	d.
Robert McDonald bread	28	5	2
John Mangan do	63	5	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:

Application having been made to the Guardians to admit sick militia men to the Workhouse infirmary on the same terms as the constabulary, namely at a charge of 10<sup>s</sup> per day during their illness, it was Resolved, That a ward in the infirmary be set apart for the treatment of the militia, on the adjutant guaranteeing the above payment for their maintenance.

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

Milk is still being purchased at an advanced price to meet the deficiency caused by contractors short supplies. A quantity of wool spun for men's clothing is required to be woven which can be done either by employing a weaver or sending it out to be woven.

Ordered, That the wool be given out to be woven at 2<sup>d</sup> per yard the usual price paid for weaving to be weighed both when being given out and taken back.

The Matron and Schoolmaster are ill and confined to their rooms these two days.

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 Letters for the collection of the new rate in the Athenry and Loughrea districts having been read, it was

Resolved, - That Benjamin Smith be appointed Collector of the Athenry district at a remuneration of £ in the £1 on the sum collected and John Cagrove for the Loughrea district at a similar remuneration.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	-	-	-
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	-	-

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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*[Handwritten signature]*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the  
*3<sup>rd</sup>* day of *February* 1853.

(Signed) *[Handwritten signature]*  
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 Loughrea  
UNION, on Saturday, the 27<sup>th</sup> day of January 1855,  
—continued.

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

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

*The depot at Millbreesh in the Loughrea  
district being now fitted up, the Clerk  
was directed to request that the Medical Officer  
will for the future attend there once in each  
week for the relief of the sick poor*

*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 has forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical  
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

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

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

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

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]  
An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185.

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

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[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

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(Signed)

*W. J. M. Newson*  
Clerk of the Union.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 185

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, 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 Idlots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . . . .	<i>1150</i>	<i>367</i>												
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	<i>107</i>	<i>57</i>												
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .														
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .														
Total, . . . . .	<i>1150</i>	<i>418</i>												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			<i>42</i>	<i>96</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>82</i>	<i>80</i>	<i>43</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>46</i>	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital, } <i>65</i>	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, }
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			<i>6</i>	<i>5</i>								<i>11</i>	Total, <i>65</i>	Total,
			<b>TOTAL,</b>	<b>48</b>	<b>101</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>82</b>	<b>80</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>427</b>	
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			<i>3</i>	<i>2</i>			<i>1</i>		<i>1</i>			<i>7</i>		
Died, . . . . .			<i>1</i>									<i>1</i>		
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			<i>4</i>	<i>2</i>			<i>1</i>		<i>1</i>			<i>7</i>		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			<i>44</i>	<i>99</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>81</i>	<i>80</i>	<i>42</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>418</i>		

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Saturday* the *3<sup>rd</sup>* day of *February* 185

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

*No Guardians being in attendance up to three o'clock the time for holding the meeting is expired*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.



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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. \_\_\_\_\_ 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, - - - - - £ 36. 1. 8

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 94 12. 11

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 422 7. 5

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
John Loggins	Mill		11	9 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>										
	Blackrock	1	11	11 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>										
	Lackan		10						4	4				
	Capinure		14	10 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>					9	2				
	Pinnacree	1	7	6 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>										
	Kilcree	"	"	"					6	8				
	Longhua	14	18	10 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	20	"	"	75	4	2 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	76	4	4 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	
	Mountain	"	"	"					"	"		"	"	
	Robert Smith	Killinor	"	"	"					"	"		"	"
		Grange	"	"	"					"	"		"	"
		Greenhill	1	6	5					"	"		"	"
		Lyagrin	2	19	4 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>					16	1 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>			
		Athensy	11	15	10 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>					8	15	8 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>		
		Crainaboy	"	"	"					"	"		"	"
Colmanstown		"	"	"	16	1	8		"	"		9	11	11 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
James Dunne		Marble Hill												
		Drumkeary												
		Longhale												
	Woodford								5	6	9 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>			
	Boonagar								1	17	5	7	3	10
	Richard Lindsay	Kilgiltinan								13	9			
		Moyode								"	"			
Raford									7	10 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>				
Cranghull									19	1	2		8 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	
Bulleane									"	"				
Patrick Ahtelley	Kilmee													
	Kilcree													
	Kilconion													
	Killallen													
John Birmingham	Cappalusk								9	3				
	Clontarf								1	5 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>			10	8 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>
	Franchugh								1	13	1 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>			
	Leitrim													
John Bristow	Kilteahill								1	2 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	1	14	2 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	
					36	1	8				97	5	9 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>	

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 £ 24. 13 s. 2 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 38. 8. 7 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2. 8

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -

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

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

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

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

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

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

Total, -

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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



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

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

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	-	-	-
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	-	-

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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*[Handwritten signature]*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the  
10<sup>th</sup> day of *Feb* 1855.

(Signed) *[Handwritten signature]*  
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 \_\_\_\_\_ day, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 185 ,  
—continued.

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

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

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

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



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

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

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]  
An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185 \_\_\_\_\_, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185 \_\_\_\_\_

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

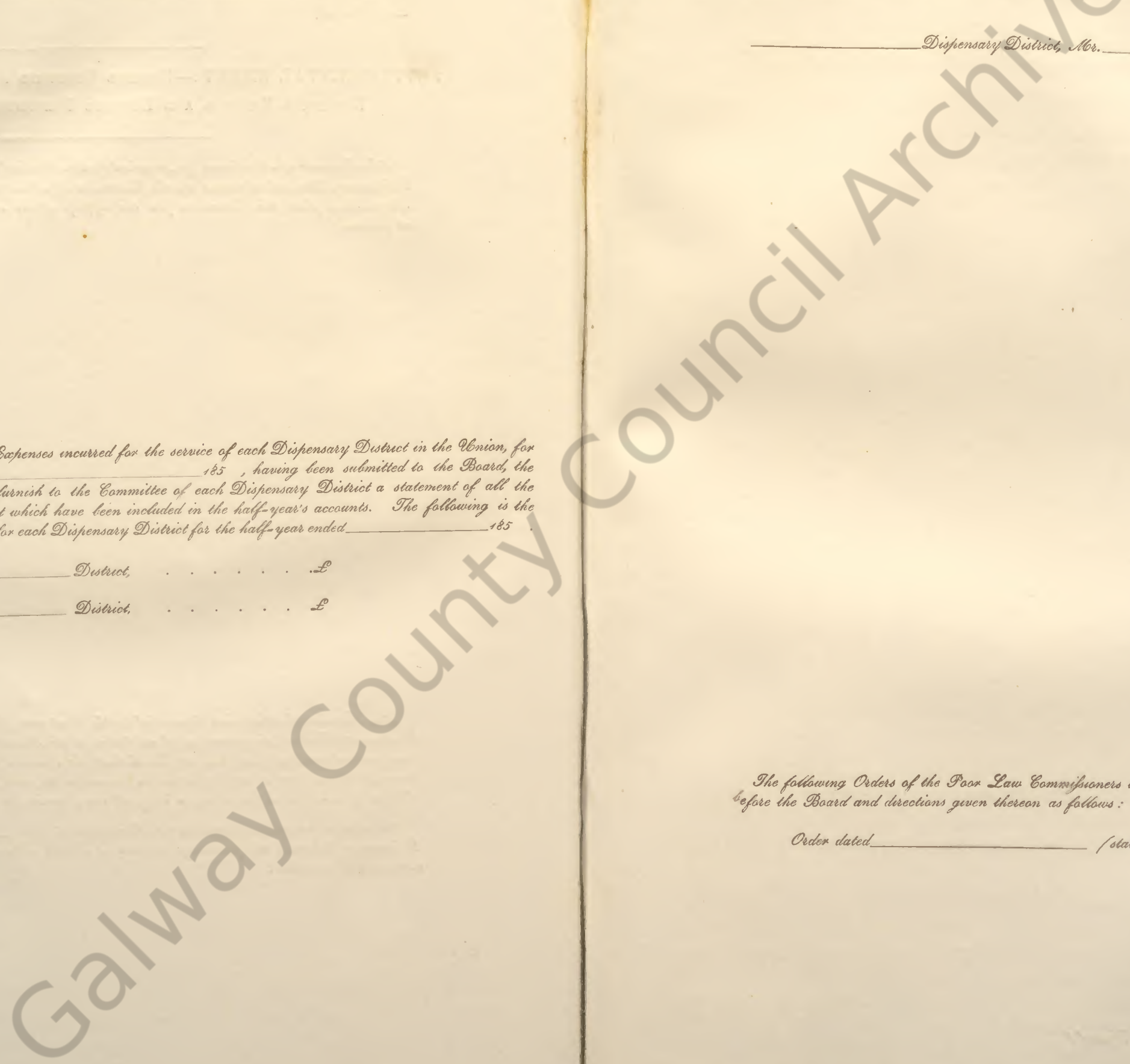
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee].

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

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

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

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



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

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

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(Signed)

*[Signature]*  
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851, 30,678

Present Net Annual Value, £57,245.15

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of February 1855.

Table with columns for accommodation types (Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, etc.), age groups (Able-bodied, Aged and Infirm, Boys and Girls, etc.), and RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS (Number in Hospital, No. of Lunatics, etc.).

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 10<sup>th</sup> day of February 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair, Lord Ousaulle

Other Guardians: James Smyth Esquire, Messrs J. J. Burke, J. J. Kelly, Denis Kelly & John Conroy

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 565 to No. 14, 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:

I have lodged with the Treasurer £1.15.0 a balance shown by the ledger to be due by Mr. Cillay for turpentine purchased in 1843

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, - - - - - £ 32: 18: 1

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 89: 16: 2

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 371: 7: 4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	

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 7 s. 9 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 34 3 6 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 2 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -

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

Bread	1600 lbs	Butter	10 lbs
Meat	166 -	Oil	100 lbs
Sweet milk	2500 gals	Apples	24 lbs
Tea	6 lbs	Soap	112 lbs
Wine	28 -	Starch	4 -
Beer	28 -	Washing soda	112 lbs
Boys' wear	200 -	Blue	1 1/2
Boys' shoes	20 -	Mouth handkerchiefs	
Wine	2 bottles		
Whisky	2 -		
Port	12 bottles		

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

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

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

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

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

Total -

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

Philip Newman	£ 20 0 0	20	0	0
St. Ignace	50	50	0	0
Thomas Redwood	50	50	0	0
J. Holmes	18 10	18	10	0
L. S. S. S.	7 10	7	10	0
A. P. P.	5	5	0	0
V. A. A.	1	1	0	0
John Mason	5	5	0	0
W. Hayes	5	5	0	0
William Green	5	5	0	0
Robert Brown	5	5	0	0

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

	£	s.	d.
John P. ... 3 mo salary	3	0	0
To ...	3	0	0
J. ...	3	0	0
Robert ...	2	0	0

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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The ... was allowed ... for ... days

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

I have received from Mr ... of the ...  
£25 5 7 and lodged in the Bank to the credit of the ...  
£37 1 1 and placed to credit in the hands of the ...  
The amount being composed of the following items

Grass and turf	25 5 7
Police maintenance	8 10 0
...	3 0
...	9 5 0
	<u>37 1 1</u>

The ... is recovered from his illness and will be able  
to resume his duties in a few days

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:)

- Letter N<sup>o</sup> 1167 dated 2<sup>nd</sup> February 1853  
Sanctioning the appointments of Saml Rogers and Benjamin Smith as collectors of poor rates in the parishes
- Letter N<sup>o</sup> 1168A dated 2<sup>nd</sup> February 1853  
Stating the Commissioners consider the admission of bondsmen as inmates into the workhouse as provided by previous resolutions of 27<sup>th</sup> Oct 52 is a departure from the provisions of the Act
- Letter N<sup>o</sup> 1168B dated 5<sup>th</sup> February  
Calling for returns of current rates and any new rates agreed upon in the parishes during the month of January
- Letter N<sup>o</sup> 1168C dated 5<sup>th</sup> February  
Calling for returns of payments on account of first instalment of rates during the month of January
- Letter N<sup>o</sup> 1168D dated 5<sup>th</sup> February  
As to the second instalment of rates

The rate books were this day signed and the current rates as set out in minutes of the 14<sup>th</sup> September last

and the same were this day signed and the current rates as set out in minutes of the 14<sup>th</sup> September last

A bill of exchange under a draft of £1000 on London with interest at fourteen pounds per cent per annum for nine months was accepted

J. L. M. Esq

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - -  
 Ditto disallowed - - - - -  
 The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the  
*17<sup>th</sup>* day of *February* 185 .

(Signed)

*[Signature]*  
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 \_\_\_\_\_ day, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 185 \_\_\_\_\_,  
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

Account of Mr. [Name] Dispensary District for [Year]: Amount £ 17. 0. 2

Bullauna - Dr Anderson	do	13. 12. 5
Wherry - Dr Egan	do	17. 0. 2
Ballymore - Dr Skelton	do	17. 17. 2

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

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

_____ District	£
_____ District	£

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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(Signed)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851, 2,220

Present Net Annual Value, £ 29,500.00

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 1<sup>st</sup> day of February 1855.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse, . . . . .	1000	410														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	100	48														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .																
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
Total, . . . . .	1100	458														
Remaining on previous Saturday, } as per last Return, . . . . .			48	109	12	21	21	20	42	12	28	433	In Workhouse Hospital, } In separate Wards, } In Fever Hospital } In Wards with other inmates, }			
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			8	10			2		2	1	3	26	Total, } Total, }			
TOTAL, . . . . .			56	119	12	21	23	20	44	13	31	459				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			4	3			2				1	10				
Died, . . . . .								1				1				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			4	3			2	1			1	11				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			52	110	12	21	21	19	44	13	30	448				

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the \_\_\_\_\_ day of February 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair, James Smith Esq  
Other Guardians: Messrs John H. Blake, J. Conroy, Mr. Ginn and Benj. Taylor

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 574 to No. 644, 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, - - - - - £ 116-2-9

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 258-2-7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	New Rates Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Total.			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
John Burgess	North	73	6	3				73	6	3	1329 5 7
	North-west	100	14	6				100	14	6	
	South	112	14	6	4	4		112	18	10	
	South-east	113	9	10	1	2		113	19		
	West	20	3	6				20	3	6	
	West-east	193	6	4	6	8		193	13		
	West-south	658	10	8	35	4	8	693	15	4	
	West-north	80	15	2				80	15	2	
Benjamin Smith	Killemor	83	9					83	9		522 2 7
	Grange	24	6	11				24	6	11	
	Greenhill	90	11	11				90	11	11	
	Spaquin	61	10	7	16	1		62	6	8	
	Arkeny	190	10	4	8	15	8	190	6		
	Grainne	50						50			
	Brownstown	10	1	6				10	1	6	
	Total	510	10	10	9	11	9				
James Burke	Meath Hill	176	16	10				176	16	10	541 13 8
	Grange	179	16	8				179	16	8	
	South-west	35	2					35	2		
	Woodford	81	7	1	5	6	9	86	13	10	
	Arkeny	61	13	4	1	17		63	10	4	
Nicholas Linskey	Kilgillera	148	12	1	3	9		149	5	10	467 15 7
	Moore	107	14	6				107	14	6	
	Rafal	72	7	8	7	10		72	15	6	
	Grange	143		8	19	1		143	19	9	
Patrick Kehoe	Bullana	49	14	11	2	8					321 3 6
	Kilmeen	49	7					49	7		
	Kilroche	178	1	1				178	1	1	
John Birmingham	Kilroche	93	15	5				93	15	5	425 2 7
	Kilroche	321	3	6							
	Kilroche	141	2	4				141	2	4	
	Kilroche	145		8				145		8	
John Bustane	Grange	121	16	9	9	3		122	6		313 10 4
	Grange	16	12	2	1	5		16	13	7	
	Total	454	11	11	10	8					
John Bustane	Grange	157	14	1	1	13		159	7	2	398 10 4
	Grange	87	11					87	11		
	Grange	66	1	8	1			66	2	8	
John Bustane	Total	311	6	9	1	12					398 10 4
	Total	398	4	7	37	5					

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 18 " 9 s. 10 3/4 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 35 " 10 " 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - -

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - -

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

Bread	840 lbs	Brown root	14 lbs
Meat	75 "	Yurf	80 boxes
Indian Meal	20 est	Candles	12 lbs
Butter milk	1257 lbs	Mould (undies)	3 lbs
Salt	10 est		
Tea	3 lbs		
Sugar	14 "		
Flour	17 "		
Rice	112 "		
Wine	3 bottles		
Whiskey	4 qts		

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

James Martin boots	3	9	8
Wm. P. O'Leary land		16	-
J. Watkins 3 mo contract	1	2	6
J. Gallan hay		11	7
Benjamin Smith collection fees	35	19	8

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

Mrs. Ridge Mills  
 Macke & Wilson 12000000 1/6

£	s.	d.
2	3	2
6	17	10

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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

The Milk and turf contractors' supplies have been short during the week and the difference required has been purchased at an advanced price

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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, for Orders made on them respectively as follows:

- Circular No 490 dated 12<sup>th</sup> Feb<sup>ry</sup>
- Stating that 150 copies of the notice of election have been forwarded by same post
- Letter No 73 dated 13<sup>th</sup> Feb<sup>ry</sup>
- Intimating that the Union has been placed in charge of Mr. Mann as Poor Law Inspector
- Letter No 5888 dated 14<sup>th</sup> Feb<sup>ry</sup>
- Calling for certain returns specified in an order of the House of Lords in reference to this and other Unions

The communication of the Commissioners addressed to the Marquis of Linniskard in reply to memorial presented them on the part of the Guardians of Longhrea Portumna and Ballinacree Unions having been read, it was Resolved, - That having considered the reasons stated by the Commissioners, the Board is still of opinion that it would be for the interest of the Unions of Longhrea Portumna and Ballinacree that the latter Union should be dissolved

The collector's warrants were this day signed

The following arrears not carried into the current rate books were directed to be struck off for the reasons stated - viz  
Longhrea P. div<sup>n</sup> £ 39. 19. 6 1/2

£ 30. 12. 6 thereof being an arrear due on the tolls and customs, which, the Comm<sup>rs</sup> have given their opinion, is not collectable from the present tenant

1. 8. 1 - Arrears struck off by Magistrate at petty sessions, and certified by petty sessions book, and

1. 18. 11 1/2 - proportion of rates due on W. House grounds for which Guardians are liable  
39. 19. 6 1/2

Goange. P. div<sup>n</sup> no item appearing in rate book for

Greathill	1/4
Lyaguin	1/4
Aheroy	1/4
Marble Hill	1/4
Woodford	1/4
Ballinagar	1/4
Rafad	1/4
Kilman	1/4
St. Brackley	1/4
Kilconner	1/4
Clonteen	1/4
Bracknagh	1/4
Leitrim	1/4
Killeckil	1/4

Total £ 40. 0. 0 1/2



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

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

Ditto disallowed - - - - -

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

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

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the  
*24* day of *February* 185*0*.

(Signed)

*[Signature]*  
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 Southwest  
UNION, ON Monday day, the 11<sup>th</sup> day of July 1857,  
—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.; and  
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the \_\_\_\_\_  
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a  
Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon  
as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the \_\_\_\_\_  
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of \_\_\_\_\_  
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to  
forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical  
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the \_\_\_\_\_  
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites, were  
ordered to be supplied:*

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The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries due as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

Dispensary District, \_\_\_\_\_  
Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_: Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]  
An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185 .

_____ District	.....	£
_____ District	.....	£

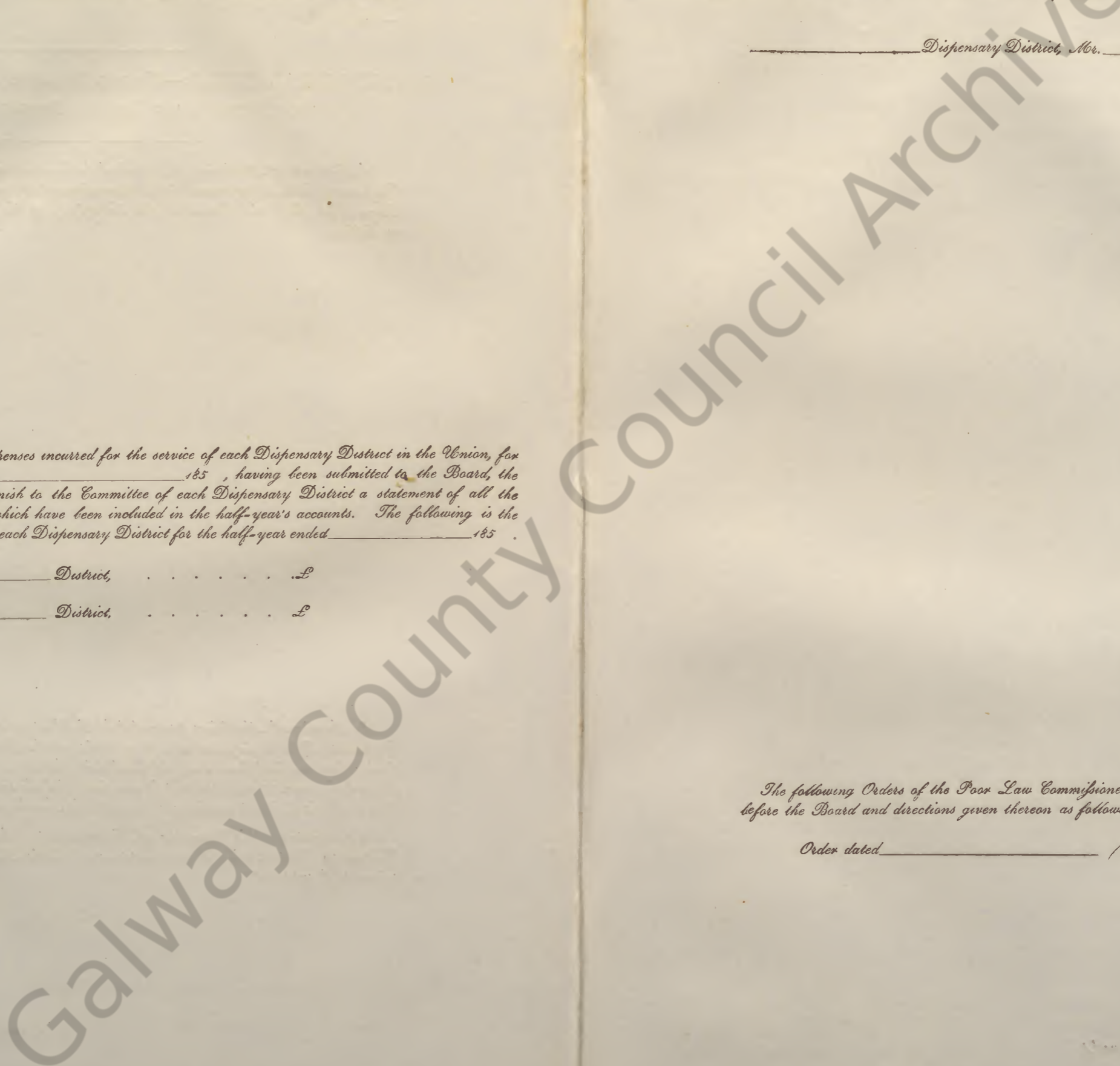
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee].

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District, Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated \_\_\_\_\_ (state subject,)



The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Read Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ stating that

Population in 1851, 38,698

UNION.

Present Net Annual Value, £19,581-10-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of February 1855.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse, . . . . .	1573	447														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	177	46														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
Total, . . . . .	1750	493														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			52	116	12	21	81	79	44	13	30	448	In Work-house Hospital, In Fever Hospital	82	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates,	
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			6	10							2	18				
TOTAL, . . . . .			58	126	12	21	81	79	44	13	32	466	Total, . 82	Total,		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			4	5			1	1			2	16				
Died, . . . . .			1	2								4				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			5	7			1	1			2	20				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			53	119	12	21	80	78	44	13	28	446				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.							Bt. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 24<sup>th</sup> day of February 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair, Lord Dunsandel

Other Guardians: James Smyth Esq. Wm. J. Kelly Esq.

(Signed)

*[Signature]*  
*[Signature]*  
 Clerk of the Union.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 624 to No. 637, 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, - - - - - £ 71. 11. -

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 183. 13. 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
James Gordon	Little							73	1	3			
	St. Thomas							107	14				
	St. Andrew							112	18	10			
	St. George							113	19				
	St. James							20	3	6			
	St. Michael							133	13				
	St. Peter							693	15	4			
	St. Paul							80	15	2			
	St. Vincent							83	9				
	St. John							24	6	11			
Benjamin Smith	St. Andrew							90	11	11			
	St. George							62	6	8			
	St. James							149	6				
	St. Michael							58		7			
	St. Peter							10	1	6			
	St. Paul							176	16	10			
	St. Vincent							179	16	8			
	St. John							35	2				
	St. Andrew							86	13	10			
	St. George							63	10	4			
Nicholas Linsden	St. Michael							140	5	10			
	St. Peter							107	14	6			
	St. Paul							72	15	6			
	St. Vincent							123	9	9			
	St. John							49	7				
Patt. A. Kelly	St. Andrew							178	1	1			
	St. George							93	15	5			
	St. James							141	2	4			
	St. Michael							145		8			
John Birmingham	St. Peter							122	6				
	St. Paul							16	13	4			
	St. Vincent							150	4	2			
	St. John							87					
John Dunsen	St. Andrew							11	2	8			
	St. George												

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 £ 28 - 10 s. 10 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 36 - 5 - 1

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 1 - 6 - 4

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 2 - 3 - 2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

Bread	24 00s
Meat	98
Sweet Milk	1280 75
Tea	4 00s
Sugar	24 -
Wine	6 bottles
Whisky	4 95
Arrowroot	14 00s
Surf	10 00s
Candles	12 00s
Monday puddles	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 Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

£ s. d.

In money,	-	-	-	-
In kind,	-	-	-	-
Total,	-	-	-	-

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.





*The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:*

*The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, / or Orders made on them respectively as follows: /*

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The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Passport Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - -

Ditto disallowed - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - -

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Passport thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the  
*3<sup>rd</sup>* day of *March* 185*5*.

(Signed)

*Wm. O'Connell*  
*Philip O'Connell*  
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 London  
UNION, on Satur day, the 24<sup>th</sup> day of Feb<sup>r</sup> 1855,  
—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.; and  
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the \_\_\_\_\_  
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a  
Procquisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon  
as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the \_\_\_\_\_  
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of \_\_\_\_\_  
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to  
forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical  
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the \_\_\_\_\_  
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites, were  
ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries due as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

Dispensary District, \_\_\_\_\_  
Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_: Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185\_\_\_\_, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185\_\_\_\_.

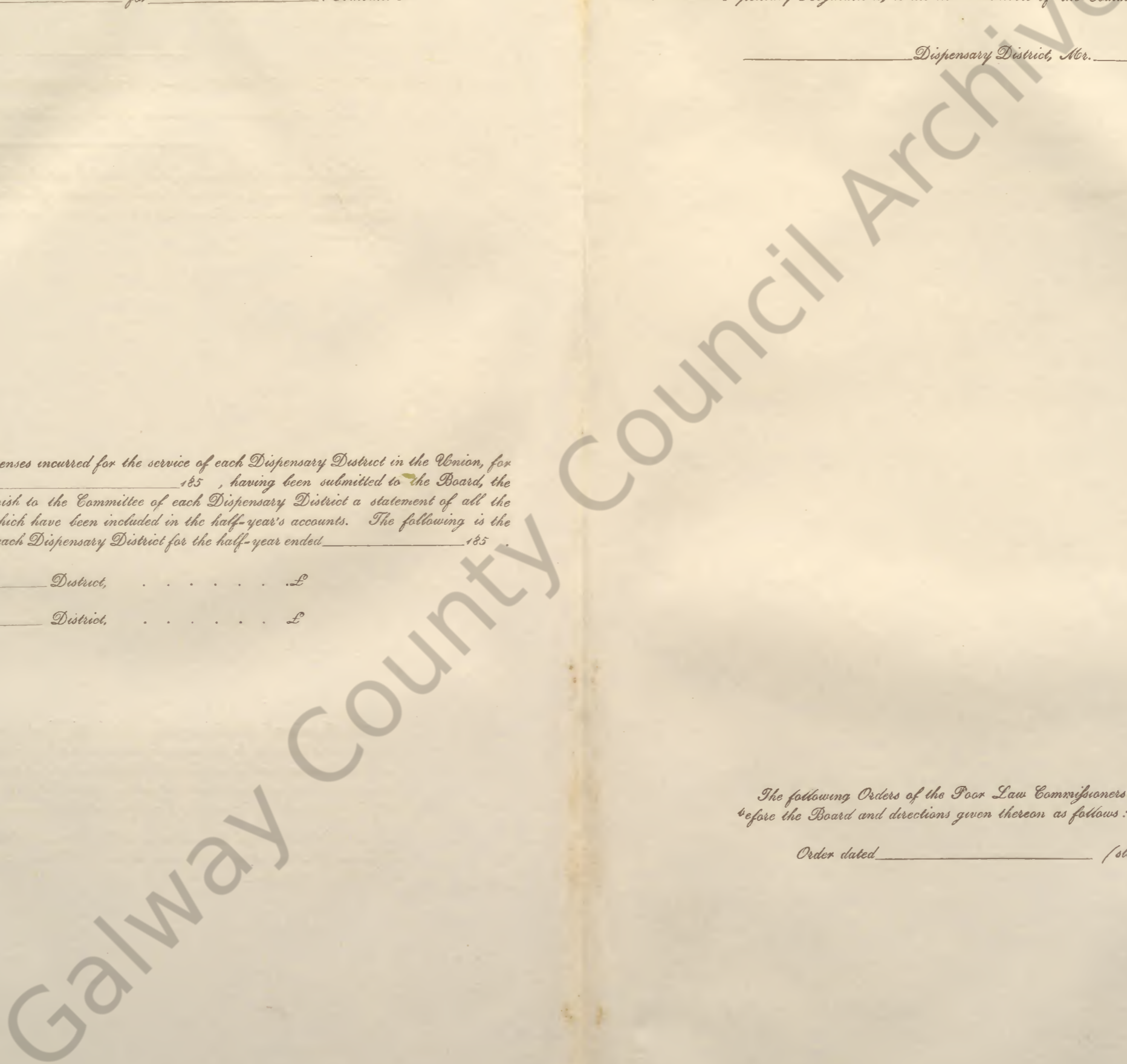
\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £  
\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee]. The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District, Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated \_\_\_\_\_ (state subject,)



The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Read Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ stating that

Galway County

*J. M. O'Connell*  
 Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851, 70,448

Present Net Annual Value, £ 57,500. 10

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24<sup>th</sup> day of February 1855.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . . . .	1000	437												
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .														
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .														
Total, . . . . .	1000	437												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			50	119	12	21	80	70	44	13	29	466	In Workhouse Hospital, 78	In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital, with other inmates, Total, 78
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			1	3			2				1	8		
TOTAL, . . . . .			57	122	12	21	81	80	44	13	30	474		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			2	10			1				1	14		
Died, . . . . .				1								2		
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			2	11			1				1	16		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			49	111	12	21	81	79	44	13	27	437		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.							Et. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Saturday the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of March 1855

PRESENT: In the Chair, Sir Jas. Burke Bart.  
 Other Guardians: James Smyth Esq.  
 Messrs John H. Blake Esq. J. J. O'Leary Esq. J. J. O'Connell Esq. J. J. O'Connell Esq. J. J. O'Connell Esq.  
 J. J. O'Connell Esq. J. J. O'Connell Esq. J. J. O'Connell Esq. J. J. O'Connell Esq. J. J. O'Connell Esq.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.



Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 438 to No. 445, 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, - - - - - £ 69. 17. 8

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 3. 3. 8

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 350. 2. 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The Lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
John Quinn	Killybegs							73	6	3			
	Killybegs							100	14	6			
	Castletown							112	18	10			
	Castletown							113	19	0			
	Donnybeg							20	3	6			
	Donnybeg							133	13	0			
	Donnybeg							643	15	4			
	Donnybeg							80	15	2			
	Donnybeg							33	9	0			
	Donnybeg							24	6	1			
Benjamin Smith	Grange							90	11	11			
	Grange							62	6	0			
	Grange							199	6	0			
	Grange							50	0	0			
	Grange							10	1	6			
	Grange							133	13	9			
	Grange							117	7	7			
	Grange							35	2	0			
	Grange							36	13	10			
	Grange							55	12	1			
Margaret Lonsdale	Margaret							149	5	10			
	Margaret							127	14	6			
	Margaret							72	15	6			
	Margaret							143	19	0			
Patrick McKeown	Patterson							49	0	0			
	Patterson							178	1	1			
	Patterson							93	15	5			
John Armstrong	McKeown							141	2	0			
	McKeown							145	0	8			
	McKeown							122	6	0			
	McKeown							14	13	0			
John Dwyer	Bracklagh							137	1	2			
	Bracklagh							8	11	0			
	Bracklagh							66	2	0			

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £  
was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 45 " 7 s. 10 d.

		£	s.	d.	
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.					
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	-	-	36	16	9
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.					
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	-	-	6	1/4	
Average cost in Infirmary,	-	-	-	-	
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	-	-	2	9	

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:

Bread	850 lb	Butter	90 boxes
Meat	110 lb	Lard	9 lb
Butter	10 cwt	Cheese	112 lb
Wheat meal	1300 lb	Flour	4
Tea	3 lb	Blue	1
Rye meal	14 "	Mould candles	2
Barley meal	20 cwt		
Wine	6 bottles		
Arrowroot	14 lb		

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

In money,	-	-	-	£	s.	d.
In kind,	-	-	-			
Total.						

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.				Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Dr. Crown hats	1	6	
P. Perry sundries		10	

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

Patrick Mean idd

£	s.	d.
	18	9

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first meeting in every month.)—  
Number of successful cases.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

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The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon as follows:

The Master suggests the propriety of laying down with grass  
three acres or so of the land now fit for oats, as hands  
will be scarce at the times of sowing and reaping and  
reaping and in consequence a considerable muley will be  
necessary for labor.

The Guardians were of opinion that the tillage would  
be more profitable and directed that no grass seeds will be sown.

On the suggestion of the Master the Guardians directed  
that a class consisting of boys unable to attend during the  
regular school hours shall be taught by the schoolmaster  
each day from 12 to 2 o'clock.

The certificate required by the Guardians at last  
meeting from the Schoolmaster, signed by a clergyman  
was produced this day.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, / or Orders made on them respectively as follows:)

Circular No 115 dated the 28<sup>th</sup> Feb<sup>ry</sup>  
Enclosing form for returning Officers account of  
Expenses of election of Guardians

Adm<sup>rs</sup>

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The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	-	-
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	-

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	-
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	-
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	-

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the  
*10<sup>th</sup>* day of *March* 1855.

(Signed) *[Signature]*  
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 Longford  
UNION, on Saturday, the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of March 1855,  
—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.; and  
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the  
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a  
Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions, were given thereon  
as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the  
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of  
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to  
forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical  
Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the  
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were  
ordered to be supplied:*



The following Accounts of Expenses, (or Statement of Salaries due as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given:)

Original Dispensary District,  
Account of Mr. McNeill for half: Amount £ 3-0

Pullman dispensary district  
Arly Hanlon fitting up dispensary 1-15-0

*John L*

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 185 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended 185

\_\_\_\_\_ District . . . . . £  
\_\_\_\_\_ District . . . . . £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee].

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E, and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District, Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:

Order dated \_\_\_\_\_ (state subject)

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The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows:)

Read Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_  
stating that

(Signed)

*[Handwritten Signature]*

Clerk of the Union.

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