

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:—

17<sup>th</sup> M<sup>o</sup> 56  
17<sup>th</sup> Jan<sup>y</sup> 56 Circular from Poor Law Commissioners calling the Clerk's attention to their General Order dated 26<sup>th</sup> January 1852, for regulating the conduct of Elections of Guardians in the several Unions in Ireland.

17<sup>th</sup> Jan<sup>y</sup> 56 Letter from Richard Griffith Esq. Comm<sup>r</sup> of Valuation, forwarding supplemental lists containing statements of all the cases in every Township or other denomination comprised in the Union of Mount Bellew in which he has altered, or refused to alter, the Primary Valuation or Statement of the area of Land, Tenement or Hereditament, or otherwise amended the same.

Ordered, That Mr. Baker be directed to open the flues in the Kitchen and Laundry, which require cleaning.

Ordered, That the Notices that a Statement of the alterations and amendments made by Mr. Griffith in the Primary Tenement Valuation of the Union, be posted throughout the Union, as directed by the Commissioners, and that publicity be also given in the

Evening Herald  
Western Star, Newspapers

Ordered, That 20<sup>lb</sup> Tea @ 3<sup>d</sup> and 112<sup>lb</sup> Sugar @ 5<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub><sup>d</sup> be had from Andrews & Co. Dublin.

The Board having considered the Master's claim for allowance of 19<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub><sup>d</sup> White Bread as waste in the cutting of that article since his appointment (seven weeks)

Resolved

That same be allowed and that henceforth the Master do take credit weekly for the actual loss he may be at in cutting the bread.

Visiting Committee

John C. Evans & Wm. Cruice Esqrs



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

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered *Rejected* 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.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on  
day of *January* 185*6*.

(Signed)

*B. Reilly*  
Clerk of the Union.

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 *28<sup>th</sup>* day of *January* 185*6*.  
—continued.

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

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

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

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



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

Dispensary District

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

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

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

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

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

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

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



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

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

*Clonbrock, Chairman*  
*for the Board*

*Charles Filgate* } Guardians

*(Signed)*

*B. Reilly*

Clerk of the Union.

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*Mount Bellaw* UNION.

Population in 1851, 22,790 Present Net Annual Value, £31,793:16

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 19<sup>th</sup> day of January 1856.

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 9 and under 15 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 6 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	No. of Lunatics in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Workhouse, . . .	700	185													
Temporary Buildings, . . .															
Additional Workhouse, . . .															
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . .															
Fever Sheds, . . .															
Total, . . .	700	185													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			18	51	6	27	11	23	11	12	187	In Workhouse Hospital, 24	In separate Wards, 1		
Admitted during the Week, . . .												In Fever Hospital, 1	In Wards with other inmates, 1		
Total, . . .			18	51	6	27	11	23	11	12	187	Total, 24	Total, 1		
Discharged during the Week, . . .			1												
Died, . . .				1											
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			1	1											
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			12	50	6	27	11	23	11	12	185				

*Corresponding week last year decrease 45*

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 19<sup>th</sup> day of January, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
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No. 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 25<sup>th</sup> day of January 1856

PRESENT: In the Chair,

*Lord Clonbrock*

Other Guardians:

*Denis A. Kelly*  
*Edward Browne*  
*Charles Filgate*  
*Charles D. Roche*  
*John Carr, and*  
*Michl. Carr 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 5th section of the 7 & 8 Vic. c. 61.

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

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

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

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

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

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 £ 13 - 0 s. 3 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 20 - 7 - 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1 - 10 - 1/2

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

- 29 Cwt Bread
- 33 1/2 lb Meat
- 1 Cwt oat Meal
- 500 Quarts of Milk
- 25 Ounces Tea
- 12 1/4 lb Sugar
- 1 Cwt Rice
- 14 lb Pepper
- 8 lb Dipt Candles
- 1 Cwt Soap
- 14 lb Washing Soda
- 2 lb Mould 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 ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

£ s. d.

In money, - - - - -

In kind, - - - - -

Total, -

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

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

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

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:

Master's Report.

The stocks of clothing on hands for men and boys is unfit for use, and having no materials which would be required in case of admissions, I hope you will grant the following:

- 60 yards Corduroy
- 50 yards Fustian
- 100 yards Frieze

Ordered, That Tenders be received on next Friday for supplying the foregoing clothing.

Ordered, That 3 Tons of Globe Turnips be sold which grew on the Market House land, the Master having plenty of Swedes for the use of the House.

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

- Ordered, That the following requisites be procured
- 2 lb Black Thread
  - 2 lb Drab do
  - 4 lb Iron Wire
  - 100 no Nails
  - 100 do do
  - 100 do do
  - 1 Stone of Cat meal for Hospital purposes
  - 9 lb 5 oz Bull Leather
  - 6 lb 14 oz Saddle do
  - 1 lb 14 oz Copper do
  - 3710 Nails
  - 1000 Top Nails
  - 2 lb Steel Springs
  - 1 lb Hairs



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 the following Report made by Mr O'Brien, Poor Law Inspector, on the 24<sup>th</sup> inst

I am anxious to draw the special attention of the Guardians to the very inferior quality of the Milk at present supplied by the Contractor to the Workhouse, some of the Hospital patients complained of it to me, and, as far as I can judge from the taste, I entertain no doubt that Water is mixed with it.

The Stock of Men's and Boys' Clothing now available for use exceeds very little the actual wants of the present number of ~~inmates~~ inmates, and as fresh demands must be expected to arise daily, I have suggested to the Master that he should submit a detailed report and Estimate on the subject to the Guardians, who will readily have no doubt give him such supplies as may be necessary.

Mr. Moran the Contractor appeared before the Board and being severely admonished undertook that should the Milk supplied in future not throw up the Standard Cream Centage (10 per cent) he will allow a reduction of half the price per Gallon to be made in his account.

Resolved, That the Order of Richard Concannon to supply 3 dozen Pair of Girls Shoes @ 4/- per pair, be accepted,

Resolved, That Ellen Storne, a girl in the Workhouse, chargeable to the Electoral Division, be assisted to Emigrate to Madison, and that for this purpose £5 be given out of the Rates of the Electoral Division,



Resolved, That the relief afforded to Anne Coleman who is in the Workhouse for the last three weeks chargeable to Poor's Electoral Division be declared by way of Loan, and the cost price thereof (£6) having been this day paid by the Assistant, said Anne Coleman she be discharged from the Workhouse to join him.

Ordered, That the price of the Tea (£74 per lb) ordered on last Board day from Andrews & Co. be extended to £78 per lb for a better quality of Tea.

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

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	-	-	-	-	1
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	-	-	-	-	1
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	-	-	-	-	1

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 *Friday* the *1<sup>st</sup>*  
day of *February* 185*6*.  
(Signed) *B Keilly*  
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the *Mount Kellow*  
UNION, on *Fri* day, the *25<sup>th</sup>* day of *January* 185*6*.  
—continued.

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

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

Galway Council

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

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

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

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

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



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

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

*M. Kelly* Chairman  
*Richard*  
*John Keaton* Guardians

Galway County Council

(Signed,)

*B. Reilly*  
 Clerk of the Union.

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*Mount Pellem* UNION.  
 Population in 1851, *22,790* Present Net Annual Value, £*21,793-15-0*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *26<sup>th</sup>* day of *January* 185*6*.

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.		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 years of age.	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, . . .		<i>7,000 159</i>													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			<i>12</i>	<i>51</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>110</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>186</i>	In Workhouse Hospital, <i>33</i>	In separate Wards, <i>1</i>	
Admitted during the Week, . .			<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>					<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>8</i>	In Fever Hospital, <i>1</i>	In Wards with other inmates, <i>1</i>	
Total, . . .			<i>4</i>	<i>54</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>110</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>194</i>	Total, <i>33</i>	Total, <i>1</i>	
Discharged during the Week, . .			<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>								<i>4</i>			
Died, . . .															
Total Discharged and Dead, . .			<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>								<i>4</i>			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			<i>13</i>	<i>52</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>110</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>189</i>			

*Corresponding week last year ↓ decrease 225 30*

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

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Friday* the *1<sup>st</sup>* day of *January* 185*6*

PRESENT: In the Chair,

*Denis A. Kelly*

Other Guardians:

*Mr. Cruise*  
*Mr. Lean*  
*Richard Burke*  
*John C. Evans*  
*John Cheevers*  
*John F. Browne and*  
*Thomas Keaton 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<sup>th</sup> & Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1252 to No. 1261, 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. 1 to No. 11, 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 reported that Collector Higgins had not attended for the settlement of his account, since the 4<sup>th</sup> ultimo.

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.				
Mick. Keane	Killungan							27	7	17 <sup>3</sup> / <sub>4</sub>							
	Fanshawe							31	10	22							
	Castletown							19	5	5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>							
													80	3	12 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>		
Mick. Higgins	Clonkeen	7	17	3				6	6	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>							
	Ballymahilly	16	6	1				12	2	5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>							
	Watra	1	7	2				3	4	16 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>							
	Mountbellio	27	2	8				58	3	6 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>							
													52	13	2		
															111	9	2
John Johnston	Clonbrook	11	7	10				10	3	5 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>							
	Annagh	11	7	10				37	14	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>							
	Killiam	21	8	8				22	13	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>							
													32	16	6		
															70	10	11 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
Patrick O'Keilly	Castletown	26	10	5				49	2	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>							
	Mount Hoyle	14	12	6				71	2	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>							
	Clonglassan	22	3	6				19	13	10 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>							
	Castro	10	7	6				47	5	11							
													72	13	11		
															217	41	7 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>
															158	37	
															419	8	1 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>

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

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



4 Finance

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 11-0-9 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 23 1/2 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 19-15-11 3/4  
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.  
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - 1-10  
 Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2-10 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:

- 312 lb Bread
- 33 Meat
- 1 Ton Indian meal
- 1/25 Whole Meal
- 572 Quarts Milk
- 25 Cans Tea
- 12 1/2 lb Sugar
- 8 1/2 Candles
- 14 Washing Soda
- 2 Mould 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 only entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of ; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.  
 Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Robert Ridditt, Leather	1	14	11
Jack. Banett, "	2	"	7
John Tacey, 20 Cut Straw	1	6	8

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

2. Establishment Account.

Messrs Croft and Kelly, School requisites	3	6	8
William Cammell, Mending Sock	1	10	6
A. Thom and Sons, Books and forms	2	13	0
Thomas Blackhall, Sundries	1	14	2
Miss. Heally, wages as Shoemaker	1	5	8
Math Cheever, Co Weaver	1	6	10
John Taylor, Co Tailor	1	10	8
Martin John, Triangle beam and scales	6	"	"
Lewis Baker, balance of account for repairing Sewers and for opening flues and supply 5 Iron doors therefor	9	1	11
Clerk of Union, Petty Cash	7	"	"

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



3. Workhouse Invoice Account

	£	s.	d.
Thomas Blackhall, Indian meal and whole meal to 25 Jan'y	20	10	0
Thomas Blackhall, Oat meal Rice and Groceries do.	8	5	9
Michl. Moran, Milk to 25 January 1856	15	19	1
Martin Gilmore, Bread Soap and Salt do.	15	"	8
Anchor and Co, Tea and Sugar "	1	6	8
M <sup>rs</sup> . Burke, Meat "	2	15	6

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account

£	s.	d.

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

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

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

Visited the House this day and found it clean and orderly, we recommend that Pat Labeen, charged to Castleblake Electoral Division, be registered as aged 15 years instead of 14 as at present registered, Edward Mehan and Mick Newel complained of a scarcity of diet, and we suggest that the Board consider the quantity allowed for this class.

Signed, Richard Burke  
William Cruise  
July 10<sup>th</sup> 1856

Ordered

That Labeen's age be marked on the Register as 15 years.

The Dietary allowed to the two children Mehan and Newel who are on Chap. V, being according to the scale of the Poor Law Commissioners, which has been adopted since the opening of the House, the Board decline making any alteration therein.

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

The Master submitted the Return of the Arrears Centage since last Board day which appeared to be up to the Standard, 10 per cent, and to have exceeded it on two days by one per cent.

The Master reported having bought 20 Cwt Straw from John Fahy at 7 1/2 per Cwt. Sanctioned

The Master reported having received the 10 Cwts of Sand ordered on the 28<sup>th</sup> December together with 7 Cwts more which were required, Sanctioned.

The Master suggested the Board would direct him how to act as to his report of the 4<sup>th</sup> January concerning a pauper named Grayden, who received £1 from his mother in America.

Ordered

That Master hold the £1 for another month and then report.

Ordered

That the following be procured.

2 1/2 yards of Calico for Pat Ryan who was discharged from the House for service.



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

- 4 Coal Buckets
- 4 Roll Tape
- 3 Cozen Combs
- 1 Tinder for Infirmary
- 2 Gallons Mending Ink

The following Letters 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 made on them respectively as follows:

35. N/56  
28 Jan'y 56

Circular from the Poor Law Commissioners requesting to be furnished with a Return of the number of cases of Asiatic Cholera (if any) and Diarrhea &c. which occurred in the Workhouse or were treated in any Hospital appropriated by the Guardians to the reception of Cholera cases in any part of the Union, in the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> December 1855.

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31<sup>st</sup> Jan'y 56

Letter forwarding a Printed Form in which they request to be entered the particulars concerning the case of Ellen Stoun a girl in the Workhouse whom the Guardians propose assisting to Emigrate to America.

Read Letter Mr. Richard Burke Poor Law Guardian stating that he will advance towards the Emigration to America of two Children, named Gallagher at present inmates of the Workhouse chargeable to Cattlepenick Electoral Division, aged respectively 10 and 8 years, provided the Board allow an equal sum for the same purpose out of the Rates of the Electoral Division Resolved,

That the offer of Mr. Burke be accepted and that the Commissioners, sanction be prayed thereon, Resolved,

That the following tendus be accepted

Mr. Mulenkyets Supply  
100 yards Frize @ 3/7 per yard  
50 yards Tasham 1/2 per yard

Mr. Dornellon to Supply  
50 yards of Canvas at 9 per yard

Mr. Rabbitts to Supply  
1 Ton whole meal at £19-0-0

and  
Mr. Blackalls to Supply  
1 Ton oat meal at £13-17-6

The Medical Officer submitted a list of Medicines as required by him for the W. House Infirmary

Ordered That some be procured from the Contractors Bolicians Brothers

Ordered That the list of School requisites to the amount of £3-6-8 now submitted by the School Master, be approved and some ordered from the Education Commissioners,



The Collectors attended with their Books for examination which being gone through, the Board were satisfied with the progress making

Ordered, That Mr. Concamon, Solicitor be directed to apply to Mr. Thomas J. Blake, Galway, for the Rates due by him as Immediate Lessor,

That Collector Kilgallon be authorized to serve Mr. Thomas Davis with a 15 days notice for the Rates due by him as Immediate Lessor and summon him before Bench of Magistrates and that the Collector do have the aid of Mr. Concamon, Solicitor, in this case,

That the Clerk write to Mr. Concamon to know what steps have been taken towards securing the Rates due on the Townland of Boughil, which has been lately purchased under the incumbered Estates Coast,

Ordered, That the Collectors close their Books this day month and furnish lists of areas to be posted

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

over Chimney piece

Meeting Committee

Michael Carr and Richard Burke





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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE Mount Bellwo  
UNION, on Fri day, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of February 1856.  
—continued.

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

M<sup>r</sup> Bellwo and Killunan  
*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:*

*Ordered*  
*That the Medicines &c., required for  
the above named Dispensaries be procured from the  
Contractors - Boleans 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:*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 8<sup>th</sup>  
day of July 1856  
(Signed) B. Leilly  
Clerk of the Union.



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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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



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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:)

Recd Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ stating that

*Unsettled* Chairman,  
Guardians.

*Charles Hilgate*  
*Michl. Carrigan*

(Signer)

*B. Wilby*  
Clerk of the Union.

*Mount Relief* UNION.

Population in 1851, *22,790*

Present Net Annual Value, £ *31,793-15*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *3<sup>rd</sup>* day of *February* 185 *6*

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, . . . . .	<i>700</i>	<i>187</i>												
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .														
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .														
Total, . . . . .	<i>700</i>	<i>187</i>												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			<i>13</i>	<i>52</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>73</i>	<i>189</i>	In Workhouse Hospital, <i>35</i>	In separate Wards, <i>1</i>	
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .												In Hospital, <i>1</i>	In Wards with other inmates, <i>1</i>	
TOTAL, . . . . .			<i>13</i>	<i>52</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>73</i>	<i>189</i>	Total, <i>35</i>	Total, <i>1</i>	
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>			
Died, . . . . .														
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			<i>13</i>	<i>51</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>72</i>	<i>187</i>			

*Corresponding week last year decrease 228 41*

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *2<sup>nd</sup>* day of *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 Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.		RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.		Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.							Et. forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Friday* the *8<sup>th</sup>* day of *February* 185 *6*

PRESENT: In the Chair,

*Lord Chullock*

Other Guardians:

*Charles Hilgate*  
*Michl. Carrigan*

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. 61.*

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

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

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

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

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

*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 £19 s. 10 d.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 19. 18. 3/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.  
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 1. 10.

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

- 310 lb Bread
- 300 lb Meat
- 1 Ton Oat Meal
- 576 Quarts Milk
- 1 Cwt Salt
- 1 Ton Whole Meal
- 8 lb S. Candles
- 2 lb W. Candles
- Supplemental order
- the follow

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

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

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

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

£ s. d.

In money, - - - - -

In kind, - - - - -

Total, -

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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.



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3. Warehouse Invoice Account

L	s.	d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

L	s.	d.

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

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

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

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

The Master handed in £2. 0. 11 being the amount received by him for 50 Cut Hornipes and 1 Cut-Onions which he has sold,

The Master reported that six panes of glass had been broken by the Storm on the night of the 6<sup>th</sup> inst,

Ordered that they be replaced

Ordered,

That the following be procured,

3 Tons Straw

7 Barrels Lime

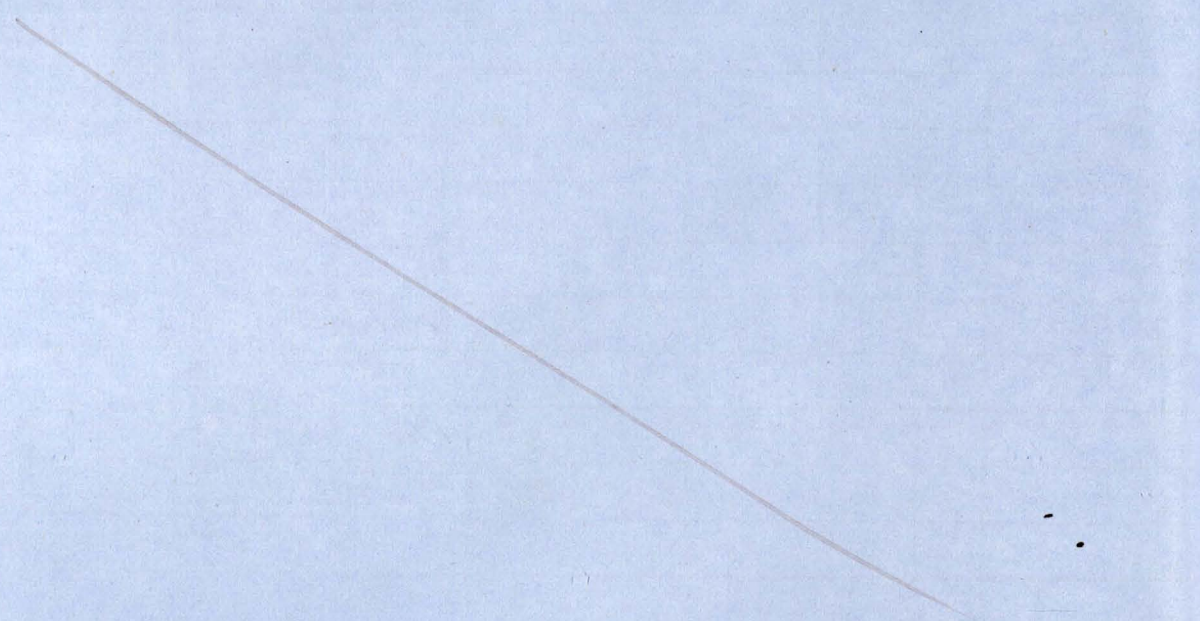
500 Needles

20 Pieces White Tape

That a Carpenter be employed for two days.



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



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

30th/56  
11th Feb 1856

Circular from Poor Law Commissioners requesting to be furnished with a return respecting the Rates made and any new Rates agreed upon in the Union, down to the end of January 1856,

3752/56  
5th Feb 1856

Letter forwarding a Return Form in which may be stated the particulars concerning the proposed emigration of two pauper children named Gallagher,

3014/56  
17th Feb 56

Letter referring to the Minutes of the Board of Guardians of the 25th ultimo containing a communication made by Mr. O'Brien Poor Law Inspector respecting the quality of milk supplied by the Contractor to the Workhouse and in reference to the course taken by the Board in the matter, the Commissioners suggest that if the milk supplied is not new milk unadulterated an increased quantity should be allowed to

make up for the deficiency in quality, The quantity fixed by the General Regulations is the minimum allowance which should be given,

The Board of Guardians desire to say that the arrangement agreed to by the Contractor on the 25th ultimo, of being paid only half price for inferior milk, has had the effect of securing a full and unadulterated supply of that article,

18th/56

Read Letter from the Secretaries, Education Office, forwarding the following extract from the District Inspector's Report of the 24th ultimo, upon the Mount Bellew Poor Law Union National School,

Male

The teacher is well qualified and he conducts the school with industry, order and system. The pupils are carefully grounded in arithmetic, grammar, geography, and writing from dictation, and the school generally is in a satisfactory state.

The time for literary instruction (3 hours daily) appears to me rather limited,

Female

The teacher is moderately qualified, from the short time she is in charge of the school I cannot speak as to her method of conducting it - she appears rather zealous.

The course of instruction given in this school is inferior, there is a marked deficiency in Writing and Arithmetic.

Applications having been read from the Schoolmaster and Porter for an increase of Rations Ordered,

That consideration be deferred to a future Board



Ordered

that the Master give a suit of clothes to a pauper boy named *Doos* who is leaving the house he having no clothes of his own

Ordered

that 25 sheets be cut up for mens and boys shirts

Meeting Committee,  
Mr. Tilgate and Mr. M. Carr

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 - - - 3

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Friday the 15<sup>th</sup>  
day of February 1856.

(Signed) B. L. U.  
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 Bellin  
UNION, on Tri day, the 15<sup>th</sup> day of February 1856,  
—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  
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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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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:)

Please Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_ stating that

*Clombrook* Chairman

*Charles Filgate* Guardians  
*Edward Browne*

(Signed)

*B. Rully*  
Clerk of the Union.

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Mount Bellew UNION.

Population in 1851, 22,790

Present Net Annual Value, £31,793:15/-

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

9<sup>th</sup> day of February 1856.

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 9 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 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.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Workhouse, . . . . .	700	190													
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .															
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .															
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .															
Fever Sheds, . . . . .															
Total, . . . . .	700	190													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			14	51	0	25	40	24	15	12	167		In Workhouse Hospital, 33	In separate Wards, 1	
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			2	3				2	1	2	1	11			
TOTAL, . . . . .			16	54	0	25	42	25	17	13	178		Total, 33	Total, 1	
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			2	1				2	1	1	1	8			
Died, . . . . .															
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			2	1				2	1	1	1	8			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			14	53	0	25	40	24	16	12	198				

*Corresponding week last year decrease 40*

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9<sup>th</sup> day of 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 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 10<sup>th</sup> day of February 1856

PRESENT: In the Chair,

*Lord Clombrook*

Other Guardians:

*D. H. Kelly*  
*Edward Browne*  
*Charles Filgate*  
*Michael Leary*  
*Joseph Kelly*  
*Richard Burke*

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. 1912 to No. 1973, 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. 1 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:

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	Killurann	26	12	4						13	5	2			
"	Fanghera	6	10	11						22	19	3			
"	Coatiffrensch	14	2	10						5	2	11			
							57	5	9				28	15	6
Michl. Kilgannon	Chonkean									6	6	11			
"	Bolin a Hill									12	2	5			
"	Catra									24	10	13			
"	Mount Bellur									58	3	5			
													111	9	2
John Johnston	Clondrook	4	14	5						5	9	3			
"	Kninagh	13	8							24	8	1			
"	Sullivan	4	12	7						18		8			
							23	13					47	17	10
Patrick O'Kelly	Castletlahind									49	2	1			
"	Mount Hazel									71	2	1			
"	Derryglassany									49	13	10			
"	Coole <sup>22.13.8</sup> <sub>22.14.8</sub>	5	8	3						41	17	8			
							5	8	3				211	15	9
													399	18	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 £ 48 0 4 s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 19 14 8 1/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1 9 1/4

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - 2 0 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:

- 35 lb Bread
- 32 lb Meat
- 592 Quarts Milk
- 7 lb Sifted Candles
- 14 lb Starch
- 2 lb Mould 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 ; 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				
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No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. forwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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



3. Workhouse Invoice Account

	£	s.	d.
Dudrick Rabbitt one Ton whole meal	19	0	0
Thomas Blackhall do do meal	13	17	6

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account

	£	s.	d.

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

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

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

Visited the House. Found it very clean. The large Pump is broken: there should be a contract to keep it in order. Mr. Parker has not yet completed the sewer of the Back House. The Weaver has only two boys. He has been employed 12 weeks at a cost of £4.16.0, and the two pieces he is working are not worth so much if sold.

(Signed) C. Filgate  
E. Burne  
M. Carr

15<sup>th</sup> Feb. 1856

Ordered

That the Pump be repaired by Messrs. Ross and Murray, the cost of which will not exceed £1  
That Mr. Parker be directed to put a flag in the floor of the Back House, in place of one that has been broken.  
That the Weaver be discharged on Saturday the 16<sup>th</sup> instant, and  
That an advertisement be issued, by written handbills, inviting Tenders for completing the two pieces of Calico and Handkerchiefs at present in the Looms.

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

The Master reported that of the 3 Tons of Straw ordered on the last Board day, he brought 8<sup>1/2</sup> cwt from Mr. Blackhall @ 1/6<sup>d</sup> per cwt

The Master reported that one of the Cocks in the Pump in the Mill's yard, is broken.

That he had to substitute Poster for milk twice this week to the healthy inmates, as the Contractor failed to send a full supply, being short 3 fallons on Tuesday and two on Thursday.

In reference to the deficiency in the supply of milk, referred to in the Master's Report, the Board regret that owing to the impossibility of procuring milk in the neighbourhood the Master was obliged to issue Poster as a substitute for the quantity of milk short of the full supply.

Ordered,  
11 st Copras  
4 White Wash Brushes  
17 Rivets  
5 Staples  
6 Rings



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:

8<sup>th</sup> July 1856

Letter from the Secretary, Education Office, acknowledging the receipt of £3.6.2, for school requisites for the Work House Schools, and stating that same shall be forwarded.

8<sup>th</sup> July 1856

Letter from the General Valuation Office requesting the Clerk to forward to that Office any appeals that may have been lodged against the supplemental valuation lists of the Union of Mt. Pelicor.

The Clerk stated that no appeals had been lodged with him, and that he wrote to this effect to the General Valuation Office.

Letters from Mr. Conner, Solicitor stating  
1<sup>st</sup> That he applied to Mr. Blake for the Rates due by him, who stated that as several of the tenants for which he is liable Rated as Immediate Lessors hold from 10 to 15 acres of Land each, he prayed for time till the matter is settled by the Revisors.

2<sup>nd</sup> In reference to the Rates due on Boughil; that the Commissioners of Inland Revenue have decided that no Crown Lands are liable to Rates or Taxes, while in the hands of the Crown.

In reference to Mr. Conner's communications  
Resolved

That the collector proceed against Mr. Blake's Tenants at Annaghmore, who are rated under L. 4, by 30 days notice and Summons before Magistrates at City Sessions, for the Rates assessed on them.

That the Rates due on the townland of Boughil amounting to £11.12.674 be now declared late.

The Board having considered the applications received on last Board day from the schoolmaster and the Porter, for an increase of Rations,

Resolved that the Porter be allowed a half pound of White Bread daily in addition to his present rations of 1/2 lb Bread and one quart Milk daily.

That the schoolmaster's application be rejected.

With reference to the Report of the School Inspector upon the Workhouse Schools, which was read at last Meeting,

The Board beg to say that having before them the "Time Table," they find that 4 1/2 hours daily is devoted to the literary instruction in the Male School, instead of 3 hours as stated in the Inspector's Report.

Notice of objection by Mr. Carr

That on this day fortnight he will move that the chargeability of Thomas Lynskey, now put on Mr. Pellicor E. 10<sup>th</sup>, be removed to such Electoral Division as it shall be found he belongs to.



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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	-	-	-	-	-	6
Ditto disallowed	-	-	-	-	-	u
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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Friday* the *22<sup>nd</sup>*  
day of *Feb* 1856.

(Signed) *B. Heilly*  
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE *Union of Bellew*  
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\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £  
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