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Galway County Council

Loughrea Poor Law Union

Board of Guardian Minutes

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minutes of Meeting
Loughrea Board of Guardians
2.9.1865 - 28.6.1873

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MINUTE BOOK

OF THE
Loughrea UNION.

The Minute Book, in which shall be entered all Letters received from, or written to, the Poor Law Commissioners, Minutes of all Moneys received or paid, all Orders or Cheques given, all Accounts examined and allowed, all Salaries ordered to be paid, as well as all other business, proceedings, and transactions of the Board of Guardians, at any of their Meetings. The entries of Money transactions shall be afterwards posted in the Leger, and a note of reference made in the margin of the page in the Minute Book, to the folio in the Leger, to which they are so carried.

Order of Poor Law Commissioners.



By Authority:
JOHN FALCONER, PRINTER TO HER MAJESTY'S STATIONERY OFFICE,
53, UPPER SACKVILLE-STREET, DUBLIN,
OF WHOM MAY BE HAD
THE BOOKS AND FORMS REQUIRED BY THE IRISH POOR RELIEF ACTS, AND THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT.

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Loughrea UNION.

Population in 1861, *38698*

Present Net Annual Value, £ *75488* 16' 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *26th* day of *August* 1865

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,	760	127													
Temporary Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital	58	2													
Fever Shed,															
TOTAL,	818	129													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			8	23	14	14	5	3	24	18	14	123	In Workhouse } 36 Hospital, } In Fever } Hospital, } 2 Total, } 38	In separate } Wards, } In Wards } with other } Inmates, }	
Admitted during the Week,			2	2			1	1	1	1	4	12			
TOTAL,			10	25	14	15	6	3	25	19	18	135			
Discharged during the Week,			1	1	1	1						4			
Died,						2						2			
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	1	1	3						6			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			9	24	13	12	6	3	25	19	18	129			

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the *26th* day of *September* 1865

PRESENT: In the Chair, *John A. Blake Esq^r*

Other Guardians: *Messrs James Clarke, Richard Clarke, Bryan Ryan, James Hurling*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1912 to No. 1923 both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 12 : 3 : 9

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 20 : 11 : 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
J Cosgrove	Doughra	4	2	4				11	17	10					
	Kilcomishog	18	11							6					
	Loe Kella														
	Kilchreest	6	2												
	Castleby	1	3												
	Hills	1	18	10											
	Mountains							1	3	3					
G Burke	Pimlawn	2	11	9				15	1	4					
	Dalynagan				9	19	3						28	26	
	Drumkeary							2	15	5					
	Northhill							3	3	1					
	Woodford							2	2	2					
								9	18	7					
Totals.								9	19	3				46	19

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

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

11 3 5 £ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 13 1 7

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - 1 10 3/4

Average cost in Infirmary, - - 3 4 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:

580 lbs White Bread	14 lbs Arrow Root
77 1/2 " Meat	4 " Dipty Candles
5 Cwt Oatmeal	112 " Soap
574 Quarts Sweet Milk	4 " Mould Candles
4 lbs Tea	
14 " Sugar	
3 Cwt Heads	
1 lb Pepper	
14 " Flour	
5 Cwt Indian Meal	
2 Quarts Whiskey	
3 Dozen Eggs	

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 1866
whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

		£	s.	d.
Walter Huntlett	Milk + Meal	✓ 82	12	1
Ellen Finnegan	Milk	✓ 7	13	0
Sarah Ridge		✓ 16	19	2
Martin Linnane	Coal	✓ 5	11	0

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):

18930/65

Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 1st September 1865, requesting to know whether any information has been received of the woman Catherine Neven and her children who have been deputed from the Union of St George Aarons Square London, as referred to in Minutes of 26th Ult^o

Ordered, That the Commissioners be informed in reply to their letter, that the parties in question have not as yet arrived at the Workhouse, nor has any account been received of them since last meeting.

Mr. Tugan moved the adoption of that part of the resolution of the Longford Board of Guardians read at last meeting - which refers to Union Rating - the motion not having been seconded fell to the ground.

A list of Arrears of Rates, outstanding in Collector Croghan's District having been laid before the Board - the Consideration thereof was postponed and the Clerk was directed to request the attendance of the Collector at next meeting in order to give any explanation which may be required in the several Cases in question.

The Board accepted the tender of Patrick Daly to supply a new Dray Cart & Box according to Specification for the sum of £5. 5. 0

The Consideration of tenders for supplying the two sets of Harness was postponed to next meeting.

The Board having taken into consideration the financial state of the Union Ordered,

That the Clerk is directed to prepare an Estimate of a new Rate to provide for the requirements of the Union for twelve months, and lay it before the Board at their meeting on the 23rd Inst, and that notice thereof together with a printed Copy of the Estimate be sent to each Guardian, on or before this day fortnight.

The tender of John Maher for the supply of 200 Pieces of turf to the Workhouse, at a price of 4s was accepted.

The Clerk was directed to issue Hand Bills for the supply of whole Flour for twelve months - tenders to be received and considered on the 16th Inst.

J. H. P. R.

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 Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - -

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the
9th day of September 1865

(Signed) Patrick Egan
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Loughrea
UNION, on Tues day, the 2nd day of September 1865
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 Attorney
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with
a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon
as follows:

Ordered,
Contractor To be procured from the

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

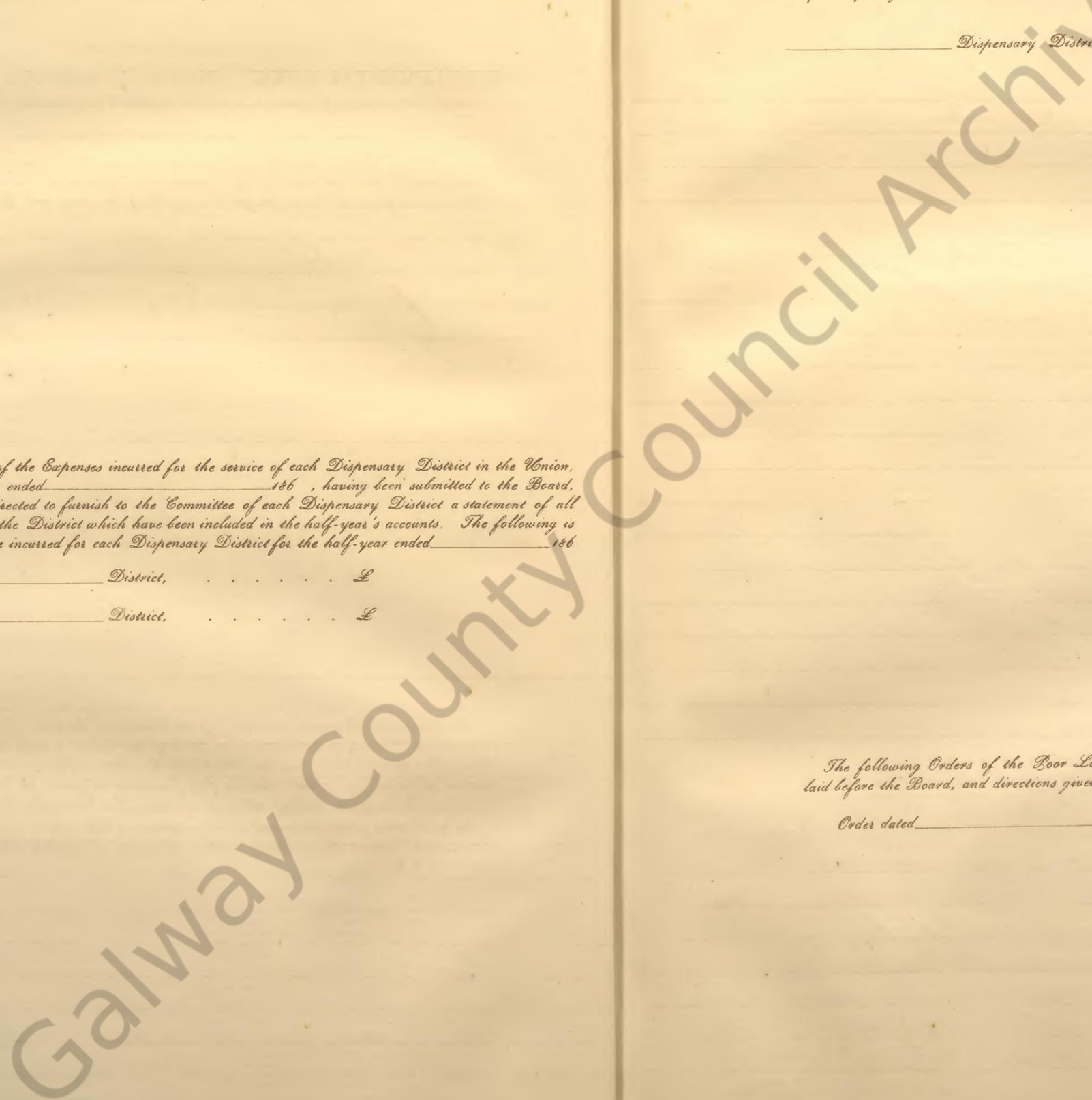
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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 Poor Law Commissioners dated 29th August 1865
stating that

14353/65

requesting to be informed of the result of the proceedings directed to be taken against certain defaulters under the Vaccination Act in the Bellinagh District

Ordered,

That the Commissioners be informed, that the Cases in question will be tried before the Magistrates at Loughrea Petty Sessions on Thursday next and the result thereof Communicated to them in Minutes of next Meeting

J. M. Blake

(Signed)

Patrick Quinn

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1861,

Present Net Annual Value, £ 754 58 : 16 : 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of September 1865

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,	766	117														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	58	2														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	818	119														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			9	24	13	12	6	3	25	19	18	129	In Work-house Hospital, 31	In separate Wards, 2		
Admitted during the Week,			4	1	1	1	1					8	In Fever Hospital, 2	In Wards with other Inmates, 1		
TOTAL,			13	25	14	13	7	3	25	19	18	137	Total, 33	Total, 3		
Discharged during the Week,			3	4		1	2		1	1	4	16				
Died,						1					1	2				
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	4		2	2		1	1	5	18				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			10	21	14	11	5	3	24	18	13	119				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9th day of September 1865, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 9th day of September 1865

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

John A. Blake Esq.

Messrs James Egan James Furlong
Martin J. Lynch

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1924 to No. 1931 both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Baid during the week, - - - - - £ 27 : 1 : 2

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 402 : 16 : 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.										
<i>Totals,</i>																							

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 20 : 7 : 8

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	13	11	2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2	0	1/4
Average cost in Infirmary,	3	6	1/2
Average cost in Fever Hospital,			

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

520 lbs White Bread, 20 Eggs
 74 " Meat
 508 Quarts Sweet Milk
 1 Cut Salt
 3 lbs Tea
 14 " Sugar
 5 Cut of Whole Flour
 3 Oz Seeds
 1 lb Pepper
 6 Bottles Wine
 1 Quart Whiskey
 2 Dozen Plates

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 1866 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was £ s. d.

In Money, -			
In Kind, -			
Total			

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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:

That the Porter resumed the discharge of his duties to day.

Ordered,

Two Night Buckets
Horn do to be repaired

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):

102 M/65
Mis

Circular Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 1st September 1865, requiring a return of Rates for the month of August last

13664/65

Letter from Same dated 8th September 1865 requesting to be furnished with a Copy of the Estimate of a new Rate, when approved by the Board of Guardians
Ordered, To be furnished.

15937/65

Letter from Same dated 8th September 1865, requesting to be informed, whether any further information has been received of the Gypsy Catharina Kevin and her children, who have been deported from the Union - St George's Amman Square

The Clerk stated that nothing further has been heard of the parties in question since last Meeting

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The Master laid before the Board an Estimate of the Cost of Materials for the Cart-Harness which was approved of, and he was directed to get them made in the Workhouse, under his Supervision.

Collector, F. H. Cosgrove attended before the Board to assist in the examination of the list of Arrears of Rates furnished by him at last Meeting (the several Cases having been engined into - the Clerk was directed to write to Mr. Morris, relative to the Rates due upon the property of the late Mr. Cahiff, and the further Consideration of the list in question was postponed to next Meeting.

The tender of Denis Martin for the supply of 200 Pines of Turf at seven Pence of Pine was accepted

D. M. Martin

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 Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - -

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on 16th day of September 1865 Saturday the

(Signed) Patrick Egan
Clerk of the Union

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Loughrea
UNION, on Satur day, the 9th day of September 1865
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 Morduff
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with
a Acquisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon
as follows:

Ordered 400 Vaccination Tubes

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, 1858.]

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from D^r Underwood dated 9th September 1865 stating that

the several parties summoned for neglecting to have their children vaccinated within six months were fined on Thursday last, a sum of one penny and Costs which was to be increased to two shillings and six pence in each case unless they complied with the act within a fortnight.

J. H. R. R.
 (Signed) Patrick Egan
 Clerk of the Union.

Loughrea UNION.

Population in 1861,

Present Net Annual Value, £ 754⁸/₁₆: 16: 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of September 1865

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,	760	113														
Temporary Buildings, . .																
Additional Workhouse, . .	58	3														
Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	818	116														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			10	21	14	11	5	3	24	18	13	119	In Work-house Hospital, } 32 In Fever Hospital, } 3 Total, } 35	In separate Wards, } In Wards with other Inmates, } Total, }		
Admitted during the Week,			4	3	2			1	2	1		13				
TOTAL,			14	24	14	13	5	4	26	19	13	132				
Discharged during the Week,			7	3				1	3	1	1	16				
Died,																
Total Discharged and Dead,			7	3				1	3	1	1	16				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			7	21	14	13	5	3	23	18	12	116				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9th day of September 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 16th day of September 1865

PRESENT: In the Chair,

John A. Blake Esq.

Other Guardians:

Messrs Benjamin Taylor Bryan Ryan

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1932 to No. 1947 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 : 11 : 4
 Paid during the week, £ 98 : 3 : 7
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 325 : 3 : 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.		
<i>Totals,</i>															

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

The 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 from James Martin Esq^r Poor Law Auditor dated 10th September 1865 fixing Thursday the 21st inst for the audit of the Accounts of this Union for the half year ended 25th March last

Letter from the Secretary to the "Little Plague Committee" dated 11th Sept 1865 requesting that in the event of any disease of a violent or dangerous character appearing amongst cattle in this locality the particulars thereof be communicated to him without delay for the information and guidance of the Committee

The tender of Mr Walter Plumkeff for the supply of Marble Flows to the Warehouse for twelve months at the rate of £11-0-0 up ton was accepted

Upon

Upon the application of the Pater, the Board granted him two days leave of absence and also one week's leave to the Hospital Nurse if approved of by Dr Lynch Medical Officer

The Clerk was directed to get a supply of Notices printed and Circulated through the Union calling upon Rate payers who may have objections against the existing Valuation to lodge them with him or a before the 15th November next

The Master laid before the Board an Estimate of the Cost of the Harness for the Spring Van which was approved of

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 Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - -

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 23rd day of September 1865

(Signed) Patrick R. Egan

Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Loughrea
UNION, on Satur day, the 16th day of September 1865
continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject,)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

(Signed) Patrick Egan
Clerk of the Union.

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Loughrea UNION.

Population in 1861,

38698

Present Net Annual Value, £ 75458 : 16 : 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of September 1865

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,	760	121														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	58	2														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	818	123														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			7	21	14	13	5	3	23	18	12	116	In Work-house Hospital, 37	In separate Wards, Inwards with other inmates, -		
Admitted during the Week,			4	5		2			1		2	14	In Fever Hospital, 2	Total, -		
TOTAL,			11	26	14	15	5	3	24	18	14	130	Total, 39	Total, -		
Discharged during the Week,			1	4				2				7				
Died,																
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	4				2				7				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			10	22	14	15	3	3	24	18	14	123				

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 23rd day of September 1865

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Lad P. Dunne

Other Guardians:

Messrs Robert Burke, James Egan, James Hurlong,
Thomas Glynn, John Diamond, Martin J. Lynch,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1945 to No. 1958 both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

That Mr Martin has postponed the Audit of the Accounts from the 21st to the 28th Inst.

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

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

Baid during the week, — — — — — £ 3 : 17 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 321 : 6 : 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.		
<i>Totals.</i>															

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

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

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

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

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

12 - 19 = 7	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	-	-	13 = 7 = 9
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	-	-	2 = 6 1/4
Average cost in Infirmary,	-	-	3 = 6 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:

596 lbs White Bread 5 lbs Starch
 83 " Meat 1 " Blue
 568 Quarts Sweet Milk 4 " Mould Candles
 3 1/2 lbs Tea
 14 " Sugar
 3 Ox Heads
 1 lb Pepper
 14 " Flour
 6 Bottles Wine
 1 Quart Whiskey
 3 Dozen Porter
 4 lbs Dipt Candles

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 186 . . . whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, -	.	.	.	.
In Kind, -	.	.	.	.
Total				

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque 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.					
Chf. forwd.						TOTAL,					

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
William Creamy		7	6
John Costello		4	6
John Fahy		7	10
Annette McHolan	1	4	0
Luke Reilly	1	18	0
Thomas Lally		7	6
Glanjing			
Landspelter			
Lime			
Brushes			
Straw			
Carriage of Purses			

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
John Madden		5	2
Patrick Lyons		10	0
Margaret McNeill		3	8
Thomas Greene		7	0
do			
Garf			
Edgar			
Walt			

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):

The Clerk submitted his Estimate of a Rate to provide for the requirements of the Union, for twelve months from 1st November 1865 to 1st November 1866 - The several particulars having been enquired into.

It was proposed by Mr Robert Burke - seconded by Mr John Diamond and Resolved,

That the foregoing Estimate be adopted and the new Rates prepared accordingly

The following are the Poundage Rates agreed to - namely -

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	S	D		S	D
Aille	4		Kilcominny	9	
Ballinagan	1	2	Kilcominny	4	
Braeklaph	6		Killogilheen	6	
Bullawn	5		Kilmee	6	
Cappalusk	6		Kilreekle	4	
Castleboy	4		Kiltullagh	4	
Colmanstown	5		Lackalea	5	
Cranghull	4		Lectrem	5	
Derryfawn	1	0	Loughatrick	4	
Drumkeary	6		Loughrea	1	0
Graigubha	4		Maulehill	6	
Grange	7		Mountain	3	
Greethill	5		Moynode	5	
Kilbree	9		Rafra	4	
Killimor	5		Siaguin	5	
			Woodford	1	5

The Board having taken into consideration the Amount of Fees to be paid the Collectors Resolved, That the Poundage to be allowed the Collectors for the Collection of the new Rate be fixed at Six Pence on all Rates lodged with the Treasurer up to the 25th March next, and three pence on subsequent lodgments

The proposal of Mr Walter Plunkett to pay a Sum of £6:10:0 for the "after-grass" on the Workhouse Grounds from this date up to the 17th March next was accepted.

An Out Pensioner of Chelsea Hospital named Thomas Tanyan was admitted to the Hospital and "Relief by way of loan" ordered to him

Two Inmates named Mary Hynes and Penelope Commings charged on the 'Punishment Book' with quarrelling and other disorderly acts in the House having been called before the Board were reprimanded and the Master was directed in the event of a repetition of such Conduct again to Summon the parties before the Magistrates

Ordered, That the several Rate Collectors are hereby required to furnish the Clerk immediately with lists of alterations in the names of Occupiers and Immediate Lessors, which have taken place in their respective Districts

J. M. Clarke

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 Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - -

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on 30th day of September 1865 the Saturday

(Signed) Patrick Egan

Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Loughrea
UNION, on Satur day, the 23rd day of September 1865
continued.

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as follows:*

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

(Signed)

Patrick Egan

Clerk of the Union.

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Loughrea UNION.

Population in 1861,

Present Net Annual Value £ 75458.16.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of September 1865

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, . . .	760	129														
Temporary Buildings, . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	58	2														
Fever Sheds, . . .																
TOTAL, . . .	818	131														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			10	22	14	15	3	3	24	18	14	123	In Work-house Hospital, } 37 In Fever Hospital, } 2	In separate Wards, } In Wards with other Inmates, }		
Admitted during the Week, . . .			1	2	2		1		2	1	2	11	Total, } 39	Total, }		
TOTAL, . . .			11	24	16	15	4	3	26	19	16	134				
Discharged during the Week, . . .			2						1			3				
Died,																
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			2						1			3				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			9	24	16	15	4	3	25	19	16	131				

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 30th day of September 1865

PRESENT: In the Chair,

John H. Blake Esq.

Other Guardians:

Messrs Robert Burke & John Diamond

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1959 to No. 1968 both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. — to No. —, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

"That Mr. Minton attended on Thursday last, and audited the Accounts of the Union, for the half year ended 25th March last."

The Leger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.
 The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, — — — — — £ 8 : 3 : 9
 Paid during the week, — — — — — £ 5 : 15 : 2
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 323 : 15 : 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.	
F. Croghan	Loughrea	3	10	3				8	7	7 1/2				
	Kilmeelbeg									0 1/2				
	Lackalea													
	Kilchreest													
	Castletroy													
G. Burke	Mountain													
	Penplaw	4	13	1/2	8	3	9	1	3	3	19	18	9	
G. Burke	Ballynagar									2	15	5		
	Drum. Keary									3	3	1		
	Marlbill									2	2	2		
	Woodford									9	18	7	17	19	3
Totals:					8	3	9				37	18	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 £ 16 - 8 - 10

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 14 - 11 - 9

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 2 = 6/4
Average cost in Infirmary, 3 = 6/4
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:

376 lb White Bread	4 lb Light Candles
9 1/2 " Meat	28 " Washing Soda
550 Quarts Sweet Milk	4 " Moulded Candles
4 1/2 lbs Tea	
21 " Sugar	
3 On Heads	
5 Cut Indian Meal	
6 Bottles Wine	
1 Quart Whisky	
3 Puzon Pater	
1 Bottle Brandy	
1 Score Eggs	

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 1866 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was £ . . .

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.		£	s.	d.	
Susan Fahy	Salary as Hosp ^l Nurse	3	15	0	✓
Anne Murphy	" Scholmistress	3	0	0	✓
James Stantford	" Porter	3	15	0	✓
John Madden	" Rel ^l Officer	3	15	0	✓
Thomas Galby	" "	3	15	0	✓
John Taylor	" "	3	15	0	✓
Thomas Kelly	" " "	3	15	9	✓

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

"That he rejected one. Since last meeting, the Milk supplied by Mr. Ridge, being of an inferior quality, and used Butter and Lard as substitutes, the difference in price is to be charged to the Contractor."

"That the Porter has been absent since Thursday through illness - a pauper boy is in charge under his (the Master's) Supervision"

Ordered
1 Pair Shoes
100 Nails

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 Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners, dated 29th September 1865 enclosing Forms for furnishing the Annual Return of Unborn Offspring and Guardians

Letter from Mr George Morris dated 25th September 1865 with reference to the Arrears due by the late Mr. Labiff - stating that in consequence of the unsettled state of the property he cannot hold out any hopes of the Rates being paid until November next, trusting the Guardians will allow the matter to remain so until that time.

The Clerk laid before the Board a Warrant received by him on Yesterday for the removal of Catherine, Minnie and her Children from the Union of Geddesall Bierlan Sheffield and stated that the parties have not as yet arrived at the Workhouse

9th

The Abstracts of the Union Accounts for the half year ended 25th March last were laid before the Board and signed by the Chairman

J. M. P. R.

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

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

Ditto, disallowed - - - - -

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

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

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

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

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the
7th day of October 1865
 (Signed) Patrick Egan
 Clerk of the Union.

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[No. 27.] }

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Loughrea
UNION, on Tuesday day, the 30th day of September 1865
continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

Resolved.

That immediate steps be taken to carry the provisions of the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts into operation in the town of Loughrea, and with this view, that Relieving Officer Madden be appointed "Sanitary Officer" and that he enter upon the discharge of his duties forthwith. - that the Clerk do provide the necessary supply of forms, and that he be authorized to sign the Notices to be served upon Occupiers (forms 2 & 3); and that application be made to the Loughrea Town Commissioners and request that they will co-operate with this Board in the movement, and also direct the Town Sergeant to assist the Relieving Officer, in discharging these duties.

M. P. R.

(Signed)

Patrick Egan
Clerk of the Union.

Loughrea UNION.

Population in 1861, *38698*

Present Net Annual Value, £*75458.16.0*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *14th* day of *October* 186*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	Total	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,	<i>760</i>	<i>122</i>														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	<i>58</i>															
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	<i>818</i>	<i>122</i>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			<i>11</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>126</i>	In Work-house Hospital, <i>44</i>	In separate Wards, <i>-</i>		
Admitted during the Week,			<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>							<i>13</i>	In Fever Hospital, <i>-</i>	In Wards with other Inmates, <i>-</i>		
TOTAL,			<i>12</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>132</i>	Total, <i>44</i>	Total, <i>-</i>		
Discharged during the Week,			<i>3</i>	<i>1</i>				<i>1</i>				<i>5</i>				
Died,			<i>1</i>			<i>1</i>						<i>2</i>				
Total Discharged and Dead,			<i>4</i>	<i>1</i>		<i>1</i>		<i>1</i>				<i>7</i>				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			<i>8</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>122</i>				

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the *21st* day of *October* 186*5* Saturday

PRESENT: In the Chair,

John A Blake Esq

Other Guardians:

Mr James Wallace James Pulong

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Warehouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1969 to No. 1985 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:

29 That he was paid a sum of 16/0 for 24 days' maintenance of the Pensioner Thomas Parnham, which he lodged with the Treasurer to the Credit of the Union.

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 : 1 : 10

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 3 : 15 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £300 : 6 : 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.
Garrett Purks	Ballynagar	18	4					1	17	1			
	Frankham	3	9					2	19	4			
	Marlehill							2	2	2			
	Woodford	1	4					9	17	3			
					1	3	5				16	15	10
J. Cooney	Loughrea							8	7	7 1/2			
	Kilmeeking									1/2			
	Lackahale												
	Kilchreest												
	Castletroy												
	Aille												
Mountain								1	3	3			
Derryglau								10	7	10			
											19	18	9
Totals.					1	3	5				36	14	7

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

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

That the Porter has been absent through illness since the 28th Ult^o with the exception of from Friday to Monday last

That the Car Harness has been completed and the spring bar is now in working order

That the Porter lodged a sum of £2/5 with the Treasurer to the Credit of the Union—
Money found upon a deceased pauper

A requisition from the Matron for a supply of Clothing Materials was postponed until that new Contracts shall have been taken

Ordered

- 1/2 Yard Oil Cloth
- 6 Calico for Bandages
- 2 Pair shoes
- 1 Dozen large Coffins

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):

119 M/65
Mis

Circular Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 2nd October 1865, requiring a return of Rates for the month of September last

121 M/65
Mis

Circular Letter from Same dated 2nd October 1865 requesting to be furnished with a return of the number of Male Occupiers rated at certain Amounts in this Union

18512/65

Letter from Same dated 13th October 1865, enclosing a Communication addressed to them by an inmate named Margaret Kitch, together with a Copy of their Reply. Suggesting for the consideration of the Board of Guardians the propriety of taking proceedings against this woman's husband for desertion of his wife and children

Circular

123 M/65
124 M/65

Circular Letter from Same dated 17th October 1865, requiring a return, of the number admitted to the Workhouse, for the year ended 29th September last, and of the pupils vaccinated in the Workhouse during that same period

Letter from the Secretary to the Cork Agricultural Society dated 3rd October 1865, enclosing a Copy of a resolution with reference to the question of introducing a "Markets and Fairs Bill" into Parliament next Session. The Board approved of the foregoing

Letter from John Connaire Linnaghy dated 14th October 1865, denying the statement of the inmate Bridget Diamond that he has a certain sum of money belonging to her in his possession.

Letter from the Education Office dated 16th October 1865 forwarding the following extracts from the District Inspector's Report of the 12th Ult^o on the Workhouse School

The Course of instruction is in my opinion as extensive as the ages of the children would permit. Their proficiency in most of the Cases was fair or good; - in arithmetic alone was there any decided deficiency. I consider the School to be progressing.

Teacher has lately made a number of promotions, and the classification is now as high as the ages of the pupils would lead an examiner to expect, notwithstanding recent promotions the answering in general reached the prescribed standard.

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The Board declared a Sum of £3:7:2 in Collector Caspar's District irrecoverable being for Rates due upon waste and dilapidated houses in the town of Loughrea, and directed the remainder amounting to £12:5:6 to be carried into the new Rate Books as Arrears, as also a Sum of £16:15:10 outstanding in Collector Burke's District

The Clerk laid before the Board the new Rate Books, which were signed by the Chairman and two Guardians, and the Rates as agreed to on the 23rd Ult^o were declared duly made

The Clerk was directed to advertise by Handbills for the Supply of Provisions and Necessaries - tenders to be received on that day fortnight

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

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

Ditto, disallowed - - -

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

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

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

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

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on 28th day of October 1865 Saturday the

(Signed)

Patrick Egan
Clerk of the Union

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Loughrea
UNION, on Saturday, the 21st day of October 1865
continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 5th October 1865
stating that

Requesting to know whether the Town Commissioners of Loughrea have adopted any measures for the removal of nuisances under the "Town Improvement Act" and if there is any necessity for the Guardians to exercise their powers

Ordered

That the Commissioners be informed in reply to their enquiry that the Town Commissioners of Loughrea have carefully attended to the Sanitary State of the town; but that the Guardians considered that the provisions of the "Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts" would be more effectually carried out by both bodies combining for that purpose and altho' the reply of the Town Commissioners to the application made to them has not as yet been received the Board have no doubt but that they will willingly co-operate in the movement

J. J. J. J.

(Signed)

Patrick Egan

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1861. *38698* Present Net Annual Value, £ *75458.16.0*
 STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *28th* day of *October* 1865

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 2 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	<i>760</i>	<i>125</i>														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,	<i>38</i>	<i>2</i>														
Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	<i>818</i>	<i>127</i>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			<i>8</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>127</i>	In Work-house (Hospital, In Fever Hospital, } <i>42</i>	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, } <i>2</i>		
Admitted during the Week,			<i>3</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>26</i>					
TOTAL,			<i>11</i>	<i>35</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>153</i>	Total, <i>44</i>	Total, <i>2</i>		
Discharged during the Week,			<i>2</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>26</i>					
Died,																
Total Discharged and Dead,			<i>2</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>26</i>					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			<i>9</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>127</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 *Saturday* the *4th* day of *November* 1865

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Lad Punsanle*

Other Guardians: *Si Home J Burke Bart. Dep's Robert Burke Benjamin Taylor, Thomas Burke, John Pimond Ryan Ryan Thomas Glynn*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1986 to No. 2020 both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ Nil

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £279 : 1 : 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total									
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.							
<i>Totals,</i>																				

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

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

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

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

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

21 4 2

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 15 13 6

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 3 6 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -

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

616 lbs White Bread,
 97 3/4 Meat
 556 Quarts Sweet Milk
 4 lbs Tea
 14 " Sugar
 14 " Rice
 3 On Heads
 1 lb Pepper
 1 Quart Mustard
 2 Dozen Paten

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 186

whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was £ s. d.

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

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Denis Martin	4	19	2
James Mahony	3	8	10
Thomas Kelly	15	9	4
Henry Hanflon	2	2	0
Joseph O'Brien	14	10	0
Surf			
Stationery & Post			
Coffins			
Maintenance & Repairs			

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

"That the Porter resumed his duties on the 24th Ult^o"

"That a man named Mahony who lately died in the Workhouse had a sum of 1/2^s in his possession, which his friends are now claiming"

- Ordered
- 5 Dozen Small Platters
 - 3 " Large "
 - 20 Cut Open Straw
 - 2s Pane Glass

The Medical Officer reported
That Suty Shirts are urgently required for Hospital use"
(ordered)

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

Sealed Order dated 30th October 1865 appointing the Rev^d John Seward to the Office of Roman Catholic Chaplain to this Workhouse at a Salary of £50 a Year

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

Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 27th October 1865, stating that they had offered the Chaplaincy of this Workhouse to the Rev^d John Seward which he accepted, and that they have given directions for the preparation of an Order under Seal for this appointment

Circular Letter from same dated 31st October 1865 with reference to the provisions of the recent Act for the superannuation of Union Officers in Ireland

Circular Letter from same dated 1st November 1865 requiring the return of Rates for the month of October last.

Circular Letter from the Valuation Office dated 1st November 1865 calling the attention of the Clerk of the Union and Rate Collectors to their duties under the 4th Section of the Valuation Act

Upon

Upon the application of the Master the Board granted him one day's leave of absence

The Board having considered the several tenders for the supply of Provisions and Staples for twelve months entered into the following Contracts viz:

Butter up ton	£ 5 2	Walter Plunket
White Bread 4lb loaf	13 0 0	Patrick J Mangan
Print Flour stone	6	P. D. Kennedy
Beef lb	2 2	P. D. Kennedy
Hutton "	6	P. D. Kennedy
Cow Heads each	6	P. D. Kennedy
Black Tea lb	1 6	Patrick McCarthy
Soft Sugar "	2 2	P. D. Kennedy
Black Pepper "	4 1/2	P. D. Kennedy
Arrow Root "	1 1	Annette Whelan
Pearl Barley "	9	P. D. Kennedy
Rice stone	3 1/2	Mary Farney
Shoulder Candles lb	2 6	P. D. Kennedy
Pipped "	6 1/4	P. D. Kennedy
Wax "	6 1/4	P. D. Kennedy
Soap cut	2 2	Patrick McCarthy
Starch lb	1 3 6	Mary Farney
Blue "	3 1/2	P. D. Kennedy
Washing Soda cut	10	Patrick McCarthy
Whiskey Gal	7 10	Mary Farney
Port Wine Doz	14 0	Patrick McCarthy
xx Porter "	19 0	Mary Farney
Brandy Flask	3 0	Patrick McCarthy
	4 3	Mary Farney

There being no tender for the supply of Indian Meal - the Clerk was directed to re-advertise for same

And

And the following Articles for Six Months viz

Chambray	yd	1 0	Minton Tarping
Bengal Stripes	yd	11	"
Black		1 3	"
Grey Calico		11 1/4	"
Linen Workings		1 7	"
Campes for Beds		1 4	"
Frics		5 6	"
Bandage		3 10	"
Linen		1 0	"
Showering Calico		4 1/2	"
Mens Caps	Doz	6 0	"
Boys		5 0	"
Shed	lb	2 6	"
Tape	Pie	3	"
Buttons	Gross	8	"

Upon

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

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

Ditto, disallowed - - -

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

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

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

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

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

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

Upon the application of the Station - the following supply of Clothing Materials was ordered viz:

200 Yards Calico

100 " Check

2 lbs Thread

1 Doz Parcels for use of Attor and Officers

James Clarke Secy.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 11th day of November 1865

(Signed) Peter M. Egan
Clerk of the Union.

By Authority—JOHN FALCONER, Printer and Binder to Her Majesty's Stationery Office,
53, Upper Sackville-street, Dublin.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Langford
UNION, on Tues day, the 14th day of November 1865
continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

The Board elected the following Boate-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 _____

Letter from the Clerk to the Poor Law Commissioners
London dated 25th October 1865 stating that
the Commissioners at their Meeting on the 23rd
Ult. had agreed, to Co-operate with the Board
of Guardians in their endeavours to carry out the
provisions of the "Nuisances Removal and Diseases
Prevention Acts"

James Clarke

(Signed) Patrick Ogan
Clerk of the Union.

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Loughrea UNION.

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Population in 1861,

Present Net Annual Value, £ 75458 : 16 : 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of November 1865

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,	760	135														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	88	1														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	848	136														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			9	26	17	17	4	3	20	16	15	127	In Workhouse Hospital, 39	In separate Wards, 1		
Admitted during the Week,			1	6	2	1	1	1	3	3	3	18	In Hospital, 1	In Wards with other Inmates, 1		
TOTAL,			10	32	17	19	5	4	21	19	18	145	Total, 40	Total, 2		
Discharged during the Week,			1	3	2	1					1	8				
Died,			1									1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	3	2	1					1	9				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			8	29	17	17	4	4	21	19	17	136				

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 11th day of November 1865 Saturday

PRESENT: In the Chair,

James Clarke Esq.

Other Guardians:

Messrs Thomas Burke, Albert Clarke
James Furlong

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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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 £ . . .

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	15	7	11
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2	-	1
Average cost in Infirmary,			
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	3	-	7

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:

636 lbs White Bread
 87 3/4 Meat
 1572 Quarts Sweet Milk
 4 lbs Tea
 21 Sugar
 3 On Heads
 14 lbs Flour
 1 Quart Whiskey
 2 Doz on Potest

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 4th day of November 1865 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, -	-	2	6
In Kind, -			
Total -	-	2	6

Credit each Relieving Officers as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.		£	s.	d.
D ^r . Lynch	Salary as W. Officer	17	10	0
D ^r . Underwood	" Ap. thecan	7	10	0
Rev. Michael Mullen	" Chaplain	12	10	0
Patrick Egan	" Clerk	22	10	0
Richard Burke	" Master	12	10	0
Margaret A Young	" Matron	5	0	0

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

2. Establishment Account.		£	s.	d.
D ^r . O'Paradise	W. Officer Loughrea	20	0	0
Rev. M. Murphy	Rent of Dispensary	2	10	0
D ^r . Underwood	W. Officer Ballyvaughan	20	0	0
Catherine Aynes	Attendant	2	2	0
Catherine Cullen	Rent of Disp ^y	2	5	0
D ^r . Leonard	W. Officer Athlone	20	0	0
D ^r . Blackton	" Wordford	20	0	0
Patrick W. Carthy	Groceries	46	6	1

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):

1384/65

Circular Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 4th November 1865, with reference to certain sanitary precautions to be taken by the Board of Guardians in connection with the provisions of "The Sewage Utilization Act 1865".

19919/65

Letter from same dated 7th November 1865 stating that they have had a communication from the Registrar General complaining of the damp state of the strong closet connected with the Register Office in this Union and requesting the attention of the Board of Guardians to the matter.

Ordered,

That the Commissioners be informed in reply to their letter, that the suggestions contained therein will be forthwith attended to, and that the Guardians will devise some means for the proper heating and ventilating of the office in question.

Letter

Letter from Collector Garrett Burke dated 6th November 1865, stating that the poundage to be allowed him for the collection of the new Rate is so small (that unless the Board are willing to allow a shilling in the pound), he cannot expect his Sureties to go in and perfect a new Bond.

The Consideration of the foregoing was postponed to next meeting, and the Clerk was directed to communicate with his Sureties in the mean time.

The Warrants for Collection in Collector Cosgrove and Brislane's Districts were duly signed by the Chairman and two Guardians.

The tenders for the supply of Indian Meal being considered expired - the Board postponed the consideration thereof to the 18th inst and the Clerk was directed to re-advise by Hand Bills.

M. W. V. Munn

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

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

Ditto, disallowed - - - - -

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

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

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

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

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on 18th day of November 1865 Saturday the

(Signed) Patrick Egan

Clerk of the Union.

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Loughrea
UNION, on Satur day, the 11th day of November 1865
continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

The Board elected the following Boate-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) Patrick Egan
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1861,

Present Net Annual Value, £ 75458: 16: 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 25th day of November 1865

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,	760	146														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	38															
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	818	146														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			11	29	20	19	4	4	20	20	17	144	In Work-house Hospital, in Fever Hospital, } 44	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, }		
Admitted during the Week,			3	4			2		2	3	6	20				
TOTAL,			14	33	20	19	6	4	22	23	23	164	Total, 44	Total,		
Discharged during the Week,			2	5			2		2	2	4	17				
Died,											1	1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	5			2		2	2	5	18				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			12	28	20	19	4	4	20	21	18	146				

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 2nd day of December 1865

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Mr Thomas Burke Bart*
 Other Guardians: *Messrs Bryan Ryan, John Diamond, Benjamin Taylor, James Harling, Martin Lynch*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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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 £ 13 : 8 : 7

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

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 16 : 17 : 2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 3 : 4/4

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:

736 lb White Bread
 88 " Meat
 651 Quarts Sweet Milk
 4 lb Tea
 21 " Sugar
 3 Cow Heads
 14 lb Flour
 2 Quarts Whisk Key
 1 Dozen Porter
 14 lb Arrow Root
 4 Dozt Candles
 4 " Should do

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 186 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was £ s. d.

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

Credit each Believing Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Believing Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

John Daly	Pray Court	5	5	0
Patrick Egan	Books & School Requests	1	9	2
Michael Mc-Gala	Glaswing		7	6
Rev. John Sellars	Prayer Books	1	0	0
James Bay	Yins	1	10	0
Michael Butter	Buckets		13	6

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

2. Establishment Account.

Patrick Murphy	Cabbage Plants		7	6
Timothy Maughan	Turneps	1	11	6
Margaret Mc-Well	Eggs		1	0
John Madden	Drainage Relief		2	6
Jane Langley	Straw		11	10

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:

That the Porter was obliged thro' illness to go home on nine different occasions since last meeting - he has resumed the discharge of his duties to day

That the Services of a Tailor would be required to make some new Clothing and repair the Articles on hands

To be employed

Ordered.

- The Clock to be repaired
- 40 yards Corduroy
- 40 " Frieze
- 12 Pair Men's Coats
- 12 " Boys' do
- 2 Sucking Brushes
- 1 White Wash do
- 2 Pair Shoes

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):

134/65
Mis

Circular Letter from The Poor Law Commissioners dated 15th November 1865. Requiring a Return of the total receipts and expenditure of the Union for the year ended 29th September last.

20957/65

Letter from Same dated 23rd November 1865 requesting certain information of the German Catholic Missions who with her children was lately removed under warrant from the Union of Ecdeshall Bierlan.

The Clerk stated that he had replied to the foregoing.

144/65
Mis

Circular Letter from Same dated 1st December 1865. Requiring a Return of Rates for the month of November last.

Letter from James Merton Esq^r Poor Law Auditor dated 22nd November 1865, fixing Friday the 8th December for the audit of the Accounts of the Union, for the half year ended 29th Sept^r 1865.

Letter

Letter from J. Ball Greene Esq^r Superintendent of Valuation dated 28th November 1865 acknowledging the receipt of the lists of Incumbrances in this Union requiring revision.

Letter from Collector J. W. Bosgrave dated 2nd December 1865 requesting that the Board in calculating the amount due him for fees would be pleased to allow the full poundage of six Pence upon a sum of £48:2:4 lodged by him with the Treasurer on the 31st March last. The Board agreed to allow the full poundage on the sum in question.

Letter from the Workhouse Porter dated 2nd December 1865 stating that in consequence of the declining state of his health Dr. Lupton recommended him to try a change of air, requesting that the Board would be pleased to grant him a month or six weeks leave of absence. The Board complied with the foregoing request and directed the Master, and directed the Master to get a trustworthy person to act during the Porter's absence - the same rate of salary and weekly rations as the Porter has to be allowed him during the temporary appointment.

Collector Galbraith's Warrants for collection were laid before the Board and signed by the Chairman, and two Guardians.

The tender of M^{rs} Pannetone of Bow of Cornish for the supply of Indian Meal to the Workhouse up to the 28th November 1866 at the rate of £8:18:0 of ton was accepted.

The tender of Thomas Greene for the supply of Lath at £2:2:0 of ton for the same period was also accepted.

Three

Three inmates named Mary Hyne, Catherine Qually and Penelope Commons - reported on the Punishment Book - were called before the Board and reprimanded for quarrelling with one another in the Workhouse.

Upon the application of the Schoolmistress - a supply of Books and other requisites amounting to £1.9.2 was ordered for the Workhouse School.

The Report laid before the Board the "Agricultural Statistics" relating to this Union forwarded by the Registrar General.

Collector Garrett Dunke's letter read at last Meeting having been again taken into consideration, the Board decided to allow him the rate of pounds he required for the collection of the new Rate, his resignation was accordingly accepted.

The Clerk was directed to issue the usual advertisements for another Collector - appointment to be made on the 16th 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 Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

The following supply of Clothing materials was ordered on the requisition of the Station namely

300 yards Bengal stripe

150 " " Lining Calico

2 Gross Buttons

6 Yds Tape

4 Packages Needles

3 Dozen Thimbles

J. M. P. R.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 9th day of December 1865

(Signed) Patrick Egan

Clerk of the Union.

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[No. 27.] }

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Loughrea
UNION, on Satur day, the 21st day of December 1865
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 29th September 1865, 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 29th Sept. 1865

Loughrea District,	£ 67: 6: 3
Bullaun District,	£ 49: 7: 0
Athenry District	£ 62: 10: 1
Woodford District	£ 48: 15: 0

M. P. L. R.

Galway

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that _____

(Signed) Patrick Egan
Clerk of the Union.

Loughrea UNION.

Population in 1861, 38698

Present Net Annual Value, £75458.16.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of December 1865

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 6 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,	760	1115														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	38															
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	818	1115														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			12	28	20	19	4	4	20	21	18	146	In Work-house Hospital, 42	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, -		
Admitted during the Week,			2	8				1			1	12				
TOTAL,			14	36	20	19	4	5	20	21	19	158	Total, 42	Total, -		
Discharged during the Week,			6	5				1			1	13				
Died,																
Total Discharged and Dead,			6	5				1			1	13				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			8	31	20	19	4	4	20	21	18	145				

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 9th day of December 1865

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Lud. Dunsandle

Other Guardians:

Messrs John A. Blake, Robert Burke, Thomas Parry & John Diamond

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2090 to No. 2111 both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

That Mr. Martin attended on Yesterday, and audited the Accounts of the Union for the past half Year

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,

Baid during the week, £ 97 : 0 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £ 121 : 3 : 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman

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

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.
J. P. Lane	Lutren	17	11	7									
	Brackley	26	10	2									
	Killeeshill	9	18	3									
	Kilmee	19	13	4									
	Dullaun	19	7										
	Kilmeck	14	9	11									
	Grange	23	17	2									
					97	0	0						358 1 1
J. Progne	Loughrea							574	18	9			
	Kilmeek							69	0	11			
	Lackan							31	15	10			
	Ritchmont							93	18	4			
	Castleby							42	9	6			
	Atillo							33	1	9			
Mountain	Dunlavin							14	7	10			
								29	6	6			
													688 19 5
J. Galbraith	Athony							268	8	3			
	Bro. phuel							49	18	10			
	Killymrew							82	1	8			
	Mayode							31	16	6			
	Greelhill							40	1	5			
	Grigalby							23	12	6			
	Kilmeenan							45	16	10			
	Kiltullagh							57	6	2			
	Rafad							28	2	6			
	Blombeen							31	6	5			
	Colmanstown							11	10	11			
	Cappaluck							58	16	9			
	Pullinow							38	18	11			
	Inajoin						26	10	9				
													734 14 5
	Pallynagun							55	0	0			
	Dunkey							62	0	10			
	Loughatuck							4	18	6			
	Maulehill							49	12	7			
	Woodford							74	0	9			
													245 12 8
													97 0 0
													2027 7 7
	Totals,												

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

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

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

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

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

14 9 7
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 17 = 11 = 5
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 2 = 1 3/4
Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 3 = 6
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:

696 lb White Bread - 112 lb Soap
89 3/4 Meat - 4 Mould Candles
15 Cut Potmeal
623 Quarts Sweet Milk
3 lbs Tea
14 Sugar
3 Ozo Apples
1 lb Pepper
5 Cut Indian Meal
2 Quarts Molasses
1 Dozen Pater
4 lb Dipt Candles

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 1866 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was £ s. d.

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

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

John Cosgrove	Portage Fees	15	13	11
Patrick Kennedy	Meat	68	13	8
Patrick Glasby	Turf	4	9	10
Michael Haby	"	6	16	6
Michael Mahony	"	4	3	5
Thomas Burke	"	4	5	2

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

2. Establishment Account.

Martin Kelly	Turf	8	1	0
Thomas Doherty	"	5	14	11
Jack Ridge	Milk	15	16	11
Ellen Finnegan	"	16	18	8

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

That on the evening of Wednesday last, a prostitute named Sally Griffin applied for admission, and not considering her destitute she refused her; upon which she wilfully broke one of the Workhouse windows. — that he gave informations against her and a warrant was issued for her arrest; she will be brought up for trial at next Petty Sessions.

That he arranged with a pensioner named Haskins who had been recommended to him as a trustworthy person to act during the absence of the Porter on leave.

That the water pipes in the Laundry and other parts of the House are leaking. The Master was directed to get them repaired by Bennett, the Plumber from Galway.

Ordered

- 1 Pair Shoes, 2 to be repaired
- 2 lb. Wax Candles
- 5 Dozen Spoons

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):

21799/65

Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 8th December 1865, transmitting questions for answers to be signed by the persons who may be appointed Collectors of Poor Rates in place of Mr. Garrett Burke

Petition from an inmate named Ellen Stanton dated 9th December 1865 praying that the Board of Guardians would be pleased to have her transferred to the Asylum for the Blind situate at Portobello Dublin, as a Lady has promised to partly contribute towards her support in that Institution

The Clerk was directed to write and ascertain the terms upon which this inmate would be received into the Asylum in question

The Abstracts of the Union Accounts for the half year ended 29th September last were laid before the Board, and signed by the Chairman

H. C. Burke

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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 Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - -

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 16th day of December 1865

(Signed) Patrick Egan

Clerk of the Union

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Loughrea
UNION, on Satur day, the 9th day of December 1865
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:

To be procured from the Contractor
Messrs Lister & Co.
Robt. Burke

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject,)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

(Signed) *Patrick Egan*
Clerk of the Union

Loughrea UNION.

Population in 1861
38698

Present Net Annual Value, £ 75458. 16. 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of December 1865

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 Idlots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	760	149														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	58															
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	818	149														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			8	31	20	19	4	4	20	21	18	145	In Work-house, Hospital, In Fever Hospital, } 46	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, } -		
Admitted during the Week,			6	6		1						13	Total, 46	Total,		
TOTAL,			14	37	20	20	4	4	20	21	18	158				
Discharged during the Week,			4	2	1	1	1					9				
Died,																
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	2	1	1	1					9				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			10	35	19	19	3	4	20	21	18	149				

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 16th day of December 1865

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Robert Burke Esq.

Other Guardians:

Messrs. John Diamond, Peter H. Dolphin, James Hurlong and Bryan Ryan

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2112 to No. 2114 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 Clerk laid before the Board a Warrant received by him on the 14th inst. for the removal of a woman named Teresa Larkin and three children from the Parish of St Mary Rotherhithe and stated that the parties have not arrived at the Workhouse as yet. also a Warrant enclosed with the foregoing addressed to the Family Board of Guardians

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,

Baid during the week, £ 15 : 8 : 2

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 14 : 16 : 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
J Galbraith	Athens	4	2	8				204	5	7				
	Brayfield	1	8	1				48	10	9				
	Killogilgan	1	17	4				80	4	4				
	Harode	1	2	5				30	14	1				
	Greethill	3	9	10				36	11	7				
	Craigalby	.	.	.				23	12	6				
	Pelentign	.	.	.				45	16	10				
	Kiltullagh	2	15	6				54	10	8				
	Rafin	.	.	.				28	2	6				
	Clonkeen	4	4					31	2	1				
	Colmantown	.	.	.				11	16	11				
	Cappalusk	.	.	.				58	16	9				
J Caspary	Killimer	.	.	.				38	18	11				
	Tragun	8	0					26	2	9				
						15	8	2				719	6	3
	Dunree							37	18	9				
	Kilcumshing							69	0	11				
	Loekala							31	15	10				
	Rilchwest							93	18	4				
	Coastby							42	9	6				
	Atle							33	1	9				
	Mountain							14	7	10				
	Perryglan							29	6	6				
												688	19	5
J Prilane	Lectrum													
	Brackley													
	Kiltobilly													
	Kilmuir													
	Dallan													
J Hayes	Kilrath													
	Grang													
	Ballynagar							55	0	0				
	Drumkeary							62	0	10				
	Dunphatrick							4	18	6				
Woodford	Woodford							49	12	7				
	Woodford							74	0	9				
											358	1	1	
											245	12	8	
Totals.					15	8	2				201	19	5	

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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 Medical Officer reported
 "That the whole meal
 used for making Bread seems to him to be of
 inferior quality."

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

"That on Sunday last a man named
 John Kelly who represented himself as an agent
 to Mr. Frost of London, came to the Workhouse and
 stated that the pauper Daniel Armstrong, whom
 he had in charge for removal to this Workhouse "gave
 him the slip for Athlone" - he handed him (the
 Master) a Copy of the Warrant."

"That the prostitute Sally Quinn
 was convicted at last Petty Sessions and sentenced
 to one month's imprisonment for breaking the window."

"That he rejected on Yesterday the
 Milk supplied by Mr. Ridge, being of an inferior
 quality and produced the usual substitute, the
 difference in price of which is to be charged to the Contractor."

Approved
 "That he notified to the Contractor to take
 away the whole Flour last supplied as it is of an inferior
 quality but he has not done so as yet and that he (the
 Master) has this day purchased a supply in town instead"

Approved

That

~~The following Order of the Board was read before the Board, and the motions~~
~~thereon were:~~

Ordered That an order for the usual meat
Dinner on Christmas-day is respectfully requested

100 lbs Beef

Ordered That the acting Peter took charge on
Monday last, the 11th inst

- 3 Pair Shoes
- 1 lb Thread
- 1 Gross Studs
- 14 Stones Oats for the Asses

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

Letter from George Godfrey Place Esq^r - Am^o - Sec^y to the Antislavery Institution for the Blind dated 14th December 1865, stating that the terms upon which, blind females are admitted into that institution are £12⁰ Annuum with £1 for outfit at entrance, and that there is no limit as to age provided the Candidates are capable of learning. The Consideration of the foregoing was postponed to next Meeting

M^r. Patrick Hayes was appointed Rate collector for the Electoral Divisions of, Dallynagon, Drumkeary, Louisa Street, Mayfield and Woodford at a poundage of six Pence on Rates lodged to the 25th Month and three pence afterwards - the securities named in his tender were approved of

Upon the application of the Clerk - the Board granted him one week's leave of absence

The Out Pensioner of Chelsea Hospital named Patrick Burke was admitted to the Workhouse Infirmary and relief by way of loan ordered to him

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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 Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - -

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 27th day of December 1865

(Signed) Patrick Egan

Clerk of the Union

By Authority—JOHN FALCONER, Printer and Binder to Her Majesty's Stationery Office,
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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 16th day of December 1865
continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

(Signed) *Patrick Egan*
Clerk of the Union.

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Loughrea UNION.

Population in 1861,

Present Net Annual Value, £ 75758:16:0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of December 1865

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,	760	117														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	58															
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	818	117														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			9	34	21	21	4	4	20	20	17	150	In Work-house, Hospital, In Fever Hospital, } 45	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, } -		
Admitted during the Week,			3	4						1	3	11	Total, 45	Total, -		
TOTAL,			12	38	21	21	4	4	20	21	20	161				
Discharged during the Week,			2	5	2	1					2	12				
Died,			1			1						2				
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	5	2	2					2	14				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			9	33	19	19	4	4	20	21	18	147				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24th day of December 1865 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 Meeting held on Saturday the 30th day of December 1865

PRESENT: In the Chair, Sir Thomas J. Burke Bart.
Other Guardians:

Mr. Charles O'Hall, Bryan Ryan
Benjamin Taylor

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Galway County

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2115 to No. 2141 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, - - - - - £ 78 : 2 : 10

Baid during the week, - - - - - £ 20 : 15 : 2

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 42 : 10 : 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.
J Cosgrove	Loughrea	36	7	2									
	Kilcomney												
	Lackalea												
	Kilchrist												
	Castletown												
	Adle												
J Divilane	Mountain												
	Perryglan												
	Lectrum	5	9	8				35	9	4			
	Bracklough	8	18	1				61	13	7			
	Kitteshilly	5	17	11				15	16	5			
	Kilmee	16	16	0				67	17	8			
	Dullawn			24				25	8	1			
J Gallweith	Kilreeble	3	2	9				32	4	7			
	Grange	1	9	11				77	15	9			
	Athony				41	15	8				16	5	5
	Braughduff							204	5	7			
	Killogilleps							48	10	9			
	Mayode							80	4	4			
	Greethill							30	14	1			
	Graigaboy							36	11	7			
	Kilmeragh							23	12	6			
	Kiltullagh							45	16	10			
	Rafud							54	10	8			
	Kilmeragh							28	2	6			
	Colmanstown							31	2	1			
Cappalusk							11	16	11				
J Hayes	Killimer							58	16	9			
	Trajuin							38	18	11			
	Dallynagat							26	2	9			
	Drum Rany										71	6	3
J Hayes	Loughatrick							55	0	0			
	Killeshill							62	0	10			
	Woodford							4	18	6			
J Hayes								49	12	7			
								70	0	9			
Totals,											193	3	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 £

15 = 6 = 4 £ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 19 = 1 = 2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - 2 = 3

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 3 = 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:

696 lb White Bread 2 Dozen Pater
 90 lb Meat 4 lb. Dipt Candles
 638 Quarts Sweet Milk 4 " Mould "
 4 lb Tea
 21 " Sugar
 560 " White Flour
 3 Ouz Acales
 1 lb Pepper
 100 " Meat for Christmas Dinner
 14 " Flour
 560 " Indian Meal
 1 Quart Whiskey

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 186 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was £ s. d.

In Money, - - - - -
In Kind, - - - - -

Total - - - - -

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque 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.				
Cal. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
1. Clothing Account.				
Catherine O'Brien	Rent of Pipeway	3	0	0
William Shaughnessy	" "	3	0	0
Hector M. Boy	Pater	2	10	0

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):

22720/65

Letter from The Poor Law Commissioners dated 19th December 1865 acknowledging the receipt of Copies of the Warrants of Removal lately received from the Guardians of the Parish of St. Mary Rotherhithe and suggesting that they be communicated with and forthwith apprised of certain errors in the Warrants in question. The Master stated that he had complied with the foregoing.

22719/65

Letter from Same dated 22nd December 1865, sanctioning the appointment of Mr Patrick Hayes as Collector of Poor Rates in this Union, and stating that he should be provided with a Copy of the "Collector's Manual". The Clerk stated that he would procure a Copy of the Manual in question for use of this Collector.

Letter

Letter from Mr Thomas Bennett Plumber dated 18th December 1865 stating that his terms are seven shillings a day whilst employed and travelling expenses from Galway, and that he would attend if approved and furnish an estimate of the work that is required to be done. The Chairman promised to send in a Plumber, who is at present in the neighbourhood to examine the state of the Coaks Pipes &c.

Letter from Mr Garrett Burke dated 22nd December 1865 requesting that as he is now no longer an Officer of the Union a Cheque would be drawn upon the amount due him for Poundage Fees.

The Board declined to pay the late Collector, until the Arrears of last Year's Rates carried into the new Warrants shall have been collected.

Letter from A R Drury Esq^r dated War Office 27th December 1865, stating that the Staff Officer of Pensioners at Ennis has been instructed to pay over to the Guardians the amount that may be due for the maintenance of the Pensioner Patrick Burke, whilst a patient in the Workhouse Infirmary.

Collector Hayes' Warrants were submitted to the Board and duly signed by the Chairman, and two Guardians.

The Punishment Book was produced - one Case of punishment inflicted by the Master since last meeting was approved.

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

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

Ditto, disallowed - - - - -

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

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

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

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

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Dunsmuir Saturday the
6th day of January 1866
 (Signed) Patrik Egan
 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 Satur day, the 30th day of December 1865
continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

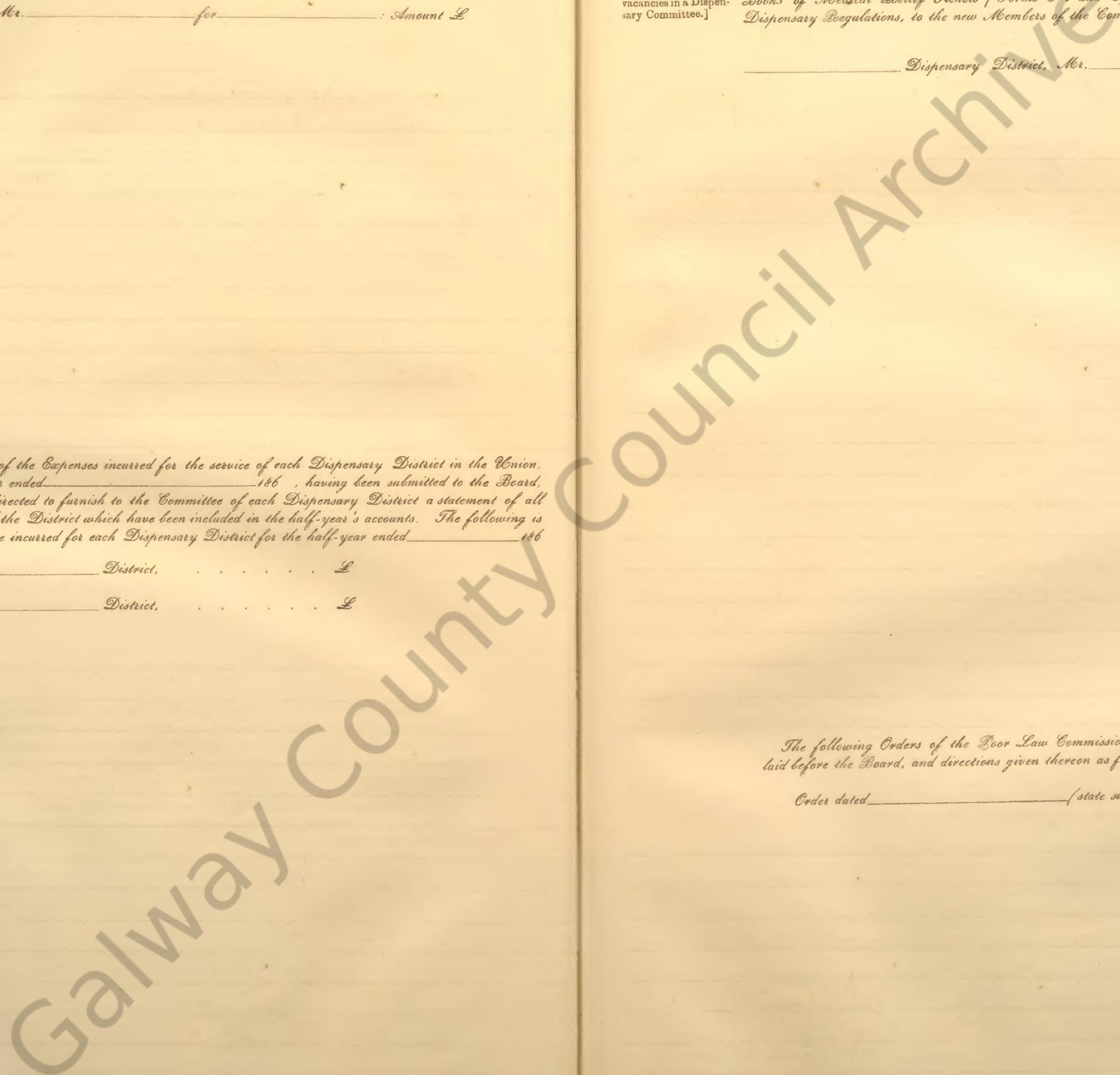
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject,)



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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

Dr Leonard's Report containing 188 Cases of Successful Vaccination - forwarded by the Committee of Management of Alphen Dispensary District - was submitted to the Board of Guardians

Dunsand

(Signed)

Patrick Egan
Clerk of the Union

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Loughrea UNION.

Population in 1861, 29168

Present Net Annual Value, £ 75488:16:0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of December 1865

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,	760	138														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	58															
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	818	138														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			9	33	19	19	4	4	20	21	18	147	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital, } 49	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, }		
Admitted during the Week,			2	8	1	2			1		1	15	Total, 49	Total,		
TOTAL,			11	41	20	21	4	4	21	21	19	162				
Discharged during the Week,				4								4				
Died,																
Total Discharged and Dead,				4								4				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			11	37	20	21	4	4	21	21	19	158				

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the day of January 1866

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Lord Lunsdale

Other Guardians:

Messrs John H Blake, James Wallace, Benjamin Taylor, Richard Ryan, Thomas Glynn, John Ginnard, James Mulvey

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2442 to No. 2456 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. 10 to No. 100, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

That the Treasurer has credited the Fund with a sum of £2-6-0 being interest allowed upon the Current Account for the past half year."

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, £36 : 1 : 3

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £3 : 0 : 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £75 : 12 : 2

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.
J. Croghan	Dunbea	7	10	11				331	0	8			
	St. Kilemichon	2	19	2				66	1	9			
	Lackalea		12	10				31	2	11/2			
	Kilbuck	1	6	9				92	11	6 1/2			
	Castletown	1	8	4				41	1	2			
	St. Killea	1	4	0				31	17	9 1/2			
	Mountain		10	6				13	17	1			
J. Galbraith	Templew	18	2	9				11	5	1			
					33	15	3				618	18	1/2
	Attorney							207	5	7			
	Broughall							48	10	9			
	Killogilliers							80	4	4			
	Mayde							30	14	1			
	Greathill							36	11	7			
	Grainyabbay							33	12	6			
	Kilnaboy							45	16	10			
	Piltulough							57	10	8			
	Raford							28	2	6			
	Blunkkeen							31	2	1			
	Colmanstown							11	16	11			
	Cappalusk							58	16	9			
J. D'Arcy	Killinera							38	18	11			
	Trayven							26	2	9			
											719	6	3
	Lisburn							35	9	4			
	Bracklough							61	13	7			
J. Hayes	Kiltoshilly							15	16	5			
	Kilmeen							67	17	8			
	Bullewin							25	8	1			
	Kilbride							32	4	7			
	Grange							77	15	9			
J. Hayes											316	5	5
	Ballynagar							55	0	0			
	Drumkeary							62	0	10			
	Loughatouch							4	18	6			
J. Hayes	Marblehill							49	12	7			
	Woodford							70	0	9			
										245	12	8	
Totals.					33	15	3				1900	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 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):

1st/66

Circular Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 1st January 1866, requiring a return of Rates for the month of December last

195/1866

Letter from same dated 3rd January 1866 stating that they have received a report from their Inspector Mr Burke of his recent inspection of the Workhouse, which he describes as well conducted on the whole; - that as regards the School - children the teacher seems to apply herself to their literary education but does not pay sufficient attention to the employment of the female children in needlework; suggesting that a supply of shoes and stockings be provided for them, and as regards the state of the Workhouse Building drawing the Guardians attention to the Master's report read at last meeting.

With reference to the foregoing
The

The Master reported, that he had arranged with the Slater, to clean the same shoes referred to in the Inspector's report; and as regards the School - children the Board have this day ordered 2^{Doz} Pairs of Goggles and 4^{Doz} Pairs of Stockings to be provided for them

Letter from the Sec^y to the Irish Railway Reform Committee, dated 3rd December 1865, forwarding a copy of a requisition to the Lord Mayor of Dublin to convene a meeting on the subject of Railway Reform in this Country.

The Board having enquired into the financial state of the Union, and progress made in the Collection of the Current Rates

Ordered That the Clerk is directed to write to Collectors Caspary, Prislane and Galbraith, and inform them, that the Board consider the state of their Collection very unsatisfactory, and to request that they will use every exertion, if otherwise, serious notice will be taken of any Collector, who shall not have made a considerable lodgment, with the Treasurer by next Board Meeting; - there being several pressing claims, before the Board, which cannot be discharged, in consequence of the balance to their credit in the Bank being so small

J. M. Burke

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 Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - -

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the
13th day of January 1866
 (Signed) Patrick Egan
 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 Satur day, the 6th day of January 1866
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 Pullawn
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with
~~Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon~~
as follows:

Ordered To be procured from the
Contractor

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

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

M. W. R.

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

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject,)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

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(Signed) Patrick Egan
Clerk of the Union.

Loughrea UNION.

Population in 1861, *29168* Present Net Annual Value, £ *75458.16.0*
 STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *13th* day of *January* 1866

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,	<i>760</i>	<i>167</i>														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	<i>58</i>															
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	<i>818</i>	<i>167</i>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			<i>12</i>	<i>42</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>165</i>	In Workhouse Hospital, in Fever Hospital, Total, <i>54</i>	In separate Wards, In Fever Inmates, Total, <i>54</i>		
Admitted during the Week,			<i>7</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>3</i>							<i>11</i>				
TOTAL,			<i>19</i>	<i>43</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>176</i>				
Discharged during the Week,			<i>4</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>			<i>1</i>			<i>9</i>				
Died,																
Total Discharged and Dead,			<i>4</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>			<i>1</i>			<i>9</i>				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			<i>15</i>	<i>41</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>167</i>				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *13th* day of *January* 1866, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the *20th* day of *January* 1866

PRESENT: In the Chair, *John A Blake Esq*
 Other Guardians: *Lad Dunlo Mep Benjamin Taylor Ryan Ryan & John Diamond*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2137 to No. 2179 both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £201: 2: 3

Baid during the week, £38: 7: 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £238: 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.
P Hayes	Pallynegan	14	12	0	4	12	0	40	8	0			
	Drumkeag	17	7	11	7	7	11	44	12	11			
	Longhatch		7	11		7	11	4	10	7			
	Shaklehill	6	9	5	6	9	5	43	3	2			
	Woodford	15	13	3	5	13	3	58	7	6			
					54	10	6				191	2	2
P Prislane	Leitrim	3	5	9	24	10	6	32	3	7			
	Trac Ragh	7	5	0				54	8	7			
	Killeshill	2	18	5				12	18	0			
	Kilmeen	2	9	0				65	8	8			
	Bullawn	7	15	7				17	12	6			
	Kilrubb	3	5	7				28	19	0			
	Grange	11	1	0				66	14	9			
						38	0	4				278	5	1
J Galbraith	Athony	43	1	5				161	4	2			
	Bransfield	4	7	7				44	3	2			
	Killogillie	1	8	6				78	15	10			
	Mayode		4	11				30	9	2			
	Greathill	10	12	8				25	18	11			
	Grigalby	7	17	11				15	14	7			
	Kilmeenan		8	0				45	8	10			
	Kittella	2	17	9				51	12	11			
	Raford		13	2				27	9	4			
	Clonkeen	8	8	8				22	13	5			
	Colmanstown	8	1	2				3	15	9			
	Cappalack	11	1	7				47	15	2			
Killimes	8	13	8				30	5	3				
Traginn		14	5				25	8	4				
					108	11	5				610	14	10
J Brograve	Loughrea							331	0	8			
	Kilmeeking							66	1	9			
	Lackelan							31	3	0			
	Kilmeest							92	4	7			
	Cratley							41	1	2			
	Arille							31	17	9			
Mountain							13	17	4				
Penplew							11	5	1				
											618	18	4
P Hayes	Bgan	10	0	0									
	J Hayes	10	0	0									
	Wrafs	10	0	0									
							30	0	1				
Totals.					201	23					1699	0	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 £ s. d.

20	11	7	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,					
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was					
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,					
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was					
Average cost in Infirmary, 2 : 2 1/2					
Average cost in Fever Hospital, 3 : 9 1/4					

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

756 lbs White Bread	4 lbs Mould Candles
93 1/2 Meat	
692 Quarts Sweet Milk	
4 lbs Tea	
21 Sugar	
3 Ox Heads	
1 lb Pepper	
5 bush Indian Meal	
2 Quarts Whiskey	
2 Dozen Porter	
14 lbs Arrow-root	
4 " Dipt Candles	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 1866 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was £ s. d.

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

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.		£	s.	d.
D. Lynch	Medical Officer	17	10	0
D. Underwood	Apothecary	7	10	0
Patrick Egan	Clerk	22	10	0
Rev. John Fellows	Chaplain	12	10	0
Richard Burke	Master	12	10	0
Margaret A. Young	Matron	5	0	0
Susan Gaby	Asst. Nurse	3	15	0
Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.				

2. Establishment Account.		£	s.	d.
Ann Murphy	Supermistress	3	0	0
James Stanton	Porter	3	15	0
D. Donoghue	W. Officer Loughrea	20	0	0
D. Underwood	Billawin	20	0	0
D. Blacktop	Woodfad	20	0	0
Patrick Mangaw	Bread	76	1	5
Walter Plunkett	Meal & Milk	62	8	6

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

"That the Plumber attended
on the 13th Inst, and repaired the water
pipes and Cocks."

Ordered

3 Dozen Panes Glass
2 Water-Cocks

3 pieces Tape and 3 lbs Thread were ordered
on the requisition of the Station.

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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Mis.

Circular Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners, dated 12th January 1866 drawing the attention of the Clerk to his duties as Returning Officer.

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Letter, from Same, dated 12th January 1866, with reference to the question of providing Clogs for the School Children, (as proposed at last Meeting) stating, that, they consider the use of Clogs objectionable for many reasons, and that they have been almost abandoned in the Workhouses of other Unions, suggesting that, shoes would be the proper article to supply to the children.

Ordered That the Commissioners be informed in reply to the foregoing Communication, that the Board of Guardians have to state they were not aware of the objections to the use of Clogs for the School Children, when giving the order at last Meeting, and also they have ascertained from the Master, that the Supply then ordered had been obtained previous to the receipt of their letter, and are now partly in use by the children

Letter from Captain Purcell Staff Officer dated 8th January 1866 stating - with reference to the case of the Pensioner Patrick Burke who died in the Workhouse on the 18th Ult - that he has no funds to re-pay the Cost of his maintenance whilst a patient therein, and that he has communicated with the Secretary at War on the subject.

Letter from Messrs Gale & Drury Solicitors dated 9th January 1866 requesting to be supplied with certain documents in connection with the case of Catherine Nevin as she had been directed to institute proceedings against W. Frost's agent, for deserting this Woman and her children in Dublin last August. The Clerk stated that he had complied with the foregoing

Letter from the Secretary to the Commission of National Education, dated 11th January 1866, stating that upon the recommendation of the District Inspector a gratuity of £1-10-0 has been awarded to the Teacher of the Workhouse School for the half year ended 30th September last.

The Clerk was directed to write again to the Rate Collectors and inform them that the Board still consider the state of their Collection unsatisfactory and request they will use more diligence in the discharge of their duties in future

An inmate named Ellen Stanton - charged on the Punishment Book with using abusive language towards Dr Lynch, Medical Officer, having been called before the Board, and her statement heard in reply to the charge. It was Ordered, - Milk for Breakfast to be stopped for two days, and to be confined in the Cell for six hours each day
Benjaⁿ Taylor

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 Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - -

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the
27th day of January 1866

(Signed) Patrick Hogan

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 Satur day, the 20th day of January 1866
continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject,)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

D^r Blackton's Report containing 129 Cases of Successful vaccination performed by him in the Woodford Dispensary District was laid before the Board

Benjaⁿ Taylor

(Signed)

Patrick R Egan
Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1861, *29168*

Present Net Annual Value, £ *75458* 16:0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *27th* day of *January* 1866

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								Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			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	Number in Hospital on the above date		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	<i>760</i>	<i>171</i>												
Temporary Buildings,														
Additional Workhouse,														
Permanent Fever Hospital	<i>55</i>	<i>1</i>												
Fever Sheds,														
TOTAL,	<i>815</i>	<i>172</i>												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			<i>15</i>	<i>36</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>154</i>		
Admitted during the Week,			<i>7</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>32</i>		
TOTAL,			<i>22</i>	<i>42</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>186</i>		
Discharged during the Week,			<i>8</i>	<i>2</i>			<i>2</i>		<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>		<i>14</i>		
Died,														
Total Discharged and Dead,			<i>8</i>	<i>2</i>			<i>2</i>		<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>		<i>14</i>		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			<i>14</i>	<i>40</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>172</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 *Saturday* the *3rd* day of *February* 1866

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Benjamin Taylor Esq^r*
 Other Guardians: *Messrs John Diamond & Bryan Ryan*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2180 to No. 2221 both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

£ 166 : 9 : 5

Paid during the week, - - - - -

£ 284 : 9 : 11

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

£ 120 : 6 : 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.		
M. Corry	Loughrea	14	10	2				316	10	6					
	Kilennick	9	9	11				56	11	10					
	Lackalee	5	4	6				25	18	6					
	Kilbarrack	3	8	8				89	2	11					
	Castletown	1	6	7				39	14	7					
	Mountain	2	12	2				29	5	7					
	Termon	2	15	6				11	1	10					
							39	7	6				577	10	11
P. Hayes	Ballynacorney	12	13	5				27	14	7					
	Drumkeary	6	18	11				37	14	0					
	Loughatock	2	8	4				2	2	3					
	Marblehill	9	12	7				33	10	7					
	Woodford	2	6	9				56	0	9					
							34	0	0				157	2	2
J. Duane	Lectern		7	3				31	16	4					
	Brookfield	3	1	1				57	7	6					
	Kitterkilly							12	18	0					
	Kilmee		15	3				64	13	5					
	Bullacorney	2	1	4				15	11	2					
	Kilreehill	1	4	0				27	15	0					
							56	11	6				266	12	11
J. Galbraith	Orange	10	3	3				17	12	2					
	Athony	9	11	11				151	12	3					
	Branguswell	5	9	10				38	13	4					
	Killoghilly	17	8	6				61	7	4					
	Mayode	1	19	0				28	10	2					
	Greathill	4	0	1				21	18	10					
	Spigebay	1	6	8				14	7	11					
	Kilcassidy	2	9	10				42	19	0					
	Kiltulla	10	17	3				40	15	8					
	Rafad	3	14	5				23	14	11					
	Belmont		19	10				21	13	7					
	Colmanstown		16	10				2	18	11					
							38	9	10						
							27	11	6						
							20	11	10						
							75	9	9				535	5	1
Totals,							166	9	5				1532	11	1

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ : : 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 £ 17 s. 18 d. 3

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account, £ s. d. 20: 4: 5

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - 2 = 2 1/2

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - 3 = 9 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 3 = 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:

756 lbs White Bread 4 lbs Dipt bundles
 98 1/2 Meats 4. Mould do
 705 Quarts Sweet Milk
 4 1/2 lbs Tea
 21 Sugar
 3 Ox Heads
 1 lb Pepper
 5 Cwt Indian Meal
 6 Bottles Wine
 3 Quarts Whisky
 3 Dozen Potatoes

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 1866 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was £ s. d.

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

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

John H Blake Esq	✓	Rent of Workhouse Site	29	3	7
James Pannatque & son	✓	Indian Meal & Whole Flour	19	16	5
Martiny Purke	✓	Shoes	5	11	0
Patt Herrall	✓	Straw		18	9
Thomas Doolan	✓	Petty Supplies Lists		3	0
P. A. Boyle	✓	Repairing Clock		2	6
William Merrin	✓	Smiths Work		4	10

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

2. Establishment Account.

John Costello	✓	Carpenters Work		9	6
Joseph O'Brien	✓	Water Cocks		18	0
Walter Plunket	✓	Oats for Horses		12	0
Mary Grady	✓	Trif for Dispensary		5	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:

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

"That he rejected on the 23rd Inst. the
Whole Allow supplied by the Contractor, and
that he afterwards supplied some of a better
quality."

Approved

"That the Pater has resumed the
discharge of his duties."

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):

14 cl/66
Mis.

Circular Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 22nd January 1866 forwarding a Copy of the 6th & 8th Sections of "The Union Chargeability Act" and drawing attention thereto in so far as it relates to the removal of Irish Poor from England

1853/66
Mis.

Circular Letter from Same dated 30th January 1866, transmitting a Copy of the recent Order in Council relative to the Paddy Plague at present prevailing in parts of Great Britain and the means to be adopted to check its effects in case it should extend to this Country.

16 cl/66
Mis.

Circular Letter from Same dated 1st February 1866, requiring a return of Rates for the month of January last

Letter from the Secretary to the Irish Railway Reform Committee dated 26th January 1866 requesting subscriptions to enable the Committee to carry

carry on the important movement which they trust is duly appreciated and understood

Letter from the Clerk of the Glouces Union dated 26th January 1866 enclosing a Copy of a petition to Parliament with reference to the Cattle Plague

Letters from the Clerks of the Garlow and Oldcastle Unions and the Secretary to the Athy Farmers Club on the same subject
The Consideration of the foregoing was postponed to next meeting -

Upon the requisition of the Matron,
100 yards of Calico were added for Shirts
and Chemises

S. M. P. R.

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

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

Ditto, disallowed - - -

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

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

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

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

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 10th day of February 1866

(Signed)

Patrick Egan
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Loughrea
UNION, on Satur day, the 3rd day of February 1866
continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject,)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

(Signed)

Patrick Egan

Clerk of the Union.

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Loughrea UNION.

Population in 1861, *29168*
 Present Net Annual Value, £ *75458.16.0*
 STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *3rd* day of *February* 18*66*

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,	<i>760</i>	<i>164</i>														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	<i>38</i>	<i>1</i>														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	<i>811</i>	<i>165</i>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			<i>14</i>	<i>40</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>172</i>	In Work-house } <i>47</i> In Hospital } In Fever } <i>1</i> In Hospital } <i>1</i>	In separate } Wards } In Wards } with other } Inmates, } <i>1</i>		
Admitted during the Week,			<i>2</i>	<i>4</i>				<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>		<i>12</i>				
TOTAL,			<i>16</i>	<i>44</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>184</i>	Total, <i>48</i>	Total, <i>1</i>		
Discharged during the Week,			<i>4</i>	<i>6</i>				<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>17</i>				
Died,						<i>2</i>						<i>2</i>				
Total Discharged and Dead,			<i>4</i>	<i>6</i>		<i>2</i>		<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>19</i>				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			<i>12</i>	<i>38</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>165</i>				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *3rd* day of *February* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in s. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		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 *10th* day of *February* 18*66*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *John H Blake Esq.*
 Other Guardians: *Messrs Robert Burke & John Diamond*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2222 to No. 2224 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, £ 247 : 3 : 11

Paid during the week, £ 33 : 9 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 334 : 1 : 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.
H Crograve	Dunree	25	12	5				290	18	1			
	Kilcarrigbeg	17	17	9				38	14	17			
	Lackalea		12	8				25	5	10			
	Kilchrist	22	14	2				66	8	9			
	Castleby Hill							39	14	7			
	Mountain	2	5	11				26	19	8			
	Penylan	2	17	1				8	4	9			
					72	0	0				507	10	11
P Hayes	Dalhyrgan	1	3	8				26	10	11			
	Frumkeary	14	0	5				23	13	7			
	Loughatrick	2	1	6						9			
	Marblehill	5	4	5				28	6	2			
	Woodford	1	10	0				54	10	9			
					24	0	0				133	2	2
J Drislane	Leitrim	3	14	11				28	1	5			
	Bracklagh	8	19	5				42	8	1			
	Kittickilly		5	3				12	12	9			
	Kilmee	5	5	5				59	8	0			
	Pullawn		4	9				15	6	5			
	Gange	1	1	8				26	13	4			
		1	16	7				54	14	11			
					24	8	0				239	4	11
J Galbraith	Atorney	63	9	11				88	2	4			
	Brandywell	5	16	11				32	16	5			
	Killogilleen	18	12	0				42	15	4			
	Mayode		12	11				27	17	3			
	Greethill	4	9	5				17	9	5			
	Grigaboy	1	18	1				12	9	10			
	Kilcarrigan	4	13	4				38	5	8			
	Kittickill	1	3	11				39	11	9			
	Rafad	1	19	0				21	15	11			
	Clonkeen	8	9	1				13	4	6			
	Colmanstown		3	10				2	15	1			
	Cappaduck	3	5	3				35	4	7			
	Killimur	13	5	6				14	6	0			
	Traginn	1	16	9				18	15	1			
					129	15	11				405	9	2
	Totals.				247	3	11				1285	7	2

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

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

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

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

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

18	11	4	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,					
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was					
			20	16	9
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,					
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was					
			2	2	1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,					
			3	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:

764 lbs White Bread	5 lbs Starch
100 ³ / ₄ Meat	1 Blue
706 Quarts Sweet Milk	2 Mould Candles
4 lbs Tea	
14 Sugar	
3 Ox Heads	
1 lb Pepper	
14 Flour	
6 Bottles Wine	
3 Quarts Whiskey	
2 Dozen Porter	
4 lbs Sifted Candles	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the . . . day of . . . 186 . . . whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was £ . . .

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

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque 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.					
Chg. forwd.						TOTAL,					

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.	£	s.	d.
	1	14	7
Acting Peter Vaccination Fees	9	7	3

Senny Hawkins
D. Leonard

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

"That the Storm on Sunday last, blew some Slates off the roof of the Dead House." Postponed until the fine weather

Ordered,

2 Sweeping Brushes
1/2 Dozen Combs
2 Scissors

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 from the Valuation Office dated 9th February 1866, stating that Mr. W. John Power of that Department has been appointed to revise the Valuation of this Union for the present year

Letter from the Workhouse Master dated 10th February 1866 requesting that the Board would be pleased to order high the original weekly allowance of meat instead of tea & sugar as the present state of his health requires some such nourishment
The Board
Complied with the foregoing

The Clerk was directed to write to the Rate Collectors and state that the Board expect they will have a considerable lodgment to make with the Treasurer after the Fair - and also call Robert Cosgrove's attention to the backward state of his Collection and inform him that the Board consider the progress made in his District very unsatisfactory

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The question of the "Cattle Plague" having been again discussed by the Board, the further Consideration thereof was postponed and the several papers in Connection with the subject were ordered to lie on the table

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 Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - -

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

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

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James Smith
 Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the
17th day of *February* 1866
 (Signed) *Patrick R. Egan*
 Clerk of the Union.

By Authority—JOHN FALCONER, Printer and Binder to Her Majesty's Stationery Office,
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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 10th day of February 1866
continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

The Board elected the following Boate-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 Poor Law Commissioners dated 9th February 1866
saying that

enclosing a Copy of a letter addressed to the Medical Officer of the Longrea Dispensary District with reference to persons who have failed to get their children vaccinated, requesting that a receipt of the list of defaulters proceedings would be instituted against the parties

D^r Underwood's Report of 177 Cases of Successful Vaccination performed by him in the Billiam Dispensary District was laid before the Board

(Signed)

P. R. Egan
Patrick Egan

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1861,
29168

Present Net Annual Value, £ 75458.16.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of February 1866

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,	70	160														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	58															
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	818	160														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			12	38	21	22	4	4	20	25	19	165	In Work-house Hospital, 49	In separate Wards, with other Inmates, 0		
Admitted during the Week,			4	1	1			2	2	1		11	In Hospital, 49	In Wards, 0		
TOTAL,			16	39	22	22	4	6	22	26	19	176	Total, 49	Total, 0		
Discharged during the Week,			4	4	1	1	1			2	2	15				
Died,											1	1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	4	1	1	1			2	3	16				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			12	35	21	21	3	6	22	24	16	160				

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 17th day of February 1866

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Lord Dunsandle

Other Guardians:

Lord Duns., Messrs James Clarke,
Benjamin Taylor, Thomas Darry, James Furlong
Albert Clarke

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2234 to No. 2244 both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

"That he Communicated with Mr. Cargrove and the several other Rate Collectors relating to the state of their Collections."

"That the Revision has Commenced the Revision of the valuation of the Union."

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, - - - - - £ Nil

Baid during the week, - - - - - £ 1 : 14 : 7

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 332 : 7 : 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.
Totals,													

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

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:

"That some of the 'Hot-Plates' require re-setting and the Flues thereof to be cleaned—in their present state much inconvenience is caused by smoke, as also loss of fuel."

Ordered, Get a competent person to do this work

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 from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 16th February 1866, apprising the Clerk that his attendance will be required in Dublin on the Monday following to make an information in the case of the Woman Catherine Nevin, departed last August from one of the London Unions. The Clerk was directed to comply with the foregoing.

Circular from the Clerk of Waterford Union dated 7th February 1866 forwarding a copy of a "Memorial" to the 2nd Lieutenant of the Subject of the payment of the Salaries of Medical Officers and Doctors in Union Workhouses.

Letter from the Secretary Royal Dublin Society dated 13th February 1866, forwarding a copy of a Resolution with reference to the apprehended "Cattle Plague".

Letters from the Boards of Guardians New Ross and other Unions on the same Subject.

Collectors

Collectors (Casson) laid before the Board a Receipt for £127:8:8 lodged by him subsequently to the Treasurer's Book being received.

The chargeability of a child named Maria Duffy was altered from the Cappalusk to the Loughrea Electoral Division and the Register corrected accordingly.

A Rate-payer named Michael Kennedy having served a notice under the 110 Section of the "Franchise Act" - his name was ordered to be inserted in the Rate Book for Craughwell Electoral Division as Occupier of certain tenements therein.

Information was ordered to be sworn against a man named Patrick McDonagh, whose Wife and her illegitimate Child were admitted to the Workhouse.

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

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

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 Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - -

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on
24th day of February 1866

Saturday the
Patrick R Egan
(Signed)
Clerk of the Union.

By Authority—JOHN FALCONER, Printer and Binder to Her Majesty's Stationery Office,
53, Upper Sackville-street, Dublin.

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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 17th day of February 1866
continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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The Board elected the following Bate-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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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,)

Population in 1861, *29168* Present Net Annual Value, £ *75458.16.0*
 STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *17th* day of *February* 1866

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 9 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>760</i>	<i>136</i>													
Temporary Buildings, . . .															
Additional Workhouse, . . .															
Permanent Fever Hospital	<i>58</i>	<i>3</i>													
Fever Sheds, . . .															
TOTAL, . . .	<i>818</i>	<i>136</i>													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			<i>12</i>	<i>35</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>160</i>	In Work-house Hospital, In Fever Hospital, } <i>53</i>	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, } -	
Admitted during the Week, . . .			<i>2</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>			<i>3</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>16</i>	Total, <i>53</i>	Total, -	
TOTAL, . . .			<i>14</i>	<i>41</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>176</i>			
Discharged during the Week, . . .			<i>2</i>	<i>5</i>		<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>			<i>5</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>17</i>			
Died, . . .					<i>1</i>				<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>		<i>3</i>			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			<i>2</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>		<i>1</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>20</i>			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			<i>12</i>	<i>36</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>156</i>			

RETURN of DESITUTE 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	
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No. I.							Bt. forward,						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the *24th* day of *February* 1866

PRESENT: In the Chair, *John A. Blake Esq*
 Other Guardians: *Lord Dunto, M^r Bryan Ryan, Oliver Dolphin*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2245 to No. 2260 both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. — to No. —, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Leger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.
 The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £ 416 : 18 : 10
 Paid during the week, £ 21 : 10 : 9
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 727 : 15 : 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.
J. Hoagrove	Loughrea	78	19	9				21	18	4/6			
	Kilminickney	14	0	1				24	14	6/2			
	Lackahoe	8	5	4				17	0	6			
	Kilbriest	37	7	2				29	1	7			
	Castletroy	22	13	5				17	1	2			
	Atelle	17	5	9				9	13	11			
	Mountain	1	0	7				7	4	2			
J. Dirlane	Drumlane				179	12	1				327	18	10
	Doonbeg	21	3	3				6	18	2			
	Bracklough	7	1	7				35	6	6			
	Kilteakilly	9	1	0				3	11	9			
	Kilmear	6	1	9				53	6	3			
	Bullaun	2	8	9				12	17	8			
	Kilreble	9	16	11				16	16	5			
J. Hayes	Grangy	7	19	11				46	15	0			
	Ballynegan	8	5	6	63	13	2	18	5	5	175	11	9
	Drumree	2	10	4				21	7	3			
	Loughatacilly			9									
	Marblehill			11				29	15	0			
J. Galbraith	Woodford	12	9	10				42	0	11			
	Stoney	58	17	10	23	13	7	29	4	6	109	8	7
	Orangehill	10	14	5				22	2	8			
	Killogilleen	37	6	11				5	8	5			
	Shyde	1	16	6				26	0	9			
	Greethill	1	10	11				15	18	6			
	Grigabbey	4	18	6				7	11	4			
	Kilmeiragh	3	5	3				35	0	5			
	Kiltullagh	2	2	5				37	9	4			
	Rafud	1	0	11				20	15	0			
	Clonkeen	1	3	9				12	0	9			
K. O'Meara	Clonkeen	2	15	1									
	Cappalusk	9	4	8				25	19	11			
	Killina			14				13	11	1			
J. Quinn	Quinn	14	7	11				4	7	2			
	Totals				416	18	10				868	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.

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 Medical Officers report -

That a man named Monahan is willing to leave the House, if his own Boots are mended. - He is afraid, and he, the M. Officer, thinks justly - of cold in his feet, and says he is not able to pay for their repair. Granted - Cost not to exceed one Shilling and Six Pence

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

That Green, the Slater, attended on Wednesday last, and prepared the Slating of the "Dead House" - as he had recently partly slated it under Contract; - he will make no charge this time.

That M^{rs} Donaghy (wife) declined to swear an information against him for desertion of herself and Child

Ordered, To be proceeded against under the 58th Section of the 1st + 2nd Vic. Cap 56.

Ordered

- 1 Pair Shoes
- 2 do to be repaired
- 50 yards Shrouding Calico.

The Services of a Carpenter for two days to execute some repairs in the Hospital &c

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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Circular Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 22nd February 1866, forwarding 150 Copies of the Notice of Election of Guardians to be posted throughout this Union

Letter from the Education Office dated 20th February 1866 transmitting the following Extracts from the District Inspector's report of the 31st ult^o for the Workhouse School

The Cause of instruction is of rather an elementary Character though perhaps not more so, than might be expected from the ages of the children in attendance at the school. The Younger Children are making fair progress. There are two or three Boys enrolled in the third or highest Class of whom I cannot speak so favourably. Their writing being very inferior, and their knowledge of Arithmetic defective. I have directed Teachers special attention to this the only draw-back to the otherwise satisfactory state of the School.

The Clerk was directed to call the attention of the Schoolmistress to the foregoing report

Letter from the Clerk of the Union Galway dated 20th February 1866, forwarding a Copy of a Resolution adopted by that Board on the Subject of the "Cattle Plague". The several Papers in Connection with the foregoing were ordered to lie on the table.

The Board having enquired into the Cause pursued as regards Applicants and Night Lodges on their admission to the Workhouse
Ordered, That the Master is directed to ascertain the Cost of erecting a Bath for that part of the House now used as a "Male Probationary Ward" and lay the particulars thereof before the Guardians at next Meeting - the Board considering it absolutely necessary that such an Article should be procured without delay.

An aphan girl named Mary Neville - aged 9 years who was hired out to Service - having been called before the Board was ordered to be discharged with her employer

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 Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - -

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

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

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Jethro J. Stensworth
 Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Saturday* the
3rd day of *March* 1866
 (Signed) *Patrick R. Egan*

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 24 day of February 1866
continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

The Board having taken into consideration the list of parties (24) who have failed to get their children vaccinated within six months after birth in the Salthill Dispensary District directed that five of those persons - selected from different localities - be summoned before the Magistrates at next Petty Sessions

John J. Aemsworth

(Signed)

Patrick Egan
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1861, 29168

Present Net Annual Value, £ 75458.16.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of March 1866

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,	760	146													
Temporary Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital	58														
Fever Sheds,															
TOTAL,	818	146													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			13	33	21	21	3	6	21	20	14	152	In Work-house } 53 Hospital, } In Fever } Hospital, }	In separate } Wards, } In Wards } with other } Inmates, }	
Admitted during the Week,				2	1			1		1		5	Total, } 53 Total, }		
TOTAL,			13	35	22	21	3	7	21	21	14	157			
Discharged during the Week,			2	4	1				1	1	1	9			
Died,						1			1			2			
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	4	1	1			1	1	1	11			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			13	31	21	20	3	7	20	20	13	146			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 3rd day of March 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 10th day of March 1866

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

Mr. J. Homsworth Esq^r

Messrs Robert Burke, James Wallau
Bryan Ryan

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2261 to No. 2267 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. _____, 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, - - - £ 166 : 17 : 1

Paid during the week, - - - £ 29 : 3 : 7

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 847 : 5 : 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.
J. Longrove	Loughrea	43	0	2				168	18	2 1/2			
	Kilmeikenny	8	7	8				16	6	4 1/2			
	Lackabua	8	8	8				8	11	10			
	Kilchrobert	15	15	7				13	6	0			
	Castletown	4	10	9				12	10	5			
	Arde	1	13	11				8	6	0			
	Mountain	2	2	7				5	1	7			
J. Diviland	Finglawn							11	5	1			
	Leitrim	3	1	8				3	16	6			
	Brackliffe	2	11	3				32	15	3			
	Killeshill			19				2	12	7			
	Kilmeen	24	6	1				29	0	2			
	Pullawn	6	2	6				6	15	2			
	Kilbride	6	2	9				10	13	8			
J. Galbraith	Grange	18	17	10				27	17	2			
	Armagh	4	13	10				24	10	8			
	Orange			13				21	8	9			
	Pullagh			11				4	17	4			
	Mayode							26	0	9			
	Greethill			5				15	13	4			
	Springabbey							7	11	4			
P. Hayes	Kilmeekenny			12				34	8	2			
	Kilteella	10	18	10				26	10	6			
	Rafad			2				20	13	0			
	Blountree			13				11	7	6			
	Colmanstown							25	19	11			
	Cappabuck							13	6	1			
	Killimer			5				2	5	4			
P. Hayes	Trillick	2	1	10				20	16	6			
	Pallymore							18	5	5			
	Drumkeary							21	7	3			
	Loughatone							27	15	0			
P. Hayes	Marblehill							42	0	11			
	Woodford												
Totals.					83	19	4				243	19	6
					62	1	3				113	10	6
					20	16	6				234	12	8
											109	8	7
											166	17	1
											701	11	3

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

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

16 13 - 8 £ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 19 - 2 - 10

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - 2 - 3 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - 3 = 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:

928 lbs White Bread 28 lbs Washing Soda
 102 3/4 Meat 1 " Blue
 641 Quarts Sweet Milk
 3 lbs Tea
 14 " Sugar
 3 Oa Heads
 1 lb Pepper
 14 " Flour
 6 Bottles Wine
 2 Quarts Whiskey
 3 Dozen Potatoes
 5 lbs Starch

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

In Money, - - - - -
 In Hand, - - - - -
 Total - - - -

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Patrick R. Mangano Bread	57	11	6
Ellen Finnegan Milk	19	10	4
D. Underwood Vaccination Fees	8	18	0
Dr. Blackston do	6	8	3
Luke Reilly Soap	2	8	0
William Carter Chamber		14	6
William Greaney Glazing		5	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
Loughrea Iron Commissioners Iron Rate	6	9	
W. Comber Delf	2	0	
John Moore Sand		6	
Michael Joyce Smith		8	
Thomas Greene Salt	10	5	

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

That with reference to the proposed Bath for the Male Probationary Ward, he considers the small Shed in the yard as the most appropriate place for its erection - a passage can be broken to the stairs leading up to the Ward in question and the present entrance closed up. - the necessary water-pipe can be passed to meet that in the yard and a passage formed for the water to the main sewer."

Ordered,

That Mr. O'Brien be employed to furnish a Plan and Specification for the Bath in question, and lay the particulars thereof before the Board at next meeting.

That he employ a man named Mannion to re-set the Hot-Plates for the sum of 5/0
Approved

Ordered

- 50 Common Picks
- 12 Hire do 2 Locks to be repaired
- 2 Suceping Brushes
- 2 Pan Shoes for Hospital Patients

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):

2796/66
Mis

Circular from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 26th February 1866, requiring a return of the number of Lunatics and Epileptics Inmates in the Workhouse on the 1st March.

3246/66
Mis

Circular from Same dated 28th February 1866 forwarding a form for furnishing the Returning Officer's account of Expenses of the Annual Election of Guardians.

3346/66
Mis

Circular from Same dated 1st March 1866, requiring a Return of Rates for the month of February last.

4571/66
Mis

Circular from Same dated 3rd March 1866, transmitting 100 Copies of the "Order in Council" relative to the Cattle Plague for distribution amongst the Guardians and others.

Circular from the Sanitary Board of Guardians dated 2nd March 1866, forwarding a Copy of a Resolution on the subject of the Cattle Plague.

The Clerk laid before the Board the list of Candidates duly nominated for the office of Guardians in this Union, as all the Guardians who continue in office.

With reference to the state of the Collection of the Current Rate. It was ordered.

That the several Rate Collectors be called upon to furnish a list of Areas of Rates outstanding in their respective Districts on and up to the 25th March next and lay the particulars thereof before the Guardians at their meeting on the 31st Inst. Such lists to set forth the names of the Defaulters with the amounts remaining due thereby. The Board have to state that serious notice will be taken of any Collector who shall fail to comply with this order (the returns being required to be posted in the Board Room).

A Pass for four hours on Monday was ordered to an inmate named Ellen Stapton, and a Pair of Shoes to a Woman named Mary Lynch who intends to leave the Workhouse.

The Clerk laid before the Board a Copy of the Bill relating to the Cattle Plague in this Country forwarded by Mr. Gregory M.P. as also a Copy of Professor Ferguson's Report on the same Subject.

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 Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - -

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on 17th day of March 1866

Est. 1800

Saturday the

(Signed) *Patrick Egan*

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 *Satur* day, the *10th* day of *March* 1866
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 *Woodford*
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with
a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon
as follows:

Ordered
Contractors To be procured from the

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject,)

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

Read Letter from

The Hon^{ble} Secretary ~~dated~~ *Loughrea Dispensary*
stating that

Committee dated 11th March 1866 forwarding a
Copy of the Minutes of their Proceedings at a
Meeting held on the 3rd Inst

With reference to the foregoing

The Board ordered two small
Presses for the safe keeping of Poisonous
Medicines to be procured for the Loughrea and
Kilchreest Dispensaries

Rob. Burke

(Signed)

Patrick Egan

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851,
29168.

Present Net Annual Value, £75436.19.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of March 1866

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,	760	129													
Temporary Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital,	58														
Fever Sheds,															
TOTAL,	818	129													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			11	30	23	20	3	7	20	18	15	147	In Work-house Hospital, 42 In Fever Hospital, -	In separate Wards, } In Wards with other inmates, }	
Admitted during the Week,			1	4	.	.	.	.	1	3	.	9			
TOTAL,			12	34	23	20	3	7	21	21	15	156	Total, 42	Total,	
Discharged during the Week,			5	7	2	2	.	1	3	3	1	24			
Died,						1	.	.	.	.	.	2			
Total Discharged and Dead,			5	7	2	3	.	1	3	3	3	27			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			7	27	21	17	3	6	18	18	12	129			

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 24th day of March 1866

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

Robert Burke Esq.
Messrs Patrick Egan, Peter Blake
Puzan Puzan & Martin J Lynch.

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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

£ 20 = 6 = 1 £ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 18 = 18 = 1

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - 2 = 4 3/4

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 4 = 0 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:

640 lbs White Bread 4 lb Mould Candles
 12 3/4 Meat
 665 Quarts Sweet Milk
 4 lb Tea
 21 Sugar
 3 Cow Heads
 1 lb Pepper
 14 Flour
 6 Bottles Wine
 3 Quarts Whiskey
 3 Dozen Porter
 4 lbs Dipit Candles

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 186 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

J. J. Flaherty	Insurance on Workhouse	4	14	6
Gareth Purke	Pun bags Fees	5	9	1
Patrick Hayes	do	6	2	9
Ellen Madden	Salary due late Rel. Officer	3	15	0
Patrick Kennedy	Meat	147	14	0
Martin Jarvey	Clothing	16	9	11

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

2. Establishment Account.

Patrick Mangam	Mason	✓	5	0	
Patrick Egan	Country Cop	✓	12	1	
Robert Elk	Locks	✓	15	10	
Thomas Conniffe	Bricks	✓	4	6	
William Courten	Plumber	x	5	0	
John J. Bloran	Leeches & Sleds	✓	1	12	4

11-10
8-0
12-6

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):

Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 23rd March 1866 a directing to the Case of the Woman Catherine Kevin and her children departed last August from the Union of St George Hanover Square London. stating that George Segar, the Conductor, who had them in Charge was tried and Convicted before the Recorder in Dublin on the 13th Inst and sentenced to pay a Fine of £10 or suffer three months imprisonment for wilfully deserting the parties in question.

Circular Letter from Same dated 20th March 1866 forwarding four Copies of the recent Act of Parliament for the prevention of Contagious disease amongst Cattle in this Country.

Letter from J Ball Greene Esq dated 13th March 1866 transmitting the revised "Abstract" of the valuation of this Union for the present Year

Letter

Letter from Mr E. Sney dated 15th March 1866, requesting that the Guardians would inform him whether certain premises in the Town of Longree are liable to Poor Rates; for the reasons set forth in his letter. The Clerk was directed to state in reply to the foregoing, that the Board consider the premises in question are liable and that the Rates assessed thereon should be paid.

Circular from the Clerk of Limerick Union dated 16th March 1866, enclosing a Copy of a Petition to Parliament on the subject of "Union Rating".

Upon the application of the Agent to the "Sun Fire Insurance Company" a Cheque was drawn for a renewal of the premium of the Policy of Insurance of the Warehouse.

A Pin of Clops was ordered to John Callenan and to Martin Fahy and Shoes to Ellen Hallow, inmates who intend to leave the Warehouse.

The Clerk was directed to issue advertisements for the yearly supply of Medicines to the Warehouse and Dispensaries - Tenders to be considered on this day fortnight.

J. M. R.

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

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

Ditto, disallowed - - -

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

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

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

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

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 31st day of March 1866

(Signed) Patrick Regan
Clerk of the Union

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[No. 27.] }

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Loughrea
UNION, on Satur day, the 24th day of March 1866
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 Atherry
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with
a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon
as follows:*

Ordered To be procured from the
Contractors

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District,	£
_____ District,	£

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from The Poor Law Commissioners dated 16th March 1866
stating that

requesting to be informed of the result of the Proceedings directed to be taken against certain defaulters under the "Compulsory Vaccination Act" in the Loughrea District

Ordered,

That the Commissioners be informed in reply to their enquiry that of the several Cases were tried before the Magistrates at Petty Sessions on the 13th Inst, and the following was the result:—

In one Case - a fine of 1^l and Costs
 - one - Cost of Summons
 - two - Dismissed
 - one - Postponed

J. M. P. R.

(Signed)

Patrick Egan
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1861,

24168

Present Net Annual Value, £ 754/6-19=0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of March 1866

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									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 6 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Able-bodied		Males		Fem.		Boys	Girls	Number in Hospital on the above date						No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	760	133																	
Temporary Buildings,																			
Additional Workhouse,																			
Permanent Fever Hospital	58	1																	
Fever Sheds,																			
TOTAL,	818	134																	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			7	27	21	17	3	6	18	18	12	129	In Work-house Hospital, In Fever Hospital, Total,	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, Total, -					
Admitted during the Week,			3	4	1	1	1	1	2			13							
TOTAL,			10	31	22	18	4	7	18	20	12	142							
Discharged during the Week,			1	2			1		1	1	1	7							
Died,					1							1							
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	2	1		1		1	1	1	8							
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			9	29	21	18	3	7	17	19	11	134							

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 31st day of March 1866

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

John H Blake Esq

Messrs Robert Burke, Charles O'Hall

Thomas Pany, James Wallace, James J Egan

Bryan Ryan

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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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 £ s. d.

15 = 18 = 3 £ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 17 = 15 = 1

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 4 = 0

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -

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

616 lbs White Bread
 10 Butter
 96 3/4 Meat
 482 Quarts Sweet Milk
 4 lbs Tea
 14 Sugar
 3 Ox Heads
 1 lb Pepper
 6 Bottles Wine
 3 Quarts Whiskey
 2 Dozen Porter
 5 Tons Coal

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 1866 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was £ s. d.

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

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque 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.					
Cal. forwd.						TOTAL,					

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
Dr. Lynch Mary is Medical Officer	17	10	0
Dr. MacArdry Apothecary	7	10	0
Patrick Egan Clerk	22	10	0
Rev. John Bellas Chaplain	12	10	0
Richard Burke Master	12	10	0
Margaret A Young Matron	5	0	0
Susan Fahy Hosp. Nurse	3	15	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.
Mrs. Murphy Scholmistress	3	0	0
James Stanton Porter & allowance for clothes	5	15	0
John Taylor Relieving Officer	3	15	0
Thomas Lalby do	3	15	0
Dr. O'Donoghue Med. Officer Loughrea	20	0	0
Rev. Martin Murphy Rent of Dispensary	2	10	0
Dr. Underwood Med. Officer Bullaun	20	0	0
Catherine Fynes Attendant	2	2	0
Catherine Sullivan Rent of Kiltedell Disp.	2	5	0
Dr. Leonard Med. Officer Athony	20	0	0
Dr. Blackton do Wordfale	20	0	0
James Galbraith Poundage Fees	18	4	3

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 therein as follows:

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

That he rejected the Milk supplied by Mr Ridge since last meeting - being of an inferior quality, and used Butter with Tea as a substitute - the difference in price of which is to be charged to the Contractor.
Approved

Ordered
1 lb Parsnip Seed, 1 lb Onion Seed
2 oz Turnip Seed, 1 Doz Packages Flower Seed

Informations were ordered to be sworn under the 58th Sec of the Irish Poor Relief Act against a man named Stephen Murray, whose wife and her illegitimate child are at present receiving Relief in the Workhouse

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 from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 29th March 1866, relating to the distaff at present allowed in this Workhouse to Class 3 of the Healthy inmates, suggesting certain alterations therein, and requesting that the Medical Officer be called upon to furnish a report on the subject.

Ordered, That the foregoing letter be referred to Dr Lynch.

Letter from same dated 29th March 1866 enclosing a form of Queries to be answered and signed by the person who may be appointed Relieving Officer in place of the late Mr. John Madden.

Letter from the Lord Mayor of Dublin dated 27th March 1866, forwarding a Copy of a Petition to Parliament on the subject of 'Railway Reform'. The Petition in question having been approved of and signed by the Chairman on behalf of the Board.

Letter from Collector Galbraith dated 31st March 1866, stating that he had the Balance of his Warrants lodged with the Treasurer, less a sum of £1.3.11 due upon Waste Houses in the Town of Athlone and requesting a Cheque for his Poundage. The Board declared the Rates in question 'irrecoverable', and directed a Cheque to be drawn in favour of the Collector for the amount due him for Fees.

A Plan and Specification of the proposed Path for the male Probationary Ward having been received from Mr. O'Brien. The Board postponed until next Meeting the further Consideration thereof and directed that the documents in question be transmitted to the Medical Officer for his observations.

The Arrear Lists referred to in Minutes of the 10th Inst not having been finished as directed. It was Ordered, That Collectors Cosgrove and Bislane be summoned before the Magistrates for disobedience of the order made at the Meeting of the Board on the 10th March Inst.

The Clerk having submitted the Return of Guardians elected for the year ending 25th March 1867.

It was proposed by Charles O'Ferrall Esq^r - seconded by Robert Butler Esq^r - That the Right Hon^{ble} Lord Punsandale be elected Chairman of this Board of Guardians for the ensuing year.

Proposed by Robert Butler Esq^r - seconded by Thomas Pary Esq^r - That

That Sir Thomas J. Burke Bart.
be elected vice chairman.

Proposed by Charles O'Ferrall Esq^r -
seconded by James J. Coffey Esq^r -
That John Henry Blake Esq^r
be elected Deputy vice chairman

The foregoing resolutions were
unanimously agreed to

Upon the motion of Robert Burke Esq^r -
seconded by James Wallaw Esq^r - "A vote of thanks"
was unanimously passed to the Clerk, Master and
the Workhouse Officers for the satisfactory manner
in which they discharged their duties during the
past year.

Wm. M. Croghan

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

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

Ditto, disallowed - - - - -

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

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

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

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

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the
7th day of April 1866
 (Signed) Patrick Egan
 Clerk of the Union

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Loughrea
UNION, on Satur day, the 31st day of March 1866
continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

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

_____ 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 Poor Law Commissioners dated 23rd March 1866
 stating that

on the subject of the annual appointment of
 Dispensary Committees and Wardens

Letter from same dated 29th March 1866
 requesting to be informed of the grounds upon
 which two of the Cases summoned under the "Compulsory
 Vaccination Act" was dismissed by the Magistrates
 Ordered, That the foregoing be referred to Dr. O'Donoghue
 and request that he will furnish the required
 information by next Board day

Robert W. Dobson

(Signed)

Patrick Egan
 Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1861, *29168*

Present Net Annual Value, £ *75436-19-0*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *31st* day of *March* 1866

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 9 and under 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,	<i>700</i>	<i>129</i>														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	<i>58</i>	<i>2</i>														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,		<i>818</i>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			<i>9</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>134</i>	In Work-house (Hospital, In Fever Hospital,)	In separate Wards, In Waris with other inmates,		
Admitted during the Week,			<i>3</i>	<i>2</i>								<i>5</i>	Total, <i>46</i>	Total,		
TOTAL,			<i>12</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>139</i>				
Discharged during the Week,			<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>		<i>1</i>				<i>1</i>		<i>8</i>				
Died,																
Total Discharged and Dead,			<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>		<i>1</i>				<i>1</i>		<i>8</i>				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			<i>9</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>131</i>				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *31st* day of *March* 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 *7th* day of *April* 1866

PRESENT: In the Chair, *John H. Blake Esq.*
 Other Guardians: *Messrs Peter Blake, Oliver Dolphin, Peter H. Dolphin, Robert Burke, Ithie Hemsworth, Thomas Dany, James Egan, Bryan Ryan, Martin Lynch, Michael Herinelly, John Diamond, Benjamin Taylor, Thomas Glynn, Denis Deely*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2297 to No. 2300 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. _____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ 95 : 2 : 6

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 229 : 11 : 2

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 1093 : 9 : 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.
Hosgrove	Loughrea	60	18					16	11	2			
	Kilcornin	1	6	0				1	0	6			
	Lackahale	3	4	0				2	9	6			
	Kilchroast	12	15	3					10	9			
	Castletown							2	0	5			
	Stille	3	13	11				1	16	5			
	Mountain	3	7	2				1	1	4			
J. Bislane	Finglawn	3	7	6				7	5	7			
	Summit				88	7	6				32	15	3
	Brooklough	3	3	5				3	1	11			
	Kilteakill							14	13	8			
	Kilmeen							1	0	11			
	Bullawn		8	1				3	1	44			
	Kilbracke							4	1				
Grange	3	3	6				1	13	10				
					6	15	0	18	2	4			
											39	3	1
Totals.													
					95	26					71	18	4

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 15 - 14 - 10

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 15 - 15 - 8

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 4 = 0 1/4

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

648 lbs White Bread	2 6 Dozen Lard
111 1/4 " Wheat	5 lbs Starch
372 quarts Sweet Milk	1 " Blue
5 Cuts Salt	
3 lbs Tea	
21 " Sugar	
3 Ore Heads	
1 lb Pepper	
14 " Flour	
5 Cut Indian Meal	
12 Bottles Wine	
2 Quarts Whiskey	

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 1866

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

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

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

Walter Shanket	Meal + Milk	48	7	2
Thomas Kelly	Books Firms + Stationery	10	3	3
Thomas O'Spughlin	Tailors Work	2	15	0

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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The Medical Officer reported

That with reference to the proposed change in the Dietary for Class 3 he is of opinion that the division of the Bread at present allowed into 8oz for Dinner, and 4oz for Supper and the addition of a pint of Soup for Dinner have his entire concurrence.

With reference to the foregoing the Board directed that the diet for the Class in question be altered accordingly.

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

That the wife of Stephen Murray, with her child claimed her discharge on Monday last, and left the Workhouse;—under those circumstances he did not swear the informations as directed at last meeting.

Approved

That a new Soil-Cart is very much required, one of the old Carts leaks and causes a great deal of inconvenience.

Ordered

Advantage for a new Cart

Ordered,

- 3 Pair Tinges, 300 Nails
- 1 Dozen Screws, 1 Gross Studs.
- 2 Shovel Handles, 11 Pass Broom,
- 1 White wash Brush, 20 Cut Cat-Straw

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 Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 4th April 1866, requiring a return of Rates for the month of March last

Letter from Messrs. M. G. G. & Co. dated 6th April 1866 forwarding a Copy of the "Draft Award" made in the Case of the Athony and Ennis Railway.

The Board having had before them two "Areas Lists" furnished by Collectors Cosgrove and Bislane, directed the Clerk to inform the Collectors in question, that their Bonds will be put in suit unless they have the Balance of their Warrants lodged with the Treasurer by Saturday next, the 14th inst as the lists included the names of several large Ratepayers who could have no difficulty in paying their Rates

For

For the Office of Relieving Officer for the Loughrea Relief District - Mr. James K. Kham was proposed by Robert Burke Esq^r - seconded by Martin J. Lynch Esq^r and unanimously elected, - the Sureties named in his application were duly approved of

The Board directed that "Hand Bills" be issued for a Contractor to erect a Bath in the Male Probationary Ward according to Plan and Specification - tenders to be received this day week.

The Consideration of tenders for the supply of Medicines was postponed to the 14th inst; the Clerk was directed to forward them in the mean time to the Medical Officer for his opinion

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

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

Ditto, disallowed - - -

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

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

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

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

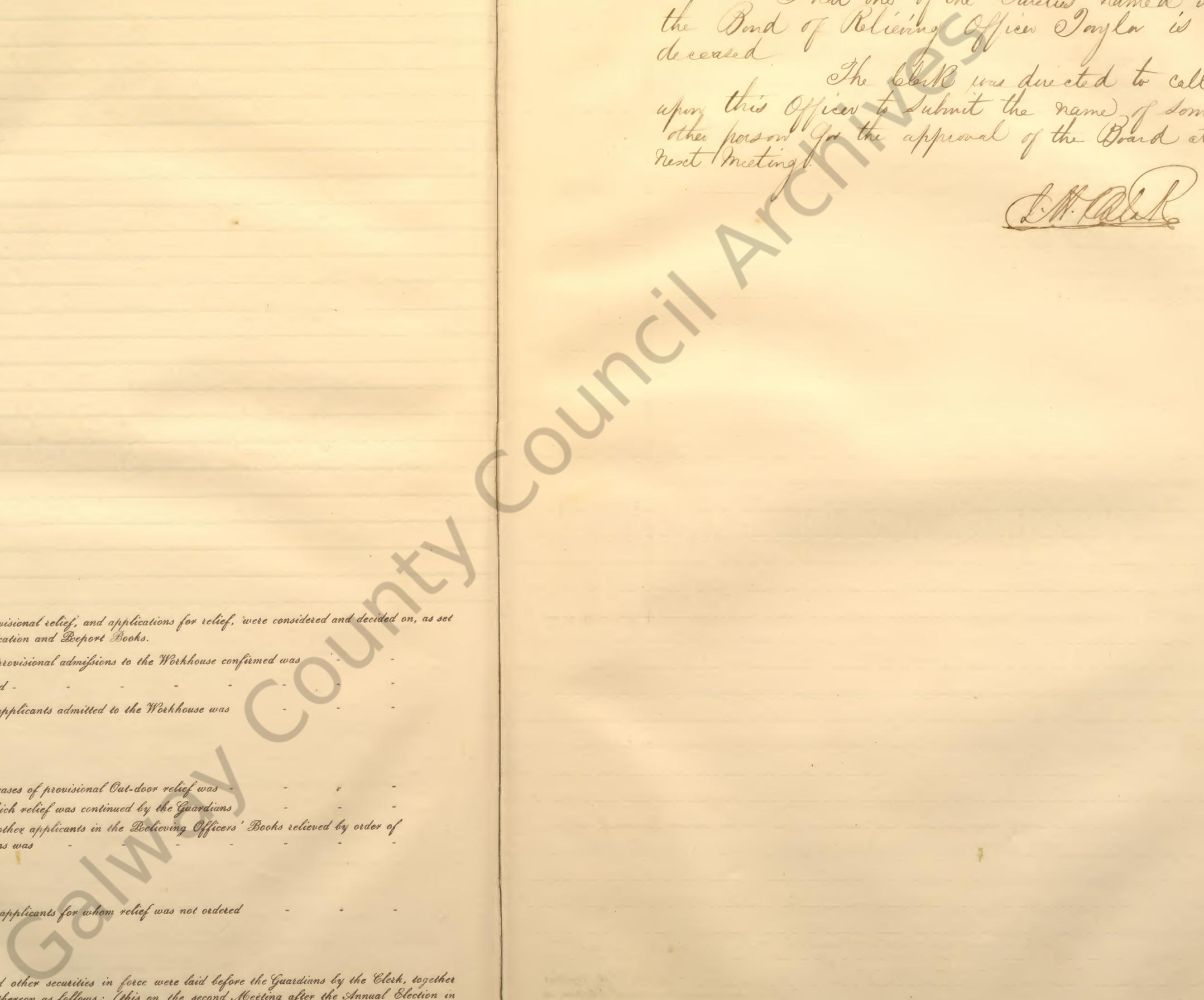
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered - - -

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

That one of the Sureties named in the Bond of Relieving Officer Taylor is deceased.

The Clerk was directed to call upon this Officer to submit the name of some other person for the approval of the Board at next Meeting.

L. M. Clark



Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the 14th day of April 1866

(Signed) Patrick Egan
Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic, c. 68. }
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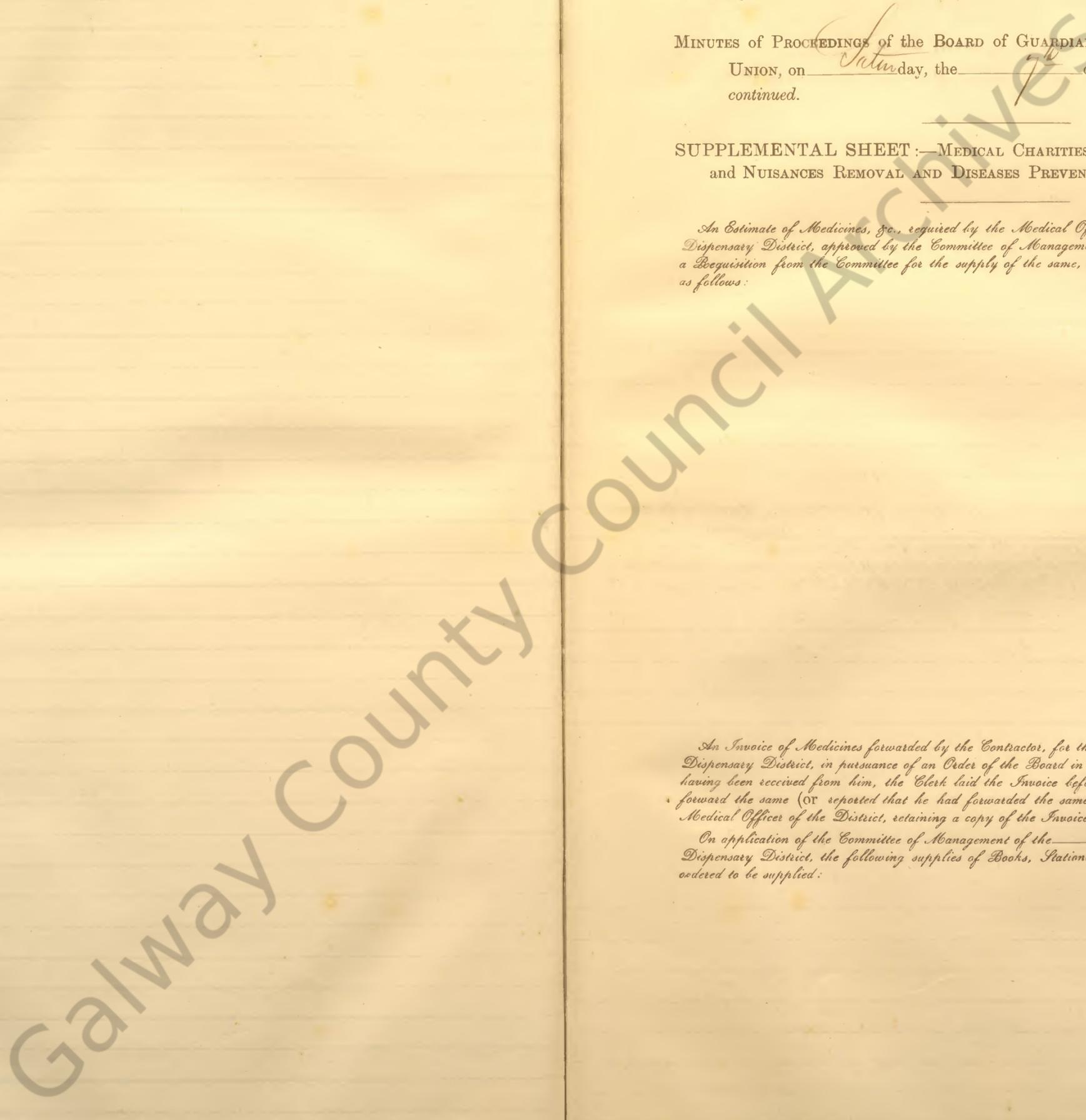
MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Loughrea
UNION, on Saturday, the 7th day of April 1866
continued.

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

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

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

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



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

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

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

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

District,	£
District,	£

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

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

- Bullaun Dispensary District, Mr. P. H. Burke of Ballybroder
- Pat. Murphy - Grange
 - Thos. H. Pilkington - Hollyville
 - John Hartley - Ballyconey
 - James M. Donohue - Rathglades
 - John Conner - Caheloyne
 - Rev. Charles Robinson - Synge
 - James W. Lynch - Springvale
 - Peter Russell - Kylebeg
 - Garrett Burke - Clondragoff
 - Patrick Annes - Carraroe
 - Patrick Harty - Lextrem
- Wardens - Loughrea Diap. District Rev. J. H. Burkett Kilebreest
- Athenny " Rev. John O'Grady Athenny
 - Rev. Mark Purkin Athenny
 - Rev. Anth. Blake Esker
 - Thos. R. Roche Ryehill
 - Daniel Hogarty Belmuckeen
 - Michael Vonn Woodfad
- Woodfad

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 D. P. Donoghue dated 7th April 1866
stating that

explaining the circumstances under which two of the Cases Summored for non-compliance with the provisions of the "Compulsory Vaccination Act" were dismissed by the Magistrates

J. M. Walsh

(Signed)

Patrick Egan

Clerk of the Union.

Loughrea UNION.

Population in 1861, 29168

Present Net Annual Value, £75436 = 19 = 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 7th day of April 1866

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,	760	134														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	58	2														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	818	136														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			9	28	21	17	3	7	17	18	11	131	In Work-house Hospital, In Fever Hospital, Total, 44	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, Total, 22		
Admitted during the Week,			2	6	1	1	1	2	4	4	2	23				
TOTAL,			11	34	22	18	4	9	21	22	13	154				
Discharged during the Week,			2	5	1	2	1	1	1	2	2	17				
Died,												1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	5	1	2	1	1	1	3	2	18				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			9	29	21	16	3	8	20	19	11	136				

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 14th day of April 1866

PRESENT: In the Chair, *John A Blake Esq*

Other Guardians: *Messrs James Wallace, Benjamin Taylor, John Diamond*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 221 to No. 223 both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

That the Summonses against Collectors Casgrove and Brisbane for disobedience of the order of the Board was tried before the Magistrates on Thursday last, and that a fine of 5/- and Costs was imposed in each case

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

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

Baid during the week, - - - - - £ 87 : 10 : 5

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 105 : 13 : 6

The Book was ^{int.} 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.

A clerical error having occurred in stating the Balance to Credit

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.		
Totals.															

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

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

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

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

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

	s.	d.		£	s.	d.
17 =	3 =	4				
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,						
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was						
				17 =	9 =	10
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,						
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was						
				2 =	5 1/2	
Average cost in Infirmary,						
				4 =	0 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:

648 lbs White Bread	112 lbs Soap
112 1/4 Meat	
5 Cwt Oatmeal	
600 Quarts Sweet Milk	
4 lbs Tea	
14 " Sugar	
3 On Heads	
1 lb Pepper	
6 Bottles Wine	
3 Quarts Whiskey	
2 Dozen Potatoes	
1 Flask Brandy	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 186 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,					
In Kind,					
Total					

Credit each Believing Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Believing Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.		£	s.	d.
Annette Whelan	Groceries & Bishes	4	1	0
William Bateman	Rent of Keshurst Disp	4	0	0

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 therein as follows:

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

That the Onions are now all Consumed
and it will be necessary to order a Supply of
vegetables for the Soup
Ordered! For Stones of Onions

That some of the Slates were blown off
the roofs of the "Dead House" and "Surf Store" by
the Storm of Thursday night
Patponed

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):

7736/66

Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 13th April 1866, sanctioning the appointment of Mr. James Reekham as Relieving Officer for the Wexford Relief District.

7731/66

Letter from James dated 13th April 1866, approving the change in the dietary for Class 3 of the Healthy inmates as proposed at last meeting, and requesting to be supplied with a copy of the Diet Table as now arranged.

Ordered, To be furnished

Letter from Mr. Joseph Fisher dated 9th April 1866, calling the attention of the Board to the "Notice of Motion" given by Mr. Mr. Gray M.P. on the subject of the payment of Salaries of Medical Officers and Schoolmasters in Workhouses, and urging upon the Guardians the importance of aiding and assisting him to obtain the relief contemplated

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The Clerk was directed to transmit a copy of the foregoing Communication to each of the County Representatives in Parliament and request he will give the Motion on question his support, when brought forward for discussion in the House of Commons.

Letter from Collector Cosgrove dated 14th April 1866, requesting the Board would allow him an extension of time for a fortnight to enable him to finally close his accounts.

The Board complied with the foregoing.

The Tender of Mr. Joseph O'Brien to erect a Bath for the Male Probationary Ward according to Plan and Specification for the sum of £15-0-0 was accepted.

The Board approved the name of Mr. Richard Ellis of Ballycurragh as Surety for Rel. Officer Taylor in place of the late Mr. Gore.

The Board accepted the Tender of Mr. Hostello to supply a new Soil Cart for the sum of £6:0:0 Subject to the Master's approval

The Tender of Messrs Leslie & Co. for the supply of Medicines and Medical Appliances, up to the 25th March next was accepted according to the prices set forth therein

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 Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - -

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on 21st day of April 1866

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Saturday the

(Signed) Patrick Egan
Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Loughrea
UNION, on Tues day, the 14th day of April 1866
continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject,)

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

Read Letter from The Poor Law Commissioners dated 4th April 1866
stating that

enclosing Forms for furnishing the names of the Honorary Officers of the several Dispensary Committees for the present year.

D^r O'Donoghue's Report containing 125 Cases of successful vaccination performed in the Loughrea Dispensary District forwarded by the Committee of Management was laid before the Board

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(Signed)

Patrick Egan

Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1861, 29168

Present Net Annual Value, £754 36 = 19 = 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of April 1866

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in 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,	260	126														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	58	3														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	818	129														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			9	29	21	16	3	8	20	19	11	136	In Work-house Hospital, 48 In Fever Hospital, 3	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, }		
Admitted during the Week,			5	2	1	2				1		11				
TOTAL,			14	31	22	18	3	8	20	20	11	147	Total, 51	Total,		
Discharged during the Week,			2	6	1		1	1	3	3		17				
Died,				1								1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	7	1		1	1	3	3		18				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			12	24	21	18	2	7	17	17	11	129				

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 21st day of April 1866

PRESENT: In the Chair, Lord Dunsandle
 Other Guardians: Lord Dunsandle, Messrs John A Blake, James Wallace, James Hurlong, John Diamond, Benjamin Taylor

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2324 to No. 2334 both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ 6 : 6 : 8

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 8 : 1 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 1003 : 19 : 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
J. Drislane	Leitrim														
	Blacklagh														
	Kiltickilly														
	Kilmeeen														
J. Coagrove	Bullawn														
	Kilbrickle														
	Grange	6	6	8	6	6	8				32	16	5		
J. Coagrove	Loughrea									16	11	2			
	Kilconishney									1	0	6 1/2			
	Lackalea									2	9	6			
	Kilmeest										10	9			
	Castletroy									2	0	5			
	Arille									1	16	5 1/2			
	Mountain									1	1	4			
Derryglau									7	5	7	32	15	3	
Totals.					6	6	8						65	11	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.

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 Medical Officers Reported,

"That an additional assistant is indispensably required in the Hospital"

With reference to the foregoing—
The Master brought before the Board an inmate named Catherine Shanahan, and stated that she is the only person at present in the House competent to act as such, and that she declines to undertake the duties.

The Board having heard her statement in reply directed the Master to discharge her from the Workhouse in the event of her persisting in her refusal.

Ordered A Pair of Shoes for one of the Blind Girls

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

That a further supply of Coal will be shortly required—Mr. Comerford has intimated to him (the Master) that the price in his Yard is raised from 18^s to 20^s of Ton. The Clerk was directed to enquire and ascertain the prices of coal in Galway and Kinnara and have the particulars to lay before the Board at 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):

55 M/66

Circular Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 16th April 1866, requesting to be informed of the total valuation of the Union upon which the current Rates were made.

37 M/66

Mis

Circular Letter from Same dated 16th April 1866, requiring a Return of the number of Parliamentary Voters in this Union for the year 1865 -

8268/866

Letter from Same dated 20th April 1866, approving the Scale of Dietary for the Healthy Inmates as now arranged.

8242/1866

Letter from Same dated 20th April 1866, suggesting that peeled Potatoes be used in the preparation of the soup for the healthy Inmates in addition to the Onions ordered at last meeting. With reference to the foregoing The

The Master - having stated that he was unable as yet to obtain a supply of Onions, was directed to use Potatoes in the Soup as suggested by the Poor Law Commissioners - the quantity not to exceed 28 lbs per week

Rob. McKee

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

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

Ditto, disallowed - - - - -

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

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

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

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

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on 28th day of April 1866 Saturday the

(Signed) Patrick Egan

Clerk of the Union.

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Loughrea
UNION, on Satur day, the 21st day of April 1866
continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject,)

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

Read Letter from D. Blackton dated 19th April 1866, stating that

he had applied to the "Low Pock Institution Dublin" for Lymph, and that he was informed in reply that the Board does not contribute towards that Institution and that a supply of Lymph is required for his District (Woodford). The Clerk was directed to request the Medical Officer to write forthwith to the National Vaccine Institution London for a supply of Lymph as is done by the other Medical Officers in the Union.

Rob. M. Mc

(Signed)

Patrick Egan

Clerk of the Union.

Loughrea UNION.

Population in 1861, 29168

Present Net Annual Value, £ 75458 = 16 = 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of April 1866

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,	766	129														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	58	4														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	818	133														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			12	24	21	18	2	7	17	17	11	129	In Work-house Hospital, 48	In separate Wards, In Workhouse with other inmates, 4		
Admitted during the Week,			3	2	2	3					1	11				
TOTAL,			15	26	23	21	2	7	17	17	12	140	Total, 52	Total,		
Discharged during the Week,			1	1		2				1	1	6				
Died,					1							1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	1	1	2				1	1	7				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			14	25	22	19	2	7	17	16	11	133				

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

PRESENT: In the Chair, the 28th day of April 1866

Other Guardians: Robert Burke Esq.
Messrs John Diamond + Benjamin Taylor

Galway County

The *Workhouse Register* was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2335 to No. 2442 both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The *Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments* was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - £ 1 : 10 : 8

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 38 : 5 : 8

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 967 : 4 : 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

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

The 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):

6555/ck/66
His

Circular Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 23rd April 1866 requiring a return of the Workhouse accommodation, and salaries of Medical Officers on the 29th September last

8721/1866

Letter from same dated 27th April 1866 requesting to be informed whether the Workhouse grounds is not used for the cultivation of vegetables for consumption in the Workhouse; and suggesting the propriety of calling the Master's attention to the present scarcity with reference to the operations for this year

Ordered

That the Commissioners be informed in reply to their letter that the Board have ascertained from the Master that a portion of the Workhouse grounds containing one acre will be cultivated under vegetables this present year, and that he expects to obtain in a short time therefrom a supply of Cabbages for using in the Soup for the Healthy inmates

Upon the application of the Schoolmistress - the Board granted her four days leave of absence from the 30th Inst - the application to take charge of the School until she returns

The period allowed Collector Finn Cosgrove for finally closing his accounts having this day expired - the Board allowed him an extension of time, as it was represented that the Collector is at present unwell and unable to discharge his duties

A supply of Fire Irons of House Coals at the Workhouse was ordered to be obtained from Mr. Comerford - Galway.

J. H. P. R.

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 Believing Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - -

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Saturday the
5th day of May 1866
 (Signed) Patrick Egan
 Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Loughrea
UNION, on Saturday, the 28 day of April 1866
continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

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(Signed)

Patrick Egan
Clerk of the Union.

Loughrea UNION.

Population in 1861 *29168*

Present Net Annual Value, £ *75458-16-0*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *28* day of *April* 1866

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 6 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 6 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,	760	121														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	38	6														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	818	127														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			14	25	22	19	2	7	17	16	11	133	In Work-house Hospital, 42 In Fever Hospital, 6	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, }		
Admitted during the Week,			6	3	1		1		1	2		14	Total, 48	Total, }		
TOTAL,			20	28	23	19	3	7	18	18	11	147				
Discharged during the Week,			7	5	1	1	1		1	1	2	19				
Died,					1							1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			7	5	2	1	1		1	1	2	20				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			13	23	21	18	2	7	17	17	9	127				

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 *5th* day of *May* 1866

PRESENT: In the Chair,

John A. Blakely Esq.

Other Guardians,

*Ld. Puro, Messrs James Wallace, John Diamond
Benjamin Taylor & Thomas Pary*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Galway County

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2346 to No. 2359 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, - - - - - £ 10 : 0 : 3

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 87 : 19 : 6

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 889 : 4 : 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.			
J. Dislane	Distress							3	1	11						
	Drac Klagh	1	12	10				10	5	10						
	Kiltu Killy							1	0	11						
	Kilmeen		3	9				2	17	7						
	Bulleau		4	1												
	Kilbrackla	1	7	6						6	4					
Grange	6	12	1						5	3	7					
					10	0	3							22	16	2
J. Croghan	Loughrea							16	11	2						
	Kilronie Kragh							1	0	6 1/2						
	Lackalea							2	9	0						
	Kilbruest									10	9					
	Castletroy							2	0	5						
	Arille							1	16	3 1/2						
Mountain							1	1	4							
Anglan							7	5	7							
														32	15	3
Totals					10	0	3							55	11	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 £

14 - 11 - 11 £ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 17 - 18 - 8

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - 2 - 6

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 4 - 1

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -

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

- | | |
|--------------------------------------|--------------------|
| 648 lbs White Bread, | 5 Tons Coal |
| 114 ³ / ₄ Meat | 4 lbs Dypt Bundles |
| 560 Quarts Sweet Milk | 5 " Starch |
| 4 lbs Tea | 28 " Washing Soda |
| 114 " Sugar | 1 " Blue |
| 3 Ox Heads | 4 " Mould Bundles |
| 14 lbs Flour | |
| 42 " Onions | |
| 5 Cwt Indian Meal | |
| 6 Bottles Wine | |
| 2 Quarts Whiskey | |
| 3 Dozen Porter | |

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of 186 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was £ s. d.

In Money, -	-	-	-
In Hand, -	-	-	-
Total	-	-	-

Credit each Believing Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Believing Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.	£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

D ^r Underwood	Registration Fees	3	14	6
D ^r Blackton	"	6	3	6
D ^r Leonard	"	5	2	0
D ^r O'Donoghue	"	4	7	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:

Sealed Order dated 27th April 1866 apportioning the sum of £78-8-5 upon this Union pursuant to the provisions of the "Cattle Disease Act"

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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Circular Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 28th April 1866, accompanying the foregoing Order.

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Circular Letter from same dated 1st May 1866, requiring a Return of Rates for the month of April last.

Letter from the Clerk of the Union Ballythoy dated 26th April 1866, enclosing copies of Resolutions adopted by the Board of Guardians of that Union, on the subject of "Union Rating"

The Master brought before the Board an Inmate named Catherine Glimane - charged upon the Punishment Book with "striking the Hospital Nurse with a piece of Bread, and breaking three panes of Glass in one of the Hospital Windows"

Windows: - The Board having heard her statement in reply to the foregoing charge -
Ordered, That she be summoned for the next Petty Sessions of Loughrea

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

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

Ditto, disallowed - - -

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

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

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

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

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on 14th day of May 1866 Dunango Saturday the

(Signed) Patrick Moran
Clerk of the Union

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Loughrea
UNION, on Saturday, the 3rd day of May 1866
continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

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

Ordered, That Relieving Officer Beckham
be appointed Sanitary Officer for the Union
of Longree and that he enter upon the
discharge of his duties forthwith

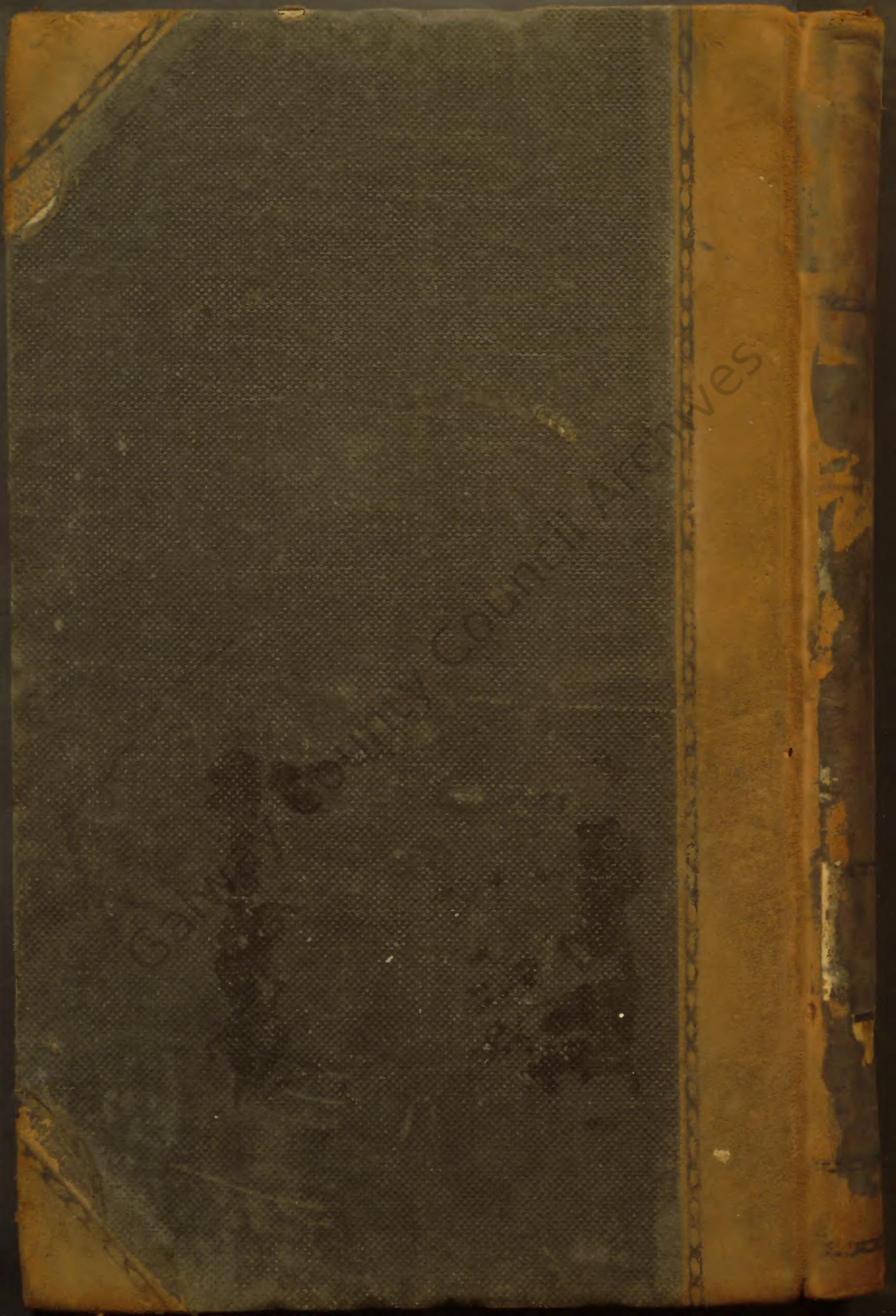
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(Signed) Patrick Quinn
Clerk of the Union.

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