

Tenders received for articles advertised for on the 1st instant having been considered and the various samples examined.

Resolved, That the following Tenders be accepted for six months from the 29th September instant

Thomas Blackhall to supply white bread at 1/4 per lb to loaf. Rice at 20/- per cut, Pepper at 1/2 per lb, White soap at 3/- per cut, Washing soda at 1/- per cut and Gypsum at 3/4, 2/6, & 1/9 each per cwt. Michael Moran and Laurence Rabbit

Martha Gibbon to supply mould candles at 6/- per lb and light candles at 7/6 per lb.

Rodrick Rabbit to supply Tea at 3/3 per lb and Sugar at 4/- per lb.

Michael Barrett to supply salt at 1/6 per cut - starch at 5/4 per stone and blue at 1/10 per stone.

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 1
Ditto disallowed 1
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 4

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was 6
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 4
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was 4

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered no app^e 1

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

The Board proceeded to appoint Collectors Resolved

That Messrs. John Keane, Michael Kilgannon, Andrew Joyce and Thomas Johnston be re-appointed Poor Rate Collectors for the Rates now about being levied in the following Electoral Divisions, namely
John Keane for the 1st District comprising Killybegs and Taughboy at 9/- in the 1st - Surtees
Michael Keane and Thomas Lynn approved.

Michael Kilgannon for the 2nd and 3rd Districts comprising Clonkeen, Ballinacill, Caltra & Mt. Bellew at 9/- in the 1st. Surtees John & M. Kilgannon approved

Andrew Joyce for the 3rd District comprising Killybegs and Castle French at 9/- in the 1st Surtees James and John Joyce approved.

Thomas Johnston for the 4th District comprising Clonbrook and Clonagh at 9/- in the 1st. Surtees Samuel and James Johnston approved.

There being no Tenders for the District comprising Castleblakney, Mount Hazel, Derryglassan & Crook Resolved

That the advertisement for these Divisions be continued to this day week when the appointment will be made.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* the *22nd*
day of *Sept* 1854.

(Signed)

B. Keilly
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 Mount Bellaw
UNION, on 7th day, the 15th day of September 1854,
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District	£
_____ District	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any 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 read 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 _____

Clonbrock Chairman
William Anice Guardians
M. D. Carr

(Signed) _____
 Clerk of the Union.

300 *Mount Pellet* UNION.

Population in 1851. *22,790* Present Net Annual Value, *31,805*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *16th* day of *September* 185*4*.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 6 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 6 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse,		<i>700 1/8</i>												
Temporary Buildings,														
Additional Workhouse,														
Permanent Fever Hospital,														
Fever Sheds,														
Total,		<i>700 1/8</i>												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			<i>10</i>	<i>39</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>45</i>	<i>55</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>203</i>	In Workhouse Hospital, <i>40</i> In separate Wards, <i>2</i> In Fever Hospital, <i>2</i> Total, <i>44</i>	In separate Wards with other inmates, <i>2</i> Total, <i>2</i>
Admitted during the Week,			<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>				<i>3</i>				<i>5</i>		
TOTAL,			<i>11</i>	<i>40</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>45</i>	<i>58</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>208</i>		
Discharged during the Week,			<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>				<i>1</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>2</i>		<i>9</i>		
Died,												<i>1</i>		
Total Discharged and Dead,			<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>				<i>1</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>2</i>		<i>10</i>		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			<i>10</i>	<i>39</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>44</i>	<i>55</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>198</i>		

Corresponding week last year. 270 disease 72

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *16th* day of *September* 185*4* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Friday* the *22* day of *September* 185*4*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Lord Clonbrock*
 Other Guardians: *William Anice, and M. D. Carr Esqrs*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1632 to No. 1637, 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. 2 to No. 2, 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 had complied with the orders of the Board given him

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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.
Michl Keane	Killmoreau Tanghty					2	17s		
						10	2 3/4		
									12.3.8 1/2
Michl Kilgannon	Cheriton Ballinabill Calthra Mormel Bellus					14	2 9/2		
						22	11 3/4		
						29	6 1/2		
									66.0.5
Andrew Joyce	Kilhan Castlefrench			9	3 1/4			8	2 1/4
									5.3
									13.0.5 1/4
Thomas Johns tra	Lebruske Dunmagh							18	8
								3	19 3/4
									4.17.11
Michl O'helly	Castleblakney Dromahoge Derryglashanna Creebo							36	16 1/2
								14	6 3/4
								46	27 1/2
								69	14 1/2
									167.14.4 1/4
									263.16.10 1/4
						9	12 7/8		

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 10 ¹¹/₃ s. 1 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - -	16	15	11 1/4
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was -			1/6
Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - -			2/3 1/2
Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - -			

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

500 lb Bread	1 cut soap
20 lb meat	1 stone starch
1/2 cut out meal	1 lb blue and
5 cut Indian meal	3 lb muslin Candles
300 Gallons Milk	
2 cut salt	
2 lb Tea	
16 lb Sugar	
1/2 cut rice	
4 lb Pepper	
6 lb 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 16 day of Sept; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

Patrick Joyce, Master, for 2 Sips	4	18	-
do, for 2 Sips	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:

Visited the Workhouse on this day, accompanied by Lord
Clonbrock and William Cruise Esq. found it clean and the
summers in the various wards orderly. The Hospital was
particularly neat and regular

(Signed) Michael Carr

2^d Sept. 1854

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

The Master reports having purchased 2 Pigs
at £ 4. 18/-

Ordered that the following articles be procured

6 lbs sugar } for Hospital use

1 Pint Whiskey } for Hospital use

1/2 cwt Coffee

2 Cwt Seaweed sand

100 Cwt Black Mud } for Land

20 Barrels Lime }

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

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

31.148-1854
21 Sept 1854

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners sanctioning the appointment of Mr. Alfred Kilgannon as Poor Rate Collector in the Union on the terms specified,

31.149-1854
21 Sept 1854

Letter also sanctioning the appointment of Mr. Andrew Joyce as Poor Rate Collector in the Union on the terms specified,

31.187-1854
21 Sept '54

Letter acknowledging the receipt of Minutes of Proceedings of the Board on the 15th instant and expressing their sanction of the proposed alteration of the salaries of the Master and Matron respectively

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Resolved, That the following arrears of Rate be declared
lost for the reasons assigned - namely,
Kilkerrom Division

432	12.4 1/2	Rates assessed in April 1852 on Houses which were unoccupied at the time of striking the Rate
443	17.5	
468	12.0	
	<u>2.1.7 1/2</u>	

Mount Bellew

216 5-10-10 1/4 Remitted by the Poor Law
Commissioners being an excessive
charge for Annuities

394	12.7 3/4	House thrown down
	<u>6.5.6 1/2</u>	

Clonweth Division

228 7.6 2/3 in Rate of 1851

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	-	-	-	2
Delto disallowed	-	-	-	4
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	-	3

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered 3

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

Resolved,

That Mr. Patrick O'Shelly, County Cof
Collector for the Barony of Traquair, be appointed
to collect the Rates now about being levied in the
Electoral Divisions of Castleblakeney, Mount Bellew,
Derryglassan and Croker, situate within said
Barony, at the rate of remuneration of 9^d in
the £, and that his sureties James Wynn and Jof
Carroll and John Burke Esq O'Shelly well
be accepted,

It having been stated to the Board by Mr.
Loyce Collector for Killybegs and by Mr. Latham,
Relieving Officer, that the Tenants on the property of
John Chevers Esq in the Killybegs Electoral Division
have no leases - they having lately expired,

Resolved,

That the Risors be instructed to Rate
Mr. Chevers as Immediate Lessor for all
such Tenants whose aggregate valuation of
Rateable property in the Union does not exceed
£4.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* the *29*
day of *September* 1854.

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

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Mount Bellin
UNION, on Fin day, the 22 day of September 1854.
—continued.

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

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

Ordered that the medicine, &c. for dist., be procured
from the Contractors Messrs. Boyle & Brothers

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act, were seen 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 _____ stating that _____ dated _____

Union Chairman
D. W. Kelly Guardians
Walter Lytton Minutes Secretary

(Signed) _____
 Clerk of the Union

Population in 1851. Present Net Annual Value, *31,875*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *28* day of *Sept* 1854.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Workhouse,	<i>700</i>	<i>192</i>													
Temporary Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital,															
Fever Sheds,															
Total,	<i>700</i>	<i>192</i>													
Remaining on previous Saturday, } as per last Return,			<i>10</i>	<i>39</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>45</i>	<i>55</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>19</i>	In Workhouse } In Hospital } In Fever Hospital } Inmate } Total,	In separate } Wards } In Wards } with other } Inmates } Total,	
Admitted during the Week,			<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>								<i>1</i>	<i>8</i>		
TOTAL,			<i>11</i>	<i>40</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>44</i>	<i>55</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>20</i>			
Discharged during the Week,			<i>1</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>9</i>			
Died,															
Total Discharged and Dead,			<i>1</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>9</i>			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			<i>10</i>	<i>37</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>42</i>	<i>53</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>19</i>			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *28* day of *Sept* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Friday* the *29th* day of *September* 1854

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Sord Colbrook*
 Other Guardians:
Denis H. Kelly
Richard P. Lloyd
Wm. Cruise
John Browne
Rich^d Burdett
Chas. Dilgate

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1138 to No. 1141, 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 had complied with the orders of the Board given him on the last day of Meeting.

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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.					
Michael Keane	Killmoran Laughbeg							10	2	³ / ₄				10	2	³ / ₄		
Michael Kilgallon	Cloonkeen Ballinakill Catha Mountbellin	11	11	5				14	2	³ / ₄	22	10	³ / ₄					
Andrew Joyce	Killiam Castliffrench							8	"	² / ₄	5	"	3					
Thomas Johnston	Clonbrock Sunagh										11	2		3	19	3		
Michl O'Kelly	Castleblakeney Mount Hazel Derryglashann Cooloo							36	16	¹ / ₂	14	6	³ / ₄	16	17	¹ / ₂		
								69	11	⁵ / ₂								
																167	116	⁴ / ₄
								11	14	5						234	19	9

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 0.5.1 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. 5. 7d.

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

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 16-9-5 1/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 16 1/3

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

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - -

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

600 lbs Bread
 20 lbs Meat
 5 Cut Meat
 1 Ton Indian meal
 300 Gal's Milk
 2 Cut Salt
 8 lbs Tea
 16 lbs Sugar
 1 Ton Wholemeal

1/2 Cut Rice
 4 lbs Pepper
 8 lbs Candles
 3 lbs 4/1 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 27 day of Sept; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

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

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

31.3.01. 1854

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners
Sanctioning the appointment of Mr. Michael
Keane as Poor Rate Collector

32.02.6. 1854

Letter referring to the Master's statement
contained in the minutes of the Board on the 22nd
inst. to effect that he had purchased two Pigs -
The Commissioners suggest that care should be
taken to provide a suitable place for the Pigs where
they will not be likely to interfere with the general
arrangement of the Workhouse premises:

406 2a / 54

21 Sept 1854

Circulars requesting to be furnished
into the Annual return (of Union Officers)

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Resolved, That the following members of the Board be appointed a Committee to take stock of the Clothing, Bedding & other property belonging to the Union

- John W. Evans
- Wm. Orvick
- Micho Carr Esq.

The Clerk submitted the Rate Books for signature he having first certified as to their correctness

Resolved - That the Rate Books of the several Electoral Divisions of the Union as now laid before be now signed by the Chairman & two Members
That the Rates be published in the Sun Herald & Western Star newspapers & by 50 Home bills

Resolved That the Board adjourn to Tuesday next to sign Collectors Warrants

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - - 1

Delts disallowed - - - - - 1

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - - 1

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - - 2

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - - - 2

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - - - 2

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered - - - - - 2

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday* the *3rd*
day of *October* 1854.

(Signed)

B. Bailly
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 Mount Bellaw
UNION, on Fri day, the 29th day of September 1854,
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from P. L. Commissioners dated 23 Sept 54 stating that

The prevalence of Cholera at this time in a very severe form in some parts of the United Kingdom & its presence in some towns in the North of Ireland & in the immediate vicinity of the City of Dublin leads them to address to the Guardians of each Union in Ireland a further Communication on the subject of their duties in reference to the Epidemic and to remind them of the provisions of the Law & of the Regulations & Arrangements subsisting under the orders of the Commissioners for the removal of Nuisances and the prevention & mitigation of disease.

Carbrook Chairman

Mr. Francis Brown & W. Lloyd Guardians

(Signed)

B. Dilly

Clerk of the Union.

3411
Mount Bellow

UNION.

Population in 1851. 22,790

Present Net Annual Value, 31,805

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of September 1854

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 5 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.		Infants under 2 years of age.		RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,	700	191														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,																
Fever Sheds,																
Total,	700	191														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			10	37	1	11	42	53	23	5	10	192	In Workhouse Hospital, 41	In separate Wards, 1	In Fever Hospital, 2	In Wards with other inmates, 2
Admitted during the Week,												2	3			
Total,			10	38	1	11	42	53	23	5	12	195				
Discharged during the Week,												4				
Died,																
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	1			1					4				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			8	37	1	11	41	53	23	5	12	191				

Corresponding week last year diseased 265 74

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30th day of Sept 54 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 30th day of October 1854

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Lora Clonbrock

Other Guardians:

Richard P. Lloyd
John F. Browne, and
Nichl. Carr Esq^r

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed

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

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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.
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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 £ 3 15 s. 8 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 14 2 11

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - 2/11

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - -

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

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

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

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

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

£ s. d.

In money, - - - -

In kind, - - - -

Total, - - - -

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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:

32, 274-1854.
29 Sept. 54. } Read letter from Poor Law Commissioners sanctioning the appointment of Mr. Thomas Johnston as Poor Rate Collector on the terms specified

The Clerk laid before the Board the collecting Warrants for the following Electoral Divisions, namely

- Clonsilla
- Ballinacill
- Galtra
- Mount Bellew
- Hilliam, and
- Castle French

Resolved, That the Warrants for these Divisions be now signed by the Chairman, two Members of the Board and countersigned by the Clerk,

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

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

Delta disallowed - - -

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

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

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Resolved that the

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* the *13th*
day of *October* 1854.

(Signed)

B. Baill

Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Mount Bellin
UNION, on 12th day, the 12th day of October 1854,
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District	£
_____ District	£

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee].
The Board elected the following Poole-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts, respectively:—the Clerk to make a Postern 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 C 1 and C 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

W. Stock Chairman
W. May
William Price Guardians

Galway County Council

(Signed) _____
B. Kelly
Clerk of the Union.

Mountbellew 361

UNION.

Population in 1851. 22,790

Present Net Annual Value, £3,805

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of Oct 1854.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.						Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.			Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.			Infants under 2 years of age.			RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.		Fem.		Males.		Fem.		Boys.		Girls.		Total.		Number In Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse,																				
Temporary Buildings,																				
Additional Workhouse,																				
Permanent Fever Hospital,																				
Fever Sheds,																				
Total,																				
Remainng on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			8	37	1	11	41	53	23	5	12	17								
Admitted during the Week,			2																	
TOTAL,			10	37	1	11	41	53	23	5	12	17								
Discharged during the Week,			2																	
Died,																				
Total Discharged and Dead,			2																	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			8	37	1	9	41	53	23	5	12	18								

In Workhouse Hospital } 38
In Fever Hospital } 2
Total, . 38

In separate Wards } 2
In Wards with other inmates } 2
Total, . 2

Corresponding week last year decrease 267 78

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17th 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.						
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COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Friday the 13th day of Oct 1854

PRESENT: In the Chair, Lord Donbrock

Other Guardians:

Sr Mick D. Bellon
Richd P. Lloyd
Wm Driskill
James Blake Esq

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1044 to No. 1045, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 1-4s-11d.

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

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

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. 10-6-10 1/2

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

Average cost in Infirmary, - 3/4

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:

100 lbs Bread
20 lbs Meat
150 Gal Milk
12 lbs Tea
12 lbs Sugar
2 lbs Pepper

1 Cwt Soap
1 stone starch
1 Cwt Washing Soda
2 lbs M. Condensed

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 7th day of October; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

Total, - - - -

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.			£	s. d.	Article and quantity.	Value. £ s. d.
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Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.
John Mahon Straw to 10th Oct 57	1	1	7
John Sakey " " " "	1	-	-

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

2. Establishment Account.

imp Bills John Sakey wages as treasurer to 29 Sept 57	2	-	-
do John Saylor do Sailer " "	1	14	8
do Putt Spont Salary at Porter " "	3	15	-
do Ellen Davison Nurse " "	3	-	-
do Mick Lewis Schoolmaster " "	5	-	-
do Mary Lewis Schoolmistress " "	4	10	-
do John S. Butler Medical Officer " "	15	-	-
do Tho. Blackhall Sundries " "	3	8	6
do Valuation Expenses	5	-	-
imp Bills D. Kelly Officer revising the Union	20	-	-

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.
Wage Bills	Martin Gilmore	Bread & Salt to 29 Sept 57	13	"	"
do	John Rabbit	Ind ^o meat & candles — "	15	11	8
do	Mick Barrett	Pepper — "	1	10	—
do	Mrs M. S. Burke	Meat — "	1	9	1
do	L. S. Mangon	Whole meal — "	8	"	"
do	Thos. Blackall	Groceries — "	2	"	3
do	Mick Moran	Milk — "	14	2	10
Invoices	L. S. Mangon	Ind ^o meat to 13 Oct 57	10	2	10
do	Mick Moran	Butt — do	9	12	4
do	James Leonard	do — do	7	4	1

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

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

The Master wishing to see a relative whom he had not met for a considerable time went to Ballinacree on the 5th inst to meet him there and returned same evening: Sanctioned

The Master prays the Board sanction to the following arrangements he has made & the directions given
1st The Girls school hours instead of being entirely after Dinner, to be 2 hours before Dinner & 2 hours after it
2nd That any Officer wishing to go out of the House to make a written application to the Master
Sanctioned

Ordered, That the following be repaired
10 Buckets
1 Washing Tub.

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:)

411 On 15/54
2 Oct^r 54 Circular from Poor Law Commissioners requiring to be furnished with a return respecting the Rates made & any new Rates agreed upon in the Union.

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5 Oct^r 54 Letter acknowledging the receipt of replies to the Com^{rs} inq^{ry} concerning Mr P^r Kelly who has been appointed Poor Rate Collector in the Mount Bellin Union: and expressing their sanction of the appointment referred to, at the rate of remuneration stated; viz 9 in the £ on the Amount Collected.

The Clerk submitted the Collecting Warrants for the Divisions of Killaraw, Killybegs, Taughboy, Belleferrack, Drombocks and Annagh.

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Resolved - That the Warrants for these Divisions be now signed by the Chairman & two Members present & Counter signed by the Clerk

Visiting Committee
Jas Blake and
Miche Carr Esq^{rs}

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	-	-	-	3
<i>Delto</i> disallowed	-	-	-	1
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	-	-	-	5

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	-	2
<i>Do.</i> in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	-	2
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	-	2

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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