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MINUTE BOOK

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

Order of Poor Law Commissioners.



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

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RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1851, 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £130349.12

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 19 day of July 1862

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 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	743															
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,	80															
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	823															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			38	78	29	67	12	12	32	14	45	327	In Work-house Hospital, in Fever Hospital, } 10	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, } 10		
Admitted during the Week,			12	7	3	1	1	"	2	1	6	33	Total, } 20			
TOTAL,			50	85	32	68	13	12	34	15	51	360				
Discharged during the Week,			14	13	4	"	2	"	3	1	4	41				
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
Total Discharged and Dead,			14	13	4	"	2	"	3	1	4	41				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			36	72	28	68	11	12	31	14	47	319				

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	23	72	William Manning.
No. II.	18	47	Robert Manning.
No. III.	23	43	George Tuke.
No. IV.	11	17	Patrick Moran.
TOTAL,	75	179	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 22nd day of July 1862

PRESENT: In the Chair, Matthew Hudson Jones Esq.
Other Guardians: Michael A Hudson Esq. G M West Esq. M Gwynn 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 13th section of the 7 & Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4540 to No. 4600, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. _____ to No. _____, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 150 : 15 : 4

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 726 : 4 : 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle Upper,									9			
	„ Lower,												
	Kilcoole,												
	Altidore,												
	Killiskey,									3			
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,									12		12	
	Calary,									9			
	Brockagh,												
	Ballycullan,												
	Oldtown,												
	Togher,												
	Moneystown,									5			
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,									10	11	11	
	Glanealy,									4	8		
										10	16	7	10 16 7
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown East,												
	„ West,												
	„ South,												
JOSEPH WERN,	Ennereilly,									1			
	Kilbride,									5			
										6		6	
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,									1	13	7	
										1	13	7	1 13 7
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,												
	Ballyarthur,									3	1		
	Ovoca,									7			
WILLIAM SMITH,										3	8		3 8
	Rathdrum,									19	2		
	Knockrath,									.	.		
	Trooperstown,									.	.		
	Ballinderry,									7	5		
	Ballinaclash,									6			
	Ballinacor,									5			
	Anghrim,									15		18	11
Totals,										14	16	5	

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

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

The 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

L s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was

Average cost in Infirmary,

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:

320 White Loaves Bread	1/2 lb Cabbage Seed
290 Brown Bread	
10 cwt Outmeal	
145 gals Buttermilk	
230 gals New Milk	
6 lb Butter	
140 lb Meat	
42 Sheep Heads	
12 Day Potatoes	
2 gals Whiskey	

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

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

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

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

In Money, - - - - -	L s. d.
In Kind, - - - - -	8 1 10
	✓ ✓ ✓
Total, - - - - -	8 1 10

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.
No. I.	William Manning, - - - -			
No. II.	Robert Manning, - - - -			
No. III.	George Tuke, - - - -			
No. IV.	Patrick Moran, - - - -			
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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

£ s. d.

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The Reports of Medical Officers were read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

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

Gentlemen

I have to report the case of William Fluskey late a pauper inmate to whom I had given permission several evenings during the last fortnight to visit his daughter in the Workhouse Hospital,

On Thursday evening last while on his way out of the Workhouse I happened to meet him and suspecting that all was not right from his appearance I searched him and found concealed on his person a pair of shoes which he had stolen from under the bed of his dying child, I spoke to the Porter if he had searched him properly each time he was allowed up and he gave me to understand that he had not which I fear emboldened him to commit the theft

Fluskey has been committed to goal

(Signed) Isaac Flower
Master

The Porter was called up and reprimanded by the Chairman who told him that in future he should be particular to search every person closely going in and out of the Workhouse to visit the children,

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:)

No Letters

The Master Reported that a pauper Inmate named Dan Kane after deserted the Workhouse leaving his two Children & taking the Union Clothes, he scaled the Boundary Wall on the evening of the 15th Instant, this is the second time he has committed this Offence.

Ordered that a Warrant be taken out against him.

And As By me

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

the _____ day of _____ 186

(Signed) _____

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 Rathdown
UNION, on Tuesday, the 22nd day of July 1862
—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 Arklow
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board
with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given
thereon, as follows:

The Clerk to order same from the Contractor

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

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

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

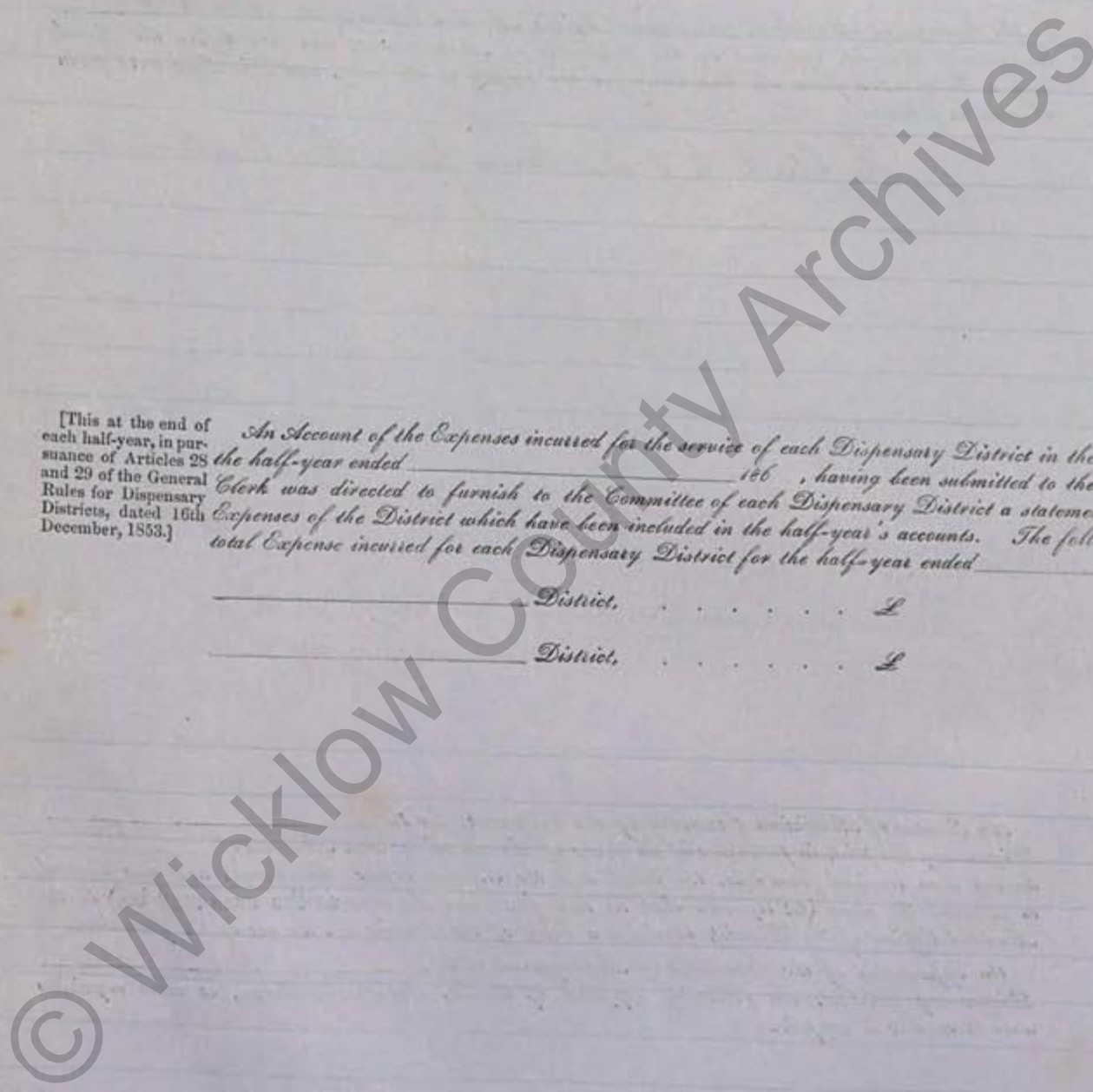
Dispensary District,

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £



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

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

Dispensary District, No. _____

of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Recd Letter from _____
 stating that _____

dated _____

Mr. George Mauney informed the Clerk that he would leave a Notice to Rescind the Resolution passed on last Bond day granting a sum of £5.0.0 for certain works to be done at the Newtown Dispensary as such works are not necessary, and the resolution was passed by the Committee illegally & without proper notice

Arthur De Bageny Chairman

Ernest

Street J. Henry

(Signed)

Arthur De Bageny

Clerk of the Union.

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RATHDRUM UNION.

21

Population in 1851, 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £130349.12

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of July 1862

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	743	313														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,	80	11														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	823	324														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			36	72	28	68	11	12	31	14	47	319	In Work-house Hospital, 10 In Fever Hospital, 11 Total, 21	In separate Wards, 10 In Wards with other inmates, 10 Total, 20		
Admitted during the Week,			7	10	4	1	"	"	1	4	6	33				
TOTAL,			43	82	32	69	11	12	32	18	53	352				
Discharged during the Week,			10	9	"	1	1	"	1	1	4	27				
Died,			"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			10	9	"	2	1	"	1	1	4	28				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			33	73	32	67	10	12	31	17	49	324				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26th day of July 1862, 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.		NAME OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	23	70	William Manning.
No. II.	15	32	Robert Manning.
No. III.	22	41	George Tuke.
No. IV.	11	17	Patrick Moran.
TOTAL,	71	160	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 29th day of July 1862

PRESENT: In the Chair, Andrew M. Byrne Esq
 Other Guardians: C. M. West Esq Messrs. Muhl Byrne Edward P. Edger
 and Patrick Gustkin Mr. George Manning

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. 4401 to No. 4427, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. — to No. —, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £ 1 : 10 : 0

Paid during the week, £ 1 : 10 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 726 : 21 : 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle Upper,							9						
	„ Lower,													
	Kilcoole,													
	Altidore,													
	Killiskeey,							3						
WILLIAM MURPHY,								12				12		
	Glendalough,													
	Calary,							9						
	Brockagh,													
	Ballycullan,													
	Oldtown,													
	Togher,													
EDWARD BYRNE,	Moneytown,							5						
								12				12		
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,							10	11	11				
	Glanealy,								4	8				
								10	16	7		10	16	7
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown East,													
	„ West,													
	„ South,													
JOSEPH WEBB,	Ennereilly,									1				
	Kilbride,									5				
										6			6	
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,							1	13	7				
								1	13	7		1	13	7
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,													
	Ballyarthur,								3	1				
	Ovoca,									7				
								3	8			3	8	
WILLIAM SMITH,	Rathdrum,							19	2					
	Knockrath,													
	Trooperstown,													
	Ballinderry,								7	5				
	Ballinaclesh,									6				
	Ballinacor,									5				
	Aughrim,								1	5		1	5	
	Totals,								14	16	5		14	16	5

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

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

The 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 £ 81 s. 8. d. 6

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	81.	8.	6
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account,	42.	12.	6
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2/5	
Average cost in Infirmary,		3/0	
Average cost in Fever Hospital,		3/4	

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

325 Lbns White Bread	6 lbs Stamp
210 Do Brown Do	4 lbs Shoe Hair
140 lbs Meat	1 Pr Shoes for Mary Ryan
42 Sheepskins	Clothes for Bridget Ryan 15/-
125 Gals Buttermilk	
215 " New Milk	
6 lbs Butter	

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, -	7.	11.	4
	7.	11.	4
Total, -	7.	11.	4

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.	
No. I.	William Manning, - - -		
No. II.	Robert Manning, - - -		
No. III.	George Take, - - -		
No. IV.	Patrick Moran, - - -		
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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

£ s. d.

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The Reports of Medical Officers were read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

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

Spencer
I have to report that the two Main Sewers leading from the Kilohew & Laundry are choked up it would be well if some Members of the Board would inspect them.
I have to request your permission for leave of absence for one day

(Signed) Isaac Tolson
Master

The Master was directed to get the Sewers opened by the Pumpers and then the frandians would inspect them with a view to have them made deeper

The Master was granted leave of absence for 1 day

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

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

Letter N^o 16517 Dated 28th Instant referring to Observations contained in preceding Minutes of the 15th Inst^h respecting the existence of Ophthalmia in the Workhouse the Commissioners inform the Guardians that Mr W Hamilton Poor Law Inspector has reported to them that he visited the Workhouse on the 25th Instant when he found only one Patient under treatment in the Ward for Ophthalmic Patients Mr Hamilton apprehends that the Visitor who made the observations referred to must have mistaken a few Cases of Constitutional weakness of Sight for Cases of Ophthalmia

Letter N^o 16345 Dated 28th Instant enclosing the Copy of a Letter which the Commissioners have received from Mr W. Franklin relative to the recent appointment of a Collector of Poor Rates for N^o 8 District, and they request the Guardians observations thereon

In reply to the above Letter the Guardians present can give no explanation relative to the appointment of Smith except to refer the Commissioners to the Minutes of the Meeting of the Board on the 15th Instant, which gives a correct Statement of the facts

The Clerk laid before the Board several Notices which had been served upon by parties wishing to have their names inserted on the Rate Books

Proposed by Mr. Michael Byrne & seconded by Mr. Edw. P. Edge that the following alterations be made on the Rate Book, Robert
 M. Hudson, Johnstown, Michael & Hudson Thomastown and Eason
 Samuel Smith Stump of the Castle, Joseph Lacy Dumber John
 Ryan, Main St Wicklow, James Farrell Glasduffort North Michael
 McCabe Abbey St Wicklow William West Blainrod Upper
 Peter Byrne Hawkstown, Michael Kavenagh Dumber
 (added)

The

The Clerk produced the Books for the new Rate made up and Certified by him, the Books were signed by the Chairman and two Justices, the Collection Warrants were also signed

Rates as under

	s	d		£	s	d
A. Klow	1	5	(in the Pound)	857	5	6
Aughrims	1	3		139	15	11
Ballinaclesh	1	1		121	8	8
Ballinacross	1	2		112	19	10
Ballinderry	1	11		73	12	7
Ballyanthery	1	0		158	16	3
Cronebane	1	2		347	10	9
Dunganstown East	1	10		251	14	4
" South	1	2		309	19	8
" West	1	11		208	17	0
Enniscally	1	9		136	4	9
Glencaly	1	9		290	10	7
Kilbride	1	8		179	16	10
Knocknath	1	4		98	19	11
Monystown	1	9		39	0	0
Oroca	1	9		318	11	5
Rathdrum	1	7		507	19	8
Trooperstown	1	0		56	1	11
Wicklow	1	3		846	11	1
Altidore	1	1		97	8	14
Ballycullen	1	9		55	17	6
Brookagh	1	2		245	12	10
Cabary	1	8		37	13	2
Glendalough	1	8		43	17	4
Kilcoole	1	7		195	0	7
Killiskey	1	9		139	1	9
Newcastle Lower	1	7		206	17	0
" Upper	1	11		232	5	5
Oldtown	1	9		71	5	0
Togher	1	8		46	0	2

James Comerford D.V. Ch. 6456 18 9
 Hugh Pryme
 Th. Driscoll

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

the _____ day of _____ 186

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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(No. 27.)

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Rathfriland
UNION, on Tuesday day, the 29 day of July 1862
—continued.

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

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

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

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

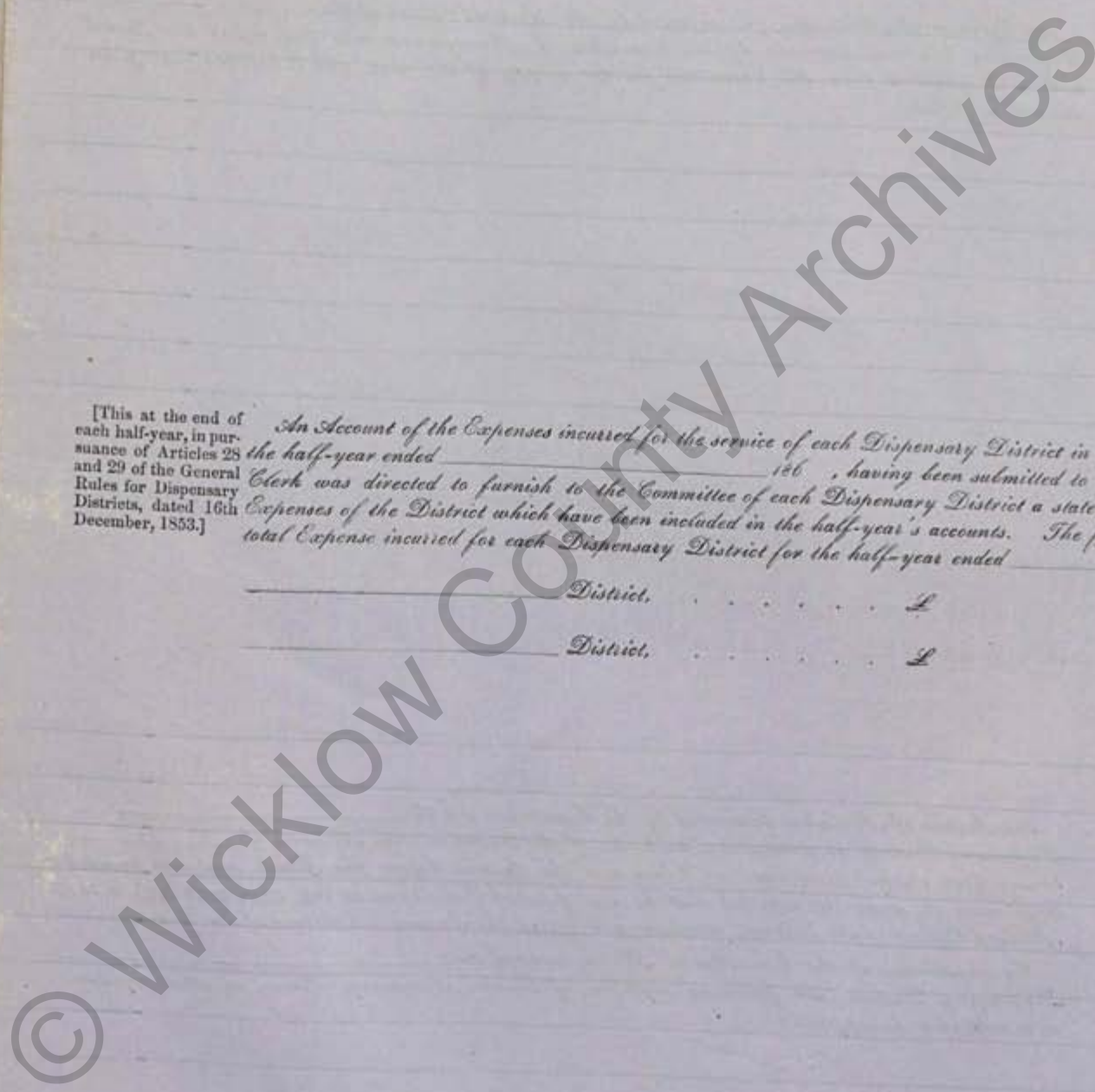
The following Accounts of expenses, (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £



[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 laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that _____

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RATHDRUM UNION.

41

Population in 1851, 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £130349-12

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of August 1862

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	743	318														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,	80	6														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	828	324														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			33	73	32	67	10	12	31	17	49	324	In Work-house Hospital, 51	In separate Wards, 10		
Admitted during the Week,			2	6	2	"	1	"	3	3	5	22	In Fever Hospital, 1	In Wards with other inmates, 10		
TOTAL,			35	79	34	67	11	12	34	20	54	346	Total, 12	Total, 20		
Discharged during the Week,			10	4	1	"	1	"	1	2	"	19				
Died,			"	"	1	2	"	"	"	"	"	13				
Total Discharged and Dead,			10	4	2	2	1	"	1	2	"	22				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			25	75	32	65	10	12	33	18	54	324				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of August 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.		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	23	70	William Manning.
No. II.	15	32	Robert Manning.
No. III.	21	40	George Tuke.
No. IV.	11	17	Patrick Moran.
TOTAL,	70	159	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 5th day of August 1862

PRESENT: In the Chair, James Courmford Esq
Other Guardians: Messrs. Michl Cynn & Joseph Leviston

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. ~~4644~~ 4628 to No. ~~4644~~ 4644, 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. ~~4644~~ to No. ~~4644~~, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 5 : 5 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account ~~against~~ the Guardians was £ 726 : 4 : 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle Upper,								9				
	" Lower,												
	Kilcoole,												
	Altidore,												
	Killiskey,								3				
								12				12	
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,												
	Calary,								9				
	Brockagh,												
	Ballycullan,												
	Oldtown,												
	Togher,												
	Moneytown,								5				
								12				12	
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,								10	11	11		
	Glancealy,									4	8		
									10	16	7		10 16 7
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown East,												
	" West,												
	" South,												
JOSEPH WEBB,	Eanereilly,									1			
	Kilbride,									5			
										6			6
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,								1	13	7		
									1	13	7		1 13 7
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,												
	Ballyarthur,									3	1		
	Ovoca,									7			
									3	8			3 8
WILLIAM SMITH,	Rathdrum,									19	2		
	Knockrath,												
	Trooperstown,												
	Ballinderry,									7	5		
	Ballinaclesh,									6			
	Ballinacor,									5			
	Aughrim,									1	5	11	
									14	16	5		14 16 5
	Totals,												

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 29 s. 10 d. 7

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	29	10	7
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account,	-	42	13
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	. 2/5		
Average cost in Infirmary,	. 3/7		
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	. 6/4		

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

- 320 Lower white Bread
- 290 Do Brown Do
- 145 fells Ruttermill M
- 230 fells New Mill M
- 140 B Meat
- 36 Sheep Heads

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, -	7	9	10
Total, -	7	9	10

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.
No. I.	William Manning, - - -	10 - -
No. II.	Robert Manning, - - -	✓
No. III.	George Tuke, - - -	10 - -
No. IV.	Patrick Moran, - - -	✓
TOTAL,		20 - -

Credit Treasurers 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

Simon Smith

1/4 Rent Quamsee Disty £ 2 10 - -

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The Reports of Medical Officers were read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

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

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

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

Circular N^o. 146 M 62 Dated 1st Instant
Calling on the Clerk for a Return of the Rates made and any New Rates agreed upon in the Union for the Month of July

Letter N^o. 16,683 Dated 14th Instant sanctioning the appointment of Messrs Thomas Douglas William Murphy, Edward Byrne, Patrick Farrell Thomas Beithistle William Smith and Francis Annesley to the Office of Poor Rate Collectors in this Union at a remuneration of 6^d in the pound on all Sums Collected and Lodged by Messrs Douglas, Byrne, Murphy, ^{Farrell} and Beithistle with the Treasurer of the Union and 4^d in the pound on the Amount Collected by Messrs Smith and Annesley

The Muster was ordered to give up the Clothes of a Woman named Delany a pauper inmate who died in the Workhouse to her Husband John Delany

The Clerk produced the Lists of Arrears of the old Rate outstanding on the several Electoral Divisions in the Union in order to have those that were lost struck off the books

Proposed by Mr. Michl Byrne and Seconded by Mr. Joseph Leviston Resolved that the following arrears of Rate be struck off the Books, as lost, being assessed on Houses thrown down in occupied Houses and the principal part of it on the Commons of Rathnew Electoral Division of Wicklow the occupiers of which are persons with no effects or means to pay

		Paid		
		L	S	D
Arlow	E Division	1	9	3
Aughrum	"	"	1	5
Ballinaclesh	"	"	"	6
Ballinacorr	"	"	"	5
Ballinderry	"	"	7	5
Ballyarthen	"	"	3	1
Emercilly	"	"	"	1
Spencely	"	"	4	8
Kilbride	"	"	"	5
Moneystown	"	"	"	5
Procu	"	"	"	7
Rathdrum	"	"	19	2
Wicklow	"	8	2	1
Calany	"	"	"	9
Killistey	"	"	3	"
Newcastle	"	"	9	"
Total		12	2	3

James Comerford J. W. C.
 Geo. Manning

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

the 12 day of August 1862

(Signed)

Arthur Hoban

Clerk of the Union.

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(No. 27.)

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Rathdown
UNION, on Tues day, the 5th day of July 1862
—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 Newcastle Bluff
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board
with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given
thereon, as follows:

The Clerk to order same from the Contractor.

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

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

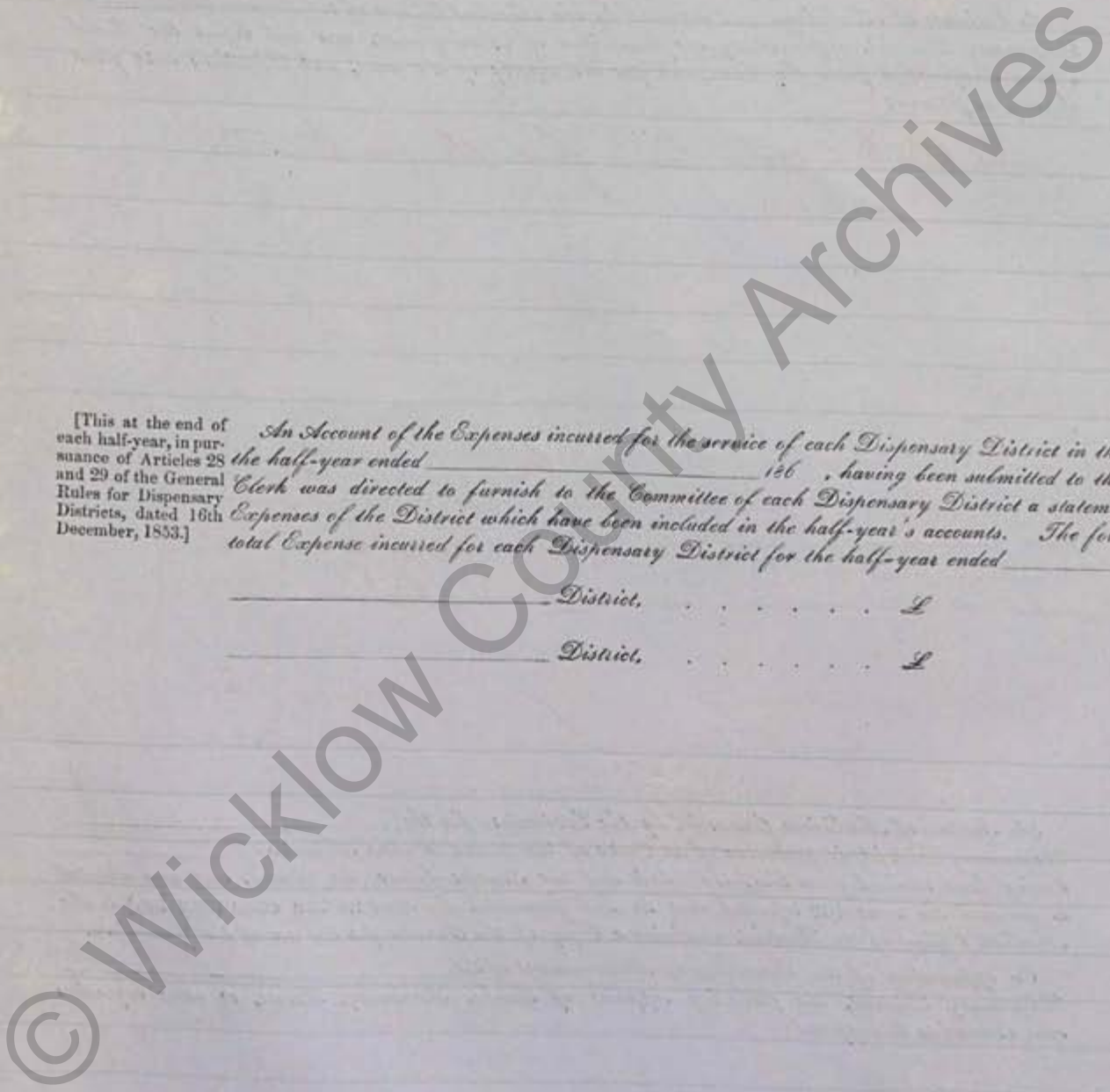
The following Accounts of expenses, (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

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

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

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

_____ District, £ _____
_____ District, £ _____



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

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

Dispensary District, No. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

~~Present Letter from~~
stating that

dated

The following extracts from Minutes of the Ashford Dispensary dated 12th April last and which was not received by the Clerk until the 5th Inst. was read

At the usual yearly meeting of Ashford Dispensary Committee at Wicklow

Present John Doughty Chairman, John Ferrin, John Chapman, John Woodroffe, Patrick Byrne, Robert Fanel

Resolved that Mr Dillan's Bill for Coal £2.14 be sanctioned

Resolved that an Elastic Stocking be provided for Walter Cullen according to pattern sent to the Club of the Union provided the Board supply such articles,

That Edwin Lloyd's Bill for 5/6 for Cleaning Surgical Instruments be paid.

That Doctor Baulk, be paid ten Shillings a year for Postage and Carriage of Parcels, to the date from whatever date it is legal he ought to be paid from

Proposed by Joseph Merton and seconded by John Ferrin that Sarah Price get Four pounds a year for taking care of Ashford Dispensary from the 25th March 1862.

The Clerk informed the Board that Mr Dillan's Bill above referred to has been paid, and with reference to the Postage account Doctor Baulk furnished a Bill last year not in detail but at 10/ a year since the Dispensary was opened under the Medical Charities Act, which the Board refused to pay until sanctioned by the Committee. The

(Signed)

Arthur Wank
Clerk of the Union.

The Clerk was directed to write to the Commissioners, to show if it would be legal for them to pay Dr. South's demand also requesting them to sanction the payment of the full amount from 25th March last to Mary Rice as caretaker of the Ashford Dispensary.

The gentlemen expressed their surprise that the copy of those proceedings of the Committee were not forwarded to the Mayor as it appears they were passed at a meeting of the Committee held on the 12th April last.

James Comerford J. W. Ch.
 Geo. P. M.
 Geo. Manning

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RATHDRUM UNION.

61

Population in 1851. 47811

Present Net Annual Value, £130349.12

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of August 1862

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	743															
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,	80															
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	823															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			25	75	32	65	10	12	33	18	52	324	In Work-house Hospital, 61	In separate Wards, 11		
Admitted during the Week,			7	2	4	2	1	2	2	3	2	25	In Fever Hospital, 5	In Wards with other inmates, 10		
TOTAL,			32	77	36	67	11	14	35	21	56	349	Total, 66	Total, 21		
Discharged during the Week,			2	10	4	"	"	1	2	3	4	26				
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	10	4	"	"	1	2	3	4	26				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			30	67	32	67	11	13	33	18	52	323				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9 day of August 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.		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	23	70	William Manning.
No. II.	18	48	Robert Manning.
No. III.	22	40	George Tuke.
No. IV.	11	17	Patrick Moran.
TOTAL,	74	175	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 12th day of July August 1862

PRESENT: In the Chair, Other Guardians: There was no meeting this day no guardian in attendance

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named, having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & Vic., c. 41.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 404²⁶ 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 Leger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

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

Laid during the week, £ ✓ : ✓ : ✓

And that the Balance on the Account against 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.
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle Upper,							232	5	5			
	„ Lower,							206	17	0			
	Kilcoole,							195	0	7			
	Altidore,							97	8	4			
	Killiskey,							139	1	9			
								870	13	1	570	13	1
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,							43	17	4			
	Calary,							37	13	2			
	Brockagh,							245	12	10			
	Ballycullan,							55	17	6			
	Oldtown,							71	5	0			
	Togher,							46	0	2			
	Moneytown,							39	3	0			
								539	9	0	539	9	0
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,							849	0	11			
	Glanealy,							290	10	7			
								1139	11	6	1139	11	6
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown East,							251	14	4			
	„ West,							208	17	0			
	„ South,							309	19	8			
								770	11	0	770	11	0
JAMES WARD, <i>F. Annisley</i>	Ennerilly,							136	4	9			
	Kilbride,							179	16	10			
								316	1	7	316	1	7
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,							857	9	10			
								857	9	10	857	9	10
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,							347	10	9			
	Ballyarthur,							158	16	3			
	Ovoca,							318	11	5			
								824	15	5	824	15	5
WILLIAM SMITH,	Rathdrum,							507	19	8			
	Knockrath,							98	19	11			
	Trooperstown,							56	1	11			
	Ballinderry,							73	12	7			
	Ballinaclesh,							121	8	8			
	Ballinacor,							142	19	10			
	Aughrim,							139	15	11			
	Totals.							1159	12	11			

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

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

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 £ 79. 10s. 8d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

£ 79. 10. 8

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was

42. 9. 10

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was

2/4

Average cost in Infirmary,

3/5

Average cost in Fever Hospital,

4

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

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,	£ 7. 16. 4
In Kind,	✓ ✓ ✓
Total,	7. 16. 4

Credit each Relieving Officers as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

James Comford DVO

Wm. Edge

Geo. Morrison

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.
No. I.	William Manning, - - - -			
No. II.	Robert Manning, - - - -			
No. III.	George Tuke, - - - -			
No. IV.	Patrick Moran, - - - -			
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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

£ s. d.

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The Reports of Medical Officers were read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

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

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

the _____ day of _____ 186

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 18____
—continued.

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

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

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

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

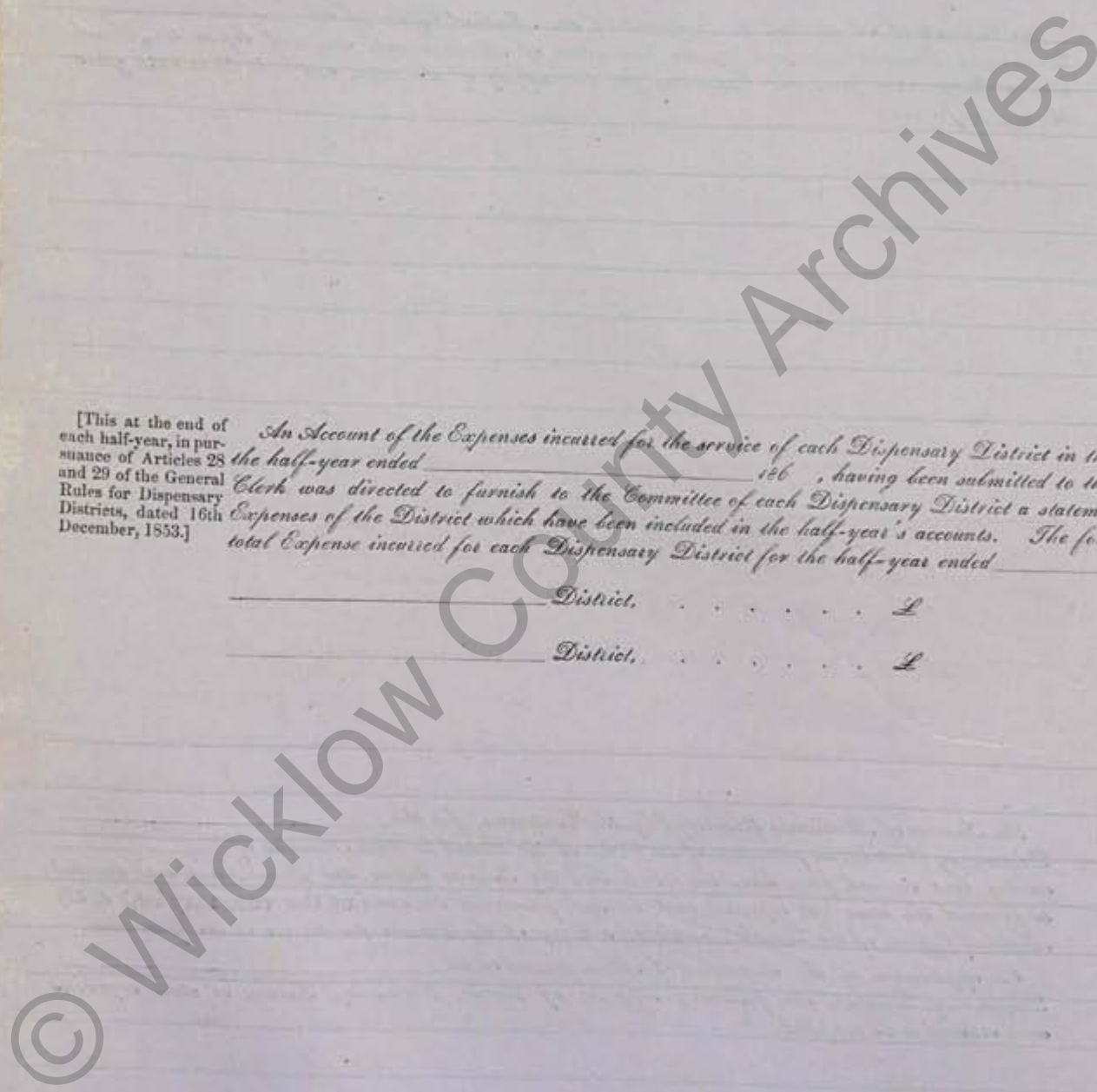
The following Accounts of expenses, (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

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

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

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

_____ District. £
_____ District. £



[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, No. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Send Letter from _____
stating that

dated _____

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Clerk of the Union.

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(Special.)

RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1851, 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £130349.12

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of August 1862

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	743	320														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,	80	5														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	823	325														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			30	67	32	67	11	13	33	18	52	323	In Work-house Hospital, 58	In separate Wards, 11		
Admitted during the Week,			11	8	2	-	"	"	1	2	5	29	In Fever Hospital, 5	In Wards with other inmates, 10		
TOTAL,			41	75	34	67	11	13	34	20	57	352	Total, 63	Total, 21		
Discharged during the Week,			4	11	1	1	2	"	"	2	6	27				
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	11	1	1	2	"	"	2	6	27				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			37	64	33	66	9	13	34	18	51	325				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 16th day of August 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.		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	23	70	William Manning.
No. II.	19	52	Robert Manning.
No. III.	21	34	George Tuke.
No. IV.	11	17	Patrick Moran.
TOTAL,	74	173	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 19th day of August 1862

PRESENT: In the Chair, James Connerford Esq.

Other Guardians: George Manning Wm Law Pestale Esq Messrs S Brounle and Edward P 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 & 2 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4628 to No. 4720, 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. 10, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £492: 4: 2

And that the Balance on the Account *against* the Guardians was £12: 10: -

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £284: 3: 4

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.
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle Upper,	"	"	"				232	5	5			
	" Lower,	93	15	10				113	1	2			
	Kilcoole,	"	"	"				195	7				
	Altidore,	"	"	"				97	8	4			
	Killsiskey,	20	3	"				118	18	9			
		113	18	10	113	18	10	756	14	3	756	14	3
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,							43	17	4			
	Calary,							37	13	2			
	Brockagh,							245	12	10			
	Ballycullan,							55	17	6			
	Oldtown,							71	5				
	Togher,							46	2				
	Moneytown,							39	3	"			
		"	"	"	"	"	539	9	0	539	9	0	
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	59	12	2				789	8	9			
	Glancealy,	41	14	2				248	16	5			
		101	6	4	101	6	4	1038	5	2	1038	5	2
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown East,	49	15	"				201	19	4			
	" West,	6	14	"				202	3	"			
	" South,	28	10	"				281	9	8			
		84	19	"	84	19	"	685	12	0	685	12	0
JOSEPH WEBB,	Ennercilly,							136	4	9			
	Kilbride,							179	16	10			
		"	"	"	"	"	316	1	7	316	1	7	
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,	51	"	"				806	9	10			
		51	"	"	51	"	"	806	9	10	806	9	10
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,	141	"	"				206	10	9			
	Ballyarthur,							158	16	3			
	Ovoca,							318	11	5			
		141	"	"	141	"	"	683	18	5	683	18	5
WILLIAM SMITH,	Rathdrum,							507	19	8			
	Knockrath,							98	19	11			
	Trooperstown,							56	1	11			
	Ballinderry,							73	12	7			
	Ballinaclesh,							121	8	8			
	Ballinacor,							142	19	10			
	Aughrim,							139	15	11	1140	18	6
	Totals.				492	4	2				5967	8	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 following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £30 3s 9d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	30	3	9
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	42	2	8
And the general average Cost of an Sumate for the week was	2/4 ²		
Average cost in Infirmary,	3/0 ²		
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	1/5 ²		

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

640 Loaves, White Bread	2 Cut Soda
580 " Brown B ^r	40 lb Dept Candles
10 Cut Oatmeal	Tea pot for Infirmary
250 gals Buttermilk	4 Dry Port wine
440 gals New Milk	
12 lb Butter	
260 lb Meat	
72 Sheep Heads	
30 lb Tea	
2 Cut Sugar	
4 lb Lump Sugar	

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, -	7	15	10
In Kind, -			
Total, -	7	15	10

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.
No. I.	William Manning,	✓	
No. II.	Robert Manning,	10	
No. III.	George Tuke,	✓	
No. IV.	Patrick Moran,	✓	
TOTAL		10	

Credit Treasurers 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

		£	s.	d.
<i>In favor of Clerk to pay</i>				
Deum Chute	Meat	1	3	5 ✓
Edmond Manly	Sand	"	5	9 ✓
Mr. Jordan	Vegetables	1	1	" ✓
Isaac Flouren	Currency	"	9	" ✓
do do	Chicken	"	13	8 ✓
P Moran	Currency	"	5	"
R Manning	Currency	"	3	9
Mr. Turner	Currency	1	13	" ✓
Aunt Rooney	Coffin	"	10	"
Mr. Jackson	Tray Ashlow Disp	"	2	6
John Doyle	Coal do	"	9	"
James Dunne	fac? depot do	"	12	6
James Butler	Coal, Newbudge do	1	9	"
		£	8	17 7
James Citchley	Open, Newbudge Disp	5	"	"
E Telford	6 Mos. Support of Blind Girl	5	"	"
M J Austro	do do Deaf & dumb boy	5	"	"
James Simpson	Mason work	2	12	6 ✓
George Tuke	Currency	2	"	6

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The Reports of Medical Officers were read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

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

Gentlemen

The Matron respectfully asks your permission for leave for a friend to sleep with her for one month

Leave granted

The Nurse of the Infirmary during the past week received a letter from some of her friends requesting her presence relative to some family matter. She in consequence applied for leave for 3 days which the Medical Officers and myself took the liberty of granting under the circumstances having made arrangements for the duties connected with the hospital

Approved

In consequence of the quality of the Brown Bread supplied yesterday I had to return it a sample of which is before your Board as also a sample of that just sent in

Ordered the Master to Return the Bread and to purchase it elsewhere at the expense of the Contractor

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

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

Letter N^o 16345 Dated 5th Instant enclosing the Copy of a Letter which the Commissioners have addressed to Mr William Franklin in reply to his Communication respecting the appointment of Mr Smith to the Office of Collector of Poor Rate for N^o 8 District.

Letter N^o 17008 Dated 9th Instant stating that the Commissioners have had before them the Masters Report of the 29th Ultimo relative to the two Main Sewers leading from the Kitchen and Laundry and in reference thereto the Commissioners desire to state that should the Guardians decide on re-making the drains the Commissioners would suggest the use of glazed Sewer pipes of 9 inches bore.

Order on the Above The Guardians approve of the suggestion to have the Sewers laid with glazed pipes but think that it would require 9 inch bore. The Clerk to write to Dublin to know the price of the Pipes.

Letter N^o 17179 dated 11th Instant approving of the appointment of Mr W^m Loughlin to the Office of Poor Rate Collector for N^o 7 District at 6th in the pound on all Monies Collected and lodged with the Union Treasurer.

Circular N^o 153 Dated 11th Instant stating that the Commissioners have had their attention drawn to the recent Conviction of a Union Officer for Murder by poisoning and to the fact that he is supposed to have obtained the Poison from the Workhouse Surgery.

The Commissioners suggest that poisonous Medicines should be kept under Lock and Key separate from other Medicines, and that the Medical Officer should himself retain and be responsible for the possession of the Key.

Ordered that a Small press with Lock and Key be provided for the Surgery to keep the Poisonous Medicines, in also one for Rathfriland Dispensary.

Circular N^o 156 Miscellaneous, dated 14th Instant transmitting for the information of the Board of Guardians a Copy of the Act to amend the Laws in force for the Relief of the Destitute Poor in Ireland which received the Royal Assent on the 7th Instant. The Commissioners call the attention of the Guardians to the several Sections of the Act.

The Clerk was directed to provide some Copies of the Act and to furnish each Relieving Officer & the Master of the Workhouse with a Copy.

The following Report was read from the Clerk

Gentlemen
I beg to lay before you the following Letter from a Poor Woman named Bridget O'Hara who has been on the Out door Relief List of Mr Moran Relieving Officer for some years and Chargeable to the Oldtown Electoral Division.

On receipt of the Letter on Thursday the 7th Instant I wrote to Mr O'Hara and at the same time to Mr Joseph Edge the Guardian for Oldtown Electoral Division requesting him to make enquiry as to the Case, and to give her the Out Door Relief and that I would be accountable to him.

On Friday evening the 8th Instant I consulted with Mr Comerford the Deputy Vice Chairman and showed him Mr O'Hara's Letter he recommended me to go and visit the Woman and ascertain the facts and on my way ^{call} on Mr. Byrne Esq the Chairman I did so on Saturday and Mr Byrne concurred in

Mr Connerford's suggestion that I should go to the Woman
resided which I accordingly did, met her on the way
from her own Cabin, when she told me Mr Moran called
to her on the day previous and said he had left her Money
with Mr Edge the Guardian, that all would be right
and never to write to me again as she should get her Relief
regularly, the Woman seemed to be very delicate and
stated only for Mr Freeman she might have died of
Starvation, that there was a balance of 8/- due to
her from time to time, sometimes Mr Moran would
only send her 5/- or 1/6 and in this way the Balance had
accrued, he used to send the Money by the Quaker
Postman to Mr Harding of Roundwood, and whenever
the week's allowance of 2/- was sent he sent the Message
that when the Guardian would give him Money he
would send her the remainder of what was due,
She further stated that up to Saturday the 9th Instant
there was three weeks Relief due to her besides the
Balance of 8/- leaving in all 14/- I have also to lay
before you a Letter from Mr Joseph Edge in reply to
mine of the 7th Instant.

On my return from seeing the Old Woman I called
upon Mr Edge who was absent in Dublin I was then
informed by his Son that Mr Moran left the sum of 8/-
with his Father for Mr O'Hara, at the same time I
left word with Mr Edge to give the Relief regularly
and that I would see him paid

I am Gentlemen
Yours Most Obedt^{ly}
Arthur O'Bank
Clerk of the Union

Copy of Letter referred to in the above Report

August 5th 1862

Dear Sir

I have got no Money this last fortnight past
there is also due to me 8 Shillings of arrears, I now
wish to inform you that I must go to the Poor House
or otherwise die with Hunger which is a poor thing

to say in a Christian Country, Mr Edge desired me to write to you stating how I am served and badly treated, I hope you will not let me die with hunger which I am not far from it at the present time, I am not able to get out of my bed now hoping to hear from you as soon as possible

Tonedunagh
Roundwood Post

and I remain yours
Bridget O'Hara

Tourilund
August 11th 1862

Dear Sir

In reply to your letter I beg to inform you that I have made enquiry about the debt due by Moran to the Widow O'Hara and I find that there has been some misunderstanding in the matter, I have seen Moran and it is all satisfactorily settled

To Mr Webb

Very faithfully yours
Joseph Edge

The only explanation Mr Moran gave to the Board in answer to the complaint of Mrs O'Hara was that she did not send for the Money to the House it was left for her and that he called on her last Tuesday and gave her 2/-

The Board did not enter into any investigation but referred the matter to the Commissioners

The Clerk informed the Board that Mr Hammett on his last inspection of the Workhouse desired him to bring under the notice of the Board the necessity of getting the Laundry floor of the Fever Hospital flagged with Granite

Ordered that the Laundry of the Fever Hospital be flagged with Granite

The Clerk applied for leave of Absence for 14 days his duties to be performed by Mr Bernard Maurice
Leave granted

The Master was directed to purchase a Suit of Clothes for a pauper inmate named Ellen Murphy also a Suit for her Child, who are taking their discharge cost of both not to exceed 22/6

James Comerford J.V.O.
 Jm J. J. J.
 Wm J. J.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday
 the 26th day of August 1862

(Signed)

Arthur J. J.

Clerk of the Union.

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(No. 27.)

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Rushden
UNION, on Tues day, the 29th day of August 1862
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

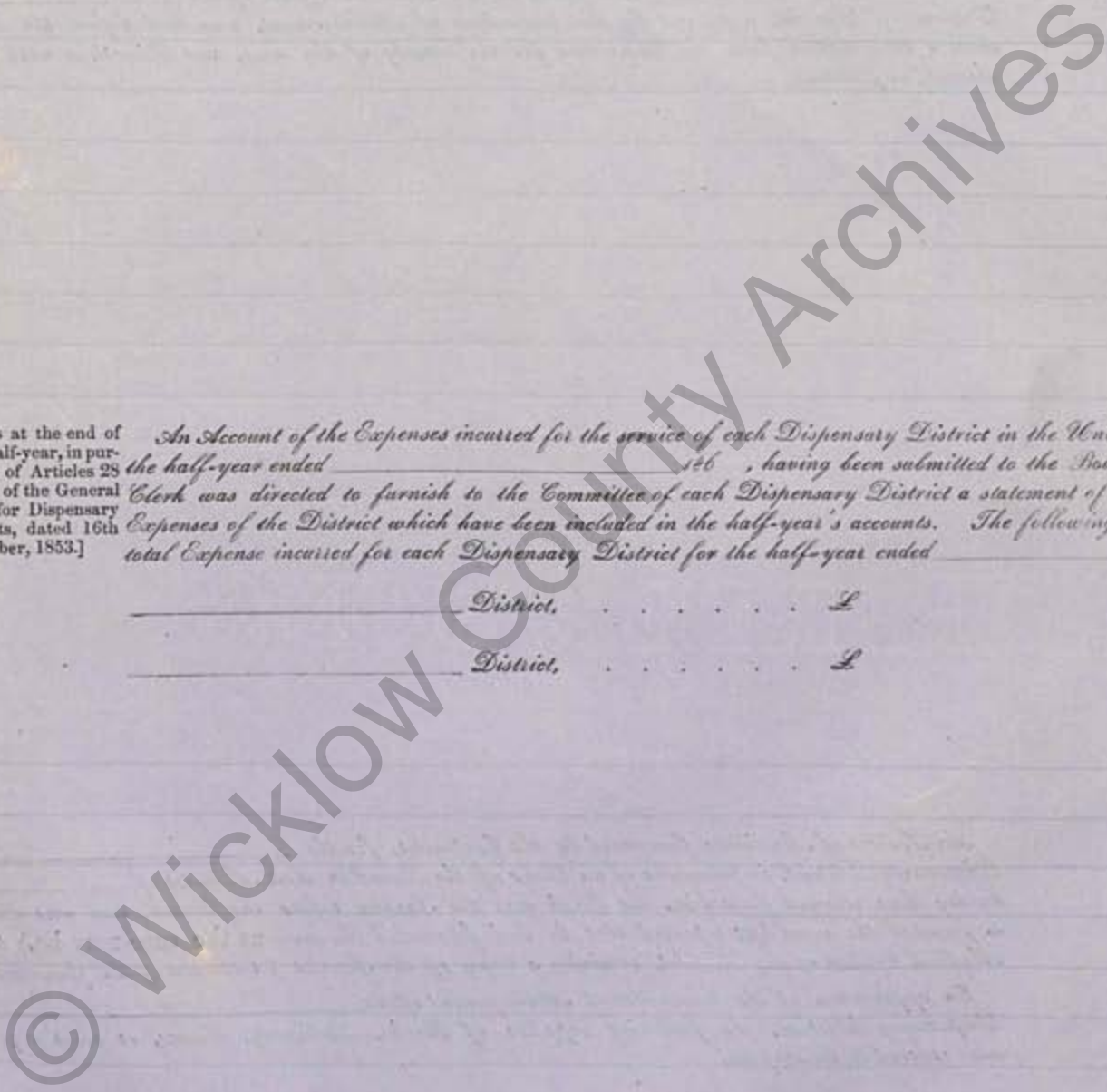
Dispensary District,

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £

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

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

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



[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):

Second Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 14th Inst. No. 17522 stating that

The Commissioners have received Minutes of the Board of Guardians of the 5th District and with reference to the Bill furnished by Doctor Banks, Medical Officer of the Ashford Dispensary District for Postage and Carriage of parcels the Commissioners are of opinion that the Bill referred to should set forth the particulars in detail.

The Commissioners, at the same time express their sanction to the remuneration fixed for a carrier taken for Ashford Dispensary namely £4 per annum.

The Clerk was directed to write to Dr. Banks requesting him to furnish a Bill in detail.

James Cornford D.V.P.
 Geo. Gilbert
 Arthur Byrne

(Signed)

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 Clerk of the Union.

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RATHDRUM UNION.

101

Population in 1851, 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £130349.12

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of August 1862

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 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	743	292														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,	80	4														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	823	296														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			37	64	33	66	9	13	34	18	51	325	In Workhouse Hospital, 59	In separate Wards, 11		
Admitted during the Week,			2	4	3	1	1	"	"	1	1	13	In Fever Hospital, 4	In Wards with other inmates, 10		
TOTAL,			39	68	36	67	10	13	34	19	52	338	Total, 63	Total, 21		
Discharged during the Week,			9	12	3	1	"	1	1	5	9	41				
Died,			"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			9	12	3	2	"	1	1	5	9	42				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			30	56	33	65	10	12	33	14	43	296				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 23rd day of August 1862 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	No.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 19 Vict. c. 21, s. 1.		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
I.	No. I.	26	82	William Manning.
II.	No. II.	22	63	Robert Manning.
III.	No. III.	21	38	George Take.
IV.	No. IV.	11	17	Patrick Moran.
TOTAL,		80	200	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 26th day of August 1862

PRESENT: In the Chair, James Comerford Esq
Other Guardians: Mr. Gilbert Esq Mr. Michael Byrne

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 397 : 1 : 6

And that the Balance on the Account ~~in~~ ⁱⁿ favour of the Guardians was £ 39 : 10 : 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £ 73 : 7 : 8

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.
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle Upper,	23	17	.				208	8	5			
	" Lower,	15	5	.				97	16	2			
	Kilcoole,	57	13	.				137	7	7			
	Altidore,	-	-	.				97	8	4			
	Killiaskey,	46	1	.				72	17	9			
		142	16	.	142	16	.	613	18	3	613	18	3
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,	14	-	.				29	17	4			
	Calary,	2	-	.				35	13	2			
	Brockagh,	20	-	.				225	12	10			
	Ballycullan,	"	"	.				48	17	6			
	Oldtown,	7	-	.				71	5	.			
	Togher,	"	"	.				46	-	2			
	Moneytown,	"	"	.				39	3	.			
			43	-	.	43	-	.	496	9	-	496	9
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	39	12	.				749	16	9			
	Glancaly,	23	15	11				225	-	6			
		63	27	11	63	27	11	974	17	3	974	17	3
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown East,	48	10	.				153	9	4			
	" West,	30	10	.				171	13	.			
	" South,	18	-	.				263	9	8			
		97	-	.	97	-	.	588	12	-	588	12	-
JOSEPH WEBB,	Ennerally,	22	9	3				113	15	.			
	Kilbride,	28	8	4				151	8	6			
		50	17	7	50	17	7	265	3	6	265	3	6
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,	"	"	.				806	9	10			
				.				806	9	10	806	9	10
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,	"	"	.				206	10	9			
	Ballyarthur,	"	"	.				158	16	3			
	Ovoca,	"	"	.				318	11	5			
					.			683	18	5	683	18	5
WILLIAM SMITH,	Rathdrum,	"	"	.				507	19	8			
	Knockrath,	"	"	.				98	19	11			
	Trooperstown,	"	"	.				56	1	11			
	Ballinderry,	"	"	.				73	12	7			
	Ballinaclash,	"	"	.				121	8	8			
	Ballinacor,	"	"	.				142	19	10			
	Aughrim,	"	"	.				139	15	11	1140	18	6
					.			397	1	6	5570	7	3

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

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

The 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 £ 40 19 s. 0 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	40	19	0
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	41	14	6

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2/5
Average cost in Infirmary,	3/4
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	3/3

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:

- 320 White Loaves, Bread
- 290 Mow Or Or
- 145 fullum Buttermilk
- 230 fullum New Milk
- 6 lbs Butter
- 140 lbs Meat
- 36 Sheep's Heads
- 12 pairs Men's Shoes

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, -	8	15	4
	v	v	v
Total, -	8	15	4

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.
No. I.	William Manning,	10.0.0
No. II.	Robert Manning,	
No. III.	George Tuke,	10.0.0
No. IV.	Patrick Moran,	5.0.0
TOTAL,		25.0.0

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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

		£	s.	d.
In favor of Clerk to pay				
William Manning	Conveyances	1	"	"
A. Webb	Postage	1	3	7
do do	Supt. Station age	"	8	2
do do	General do	"	14	10
Thomas Elliott	Warrants	"	5	6
William Jordan	Vegetables	"	16	"
		4	8	1
John DeKey	groceries &c	50	18	10 ✓
James Quinn	milk	61	8	" ✓
Ethel Byrne	Meat	76	16	8 ✓
John O'Brien	groceries	58	19	11 ✓
Andrew Better	Timwood	12	13	6 ✓
Stephen Murphy	Leather	7	19	6 ✓
Thomas Paul	Timwood	4	7	1 ✓

£ s. d.

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The Reports of Medical Officers were read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

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

Gentlemen

I beg to lay before your Board a Return of Cast Clothing from September 1859 to the half year ending September 1862 and hope you will appoint a Committee to Count them.

790 Pair Shoes, 150 Sackets, 164 Vests, 136 pair Trowsers, 156 Caps,
375 Single Blankets, 254 Shirts, 204 Pairs, 148 Ticks, 24 pair Flannel
Trowsers, 260 Shirts, 333 Womens Caps, 694 Gowns & Frocks, 736 Petticoats,
473 Shifts, 812 Aprons & Bibs, 535 Handkerchiefs

(Signed) Isaac Flower
Master

Proposed by Mr Gilbert and seconded by Mr Michl Bague that
~~Mr~~ Richard Howard Brodie Esq and Mr S. Bumble be named as
a Committee to condemn the Cast Clothing at the Workhouse
and that the Clerk be directed to write to them requesting their
attendance at the Workhouse at 11 O'clock on Tuesday next

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

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

Circular N^o. 158 M 62 Dated 18th Instant, advising to that part of the Circular Letter of the Commissioners of the 14th Instant on the Subject of the provisions of the Poor Law Amendment Act which relates to the Power given to Boards of Guardians to admit "Poor Persons" and Members of the Constabulary Force to the Infirmary and Fever Hospital of the Workhouse and to keep a separate Register which is required to be kept of persons so admitted who claim on admission to repay the Cost of their Maintenance therein and of Constables and Sub-Constables so admitted. The Commissioners enclose a Form of Register for this purpose

Letter N^o. 18511 Dated 25th Instant, informing the Guardians that the Commissioners have instructed their Inspector M. W. Hamilton to inquire into the Conduct of Mr Patrick Moran Relieving Officer on the Complaint of Mrs Bridget O'Hara as entered on the Guardians Minutes of the 19th Instant.

^{Dated 25th Inst.}
Circular N^o. 18093 enclosing the Returning Officers account of expenses attending the General Election of Guardians in March last amounting to £D. 14. 10 and directing that the same may be paid.

Circular N^o. 18094 Dated 25th Instant enclosing the Returning Officers

Account for a Supplemental Election of funds in May last amounting to 8/2 and directing that the same may be paid

attached
Circular N^o 1162 Dated 25th August stating that the Commissioners have had their attention called to the Subject of Clothing in Fever Hospitals and to the expediency of adopting some definite Rule in regard to the dress to be worn therein by Convalescent Patients

After much Consideration the Commissioners have come to the Conclusion that persons in Fever Hospitals ought not under any Circumstances be permitted to wear their own Clothes; and that a simple and Cheap form of Hospital dress, such as is provided in Military Hospitals, but having nothing in common with the ordinary dress of the Healthy Workhouse Inmates should be provided for the use of all patients of whatever Class they may be.

The question of the Necessity or propriety of extending the same arrangement to the Infirmary of the Workhouse is still reserved for further Consideration

No order on the above

The following Letter was read in Answer to me from the Clerk
66 Grafton Street Dublin
28th August 1862

Dear Sir

The prices of the best Glazed Sewer pipes delivered at Railway here are as follows

6 inch pipes 1/6 per yard

9 inch do 2/3 per yard,

You can have them in either 2 or 3 feet lengths. Your order for the above will be deemed a favour and receive the best attention from

Yours truly

Christopher Lavenue

Ordered that the Clerk shall Measure the Sewers and order the 9 inch pipes from M Lavenue at 2/3 per yard,

Four women named respectively Margaret Redmond, Miss Farrell, Catherine Smullen and Margaret Byrne each having illegitimate Children presented themselves for Admission to the Workhouse, the Clerk called the attention of the Board to the 10th Section of the New Act 25 & 26 Victoria Cap 83, in order that Steps might be taken by the Board to recover the Cost of maintaining those Children

from the putative Father,

The Master was instructed to bring those woman before the Magistrates next Court day in order that they may swear information against the parties

Proposed by Mr Gilbert and seconded by Mr Michel Byrne that the Guardians shall take proceedings in every case against the putative Father of Illegitimate Children under the 10th Section of the new Act 25 & 26 Victoria Cap 33

The Master was directed to purchase a pair of shoes for a pauper Inmate named Henry Henry who is taking his discharge

The Master was directed to employ a person named Keys to repair the lead works and Pumps at the Workhouse, Keys came before the Board and stated that his wages was 7/- per day without travelling expenses, after some discussion on the matter he agreed to take 11/- of day

And Mr Byrne Chairman
James Comerford
John Poole

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

the _____ day of _____ 186

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 18____
—continued.

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

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

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

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

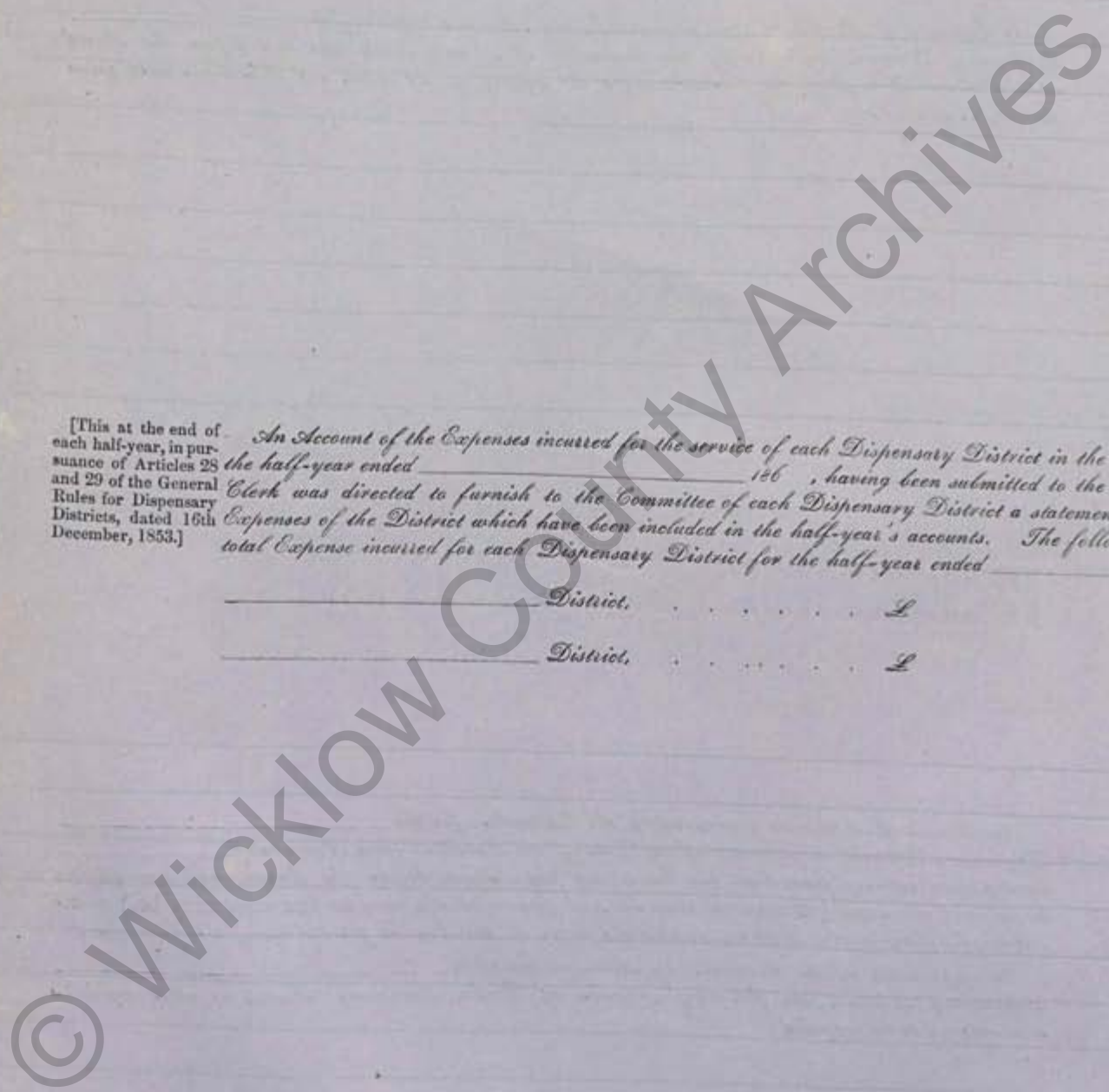
The following Accounts of expenses, (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

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

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

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

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



[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):

Recd Letter from _____
stating that _____

dated _____

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RATHDRUM UNION.

121

Population in 1851, 27861

Present Net Annual Value, £130349-12

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of August 1862

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 6 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
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Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,	80	1														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	823	288														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			4	52	63	73	12	12	28	9	44	296	In Work-house } 56 Hospital, } In Fever } Hospital, } 1	Inseparate } 11 Wards, } In Wards } with other } Inmates, } 10		
Admitted during the Week,			5	6	2	2	0	1	1	1	6	24	Total, } 57	Total, } 21		
TOTAL,			9	58	64	75	12	13	29	10	50	320				
Discharged during the Week,			7	10	5	2	0	1	2	1	3	31				
Died,					1							1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			7	10	6	2	0	1	2	1	3	32				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			2	48	58	73	12	12	27	9	47	288				

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

Relief District	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Viet. c. 31, s. 1.		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	25	77	William Manning.
No. II.	23	71	Robert Manning.
No. III.	24	46	George Tuke.
No. IV.	11	17	Patrick Moran.
TOTAL,	83	211	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 2nd day of September 1862

PRESENT: In the Chair, Andrew M^{rs} Byrne Esq^r
Other Guardians:

Mr. Charles Sturme & James Mansfield Esq^s and Mr. John 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 & Vic., c. 21.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4753 to No. 4759, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. to No. , inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £285 : 5 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £115 : 18 : 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £212 : 14 : 1

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.		
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle Upper,	"	"	"				208	8	5					
	" Lower,	"	"	"				97	16	2					
	Kilcoole,	"	"	"				137	7	7					
	Altidore,	"	"	"				97	8	4					
	Killiskey,	"	"	"				72	17	9					
		"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	613	18	3	613	18	3
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,	"	"	"				29	17	4					
	Calary,	"	"	"				85	13	2					
	Brockagh,	"	"	"				225	12	10					
	Ballycullan,	"	"	"				48	17	6					
	Oldtown,	"	"	"				71	5	0					
	Togher,	"	"	"				46	0	2					
	Moneystown,	"	"	"				39	3	0					
		"	"	"	"	"	496	9	0	496	9	0			
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	"	"	"				749	16	9					
	Glanealy,	"	"	"				225	0	6					
		"	"	"	"	"	974	17	3	974	17	3			
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown East,	16	5	0				137	4	4					
	" West,	13	0	0				158	13	0					
	" South,	7	0	0				256	9	8					
			36	5	0	36	5	0	552	7	0	552	7	0	
Francis Amelley JOSEPH WEST,	Ennerally,	"	"	"				113	15	6					
	Kilbride,	"	"	"				151	8	6					
		"	"	"	"	"	"	265	4	0	265	4	0		
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,	87	0	0				719	9	10					
		87	0	0	87	0	0	719	9	10	719	9	10		
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,	17	0	0				189	10	9					
	Ballyarthur,	40	0	0				118	16	3					
	Ovoca,	5	0	0				313	11	5					
		62	0	0	62	0	0	621	18	5	621	18	5		
WILLIAM SMITH,	Rathdrum,	45	0	0				462	19	8					
	Knockrath,	"	"	"				98	19	11					
	Trooperstown,	"	"	"				56	1	11					
	Ballinderry,	"	"	"				73	12	7					
	Ballinaclash,	"	"	"				121	8	8					
	Ballinaoor,	25	0	0				117	19	10					
	Aughrim,	"	"	"	70	0	0	139	15	11	1070	12	6		
	Totals,	70	0	0	255	5	0	1070	18	6	5315	2	3		

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

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

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 £ 35 - 7 s. 6 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	40	2	11
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2	8	4
Average cost in Infirmary,	3	1	-
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	3	3	-

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:

320 White Flour
 290 Brown
 10 Cwt Oatmeal
 145 Galls Buttermilk
 230 " Newmilk
 6 lbs Butter
 140 " Meat
 36 Sheep heads
 10 lbs Mustard

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.

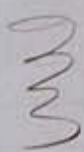
The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature.

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 30 day of August; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, -	9	3	4
In Kind, -			
	9	3	4
Total.	9	3	4

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.
No. I.	William Manning,	
No. II.	Robert Manning,	
No. III.	George Tuke,	
No. IV.	Patrick Moran,	
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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

		£	s.	d.
John Fanell	clothing	40	13	3
	in favour of B. Manning to pay			
John Fanell	Tobacco to		9	11
John Keys	Plumbing	1	4	0
Isaac Flower	Chickens & Eggs		1	9
Do	Car hire to	1	5	6
William Jordan	Nails	1	0	7
Daniel Fanell	Coffins	1	16	6
		5	18	3
John D'Arcy	Rice, Groins &c	72	10	0
James Fountagh	Hating	3	4	0
Edward Tallon	Shoes	10	15	0
Richard Jaysers	Timber to	2	4	8
John D'Arcy	Mustard to	3	8	3

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The Reports of Medical Officers were read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

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

Gentlemen

I have to report that I had to return the brown bread sent in on yesterday a sample of which is before the Board -

Ordered - That the Board having on this day examined a portion of the bread referred to, they found it very bad indeed, and quite unfit for human food, and direct the Master to use white bread instead, and at the expense of the Contractor until he shall supply bread equal in quality to his agreement, - and should this course not be successful, application must at once be made to the Securities. -

The bottom of the Cistern in the male yard requires to be repaired, I think it will require to be laid with new lead -

Ordered - That the Master shall provide lead and look out for a plumber;

Ordered that the Master get pipes of six inch bore to convey the running stream of water in the male yard into the sewer of the Kitchen yard to flush the Sewer →

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

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

Circular No 165, dated the 28th Ultimo from the Poor Law Commissioners advertising to their Circulars of the 14th Ultimo relating to Poor Rate Collectors, and containing further instructions for the Guidance of the Guardians respecting the appointment and duties of those Officers; who may hereafter be appointed permanently - -

Circular No 166 dated the 28th Ultimo from the Poor Law Commissioners relative to the certain provision of the new Poor Relief (Ireland) Act, which requires that in making all future Rates the Guardians should specify on the face thereof the period for the service of which the Rate is estimated to provide, and containing instructions as to how the requirements in question will best be complied with. -

An order was made by the Board that the following articles of clothing, which are worn out, should be taken off the clothing stock on hands as shown by the clothing Books viz

790	Pairs of Shoes
150	Jackets
164	Vests
136	Pairs of Trowsers
156	Caps
375	Blankets
254	Sheets
204	Rugs
148	Tricks
24	Flannel Trowsers
260	Shirts
333	Womens Caps
694	Jowns & Truets
786	Settycoats
473	Shirts
812	Aprons & Bibs
535	Handkerchiefs
887	Pair Stockings

A Tenser was received from James Matthews offering the sum of £6-2-6, for the above cast clothing, and was accepted by the Board

James Comerford D V Ch

Wm Byrne
 Alex Condon

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

the _____ day of _____ 186

(Signed) _____

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 18____
—continued.

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

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

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

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

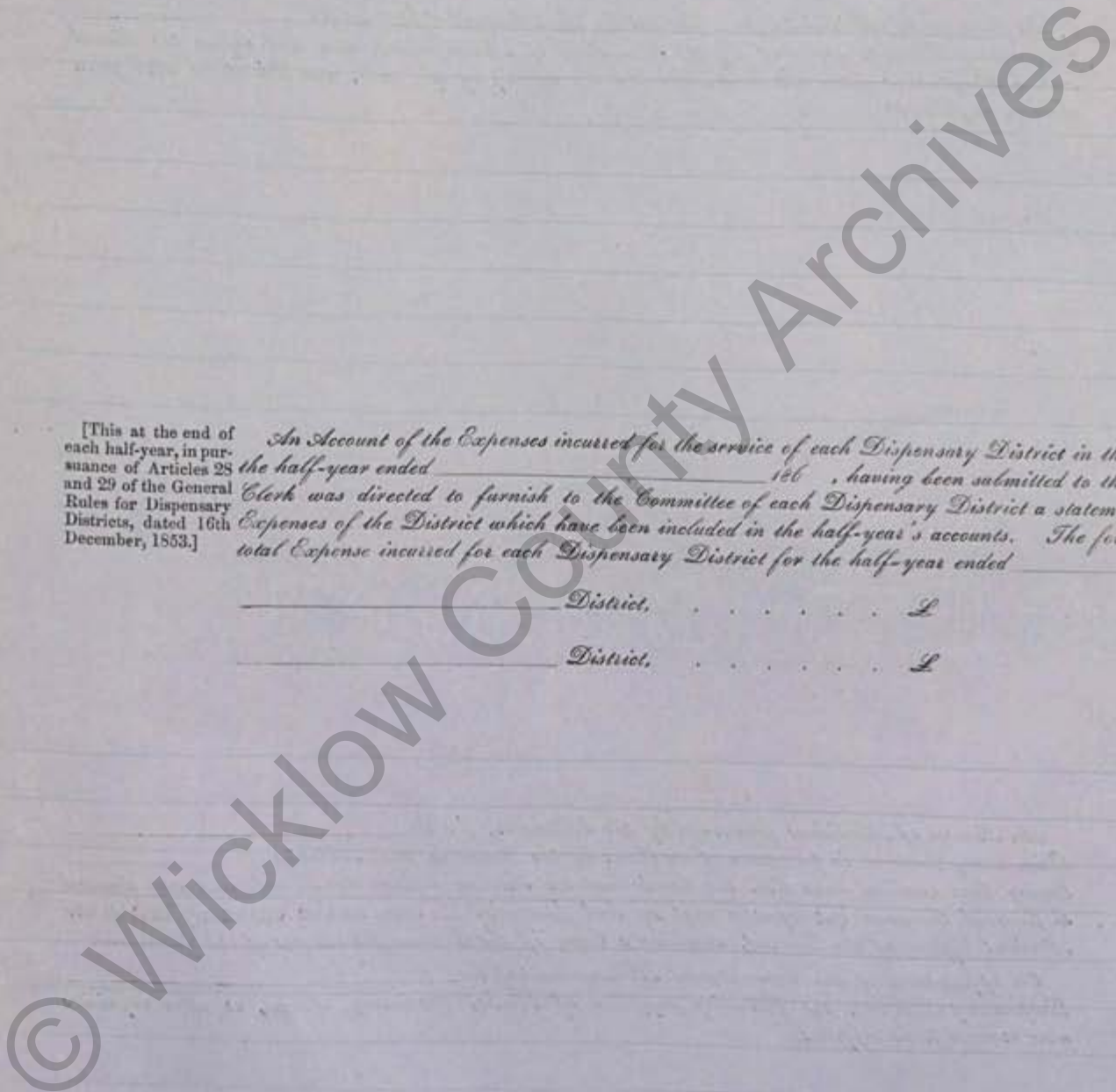
The following Accounts of expenses, (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £



[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):

Recd Letter from _____
stating that _____

dated _____

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RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1851, 47,861

Present Net Annual Value, £130,349-12

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of September 1862

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	743	285														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,	80	3														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	823	288														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			2	48	58	73	12	12	27	9	47	288	In Workhouse Hospital, 49 In Fever Hospital, 3 Total, 52	In separate Wards, 11 In Wards with other inmates, 10 Total, 21		
Admitted during the Week,			7	5	4	1				2	2	21				
TOTAL,			9	53	62	74	12	12	27	11	49	309				
Discharged during the Week,			7	2	3	2	1			1	1	17				
Died,						4						4				
Total Discharged and Dead,			7	2	3	6	1			1	1	21				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			2	51	59	68	11	12	27	10	48	288				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6th day of September authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	25	75	William Manning.
No. II.	22	67	Robert Manning.
No. III.	24	44	George Tuke.
No. IV.	11	17	Patrick Moran.
TOTAL,	82	203	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 9th day of September 1862

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:

There was no Bond at this day, only one Guardian — James Fenwick Esq — being present;

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. 21.

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, - - - - - £303 : 5 : 10

Laid during the week, - - - - - £279 : 5 : 5

And that the Balance on the Account in favor the Guardians was £226 : 14 : 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle Upper,	24	1	0				184	7	5			
	„ Lower,	36	3	0				61	13	2			
	Kilcoole,	17	11	0				119	16	7			
	Altidore,	20	10	10				76	17	6			
	Killiskey,	„	„	„				72	17	9			
		98	5	10	98	5	10	515	12	5	515	12	5
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,	10	0	0				19	17	4			
	Calary,	8	0	0				27	13	2			
	Brockagh,	170	10	0				55	2	10			
	Ballycullan,	0	0	0				48	17	6			
	Oldtown,	7	10	0				63	15	0			
	Togher,	4	10	0				41	10	2			
	Moneystown,	4	10	0				34	13	0			
		205	0	0	205	0	0	291	9	0	291	9	0
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	„	„	„				749	16	9			
	Glanealy,	„	„	„				225	0	6			
		„	„	„				974	17	3	974	17	3
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown East,	„	„	„				137	4	4			
	„ West,	„	„	„				158	13	0			
	„ South,	„	„	„				256	9	8			
		„	„	„				552	7	0	552	7	0
James Webb, Francis Amosley	Ennerally,	„	„	„				113	15	6			
	Kilbride,	„	„	„				151	8	6			
		„	„	„				265	4	0	265	4	0
THOMAS BIRTHITTLE,	Arklow,	„	„	„				719	9	10			
	„	„	„	„				719	9	10	719	9	10
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,	„	„	„				189	10	9			
	Ballyarthur,	„	„	„				118	16	3			
	Ovoca,	„	„	„				313	11	5			
		„	„	„				621	18	5	621	18	5
WILLIAM SMITH,	Rathdrum,	„	„	„				462	19	8			
	Knockrath,	„	„	„				98	19	11			
	Trooperstown,	„	„	„				56	1	11			
	Ballinderry,	„	„	„				73	12	7			
	Ballinaclesh,	„	„	„				121	8	8			
	Ballinacor,	„	„	„				117	19	10			
	Anghrim,	„	„	„				139	15	11	1070	15	6
	Totals,				303	5	10				5011	16	5

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

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

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

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

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

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

£ s. d.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was

Average cost in Infirmary,

Average cost in Fever Hospital,

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

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 6 day of Sep^r; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, -	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	£	s.	d.
In Kind, -	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9	0	10
								<hr/>		
Total, -	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	9	0	10

Credit each Relieving Officers as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

James Comerford D. V. Ch
 M^r Byrnes
 A. C. O'Brien

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.
No. I.	William Manning,	
No. II.	Robert Manning,	
No. III.	George Tuke,	
No. IV.	Patrick Moran,	
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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

£ s. d.

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The Reports of Medical Officers were read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

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

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

the _____ day of _____ 186

(Signed) _____

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 18____
—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:*

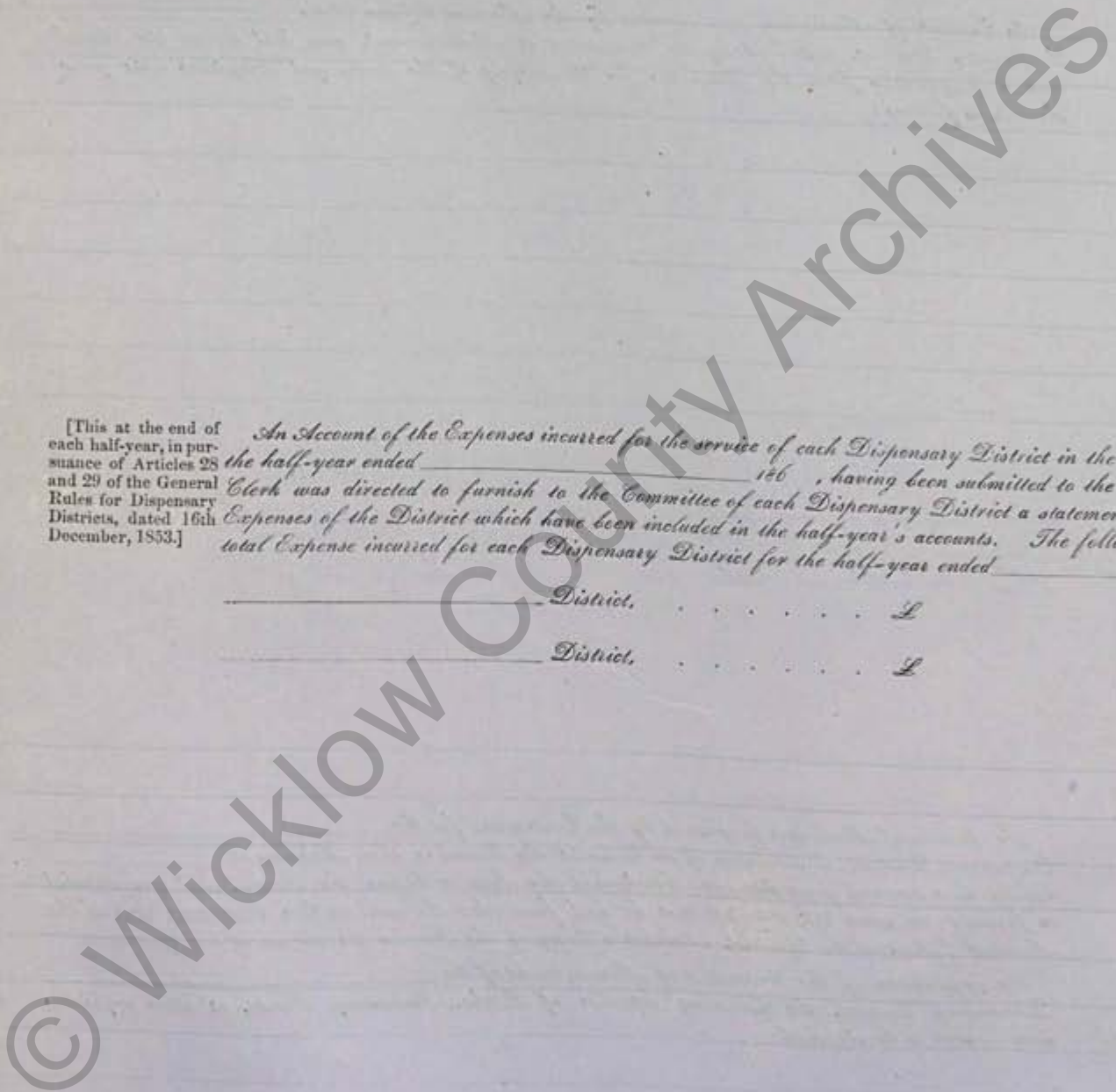
The following Accounts of expenses, (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

_____ 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 _____, 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 _____

_____ 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, No. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from _____
stating that

dated _____

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RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1851, 47,811

Present Net Annual Value, £130,349.12

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of September 1862

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse	743	274														
Temporary Buildings																
Additional Workhouse	80	2														
Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds																
Total	823	276														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			2	51	59	18	11	12	27	10	118	288	In Work-house Hospital, 449	In separate Wards, 11		
Admitted during the Week,			5	6	1	2	"	"	"	1	2	17	In Fever Hospital, 2	In Wards with other inmates, 10		
TOTAL			7	57	60	70	11	12	27	11	50	305	Total, 51	Total, 21		
Discharged during the Week,			6	10	2	1	"	"	"	"	7	26				
Died,			"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	2	3				
Total Discharged and Dead,			6	10	2	2	"	"	"	"	9	29				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			1	47	58	68	11	12	27	11	41	276				

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 21, s. 1.		NAME OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	25	75	William Manning.
No. II.	20	57	Robert Manning.
No. III.	24	44	George Take.
No. IV.	10	16	Patrick Moran.
TOTAL	79	192	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 16th day of September 1862

PRESENT: In the Chair, James Comerford Esq.

Other Guardians: Andrew McRymond Esq, Messrs Michael Byrne and Alexander Comden

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. 4762 to No. 4798, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. — to No. —, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £134 : 13 : 2

Paid during the week, - - - - - £92 : 11 : 7

And that the Balance on the Account *in* favor of the Guardians was £279 : 3 : 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle Upper,							184	7	5					
	" Lower,							61	13	2					
	Kilcoole,							119	16	7					
	Altidore,							76	17	6					
	Killiskey,							72	17	9					
										515	12	5	515	12	5
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,							19	17	4					
	Calary,							27	13	2					
	Brockagh,							55	2	10					
	Ballycullan,							48	17	6					
	Oldtown,							63	15						
	Togher,							41	10	2					
	Moneytown,							34	13						
										291	9		291	9	
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,							749	16	9					
	Glancealy,							225		6					
										974	17	3	974	17	3
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown East,	2	10					134	14	4					
	" West,	9	15					148	18						
	" South,	37	5					219	4	8					
		49	10		49	10		502	17		502	17			
JAMES WENT, <i>J. Humesley</i>	Ennercilly,	17	6					96	9	6					
	Kilbride,	53	17	2				97	11	4					
		71	3	2	71	3	2	194		10	194		10		
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,							719	9	10					
								719	9	10	719	9	10		
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,							189	10	9					
	Ballyarthur,							118	16	3					
	Ovoca,							313	11	5					
										621	18	5	621	18	5
WILLIAM SMITH,	Rathdrum,	14						448	19	8					
	Knockrath,							98	19	11					
	Trooperstown,							56	1	11					
	Ballinderry,							73	12	7					
	Ballinacash,							121	8	8					
	Ballinacor,							117	19	10					
	Aughrim,				14			139	15	11	1056	18	6		
	Totals,				134	13	2			4577	3	3			

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

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	34	11	10
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	38	11	8
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		2/5	
Average cost in Infirmary,			
Average cost in Fever Hospital,			

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

640 lb. White Bread	12 Bass Brooms
580 " Brown do	4 White Wash Brushes
280 full. Buttermilk	6 Sweeping do
460 " New Milk	6 to Firing
12 lbs Butter	1/2 gross Tape
270 lbs Meat	
72 Sheep Heads	
2 Day wine	
12 Day Pint Porter	
4 lbs Leaf Sugar	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 13 day of *Sept*; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money,	8	11	10
In Kind,			
Total,	8	11	10

Credit each Believing Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Believing Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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 Believing Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.
No. I.	William Manning, - - - -	10 - -
No. II.	Robert Manning, - - - -	
No. III.	George Take, - - - -	
No. IV.	Patrick Moran, - - - -	
TOTAL,		10 - -

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Believing 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

		£	s.	d.
William McPhail	Printing	9	7	2
Mr John Nolan	Coal	232	5	10
J. H. Buckley	Accounting & head work	12	10	4
Mr Anne Fanele	Milk	29	1	"
John Cowley	Bread & meal	206	12	2

L *s.* *d.*

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The Reports of Medical Officers were read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

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

Gentlemen

9 Seph 1862

I have Missy an Adult pauper wishes to have the Register altered from Roman Catholic to that of Protestant she states that she was reared a Protestant and became a Roman Catholic within the last six years

(Signed) J. Flower Master
Registers to be altered

I have to report that I had to return a quantity of white Bread on yesterday of inferior quality, I would beg to suggest the propriety of having 2th Loaves supplied instead of 4th the which I think would insure better baked bread as also that it be baked 12 Hours before being delivered

(Signed) J. Flower

The Guardians having examined the Bread find it is not sufficiently Baked ordered that the Clerk shall caution the Contractor to send the Bread in future sufficiently Baked and that the next Contract be taken for 2th Loaves instead of 4th

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

Order dated 2nd September 1852 Rescinding that part of the Commissioners' Order of the 19th January 1852 relating to the appointment of Parsony Cef Collectors as Collectors of Poor Rates

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

Circular N^o 164 M 62 Dated 1st Instant Calling on the Clerks for a Return of the Rates Made and any New Rates agreed upon for the Month of August

Circular N^o 169 Dated 8th Instant transmitting 10 Copies of the recent Poor Law Amendment Act 25 & 26 Victoria Cap 83 together with Copies of the Instructional Circular issued by the Commissioners relating to provisions of the Act

Letter N^o 18511 Dated 8th Instant relative to a Minute of the Guardians on the 19th Ultimo granting permission to the Matron of the Workhouse to have a friend of his to reside with her in the Workhouse for a period of One Month.

The Commissioners state that the permission granted to the Matron appears to them to be objectionable and calculated to lead to irregularity and to interfere with the discipline and Management of the Workhouse

Order on the above Letter, As the person for whom Mr. Thomas asked permission to stop with her for One Month is her Mother the late Matron Mrs. Ogilby the Guardians made an exception in her case and granted leave to which they trust the Commissioners will agree

Letter No 18960 Dated 8th Instant Calling the attention of the Clerk to the Commission Letter of the 25th Ultimo suggesting the expediency of adopting some definite Rule in regard to the dress to be worn by Convalescent patients in the Queen's Own Hospital

Ordered that the Consideration of the above Letter be postponed until the next Special Meeting of the Board on the 30th Instant

A Letter was read from Mr Han. Ator Esq Barrister at Law requesting the Clerk to furnish him with the Names of the Witnesses required in reference to the pending Investigation into the Conduct of Mr Moran Relieving Officer

The Clerk brought under the Notice of the Board the State of the Main Finances, and the very slow progress ^{made} in the Collection of the Rate by Messrs W^m Smith, Edward Byrne and Thomas Birrithistle,

Ordered that the Clerk shall write to Collector Smith to lodge £350 Birrithistle £250 and Edw^d Byrne £350 before this day fortnight otherwise they will be summoned and fined for neglect of duty

Ordered that the Master provide a Suit of Clothes for a Pauper Inmate named Patrick Guad who is going out to a Situation Cost not to exceed 15/-

James Comerford D.V.Ch
 Wm. G. W.
 Thomas Gwynne

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on
the _____ day of _____ 186

(Signed) _____

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(No. 27.)

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 18____
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____

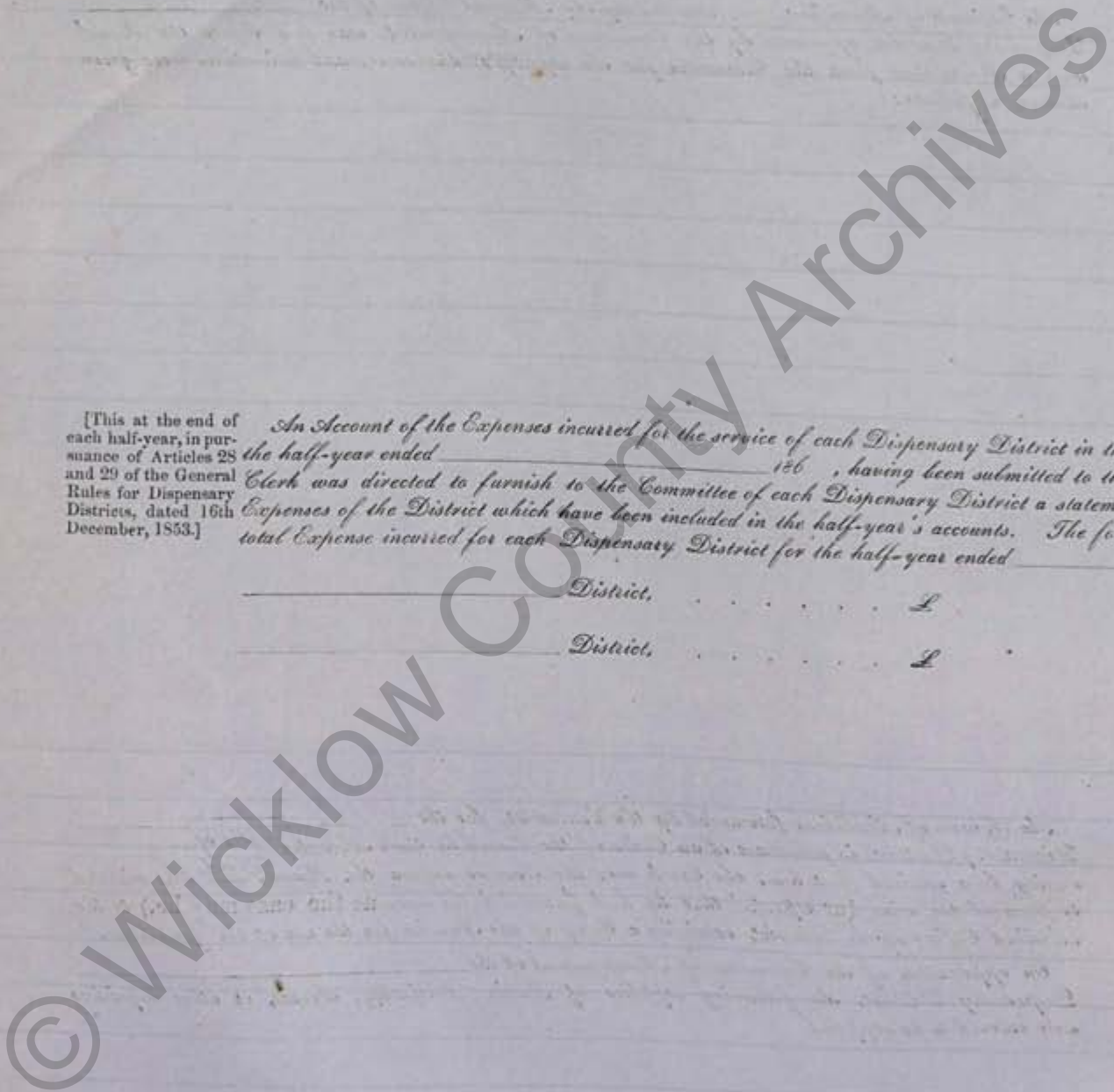
for _____

: Amount £ _____

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

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

_____ District.	£ _____
_____ District.	£ _____



[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 Lease-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 _____
stating that _____

dated _____

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(Signed)

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(Special.)

RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1851, *47861*

Present Net Annual Value, £*130349.12*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *20th* day of *September* 186*2*

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	<i>743</i>	<i>277</i>														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,	<i>80</i>	<i>1</i>														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	<i>823</i>	<i>278</i>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			<i>1</i>	<i>47</i>	<i>58</i>	<i>68</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>41</i>	<i>276</i>	In Work-house Hospital, <i>48</i> In Fever Hospital, <i>1</i> Total, <i>49</i>	In separate Wards, <i>11</i> In Wards with other inmates, <i>10</i> Total, <i>21</i>		
Admitted during the Week,			<i>1</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>23</i>				
TOTAL,			<i>2</i>	<i>56</i>	<i>60</i>	<i>70</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>46</i>	<i>299</i>				
Discharged during the Week,			<i>1</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>21</i>				
Died,																
Total Discharged and Dead,			<i>1</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>21</i>				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			<i>1</i>	<i>49</i>	<i>55</i>	<i>70</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>44</i>	<i>278</i>				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *20th* day of *September* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	<i>24</i>	<i>70</i>	William Manning.
No. II.	<i>21</i>	<i>62</i>	Robert Manning.
No. III.	<i>23</i>	<i>39</i>	George Tuke.
No. IV.	<i>10</i>	<i>16</i>	Patrick Moran.
TOTAL,	<i>78</i>	<i>187</i>	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Tuesday* the *23rd* day of *September* 186*2*

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

There was no meeting this day A.W. Byrnes Esq. and Mr Michael Byrnes only in attendance

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4799 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 Leger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £224: 7: 5

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £206: 12: 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £271: 18: 11

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.		
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle Upper,							184	7	5					
	„ Lower,							61	13	2					
	Kilcoole,							119	16	7					
	Altadore,							76	17	6					
	Killiskey,							72	17	9					
										515	12	5	515	12	5
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,							19	17	4					
	Calary,							27	13	2					
	Brockagh,							55	2	10					
	Ballycullan,							48	17	6					
	Oldtown,							63	15	.					
	Togher,							41	10	2					
	Moneystown,							34	13	.					
								291	9	.	291	9	.		
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	69	7	5				680	9	4					
	Glanealy,	28	.	.				197	.	6					
		97	7	5	97	7	5	877	9	10	877	9	10		
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown East,							134	14	4					
	„ West,							118	18	.					
	„ South,							219	4	8					
							502	17	.	502	17	.			
JAMES WARD, <i>J. Amesty</i>	Ennereilly,							96	9	6					
	Kilbride,							97	11	4					
							194	.	10	194	.	10			
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,							719	9	10					
								719	9	10	719	9	10		
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,	121	.	.				68	10	9					
	Ballyarthur,	.	.	.				118	16	3					
	Ovoca,	6	.	.				307	11	5					
		127	.	.	127	.	.	494	18	5	494	18	5		
WILLIAM SMITH,	Rathdrum,							418	19	8					
	Knockrath,							98	19	11					
	Trooperstown,							56	1	11					
	Ballinderry,							73	12	7					
	Ballinaclesh,							121	8	8					
	Ballinacor,							117	19	10					
	Aughrim,							139	15	11	1056	18	6		
	Totals,						224	7	5	1652	15	10			

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 Treasurers and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £24 · 13 · 9 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	24	13	9
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	38	15	8
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2	5	1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,	3	7	1/2
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	8	1	1/2

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

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 21 day of Sept; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	£	8	8	10
In Kind,	-	-	-	-
Total,	8	8	10	

Credit each Believing Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

James Comerford D.V.Ch
James Comerford
Thomas Pugh

The requirements of each Believing 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 Believing Officer	By Check on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	William Manning, - - - - -			
No. II.	Robert Manning, - - - - -			
No. III.	George Tuke, - - - - -			
No. IV.	Patrick Moran, - - - - -			
TOTAL				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Believing 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

£ s. d.

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£ s. d.

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The Reports of Medical Officers were read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

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

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

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

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the _____ day of _____ 186

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 18____
—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):

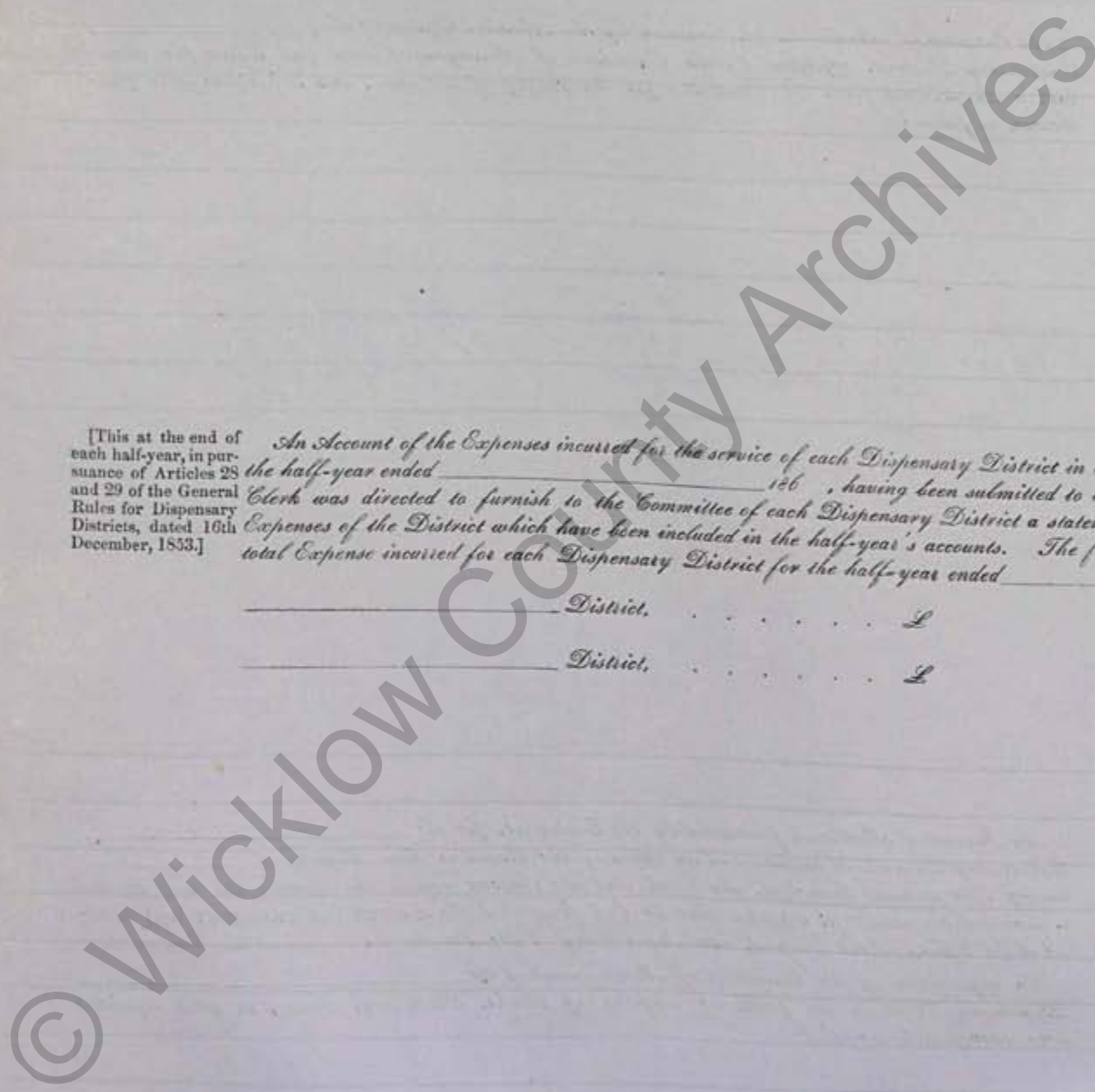
Dispensary District.

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, 1833.]

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

_____ District,	£
_____ District,	£



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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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):

Local Letter from _____
stating that

dated _____

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RATHDRUM UNION.

201

Population in 1851, 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £130349.12

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of September 1862

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	743	286														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,	50	1														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	823	287														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			1	49	55	70	10	12	26	11	44	278	In Work-house Hospital, 57	In separate Wards, 11		
Admitted during the Week,			6	9	3	1	"	"	1	.	3	23	In Fever Hospital, 1	In Wards with other Inmates, 10		
TOTAL,			7	58	58	71	10	12	27	11	47	301	Total, 57	Total, 21		
Discharged during the Week,			2	4	2	2	"	"	.	.	2	12				
Died,			"	"	1	"	"	"	.	.	2	2				
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	4	3	2	"	"	.	.	3	14				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			5	52	55	69	10	12	27	11	44	287				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27 day of Sept authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 16 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		NAME OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	24	70	William Manning.
No. II.	21	62	Robert Manning.
No. III.	24	40	George Tuke.
No. IV.	10	16	Patrick Moran.
TOTAL,	79	188	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 30th day of September 1862

PRESENT: In the Chair, James Connors Esq

Other Guardians: A. W. Byrne Mr. Chas Anne McConkey Dr. Henry Livingston Thompson Thomas Graydon Esqrs
 Messrs John Chapman Edward P Edge, Gaspella Esqrs,
 Mick Byrne, Edward Byrne, John Acton, Sam Linsley,
 John Woodroffe A Condron John Hunter, Wm Beatale
 Patrick Gaslin & S Bourke

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. 21.

*The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4799 to No. 4821, 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. 1, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:*

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £504 : 12 : 10

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £254 : 3 : 4

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £504 : 11 : 4

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.
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle Upper,	32	1	11				152	5	6			
	" Lower,	14	4	9				47	8	5			
	Kilcoole,	20	4	5				99	12	2			
	Altidore,	7	18	9				68	18	9			
	Killiskey,	12	17	4				60		5			
		<u>87</u>	<u>72</u>	<u>2</u>	87	72	2	428	5	3	428	5	3
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,	1	8	6				18	8	10			
	Calary,	2	15	9				24	17	5			
	Brockagh,	7	2	4				48		6			
	Ballycullan,	.	.	.				48	17	6			
	Oldtown,	5	5	5				58	9	7			
	Togher,	4	6	10				37	3	4			
	Moneystown,	4	14	10				29	18	2			
		<u>25</u>	<u>138</u>		25	138	265	15	4	265	15	4	
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	121	2	7				559	6	9			
	Glanealy,	11	19	4				185	1	2			
		<u>133</u>	<u>1</u>	<u>11</u>	133	1	11	744	7	11	744	7	11
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown East,	9	.	10				125	13	6			
	" West,	15	3	7				133	14	5			
	" South,	12	18	9				206	5	11			
		<u>37</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>2</u>	37	3	2	465	13	10	465	13	10
JOSEPH WEAVER <i>J. Annisley</i>	Ennereilly,	29	3	1				17	6	5			
	Kilbride,	18	6	11				79	5	.			
		<u>47</u>	<u>9</u>	<u>5</u>	47	9	5	146	11	5	146	11	5
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,	87	19	5				631	10	5			
		<u>87</u>	<u>19</u>	<u>5</u>	87	19	5	631	10	5	631	10	5
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronbane,	6	4	8				12	6	1			
	Ballyarthur,	7	1	7				111	14	8			
	Ovoca,	4	17	1				302	14	4			
		<u>18</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>4</u>	18	3	4	427	15	1	427	15	1
WILLIAM SMITH,	Rathdrum,	76	17	9				373	1	11			
	Knockrath,	.	.	.				98	19	11			
	Trooperstown,	2	5	.				53	16	11			
	Ballinderry,	.	.	.				73	12	7			
	Ballinaclash,	.	.	.				121	8	8			
	Ballinacor,	.	15	1				117	4	9			
	Aughrim,	23	16	11				103	14	9	115	19	9
	<i>Totals,</i>				570	12	10	4112	3	9	4112	3	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 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 £37. 12. 2^d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	37.	12.	2 ^d
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	38.	14.	7 ^d
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	- 2/5 3/4		
Average cost in Infirmary,	3/2		
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	8/12		

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:

- 620 White Loaves, Bread
- 560 Brown Do
- 10 Cut Oatmeal
- 260 Gallon Buttermilk
- 400 Gallon New Milk
- 12 lb Butter
- 240 lb Meat
- 60 Sheep's Heads

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, -	8.	10.	10
	✓	✓	✓
Total.	8.	10.	10

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.
No. I.	William Manning,	
No. II.	Robert Manning,	10-0-0
No. III.	George Take,	10-0-0
No. IV.	Patrick Moran,	3-0-0
TOTAL,		23-0-0

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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

	£	s.	d.
Rev A Hulbraith	7	10	"
Rev R Galvin	15	"	"
Arthur Abank	25	"	"
Arthur Abank	2	10	"
Saml Manning	25	"	"
Isaac Flower	15	"	"
Mary Flower	5	"	"
Catherine Byrne	7	10	"
Thomas Keane	2	10	"
Ellen Curran	3	15	"
Budge Molan	3	"	"
Edward Fallon	3	"	"
John Kilgoy	3	"	"
Wm Manning	7	10	"
Robert Manning	7	10	"
George Take	7	10	"
Patrick Moran	7	10	"
Richard McClelland	22	10	"
Henry Banks	25	"	"
John Hatch	22	10	"
A B Sherwood	20	"	"
R A & Estamp	20	"	"
A C Hudson	20	"	"
Charles Clarke	48	15	"
John Kearney	18	15	"

		£	s.	d.
Thomas Byrne	1/2 yrs Rent Ashford bridge	5	"	"
Owen Toole	1/2 " " " "	3	"	"
Simon Smith	1/4 " " " "	2	10	"
Edward Byrne	1/2 " " " "	5	"	"
Rev A Galbraith	1/2 " " " "	5	"	"
Daniel Keenan	1/2 " " " "	3	"	"
A. Webb	1/2 " " " "	2	15	"
Sarah Rice	1/2 yrs salary Ashford	9	"	"
In favor of Clerk				
Elyse Johnson	1/2 July Newcastle	-	15	"
Eya Thompson	" " " " " "	1	2	6
Sarah Burns	" " " " " "	1	"	"
May Doyle	" " " " " "	1	5	"
Margaret Clinch	" " " " " "	1	"	"
Ellen Graham	" " " " " "	-	15	"
A. Webb	" " " " " "	-	7	6
		6	5	-
Carlton & Frouton	Insurance	6	19	3
James & Cameron	advertising	4	7	-
Dr Hatch	vaccination	4	-	-
Dr E. Estway	do	4	-	-
Daniel Farrell	Coffins	2	14	-
Thomas Saml	Funerals	2	17	11
Edward Boyle	Sweep	2	9	3
Ch. Lavender	Drainage Pipes	12	5	-
Rich ^d Sutton	Glazing	4	7	8
James McEntagh	Repairs	2	10	-
John Farrell	Shrading	2	10	11
James Manning	Timber	2	2	1
William Daniel	Brushes	17	12	9
Rich ^d Lazen	Timber	6	7	4
John Farrell	Clothing	3	7	11
Edward Wright	Clothing	3	16	3
Butler & Scott	Wine	39	1	8
John Cowley	Bread	37	11	7
Patrick Fox	Coal	18	17	7
John O'Brien	" Candles	3	17	"
Mum Farrell	Milk	2	8	"

The Reports of Medical Officers were read, and Orders were made thereon as follows: £ 5 2

James Lunan	Milk	32	..	5
John DeKey	Grain	12	8	..

In favor of Clerk to pay

P. A. Leslie & Co	Martin's Int'l	1	5	..
Stephen Murphy	Leather	1	14	4
Edward Fallon	Shoes	..	5	..
Thomas Troy	Salt	..	15	2
James Manning	Wine	..	15	..
Isaac Floun	Chicken & Eggs	..	10	1
John Copley	Reps	..	15	..
Lucian Doyle	Reps	..	15	..
John Cowley	Car Hire	..	8	..
P. A. Leslie & Co	Paints	1	3	3
Andrew Belton	Lime	..	13	7
Rev. A. Gulbrunn	Books	..	2	7
John Holt	Rep. of Post. Int'l	..	2	6

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

Edward Manly	Sand	..	7	9
James Mathews	Selph	..	..	7
Joseph Sand	Sand	..	2	2
Drummond & Sons	Seeds	..	5	6
James Fleming	Reps	..	3	4
John Farrell	Candles	1	11	..
William McCabe	Hay Seeds	..	3	6
William Jordan	Nails	..	1	7
Thomas Troy	Lime	1	14	6
Isaac Floun	Sundries	..	3	..
Daniel Farrell	Reps	..	1	6
John DeKey	Mustard	..	18	4
James Doyle	Reps	1	11	3
Edward Elliston	Horse Hire	..	3	6
Albion	Postage	..	15	3
Thomas Smith	Locke Dugston Dispy	..	3	11
W. Courtney	Rent Northside Dispy	..	12	..
W. Bryan	Reps	..	2	6
			18	..
David Henry	Sundries Newcastle Dispy	9	10	2

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

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

Letter N^o 20453 Dated 24th Instant, stating that the Commissioners having had before them the Weekly Returns of Poor Rate Collected in Rathdrum Union to the 6th Instant, call the attention of the Guardians to the neglect of Collector Smith to attend for examination of his Books since he received his Warrants, and also to his very unsatisfactory progress with the Collectors; the Commissioners request the Guardians to require a strict observance of the regulations as to attendance for examination of his account, and a more active discharge of his duty.

Mr Smith attended before the Board this day and was reprimanded for not attending the Clerk for the examination of his Books, and he promised to be punctual in future, he was allowed 14 days longer to collect the Balances of the Sum required by the Guardians orders.

The Clerk informed the Board that Mr Smith attended for the Examination of his Books on Monday last.

Circular N^o 176 of 62 calling on the Clerk for a Return of the Elected and Ex Officio Guardians of the Union for the ensuing year.

The Clerk brought before the Board the Commissioners Letter of the 8th Ultimo N^o 18960 also the Circular N^o 162 Dated 25th

August last calling the attention of the several Boards of funders to the Clothing worn by Convalescent Patients in the Fever Hospitals and recommending a Change therein,

Proposed by Mr. Charles Anne Ey and Seconded by Mr Michael Byrne That in order to meet the Views of the Commissioners with reference to the Dress to be worn by Convalescent Patients in the Fever Hospital that our Clerk be intrusted to write to the Governour of the Royal Military Hospital Phoenix Park to ascertain the Kind of Dress worn there and the probable Cost of same, also that the Clerk shall call a Special Meeting of the Board for this day fortnight to Consider the propriety of carrying out the Commissioners Suggestion

The following persons were declared the Contractors for the Articles named for three Months ending 25th December next

James Courtenay	Killineary Mill	Best White Bread @ 5 ¹ / ₂ p 4 ¹ / ₂ loaf
"	"	" Mown Dr @ 4 ¹ / ₂ p Dr
Elyza Byrne	Rathdown	" Beef & Mutton @ 1 ¹ / ₂ p lb
"	"	" Ox Heads @ 2 ¹ / ₃ each
"	"	" Sheep's Heads @ 9 ¹ / ₂ each
John Cowley	"	" Oatmeal @ 15 10 p Ton
John D'Arcy	Dublin	" Black Tea @ 3/6 p lb
"	"	" Brown Sugar @ 4 ¹ / ₂ p lb
"	"	" Lump Sugar @ 5 ¹ / ₂ p lb
"	"	" Whiskey @ 16/0 p Gall
John O'Brien	Wicklow	" Best Lisbon Shale @ 25/6 p Club
"	"	" 2d Port (ports) 1/10 p Doz
Richard Scott	Dublin	" Port Wine 35 p Doz
"	"	" Sherry Dr 30 p Doz

Before entertaining the Tender for the Supply of Clothing the Clerk read a Letter from the funders of the Relief Union recommending this Board to use Linen instead of Calico for the paupers Clothing and stating that it would be more economical to do so now from the great increase in the price of Calico after some discussion the Board adopted the View of the Relief funders

The following persons were declared the Contractors for supplying the articles named for 12 Months

		L	S	D
John DeKey	East India Rice	✓	15	6 1/2 cwt
"	Brown Soap	✓	1	7 6 "
"	White do	✓	1	11 "
John O'Brien	Starch	✓		3 1/2 lb
"	Blue Soda	✓		9 lb
"	Mould Candles	✓	7	17 1/2 lb
"	Sift	✓		6 1/2 lb
John Farrell	Coraway	✓	1	2 7/8
"	Trinj	✓	2	2 "
"	Baragow	✓	1	14 "
"	Bengal Stape	✓		8 "
"	Dark Flannel	✓	1	3 "
"	Red Tickers	✓		9 "
"	Mending Calies	✓		5 "
"	Scotts Caps	✓	1	14 each
"	Wastes	✓	2	5 1/2 lb
"	Broad Tape	✓	4	6 003
"	Sewing Thread	✓	2	8 1/2 lb
"	Needles	✓	3	6 "
"	Bone Studs	✓		10 1/2 doz
"	Sewing Needles	✓		11 100
"	Knitting Needles	✓		6 lb
"	Pins	✓		4 1/2 Shub
"	Rack Combs	✓	1	6 8 1/2
"	File do	✓	2	8 "
Edward Wright	Linsay Woolsey	✓	1	2 9/10
"	Cheek	✓		8 1/2 3/4
"	Rugs Linp	✓	3	6 each
"	Smale	✓	2	7 "
"	Blankets	✓	11	10 pair
"	White Linnen	✓		9 1/2 3/4
"	Blay do	✓		8 3/4 3/4
"	Shrouding	✓		3 3/4 3/4
John DeKey	Colza Oil	✓	5	gall
William Daniel	Whitewash Brushes	✓	2	8 each
"	Sweeping	✓	2	8 "
"	Scrubbing	✓	2	" "
"	Black Lead	✓	1	3 "
"	Shoe Oil	✓	6	6 1/2 Gall

William Daniel	Bad broom	14	each
"	Iron Hammer	11	per doz
Andrew Belton	Zinc Churn	1	each
"	House Bucket	2	"
"	Coal Boxes	2	6
"	Quart Tins	3	per doz
"	Pint Tins	2	6
"	Quart Tins	6	each
"	Tin Can	1	per doz
"	Iron Spoon	10	gross
"	Tin Scoop	1	each
Stephen Murphy	Butter Lentils	1	2 1/2 lb
"	Kip	1	7 lb
"	Hemp	1	14 lb
"	Russian Hair	1	14 oz
"	Cast Iron & Hand	9	per doz
"	Steel Nails	2	1000
"	2 ^d do	1	2
"	Panions	1	8
Daniel Farrell	Coffin	6	each
Dennis Chase	Straw	3	per cut
William Turner	Wooden Buckets	2	9 each
John Farrell	Women's Shirts	4	per doz
"	Tailors do	5	"

Mr John Falconer putting Iron Rods & Stationary for 12 Months at the prices marked in his Tender

A poor woman an inmate of the Workhouse who was admitted insane came before the Board and requested her discharge but in consequence of her having no home or funds to take care of her the board did not grant her request

Wm. J. B. [Signature]
 Ch. [Signature]
 John [Signature]
 Geo. [Signature]

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday*
the *7* day of *October* 186 *2*
(Signed) *A. M. [Signature]*
Clerk of the Union

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 18____
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District,

Account of Mr. _____

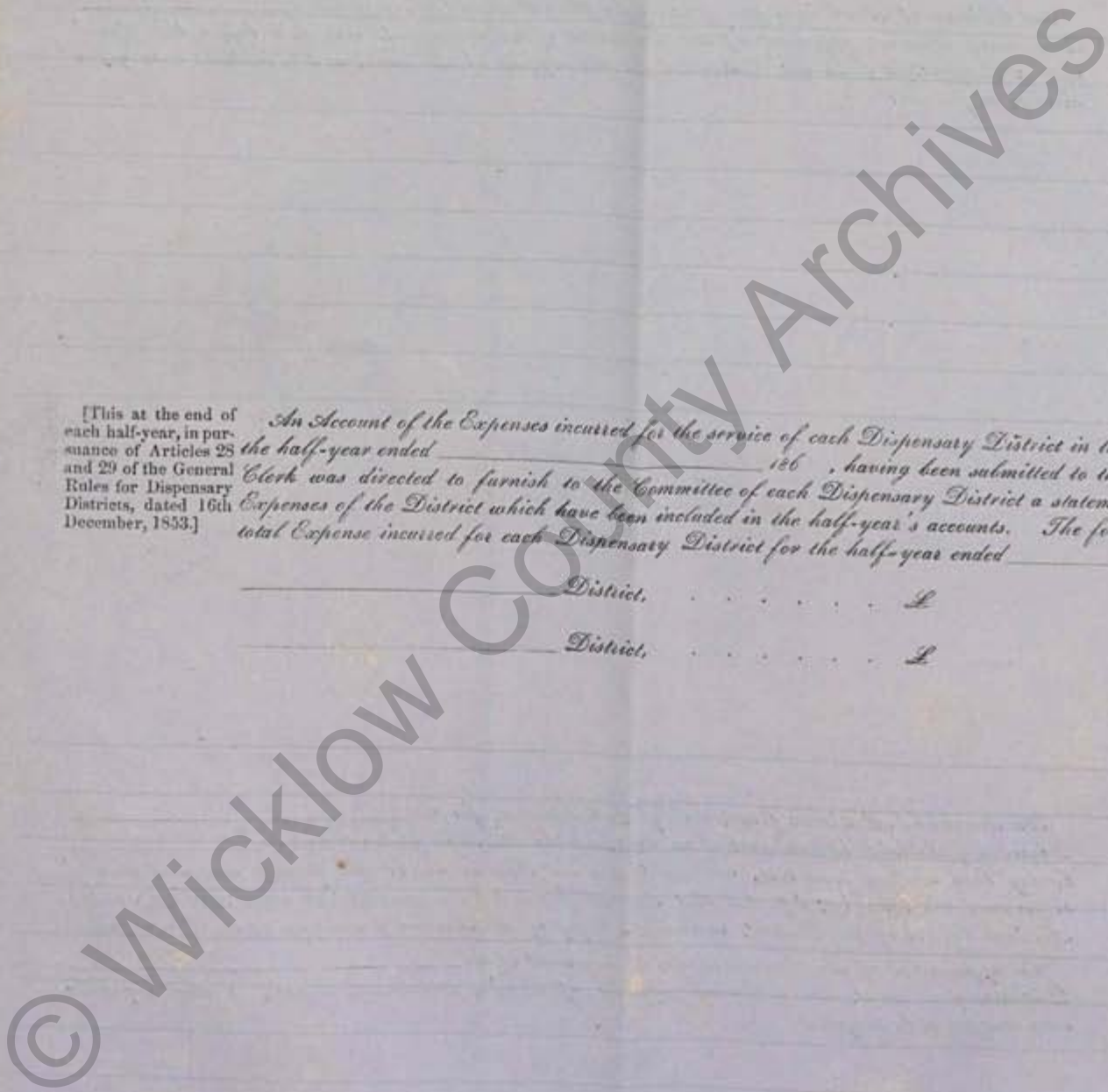
for _____

: Amount £ _____

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

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

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_____ District,	£



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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____

of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from _____
stating that _____

dated _____

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RATHDRUM UNION.

221

Population in 1851, *47861*

Present Net Annual Value, £ *130,449.12*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *14th* day of *October* 186*2*

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 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	<i>743</i>	<i>303</i>														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,	<i>80</i>	<i>1</i>														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	<i>823</i>	<i>304</i>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			<i>5</i>	<i>52</i>	<i>55</i>	<i>69</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>44</i>	<i>287</i>	In Work-house Hospital, <i>43</i>	Inseparate Wards, <i>11</i>		
Admitted during the Week,			<i>6</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>28</i>	In Fever Hospital, <i>1</i>	In Wards with other inmates, <i>10</i>		
TOTAL,			<i>11</i>	<i>64</i>	<i>57</i>	<i>70</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>47</i>	<i>315</i>	Total, <i>44</i>	Total, <i>21</i>		
Discharged during the Week,			<i>4</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>	"	"	"	"	"	"	<i>7</i>				
Died,			"	"	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>	"	"	"	"	"	<i>4</i>				
Total Discharged and Dead,			<i>4</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>1</i>	"	"	"	"	"	<i>11</i>				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			<i>7</i>	<i>62</i>	<i>54</i>	<i>69</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>46</i>	<i>304</i>				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *14th* day of *October* 186*2* 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.		NAME OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	<i>22</i>	<i>67</i>	William Manning.
No. II.	<i>15</i>	<i>22</i>	Robert Manning.
No. III.	<i>24</i>	<i>38</i>	George Take.
No. IV.	<i>10</i>	<i>16</i>	Patrick Moran.
TOTAL,	<i>71</i>	<i>143</i>	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Tuesday* the *7th* day of *October* 186*2*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Wm Gilbert Esq.*
Other Guardians: *Andrew W. Byrne Esq. George Manning Esq. and Mr. Edw. P. Edge*

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 7th & Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 222 to No. 447, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. ✓ to No. ✓, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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

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

Paid during the week,	£ 90 : - : -
And that the Balance on the Account <i>in favor</i> the Guardians was	£ 158 : 4 : 3
The Book was signed by the Chairman.	£ 516 : 2 : 1

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.
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle Upper,							152	5	6			
	„ Lower,							47	8	5			
	Kilcoole,							99	12	2			
	Altidore,							118	18	9			
	Killiskeay,							60	.	5			
											428	5	3
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,							18	8	10			
	Calary,							24	17	5			
	Brockagh,							48	.	6			
	Ballycullan,							118	17	6			
	Oldtown,							58	9	7			
	Togher,							37	3	4			
	Moneystown,							29	18	2			
											215	15	4
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	72	19	11				486	6	10			
	Glanealy,	17	.	1				168	1	1			
		90	.	90				654	7	11			654
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown East,							125	13	6			
	„ West,							133	14	5			
	„ South,							206	5	11			
											465	13	10
JOSEPH WEBB,	Ennereilly,							67	6	5			
	Kilbride,							79	5	.			
											146	11	5
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,							631	10	5			
											631	10	5
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,							62	6	1			
	Ballyarthur,							111	14	8			
	Ovoca,							302	14	4			
											476	15	1
WILLIAM SMITH,	Rathdrum,							372	1	11			
	Knockrath,							98	19	11			
	Trooperstown,							53	16	11			
	Ballinderry,							73	12	7			
	Ballinacash,							121	8	8			
	Ballinacor,							117	4	9			
	Anghrim,							115	19	.			
											953	3	9
	Totals,						90				4022	3	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 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 £40 5 s. 9 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	40	5	9
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	25	3	7
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2/4 3/4		
Average cost in Infirmary,	3/5		
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	1/5		

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:

560 Loaves white Bread	2 lb Cut White Soap
470 " Brown do	1 lb Cut Bacon 1/2 lb Cut Starch
10 lb Cut Oatmeal	50 lbs Dept Candles
130 Gallons Buttermilk	50 lbs Mounts do
200 " Cheese	2 lbs Tobacco
6 lbs Butter	7 lbs Blue
10 lb Cut Brown Soap	2 lb Soda
4 lb Cut Sugar	1 Pen Frize 1 Pen Corduroy
50 lbs Tea	30 Yds Bannock
7 lbs Pepper	1 Salt Damp Measure
10 lb Cut Rice	4 Doz Port Wine
10 lb Cut Soft Sugar	

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, -	7	9	10
In Kind, -	-	-	-
Total, -	7	9	10

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.
No. I.	William Manning,	
No. II.	Robert Manning,	
No. III.	George Tuke,	
No. IV.	Patrick Moran,	
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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

		£	s.	d.
Messrs P. Leslie & Co	Medicines Woodhouse	17	7	.
Do Do	Do Advance	9	"	6
Do Do	Do Newcastle	15	10	.
Do Do	Do Rathfriland	10	6	2
Do Do	Do Arklow	21	2	3
Do Do	Do Ashford	15	19	4
Do Do	Do Aughrim	3	16	1

Henry Rogan	Rent Newcastle	2	.	.
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In favour of Clerk to pay				
Edw. Elliston	Can. Hon	"	7	6
Rich ^d Sharp	Chg. Clocks	1	5	"
Mich ^e Darcy	Fac ^d Dept Advance	"	6	"
James Brady	"	"	12	"
John Reid	"	"	12	"
		3	2	6

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The Reports of Medical Officers were read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

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

Gentlemen I respectfully ask your permission for leave of absence
for three days

Isaac Flower Master
Leave granted

A supply of shoes is required for Female healthy Seemates
about 50 pair

Isaac Flower Master
Ordered that Edward Tallow gets the Contract for the above
at 24/6 per pair

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

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

Circular Letter N^o 20647 Dated 29th Ultimo enclosing for the information of the Board of Guardians the Opinion of the Law Adviser of the Crown on the Construction of the 10th Section of the recent Poor Law Amendment Act 25 & 26th Victoria Cap 83

Circular N^o 175 M 62 Dated 1st Instant calling on the Clerk for a Return of the Rates Made and any new Rates agreed upon in the Union for the Month of September.

~~Letter N^o 20594 Dated 24th Instant enclosing the Copy of a Letter from Doctor Hatch Medical Officer of the Adelaide Dispensary District in reference to the want of a supply of Medicines at the Dispensary, the Commissioners request the attention of the Board of Guardians to the subject in order that the Sick Poor of the District may not suffer inconvenience from the want of Medicines.~~

~~The Clerk informed the Board that he had forwarded an order for the Medicines to the Contractor and that they had been supplied.~~

Letter N^o 20898 Dated 11th Instant advertizing to the Commission Letter of the 25th August last relative to the Complaints

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preferred by Bridget O'Hara a recipient of Out Door Relief in this Union against Mr Moran Relieving Officer of having withheld from her a portion of the Weekly allowance granted her by the Guardians the Commissioners inform the Guardians that they have received a Report from the Inspector Mr Hamilton together with the evidence taken on the Inquiry since held by him into the facts of the Case.

Upon Consideration of the facts of the Case as proved in evidence the Commissioners have deemed it their duty to do so the preparation of an Order under Seal dismissing Mr Moran from the Office of Relieving Officer for Systematic Neglect in the discharge of his duties. The Commissioners will however defer the issue of the Order till after the next Meeting of the Board of Guardians and will not object to receive Mr Moran's Resignation, should the Guardians prefer that Course and should the Resignation be tendered to the Guardians at their next Meeting.

A Letter was read from Mr Moran's Son stating that his Father was ill and unable to attend the Meeting of the Board there was also a Certificate from Dr McClelland stating that Mr Moran was unable to leave his bed.

Resolved that as it appears by a Letter from Mr Moran's Son and a Certificate from Dr McClelland that Mr Moran is now ill and unable to attend at the Board the Guardians trust that the Commissioners will not issue the Order for his dismissal until he is able to attend the Board fearing from the nature of his Complaint if they now call upon him to resign the consequences might be fatal.

A Letter was read from the Commissioners of Valuation calling the attention of the Clerk to the duties imposed upon the several Poor Rate Collectors under the 4th Section of the 17 Victoria Cap 8 also to the duties of the Clerk as to the preparation of the Lists of Tenements requiring to be revised under the Act.

A Woman named Mary Wren from the Town of Arklow came before the Board for admission and stated that she was a married woman and was lately confined of an illegitimate Child that the Father of the Child refused to take it from her and since she was confined her husband had deserted her. She claimed admission to the Workhouse in order that she might prosecute the Father of the Child.

The Board admitted her and her Child and directed that she might be brought before the Magistrate, next Court day to lodge informations against the putative Father,

The Clerk informed the Board that he was summoned to attend the Registry Court at Bray on Tuesday next the 14th Inst and at Arklow on the 21st. Consequently that he would be absent on the next two Board days and that it would be advisable to postpone the Special Meeting to consider the Subject of adopting Suitable Clothing for Convalescent Fever Patients until Tuesday the 20th Instant and as the Master was going to Dublin he could call at the Royal Military Hospital and see the Clothing worn there and be prepared with a list of them in the above day. The Board agreed to this suggestion.

The Master informed the Board that agreeable to their direction he brought several of the Women with illegitimate Children to the petty Sessions Court on three Court days that on two occasions there was only one Magistrate present and that on last Court day there was two Magistrates. The Chairman A. W. Byrne Esq informed the Board that he would write to several of the Magistrates to attend the Court on Thursday next and the Master was instructed to bring the Women before them on that day.

Arthur Byrne
Chairman
Silvester Burch

Edward Byrne

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

the _____ day of _____ 186

(Signed) _____

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 Rathfriland
UNION, on Tues day, the 27th day of October 1862
—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,

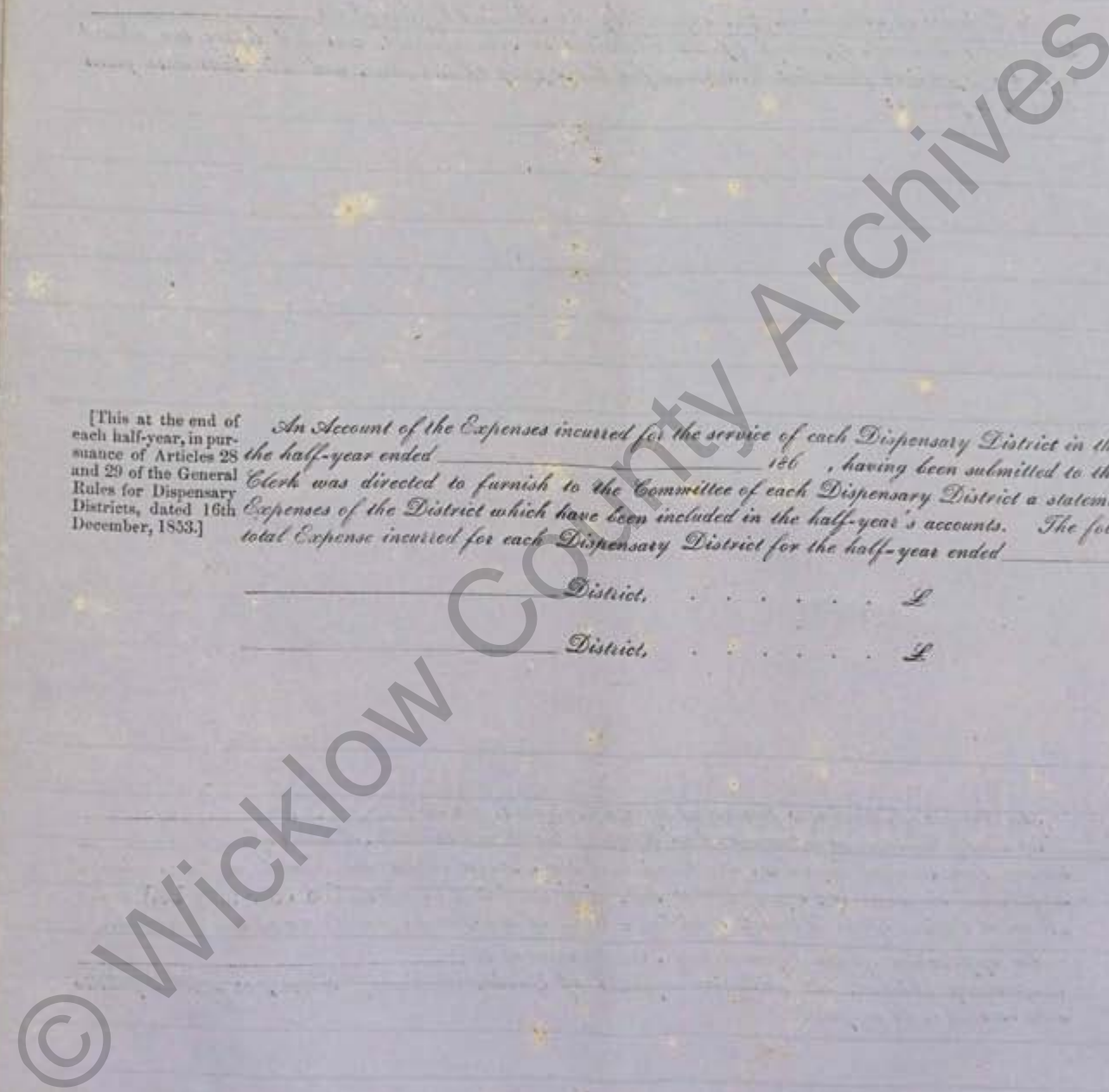
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £

THE BOARD HAS REFUSED TO PAY THE ACCOUNT OF _____ FOR _____

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

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

_____ District,	£
_____ District,	£



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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Recd Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners, dated 14th Inst. 1857/4
stating that

Enclosing the Copy of a Letter from Doctor Hatch Medical Officer of the Quinlan Dispensary District in reference to the want of a Supply of Medicines at the Dispensary, the Commissioners request the attention of the Board of Guardians to the Subject in Order that the Sick Poor of the District may not suffer inconvenience from the Want of Medicine

The Clerk informed the Board that he had forwarded an Order for the Medicines to the Contractor and that they have been supplied

Wm J. Byrne
Chairman
Silvester Burke

Edward Byrne

(Signed)

Arthur Hand
Clerk of the Union.

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RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1851. *47861*

Present Net Annual Value, £*130349.12*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *11th* day of *October* 1862

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 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	<i>743</i>	<i>306</i>														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,	<i>80</i>	<i>1</i>														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	<i>823</i>	<i>307</i>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			<i>7</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>52</i>	<i>69</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>46</i>	<i>304</i>	In Work-house Hospital, <i>52</i>	In separate Wards, <i>11</i>		
Admitted during the Week,			<i>6</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>19</i>	In Fever Hospital, <i>1</i>	In Wards with other inmates, <i>10</i>		
TOTAL,			<i>13</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>56</i>	<i>70</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>49</i>	<i>323</i>	Total, <i>53</i>	Total, <i>21</i>		
Discharged during the Week,			<i>6</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>15</i>				
Died,			<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>1</i>				
Total Discharged and Dead,			<i>6</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>"</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>16</i>				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			<i>7</i>	<i>63</i>	<i>55</i>	<i>69</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>47</i>	<i>307</i>				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *11th* day of *October* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 19 Vict. c. 31. s. 1.		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
		Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her		
No. I.	<i>22</i>	<i>67</i>		William Manning.
No. II.	<i>17</i>	<i>129</i>		Robert Manning.
No. III.	<i>24</i>	<i>319</i>		George Tuke.
No. IV.	<i>10</i>	<i>16</i>		Patrick Moran.
TOTAL,	<i>73</i>	<i>531</i>		

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Tuesday* the *14th* day of *October* 1862

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Mr. Michael Quinn*
Other Guardians: *Messrs Edward Byrne & P. Donohue*

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.

George Nicholson of Wicklow & Sophia Doolittle of Wicklow Parish of Wicklow
 John Flight of Arklow & Margaret Bulger of Arklow Parish of Arklow
 John Duffy of Bolagh & Sarah Smullen of Kilcaudra Parish of Dungannon

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4822 to No. 4872, 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. 100, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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,

Laid during the week, - - - - - £140 : 5 : -

And that the Balance on the Account ~~in~~ the Guardians was 295 : 9 : 8

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £460 : 17 : 5

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.
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle Upper,							152	5	6			
	" Lower.							47	8	5			
	Kilcoole,							99	12	2			
	Altadore,							68	18	9			
	Killiskey,							60	.	5			
											428	5	3
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,							18	8	10			
	Calary,	5	10	"				19	7	5			
	Brockagh,	"	"	"				48	.	6			
	Ballycullan,	32	"	"				16	17	6			
	Oldtown,	"	"	"				58	9	7			
	Togher,	3	"	"				34	3	4			
	Moneystown,	2	10	"				27	8	8			
		43	"	"	43	"	"	222	15	4	222	15	4
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,							486	6	10			
	Glanealy,							168	1	1			
								654	7	11	654	7	11
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown East,	47	5	.				78	8	6			
	" West,	8	5	.				125	9	5			
	" South,	41	15	.				164	10	11			
		97	5	.	97	5	.	348	8	10	348	8	10
JOSEPH AVERY <i>James Avenley</i>	Ennercilly,							67	6	5			
	Kilbride,							79	5	.			
								146	11	5	146	11	5
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,							631	10	5			
								631	10	5	631	10	5
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cranebane,							62	6	1			
	Ballyarthur,							111	14	8			
	Ovoca,							302	14	4			
								476	15	1	476	15	1
WILLIAM SMITH,	Rathdrum,							372	1	11			
	Knockrath,							98	19	11			
	Trooperstown,							53	16	11			
	Ballinderry,							73	12	7			
	Ballinaclesh,							121	8	8			
	Ballinacor,							117	4	9			
	Aughrim,							115	19	.			
											253	3	9
	Totals,							140	5	.			
											3881	18	.

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 Treasurers and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

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 £95. 15^s. 6^d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	95	15	6
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	38	0	2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2	12	
Average cost in Infirmary,	5	3	
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	4	8	

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:

510 White Loaves Bread
 470 Brown " " "
 10 Cut Rice
 211 Lump Wicks 4 Lamp Glasses
 120 lb Meat
 30 Sheep Heads
 130 gals, Butter Milk
 200 gals, New Milk
 6 lbs Butter
 1 Cork Screw 1/2 Cut Gemmet
 1/2 Good fine Combs

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 11th day of Oct; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, -	7	15	10
In Kind, -			
Total, -	7	15	10

Credit each Believing 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.
No. I.	William Manning, - - - -			
No. II.	Robert Manning, - - - -			
No. III.	George Take, - - - -			
No. IV.	Patrick Moran, - - - -			
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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

£ s. d.

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The Reports of Medical Officers were read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

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

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

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

Letter No 21,878 Dated 13th Instant stating that the Commissioners have had before them a Resolution of the Board of Guardians in reply to the Commissioners Letter of the 6th Inst relative to the Conduct of Mr Moran Relieving Officer in the case of Bridget O'Hara which was recently inquired into by Mr W Sawitts Poor Law Inspector, the Commissioners state that under the circumstances set forth in the Guardians Resolution they will defer the issue of their Order dismissing Mr Moran from his Office until after the next Meeting of the Board of Guardians.
In the mean time the Commissioners request that they may be informed what arrangements have been made for the discharge of the Relieving Officers duties during his illness.

Proposed by Mr Ponske and seconded by Mr Edward Byrne that Mr Peter Moran son of Mr Patrick Moran Relieving Officer be appointed to discharge the duties in the room of his Father until other arrangements are entered into by the Board
Passed unanimously

A Notice was served on the Clerk by Messrs Edward Byrne and S. Ponske to call a Special Meeting of the Board on Tuesday the 28th Instant to take into consideration the

Claim of the Clerk of the Union ^{for his services} under the Parliamentary Act

A Letter was read from Mr Toomey Solicitor relative to the proceedings about to be taken by the Board against the putative fathers of illegitimate Children.

Mr Flinn the Master informed the Board that he had given instructions to Mr Toomey to serve Civil Bills in two Cases where he considered the Circumstances Evidenced would be sufficient to get out decrees before the Barristers at the Session, in Wicklow on the 21st Inst.

James Comerford P. V. Ch.
 M. B. Byrne
 Esq. S. M. J.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

the _____ day of _____ 186

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 18____
—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. _____

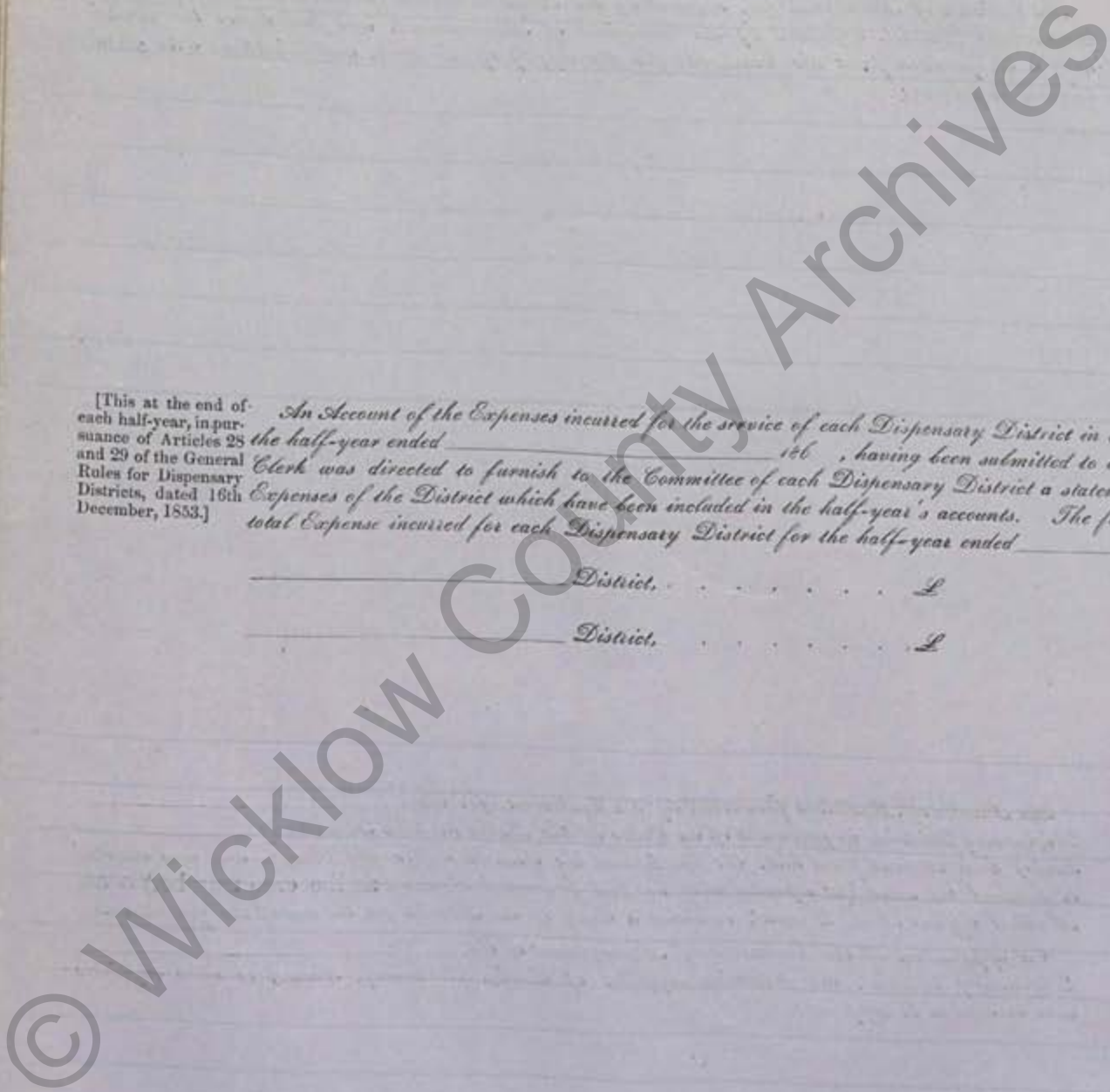
for _____

: Amount £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 18th December, 1853.]

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

_____ District.	£ _____
_____ District.	£ _____



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

The Board elected the following Deute-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):

Local Letter from _____
stating that _____

dated _____

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Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1851, 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £ 130349.12

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of October 1862

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	743															
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,	80															
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	823															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			7	63	55	69	10	12	30	14	47	307	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital,	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates,	11	10
Admitted during the Week,			2	3	2	1	"	"	1	1	2	12	Total,	Total,	21	
TOTAL,			9	66	57	70	10	12	31	15	49	319				
Discharged during the Week,			2	1	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	5				
Died,			"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	1	1	2	"	"	"	"	"	6				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			7	65	56	68	10	12	31	15	49	313				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 18 day of October authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	No.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
I.	21	65	William Manning.	
II.	17	29	Robert Manning.	
III.	24	47	George Tuke.	
IV.	10	11	Patrick Moran.	
TOTAL,	72	152		

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 21st day of October 1862

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

There was no meeting this day only one guardian James Bennett Esq in attendance

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named, having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 2 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 Leger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

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

Laid during the week,	£236: - : -
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And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was	£232: 3 : 3
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The Book was signed by the Chairman.	£464: 14 : 2
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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.		
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle Upper,							152	5	6					
	„ Lower,							47	8	5					
	Kilcoole,							99	12	2					
	Altadore,							68	18	9					
	Killiskey,							60	.	5					
										428	5	3	428	5	3
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,							18	8	10					
	Calary,							19	7	5					
	Brockagh,							48	.	6					
	Ballycullan,							16	17	6					
	Oldtown,							58	9	7					
	Togher,							34	3	4					
	Moneytown,							27	8	2					
										222	15	4	222	15	4
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,							486	6	10					
	Glanealy,							168	1	1					
										654	7	11	654	7	11
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown East,							78	8	6					
	„ West,							125	9	5					
	„ South,							164	10	11					
										368	8	10	368	8	10
JOSEPH WEBB,	Ennoreilly,							67	6	5					
	Kilbride,							79	5	.					
										146	11	5	146	11	5
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,							631	10	5					
								631	10	5			631	10	5
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,							62	6	1					
	Ballyarthur,							111	14	8					
	Ovoca,	136	.	.				166	14	4					
		136	.	.	136	.				340	15	1	340	15	1
WILLIAM SMITH,	Rathdrum,	57	9	.				314	12	11					
	Knockrath,	5	.	.				93	19	11					
	Trooperstown,	8	.	.				45	16	11					
	Ballinderry,	4	.	.				19	12	7					
	Ballinaclash,	16	11	.				104	17	8					
	Ballinacor,	7	.	.				110	4	9					
	Aughrim,	2	.	.	100	.		113	19	.			853	3	9
	Totals.				236	.						345	15	.	

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

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

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

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

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

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

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was

Average cost in Infirmary,

Average cost in Fever Hospital,

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

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

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

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

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

In Money, -	£ . s. d.
In Kind, -	7 . 14 . 10
Total, -	7 . 14 . 10

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

James Comerford D. V. L.
 Math. Byrne
 Wm. B. Dwyer

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.
No. I.	William Manning.	
No. II.	Robert Manning.	
No. III.	George Tuke.	
No. IV.	Patrick Moran.	
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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

£ s. d.

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The Reports of Medical Officers were read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

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

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

the _____ day of _____ 186

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 18____
—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 Officers of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

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

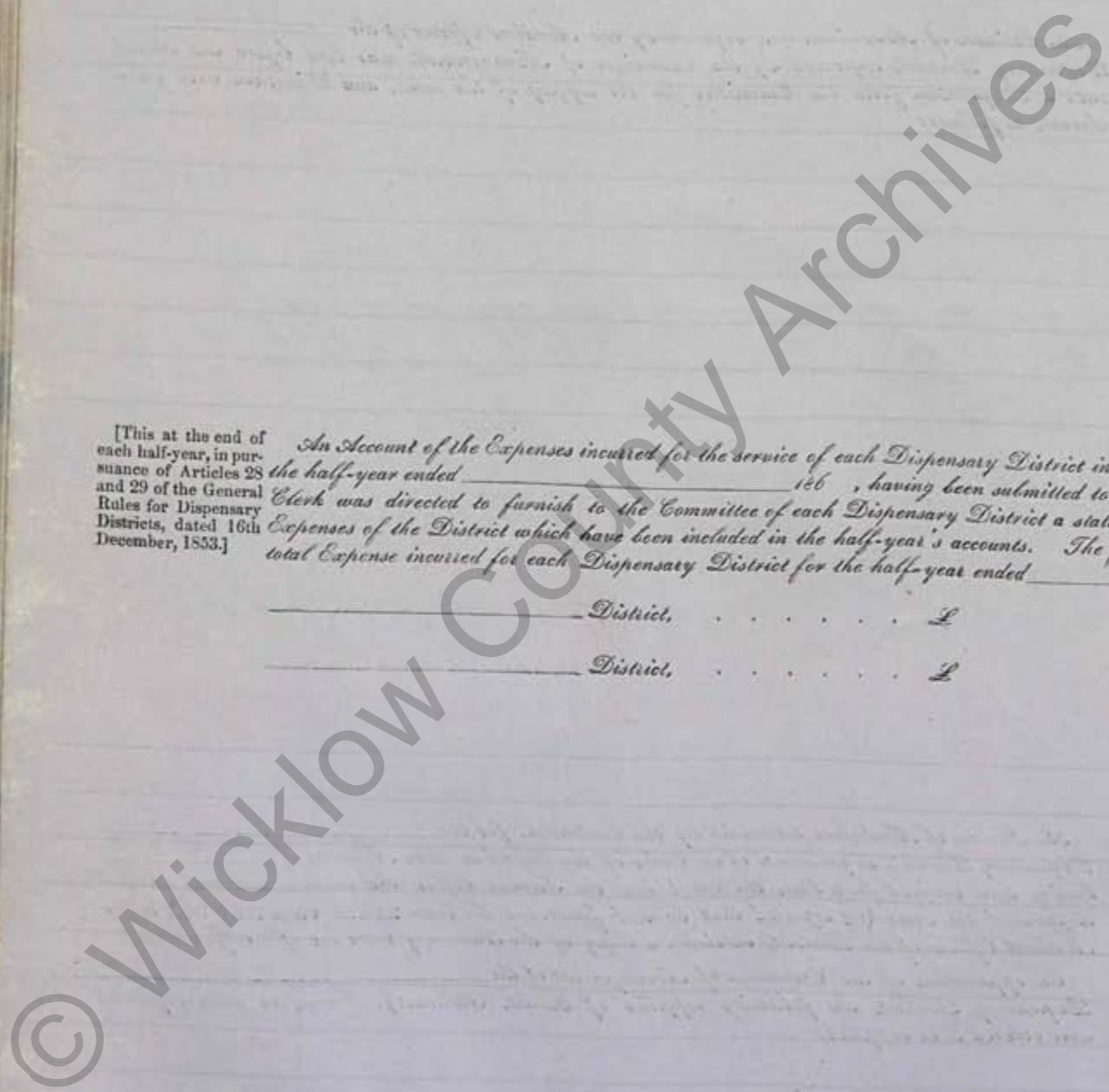
The following Accounts of expenses, (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

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

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

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

_____ District,	£
_____ District,	£



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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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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 _____

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(Signed)

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(Special.)

RATHDRUM UNION.

281

Population in 1851, *47861*

Present Net Annual Value, £*180349.12*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *25th* day of *October* 186*2*

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	<i>743</i>	<i>311</i>														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,	<i>30</i>	<i>21</i>														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	<i>823</i>	<i>328</i>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			<i>7</i>	<i>65</i>	<i>56</i>	<i>68</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>49</i>	<i>313</i>	In Work-house } <i>58</i> Hospital, } In Fever } Hospital, } <i>4</i> TOTAL, } <i>12</i>	In separate } <i>11</i> Wards, } In Wards } with other } Inmates, } <i>10</i> TOTAL, } <i>21</i>		
Admitted during the Week,			<i>11</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>2</i>	"	"	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>35</i>				
TOTAL,			<i>18</i>	<i>76</i>	<i>58</i>	<i>68</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>34</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>53</i>	<i>348</i>				
Discharged during the Week,			<i>5</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>1</i>	"	"	<i>1</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>19</i>				
Died,			"	"	"	<i>1</i>	"	"	"	"	"	<i>1</i>				
Total Discharged and Dead,			<i>5</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	"	<i>1</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>20</i>				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			<i>13</i>	<i>71</i>	<i>57</i>	<i>67</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>50</i>	<i>328</i>				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *25th* day of *October* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 19 Viet. c. 31, s. 1.		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	<i>21</i>	<i>15</i>	William Manning.
No. II.	<i>17</i>	<i>27</i>	Robert Manning.
No. III.	<i>23</i>	<i>34</i>	George Tuke.
No. IV.	<i>10</i>	<i>11</i>	Patrick Moran.
TOTAL,	<i>71</i>	<i>147</i>	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Tuesday* the *28th* day of *October* 186*2*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *James Comerford Esq.*
 Other Guardians: *Andrew W. Payne Esq., Messrs. M. Law, B. Stallo, Mathew A. Jones, Edward P. Edge, S. Boule, James Fogarty, Michael Byrne, Patrick Gaskin, William Shemps, John Chapman, John Woodroffe & Valentine*

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. 21.

John Watson of Ballees in the Parish of Glanealy
and Bridget Connor of Glanealy Parish of Glanealy

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 484 to No. 493, 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. 1, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

Paid during the week, £253: 2: 5

And that the Balance on the Account ~~in~~ of the Guardians was £172: 3: 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £525: 12: 11

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.
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle Upper,	48	12	.				103	13	6			
	" Lower,	31	7	.				16	1	5			
	Kilcoole,	57	14	.				41	18	2			
	Altidore,	.	.	.				18	18	9			
	Killiskey,	23	19	.				36	1	5			
		161	12	.	161	12	.	266	13	3	266	13	3
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,	2	10	.				15	18	10			
	Calary,	2	.	.				17	7	5			
	Brockagh,	13	10	.				34	10	6			
	Ballycullan,	2	.	.				14	17	6			
	Oldtown,	19	.	.				39	9	7			
	Togher,	1	.	.				33	3	4			
	Moneytown,	.	.	.				27	8	2			
		40	.	.	40	.	.	182	15	4	182	15	4
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,							486	6	10			
	Glancealy,							168	1	1			
								654	7	11	654	7	11
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown East,	14	10	.				63	18	6			
	" West,	7	15	.				117	14	5			
	" South,	29	5	.				135	5	11			
		51	10	.	51	10	.	316	18	10	316	18	10
JOSEPH WEBB,	Enneretly,							67	6	5			
	Kilbride,							79	5	.			
								146	11	5	146	11	5
THOMAS BIRYHISTLE,	Arklow,							631	10	5	631	10	5
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,							62	6	1			
	Ballyarthur,							111	14	8			
	Ovoca,							166	14	4			
								340	15	1	340	15	1
WILLIAM SMITH,	Rathdrum,							314	12	11			
	Knockrath,							93	19	11			
	Trooperstown,							45	16	11			
	Ballinderry,							69	12	7			
	Ballinaclesh,							104	17	8			
	Ballinacor,							110	4	9			
	Aughrim,							113	19	"	853	3	9
	Totals,				253	3	2				3392	16	-

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 Treasurers and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

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 £25 . 7 s. 4 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	£	s.	d.
	25	7	4
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	41	4	9

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was

Average cost in Infirmary,

Average cost in Fever Hospital,

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

1200 Louns, white Bread 2½ cwt	7½ cwt Pitch ½ doz Axes
1000 " Mown or Dr	2½ doz Shoe Oil
240 lbs Meat	Fire Lights 3/-
72 Sheeps Heads	2 Fire Shovels
370 lbs Butter	Cocoa fibre Beds to be repaired
420 lbs New Milk	Patent Cloths Dr
12½ lbs Butter	4 doz Port wine
20 doz Potatoes	200 Quarts Lin 200 pint Tin
1 Hide Bull 1 Hide Hup Leather	36 Nurses Tins
5000 Nail Nails	6 Coal Boxes
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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.
	7	12	4
In Kind,	✓	✓	✓
Total,	7	12	4

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.
No. I.	William Manning,	10 ✓
No. II.	Robert Manning,	
No. III.	George Tuke,	10-0-0
No. IV.	Peter Patrick Moran,	2-0-0
TOTAL,		22-0-0

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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

£ s. d.

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The Master

The Reports of Medical Officers were read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

Gentlemen

28th Oct 1862

According to your instructions I called at the Royal Military Hospital Phoenix Park Dublin to make enquiries with reference to the Clothing used in that institution for Convalescent Patients, the Cost per Suit does not exceed 25/- and consists of Cap, Long Coat, Vest and Trowsers all of which are made of a heavy blue Woolen Serge, the Vests are made with Sleeves, and Lanes, as are Sackets during the Summer Months.

J. Flower Master

Approved the Master to order the Material same as the above and get them made up

A New Window Frame required for one of the Male Wards in wing building
Order to be done

On the Night the 28th Instant 6 able bodied Male Paupers, applied for lodging and owing to the severity of the Night was admitted and in accordance with the rules of the Commissioners, they were directed on Monday Morning to go to work which they refused to do, I then ordered them the diet for those not working

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

which they refused to take I then directed them to go to work and that they should get the full diet and they again refused using threats, which they intimated would be put in practice if their wishes were not complied with before 5 Minutes. Some of their expressions was that they would spill Blood and by J— they would not work, John Sutton and inmate incited them in their conduct. they also forced the Lock of the Male Reformatory Ward, under these circumstances, I considered it my duty to bring all the parties before A. W. Byrne Esq. who committed them to Wicklow Goal to be brought up at the next Petty Sessions at Rathobruin.

Their ages varied from 18 to 30 years all well able to earn their Bread if only inclined to do so, and I beg to add that I do not remember at any time within the last Ten years, so great a number of idle vagabonds going through the County as within the last 6 Months, all able bodied but following no honest course of conduct under these circumstances, I was induced to address the Poor Law Commissioners on the Subject, a Copy of my Letter with their Reply I take the Liberty of laying before you

(Signed) J. Flower Master.

The Board approved of the course adopted by the Master in the above report

The Master's Letter to the Commissioners, above referred to together with their Reply, was read by the ~~Board~~ Clerk

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

Order Dated 10th Oct Ordering and declaring the Qualification necessary for every Medical Officer of a ^{Workhouse} District who may be appointed after the above date

Order Dated the 10 Oct with regulations relating to the Relief Orphan and Deserted Children,

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:)

Circular N^o 186 M Miscellaneous Dated 11th Instant calling the attention of the Returning Officers to those provisions of the recent Poor Law Amendment Act (25 & 26 Victoria Cap 83) which relate to the Election of Guardians and to the qualification for the Office of Guardian

Circular N^o 187 M 12 Miscellaneous enclosing the order above referred to containing Regulations as to Orphan and deserted Children

Letter N^o 215 23 Dated 16th Instant forwarding to be laid before the Board of Guardians an extract from the Minutes of proceedings of the Board of Guardians of the Gorey Union on the 14th Instant relating to the case of a Poor woman named Mary Curran who with her illegitimate child made application for Relief, and was admitted to the Workhouse of that Union stating that she had been an inmate of the Workhouse of Rathfriland Union during the 3 previous months, where her child was born, and that she was discharged therefrom on the ground that she belonged to the Gorey Union. The Commissioners request that they may be furnished with the observation of the Board of Guardians on the subject

In reply to the above letter Mary Curran & child was discharged by the Master of the Workhouse at his own request (and not a stated

by the Guardians) ~~as stated~~ on Thursday the 2nd Instant, she was again admitted into this Workhouse on the 7th Instant and is now a inmate of this Workhouse

Letter N^o 22506 Dated 20th Instant stating that the Commissioners have had before ^{the} Guardians Minutes of their Decision on the 14th Instant in reply to the Letter of the 13th Instant relating to the proposed dismissal of Mr Patrick Moran from the Office of Relieving Officer and the arrangements made for the discharge of the duties of Relieving Officer during Mr Moran's illness. The Commissioners have to observe that they have not received any observation from the Guardians with regard to the contemplated removal by the Commissioners of Mr Moran from his Office of Relieving Officer and they desire to inform the ~~Board~~ Board of Guardians that they will issue the Order dismissing Mr Moran after the next Meeting of the Board in the absence of any expression of opinion by the Guardians or the Resignation of that Officer.

In reply to the above Letter one of the Guardians Mr. Michael Byrne states that Mr Moran's Resignation would be forwarded by next Board day as he was still unable to attend

Circular N^o 192 Dated 22nd Instant enclosing a New Form of Weekly Return of Poor Relief with reference to the recent Act 25 & 26 Victoria Cap 83 which embraces the different Classes relieved under the several Poor Relief Acts and which the Clerk is to furnish weekly to the Commissioners

Agreeable to Notice served on the Clerk on this day fortnight the Board proceeded to consider his claim for services under the Parliamentary Votes Act.

Proposed by Andrew W. Byrne Esq. and seconded by Mr. M. H. Jones that the Clerk of the Union be paid Twenty five Pounds for his services under the Parliamentary Votes Act for the year 1862
Passed Unanimously

The following report was read from the Master of the Workhouse
Lynterew
I attended for 3 days last week at the Wicklow Quarter Sessions in the Civil Bell Case, against Patrick Kelly of Dalystown

and James Farrell of Glasnevin for the Maintenance of the 4 Illegitimate Children a point of Law was raised by your Attorney Mr. Toomey as to whether the Act is retrospective which he maintained was the case, the Assistant Barister observed that the plain reading of the Act implied that the corroborative evidence should be given before the Justices at Petty Sessions, under these circumstances the cases were postponed until next quarter Sessions, the parentage of the Children were admitted

A Letter was read from Mr. John Sutton Rathfriland stating that he cashed a check for Mr. Abank drawn by the Board on the 30th ultimo in favor of the latter for £18.0.8 and that the check was lost and payment was stopped at the Bank, and that no person has presented it for payment since Mr. Sutton requested the Board to give him a duplicate, The Clerk was directed to draw a duplicate check for the above amount £18.0.8

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday*
the *4th* day of *Nov* 1862
(Signed) *[Signature]*
Clerk of the Union

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Rathfriland
UNION, on Tues day, the 28th day of October 1862
—continued.

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

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

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

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

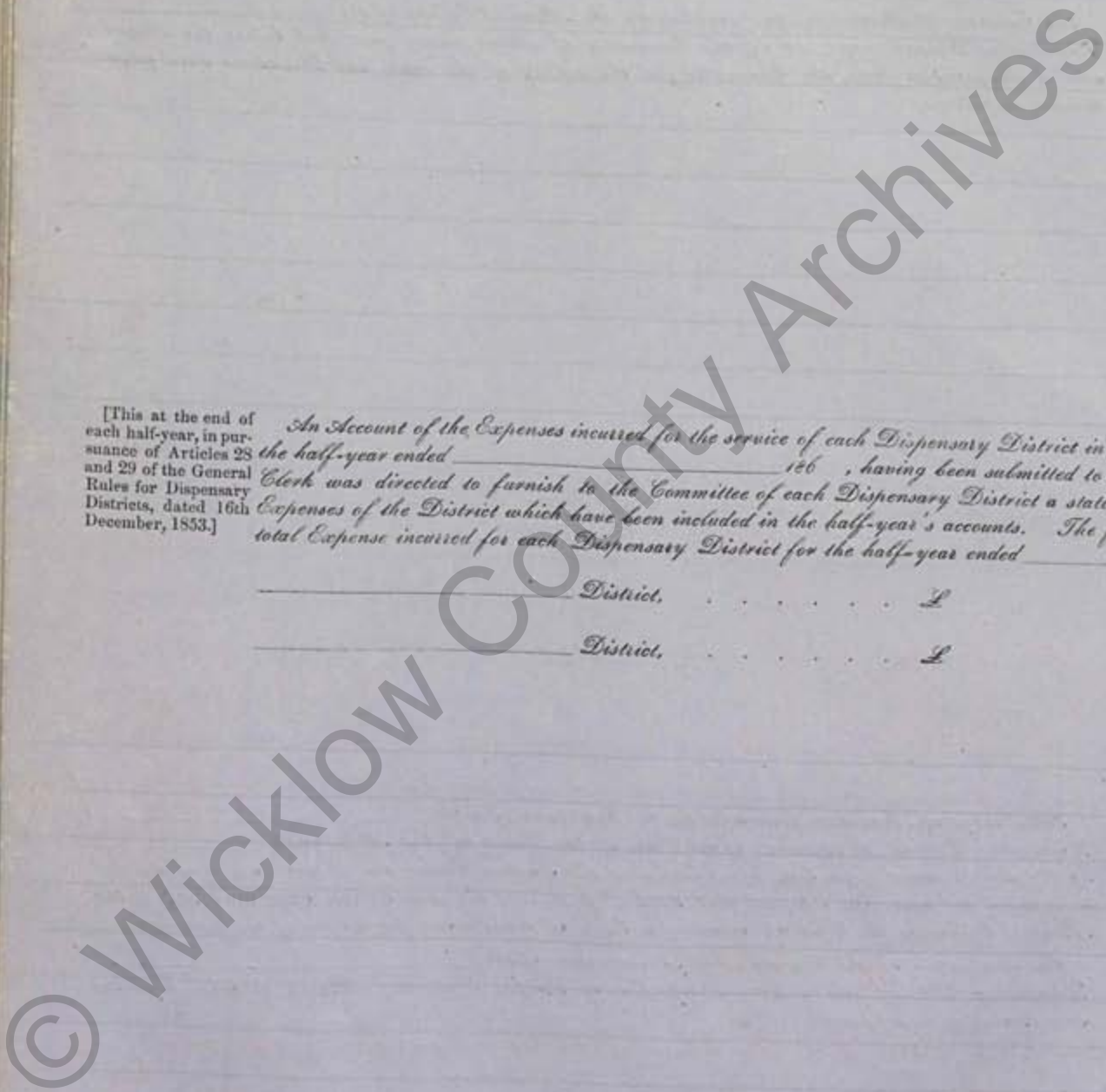
The following Accounts of expenses, (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

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

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

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

_____ District, £ _____
_____ District, £ _____



[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, No. _____ of _____

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

Order dated 10th October _____ (state subject.)

Ordering and declaring the qualifications necessary for every Medical Officer of a Dispensary District who may be appointed after the date of this Order

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

Read Circular 1188 Dated 14th ~~th~~ Instant
 stating that

Setting forth the qualification necessary ^{to qualify} for Medical Officers of Dispensary Districts

Ann L. Hyne, Chairman
 James Comerford
 Owen Fogarty

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1851. 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £130349 12

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14 day of November 1862

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	743	317														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,	80	44														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	823	321														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			13	71	57	67	10	13	31	16	50	328	In Workhouse Hospital, 46	In separate Wards, 11		
Admitted during the Week,			18	11	2	1	1	"	"	"	3	36	In Fever Hospital, 44	In Wards with other inmates, 10		
TOTAL,			31	82	59	68	11	13	31	16	53	364	Total, 50	Total, 21		
Discharged during the Week,			18	12	"	"	1	2	"	3	5	41				
Died,			"	"	2	"	"	"	"	"	1	2				
Total Discharged and Dead,			18	12	2	"	1	2	"	3	5	43				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			13	70	57	68	10	11	31	13	48	321				

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	22	70	William Manning.
No. II.	14	17	Robert Manning.
No. III.	24	44	George Tuke.
No. IV.	10	16	Patrick Moran.
TOTAL,	70	147	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 4th day of November 1862

PRESENT: In the Chair, Andrs Webb Esq
Other Guardians: James Conroy Esq, Messrs George Manning, J. Boulton and Owen Fogarty

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. 4914 to No. 4920, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. — to No. —, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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

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

Baid during the week, - - - - - £282 : 13 : 1

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £35 : 16 : 8

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £792 : 9 : 4

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.
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle Upper,	"	"	"				103	13	6			
	" Lower,	16	1	5				16	1	5			
	Kilcoole,	15	9	.				20	9	2			
	Altadore,	16	12	.				52	6	9			
	Killiskey,	23	5	.				12	16	5			
		71	7	5	71	7	5	195	5	10	195	5	10
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,							15	18	10			
	Calary,							17	7	5			
	Brockagh,							34	10	6			
	Ballycullan,							14	17	6			
	Oldtown,							32	9	7			
	Togher,							40	3	4			
	Moneystown,							27	8	2			
							182	15	4	182	15	4	
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	21	9	8				44	17	2			
	Glanealy,	27	7	.				140	14	1			
		48	16	8	48	16	8	405	11	3	405	11	3
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown East,							63	18	6			
	" West,							117	14	5			
	" South,							135	5	11			
							316	18	10	316	18	10	
JOSEPH WEBB,	Enneretilly,	20	19	8				46	6	9			
	Kilbride,	39	19	4				39	5	8			
		60	19	.	60	19	.	85	12	5	85	12	5
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,	71	10	.				560	.	5			
		71	10	.	71	10	.	560	.	5	560	.	5
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,							62	6	1			
	Ballyarthur,							111	14	8			
	Ovoca,							166	14	4			
							340	15	1	340	15	1	
WILLIAM SMITH,	Rathdrum,	10	.	.				304	12	11			
	Knockrath,	20	.	.				73	19	11			
	Trooperstown,							45	16	11			
	Ballinderry,							69	12	7			
	Ballinaclash,							104	17	8			
	Ballinacor,							110	4	9			
	Aughrim,							113	19	.			
					30	.	.	823	3	9	823	3	9
	Totals,				282	18	1				3110	2	11

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

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

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 £ 37 . 10s . 2d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	£ 37 . 10 . 2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	41 . 2 . 3
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account,	
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2/0
Average cost in Infirmary,	9/2
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	3/4

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

630 Lbns White Bread	200 Rings
560 - Brown do	50 pairs Blue Kels
10 cwt Oatmeal	300 yds Linsey
140 gals Buttermilk	150 yds Flannel
230 gals New Milk	150 Bengal Stripes
6 lbs Butter	1 Soap pot
12 1/2 lbs Meat	12 pair Men Shoes
36 Sheep Heads	1 Pair Trowsers for Porter
2 cwt Sugar	
7 lbs Lump Sugar	
30 lbs Tea	

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, -	£ 7 . 12 . 4
In Kind, -	7 . 12 . 4
Total, -	7 . 12 . 4

Credit each Relieving Officers as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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 OFFICER	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.
No. I.	William Manning,	10 —
No. II.	Robert Manning,	10 —
No. III.	George Tuke,	
No. IV.	Patrick Moran,	
TOTAL,		20 —

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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

Arthur John Devey	Soup Biscuits	£	s.	d.
Dennis Chase	Thaw	16	7	
		5	5	

In favour of Clerk to pay				
Daniel Farrell	Coffers	1	16	"
Patrick Moran	Coinage	"	8	6
Isaac Flower	Expenses to Dublin	"	11	"
do do	Chester	"	10	4
Joseph Scott	Repz Porten Shoes	"	4	"
Dennis Doyle	Mason Work	"	16	"
Mr Turner	Coppage	1	9	7
		5	15	5

Arthur Abank	for services under Parliamentary Votes Act	£	s.	d.
		25	"	"

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The Reports of Medical Officers were read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

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

4 Nov 1862

Gentlemen

I have to report that on the 26th Ultimo a dumb boy named James Dingley aged 12 years was sent to the Workhouse by order of Charles Fitzgerald Esq J.P. he having been found by the Police wandering about the Churches and in a destitute condition, I sent a description of him to the Roman Catholic Institution for Dumb boys at Cebra County Dublin and the Clerical Governor of that Institution came here on Friday last and took charge of him he having absconded from same about one month previous, enquiries were made in all directions where it was supposed he might have gone but without effect he having it appears taken quite a different direction to that from which he came namely Castle corner Workhouse

(Signed) Isaac Flower
Master

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, in the following effect, (or Orders made on them respectively, as follows:)

Circular N^o 200 M 62 Dated 1st Instant
Calling on the Clerk for a Return of the Rates made any New Rates agreed upon in the Union for the Month of October

Letter N^o 23646 Dated 7th Instant Sanctioning the payment of £25 to the Clerk of the Union for his Services under the Parliamentary Vote Act

The following letter was read from Mr Patrick Moran Relieving Officer
Gentlemen

I beg to resign the Office of Relieving Officer to your Union up to this date held by me

Your Obedt Servant
(Signed) Patrick Moran

Newton Wth Kennedy

November 24th 1862

Mr Moran's Resignation was accepted by the Board and the following order was made

Ordered that the Clerk shall call a Special Meeting of the Guardians on this day fortnight for the purpose of deciding what steps shall be taken to fill up the vacancy

Caused by the Resignation of Mr Moran, as some of the Guardians
have expressed an opinion that three Receiving Officers will be
sufficient to perform the duties of the Union

And T. P. Byrne Chairman
James Comerford
Walter B. Bawth

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

the _____ day of _____ 186

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 18____
—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 Mrs.

for

: Amount £

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

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

_____ District.	£
_____ District.	£

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

The Board elected the following Deute-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):

*Recd Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that _____*

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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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(Special.)

RATHDRUM UNION.

321

Population in 1851 *47861*

Present Net Annual Value, £230*49.12*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *8th* day of *November* 186*2*

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	<i>743</i>	<i>334</i>														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,	<i>80</i>	<i>14</i>														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	<i>823</i>	<i>338</i>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			<i>13</i>	<i>70</i>	<i>57</i>	<i>68</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>48</i>	<i>321</i>	In Work-house Hospital, <i>58</i>	In separate Wards, <i>11</i>		
Admitted during the Week,			<i>8</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>4</i>	"	"	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>37</i>	In Fever Hospital, <i>4</i>	In Wards with other Inmates, <i>10</i>		
TOTAL,			<i>21</i>	<i>85</i>	<i>61</i>	<i>68</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>32</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>52</i>	<i>358</i>	Total, <i>62</i>	Total, <i>21</i>		
Discharged during the Week,			<i>4</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>1</i>	"	"	"	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>8</i>				
Died,					<i>2</i>	"	"	"	"	"		<i>2</i>				
Total Discharged and Dead,			<i>4</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>3</i>				<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>10</i>				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			<i>17</i>	<i>77</i>	<i>58</i>	<i>68</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>31</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>49</i>	<i>338</i>				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *8* day of *Nov* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Number of cases relieved	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	<i>22</i>	<i>71</i>		William Manning.
	<i>16</i>	<i>31</i>		Robert Manning.
	<i>23</i>	<i>39</i>		George Tuke.
	<i>10</i>	<i>16</i>		Patrick Moran.
TOTAL,	<i>71</i>	<i>157</i>		

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Tuesday* the *11th* day of *November* 186*2*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *A. W. Ryan Esq*
Other Guardians: *Sam. Comerford Esq, Messrs S. Bonked & Valentine*
W. Gilbert Esq & Michael Ryan

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. 1192 to No. 1200, 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. V to No. V, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £179: 19: -

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* of the Guardians was £139: 7: 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £833: 7: 1

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.	
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle Upper,							103	13	6				
	" Lower,							.	.	.				
	Kilcoole,							26	9	2				
	Altidore,							52	6	9				
	Killiskey,							12	16	5				
											195	5	10	
											195	5	10	
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,							15	18	10				
	Calary,							17	7	5				
	Brockagh,							34	10	6				
	Ballycullan,							14	17	6				
	Oldtown,							32	9	7				
	Togher,							40	3	4				
	Moneystown,							27	8	2				
											182	15	24	
											182	15	24	
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	103	4	.				361	13	2				
	Glanealy,	10	10					130	4	1				
		113	14	.	113	14	.	491	17	3	491	17	3	
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown East,	9						54	18	6				
	" West,	27	5					90	9	5				
	" South,	30						105	5	11				
		66	5	.	66	5	.	250	13	10	250	13	10	
SCOTT WEBB, <i>J. Amesty</i>	Ennerally,							46	6	9				
	Kilbride,							39	5	8				
								85	12	5	85	12	5	
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,							560	.	6				
								560	.	6	560	.	6	
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,							62	6	1				
	Ballyarthur,							111	14	8				
	Ovoca,							166	14	4				
											340	15	7	
											340	15	7	
WILLIAM SMITH,	Rathdrum,							304	12	11				
	Knockrath,							73	19	11				
	Trooperstown,							45	16	11				
	Ballinderry,							69	12	7				
	Ballinaclesh,							104	17	8				
	Ballinacoor,							110	4	9				
	Anghrim,							113	19	.			823	3	9
											2930	3	11	
											2930	3	11	
	Totals.							179	19	.				

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

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

The 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 £37 H s. 9 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	37	4	9
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	41	19	8
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2	4	
Average cost in Infirmary,	3	2	
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	1	4	2

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

630 Loaves, White Bread	14 Dozens for Clothes
560 - Brown do	
230 galls, New Milk	
6 lbs Butter	
140 galls, Buttermilk	
124 lb Meat	
36 Sheep's Heads	

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, - - - - -	7	10	10
In Kind, - - - - -	✓	2	0
Total, - - - - -	7	10	10

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.
No. I.	William Manning,			
No. II.	Robert Manning,			
No. III.	George Take,			
No. IV.	Patrick Moran,			3.0.0
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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

£ s. d.

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The Reports of Medical Officers were read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

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

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

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

Letter N^o 201 Dated 29th Instant Calling on the Clerk for a Return of Union Officers

Circular N^o 22910 Dated 3rd Instant gives the Returning Officer further instructions with reference to Claims to Vote

Letter N^o 205 Dated 7th Instant Calling on the Clerk to forward the several Returns due up to the above date showing the progress made in Collection of the Rate

The Clerk applies for leave of absence for two days granted

Arthur Payne
 Charles Martineau
 Geo. Warrington
 John Carter

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday*
the *18* day of *Nov* 186 *2*
(Signed) *Arthur O'Connell*
Clerk of the Union.

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(No. 27.)

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Rathfriland
UNION, on Tuesday, the 11th day of November 1862
—continued.

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

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

The Clerk laid before the Board Report of the Number of persons
vaccinated by Dr Paul's Medical Office of Ashford
Dispensary District amounting to £30. 0. 0

The Clerk stated that this list was forwarded to him
3 weeks since but he had returned it for correction to Dr
Paul, and that he would examine the ~~list~~^{list} and have it
ready for payment next Board day as there was some
of the parties charged who resided out of Dr Paul's District
that should be disallowed.

*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 Officers 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:*

Archd Byrnie Chairman of the
Geo. Mansfield
John Oulton

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

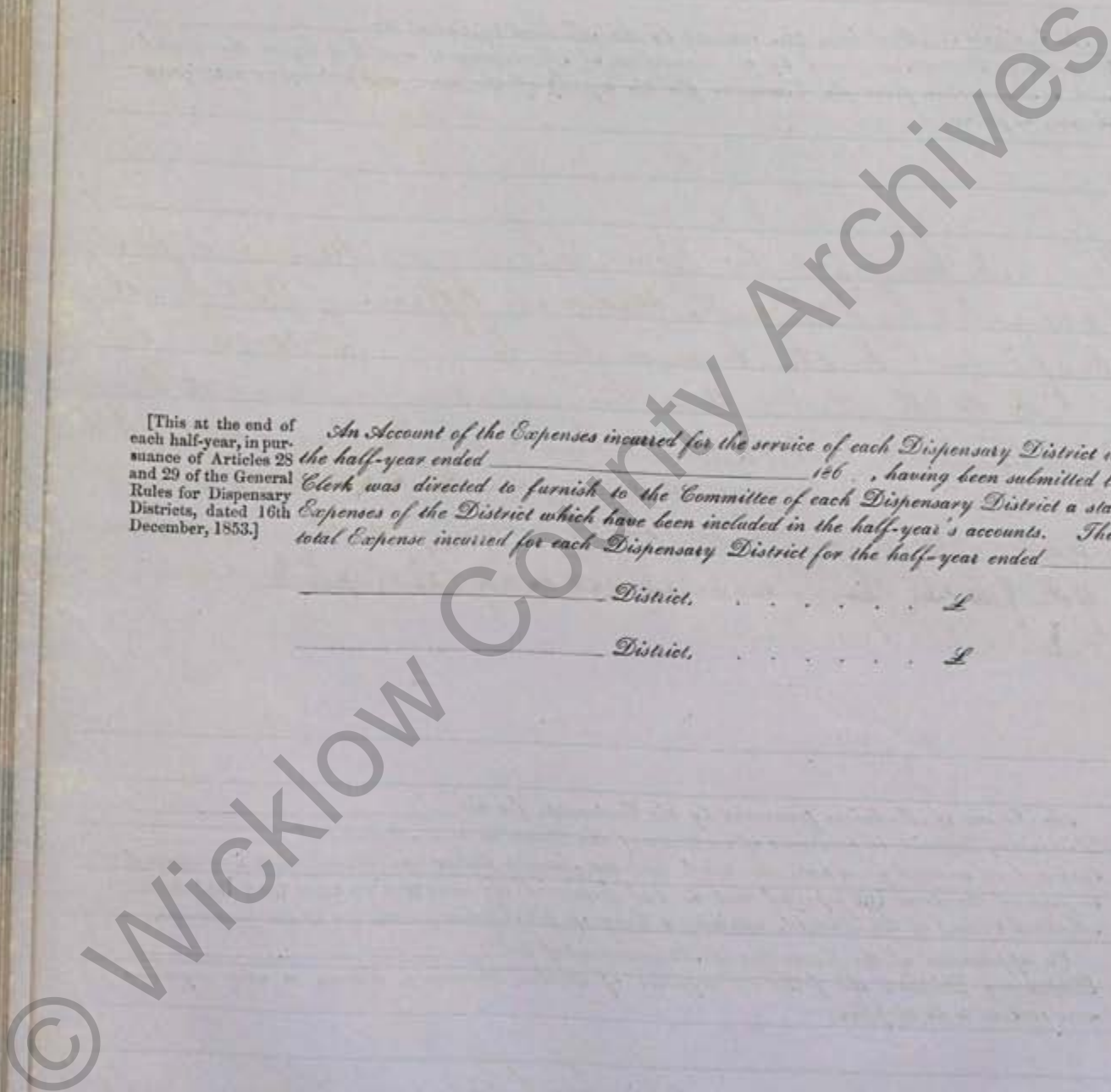
Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £

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

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

_____ District.	£
_____ District.	£



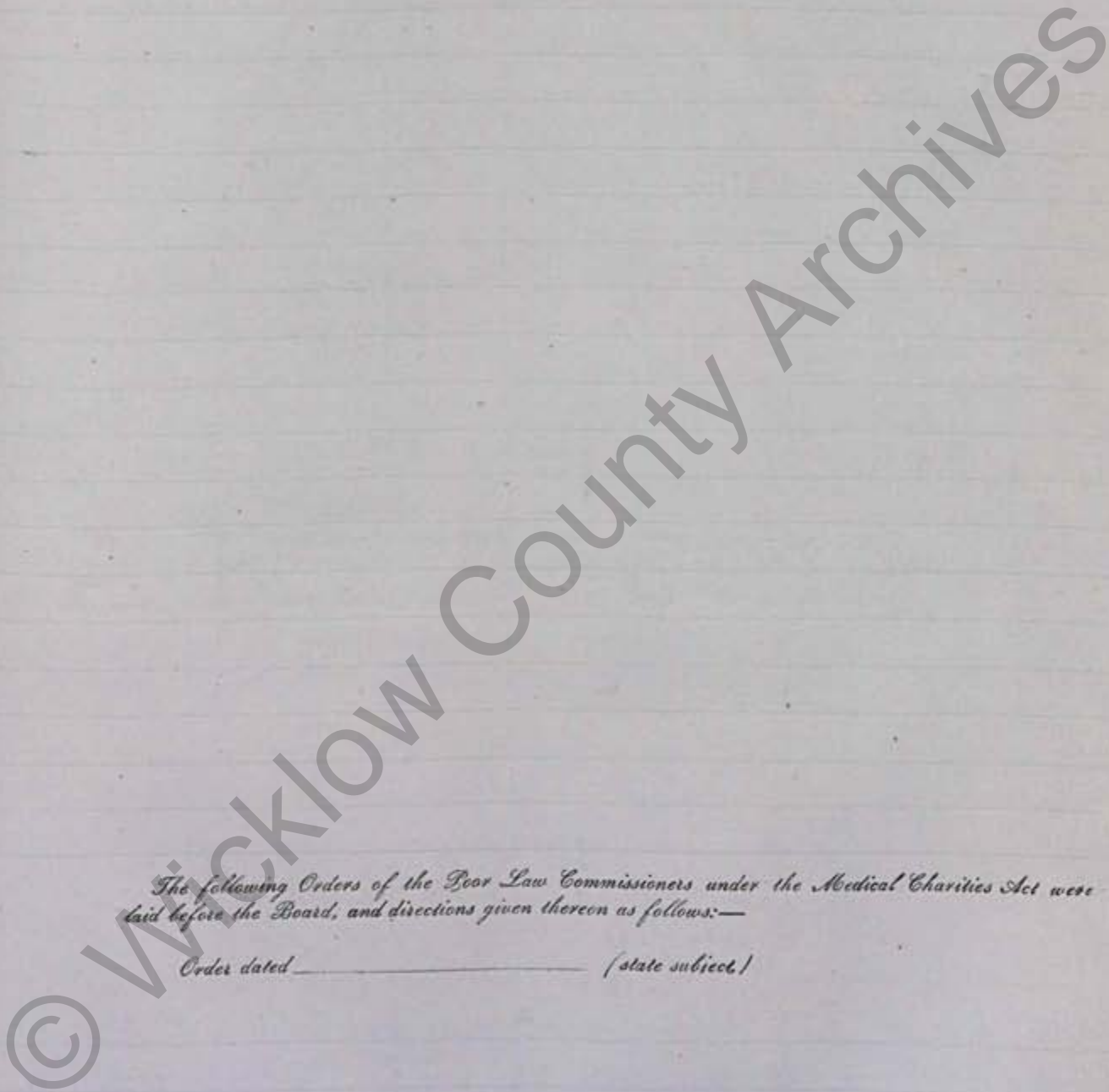
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)



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

Recd Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that _____

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(Signed) Arthur Sparke
Clerk of the Union.

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RATHDRUM UNION.

341

Population in 1851, 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £130,349.12

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of November 1862

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 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	743	352														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,	80	6														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	823	358														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			17	77	58	18	10	12	31	16	49	338	In Work-house Hospital, 62	In separate Wards, 11		
Admitted during the Week,			17	9	5	"	1	1	1	1	2	37	In Fever Hospital, 6	In Wards with other Inmates, 10		
TOTAL,			34	86	63	68	11	13	32	17	51	375	Total, 68	Total, 21		
Discharged during the Week,			7	7	1	"	"	"	"	"	1	16				
Died,			7	7								1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			7	7	1							2				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			27	79	62	48	11	13	32	17	49	358				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15th day of Nov. authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 19 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	22	71	William Manning.
No. II.	17	34	Robert Manning.
No. III.	23	39	George Tuke.
No. IV.	10	16	Patrick Moran.
TOTAL,	72	160	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 18th day of November 1862

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. Michl. Ryan

Other Guardians: Messrs. Martin H. Jones, George Manning, John Murphy, A. Condon, A. Valentine, John Acton, Edward Ryan and S. Clarke

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. 21.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1 to No. 30, 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. 1, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 234 : 1 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 19 : 5 : 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £ 1048 : 13 : 1

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.
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle Upper,	35	17	.				67	16	6			
	„ Lower,	.	.	.				.	.	.
	Kilcoole,	.	.	.				26	9	2			
	Altidore,	33	16	.				18	10	9			
	Killiskeey,							12	16	5			
		69	13	.	69	13	.	125	12	10	125	12	10
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,	7	.	.				8	18	10			
	Calary,	10	.	.				7	7	5			
	Brockagh,	12	.	.				22	10	6			
	Ballycullan,	5	.	.				9	17	6			
	Oldtown,	15	.	.				17	9	7			
	Togher,	16	.	.				24	3	4			
	Moneystown,	15	.	.				12	8	2			
			80	.	.	80	.	.	102	15	4	102	15	4
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	12	12	3				349	.	11			
	Glanealy,	22	15	9				107	8	4			
		35	8	.	35	8	.	456	9	3	456	9	3
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown East,							54	18	6			
	„ West,							90	9	5			
	„ South,							105	5	11			
								250	13	10	250	13	10
JOSEPH WEBB, <i>Flamely</i>	Ennersilly,							46	6	9			
	Kilbride,							39	5	8			
								85	12	5	85	12	5
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,							560	.	6			
								560	.	6	560	.	6
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,							62	6	1			
	Ballyarthur,							111	14	8			
	Ovoca,							166	14	4			
								340	15	1	340	15	1
WILLIAM SMITH,	Rathdrum,	11	.	.				293	12	11			
	Knockrath,							73	19	11			
	Trooperstown,							45	16	11			
	Ballinderry,	14	.	.				55	12	7			
	Ballinaclash,							104	17	8			
	Ballinacor,	8	.	.				102	4	9			
	Anghrim,	16	.	.	49	.	.	97	19	.	774	3	9
	Totals,				23	41	.				296	3	0

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £26 17s. 2d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account, £ s. d.
26 . 17 . 2

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 44 . 19 . 6

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

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

Average cost in Infirmary, 3/11

Average cost in Fever Hospital, 4/-

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

- 630 Lower White Bread 100 for Large
- 600 Brown do
- 10 cwt Oatmeal
- 230 gals New Milk
- 6 lbs Butter
- 150 gals Buttermilk
- 130 lbs Meat
- 39 Sheep Heads

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, -	£ 7 . 17 . 10
In Kind, -	
Total, -	7 . 17 . 10

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Believing Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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 Believing Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.
No. I.	William Manning,	
No. II.	Robert Manning,	
No. III.	George Tuks,	10 - -
No. IV.	Patrick Moran,	
TOTAL,		10 - -

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Believing 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

	£	s.	d.
Deputy Chase	7	15	3
Dr A Nolan	2	2	00
Contribution fees			

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The Reports of Medical Officers were read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

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

Gentlemen

There will be a supply of Shoes and Male Clothing
 required about 80 pairs Mens 100 pairs Womens & 50 pairs Childrens
 Shoes 30 Suits Mens & 10 Suits Boys Clothes

(Signed) Isaac Flower
 Master

ordered to be advertised for

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

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

Letter No 24582 Dated 14th Instant stating that the Commissioners have had before them the Weekly Abstracts of Poor Rate Collected and lodged in this Union to the 25th Ultimo and desire to call the attention of the Board of Guardians to the very unsatisfactory state of the Collection, three out of the four Months allowed for the completion thereof having expired while only £306^s has been Collected out of £645^s the amount of the Collectors Warrants,

The Collection is particularly backward in the Districts of Collectors Byrne, Birrhillie and Smith and the two former appear not to have attended for examination of their Books since the 29th September last,

The Commissioners accordingly request the Guardians to call upon these Collectors for an explanation of their neglect of duty in this respect, They also request the Guardians to insist upon a punctual attendance by each Collector at least once in each fortnight as without such regular examination of their Books it is impossible that a proper supervision of the Collection can be kept up,

The Guardians should also require a more active discharge of duty on the part of the several Collectors.

Order on the above the Clerk to write to Collectors Smith, Birrhillie, & Byrne

The Guardians do not think it necessary to press the Collection yet as there is £1048. 13. 1 to their Credit in the Bank and a large Amount will be collected before Christmas as the Tenant Farmers will be all anxious to pay the Rents in order to be allowed in the next Sale of Rent.

Agreeable to Notice served on the Clerk this day fortnight to Consider what Steps should be taken to fill up the Vacancy caused by the Resignation of Mr Pilloran Preliminary Officer.

It was proposed by Mr. H. Jones Esq. & seconded by George Manning Esq. That the Clerk be instructed to advertise for a Preliminary Officer to fill the Vacancy caused by the Resignation of Mr Moran at a Salary of £30 per Annum Election to take place this day three Weeks, Passed Unanimously by

An application was sent from Dr. Astolan Wicklow for payment of his fees for attending a Consultation at the Millhouse recently to assist Dr. Manning in a dangerous Accident Case admitted to the Hospital

Proposed by Mr. A. Condon and seconded by Mr. Bowler Resolved that Doctor Astolan be paid £2. 2. 0 for Consultation fees in attending to assist Dr. Manning in a serious Case of Accidents

And for Payment
 Chairman
 R. H. O. Meeble
 James Comerford

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday*
the *25th* day of *November* 1862

(Signed)

A. M. M. M.
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Rathdown
UNION, on Tues day, the 18th day of November 1862
—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:*

*A list of 83 persons vaccinated by Dr. Sheppard Medical Officer
of the Dunganstown District was laid before the Board this
last Commence'd 27th May last and read the 24th July,
Dr. Sheppard informed the Clerk that he could not get a
Meeting of his Committee to submit the List to*

*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 £ _____

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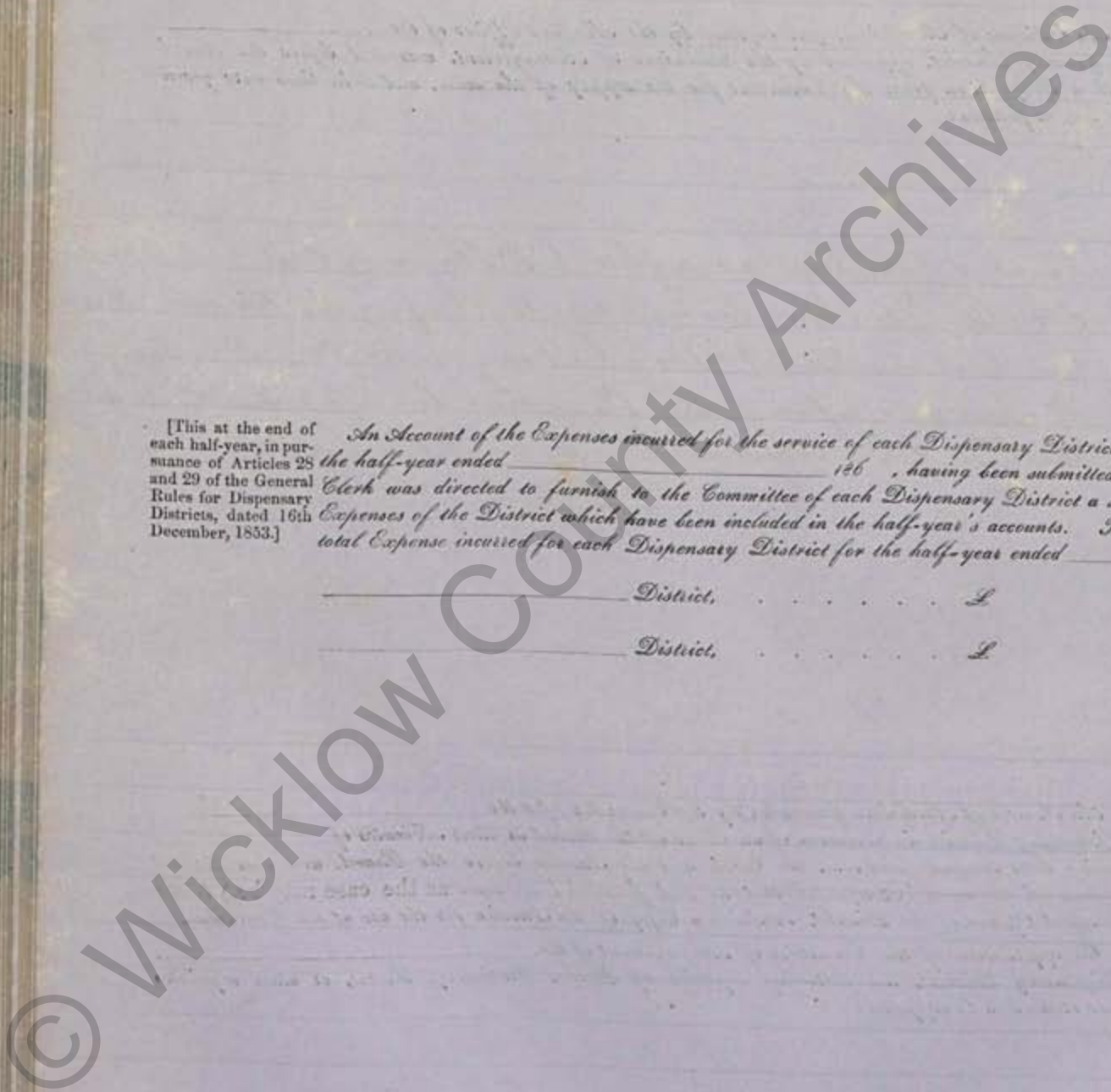
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[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

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

District, £

District, £



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

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

Dispensary District, No. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Second Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 17th Inst. N^o. 24636
stating that

With reference to a Minute of the Guardians of the 11th Instant respecting a Vaccination Report from the Medical Officers of the Ashford Dispensary District, the Commission request to be informed of the period comprised in the Report referred to and whether it had been submitted to the Committee of Management in accordance with Section 3 of the Vaccination Act and Article 3 of the Vaccination Order,

The Commissioners desire at the same time to call the attention of the Guardians to Article 4 of the Vaccination Order

In reply to the above the first case on the list furnished was vaccinated on the 1st March last and the last case on the 31st July last, the total amount of cases furnished is 602.

The list it appears was not submitted to the Committee of Management of the Dispensary District but was forwarded by the Medical Officers to the Clerk for payments

And J. Murray

Chairman
Richard Rawlin

James Comerford

(Signed)

Arthur Whelan
Clerk of the Union.

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RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1851 21784

Present Net Annual Value, £130347.12

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 22 day of November 1862

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	748	847														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,	80	5														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	828	352														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			27	79	62	68	11	13	32	17	49	358	In Work-house Hospital, 72 In Fever Hospital, 5	In separate Wards, 10 In Wards with other inmates, 11		
Admitted during the Week,			5	5	1	4	1	1	1	2	1	21	Total, 77	Total, 21		
TOTAL,			32	84	63	72	12	14	33	19	50	379				
Discharged during the Week,			13	3	3				2	3	2	24				
Died,											1	1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			13	3	3				2	3	3	27				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			19	81	60	72	12	14	31	16	47	352				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 22nd day of November authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		NAME OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	22	71	William Manning.
No. II.	18	39	Robert Manning.
No. III.	23	43	George Take.
No. IV.	12	21	Patrick Moran.
TOTAL,	75	174	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 25th day of November 1862

PRESENT: In the Chair, Other Guardians.

There was no Meeting this day only two present Andrew McBoye and James Conroyford 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. 21.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1 to No. 10, 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. 10, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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

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

Baid during the week, - - - - - £ 282 : 2 : 1

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £ 1328 : 15 : 2

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle Upper,							67	16	6			
	" Lower,												
	Kilcoole,							26	9	2			
	Altidore,							18	10	9			
	Killiskey,							12	16	5			
								125	12	10	125	12	10
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,							8	18	10			
	Calary,							7	7	5			
	Broekagh,							22	10	6			
	Ballycullan,							16	17	6			
	Oldtown,							17	9	7			
	Togher,							17	3	4			
	Moneystown,							12	8	2			
								102	15	7	102	15	7
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	57	12	9				291	8	2			
	Glanealy,	18	7	4				89	1				
		76	1	7	76	1	77	380	9	2	380	9	2
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown East,	5						49	18	6			
	" West,	21	5					69	4	5			
	" South,	46	15					58	10	11			
		73			73			177	13	10	177	13	10
JOSEPH WEBB,	Ennerelly,							16	6	9			
	Kilbride,							39	5	8			
								85	12	5	85	12	5
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,	59	15					500	5	5			
		59	15		59	15		500	5	5	500	5	5
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,	8	8					53	18	1			
	Ballyarthur,	21	19					89	15	8			
	Ovoca,							166	14	4			
		30	7		30	7		310	8	1	310	8	1
WILLIAM SMITH,	Rathdrum,	14						279	12	11			
	Knockrath,							73	19	11			
	Trooperstown,	2						43	16	11			
	Ballinderry,							55	12	7			
	Ballinaclesh,	15						89	17	8			
	Ballinacor,	6						96	4	9			
	Aughrim,	6						91	19		731	3	9
	Totals,				282	2	1		2414	10			

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 30 18s. 1d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	30	18	1
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	43	6	4
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2	4	
Average cost in Infirmary,	3	0	
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	3	8	

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

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

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

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

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

In Money, - - - - -	£	s.	d.
In Kind, - - - - -	8	9	4
Total, - - - - -	8	9	4

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

And in presence
of the
James Connors

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.
No. I.	William Manning, - - - -			
No. II.	Robert Manning, - - - -			
No. III.	George Tuke, - - - -			
No. IV.	Patrick Moran, - - - -			
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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

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The Reports of Medical Officers were read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:


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

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

the _____ day of _____ 186

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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(No. 27.)

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 18____
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District,

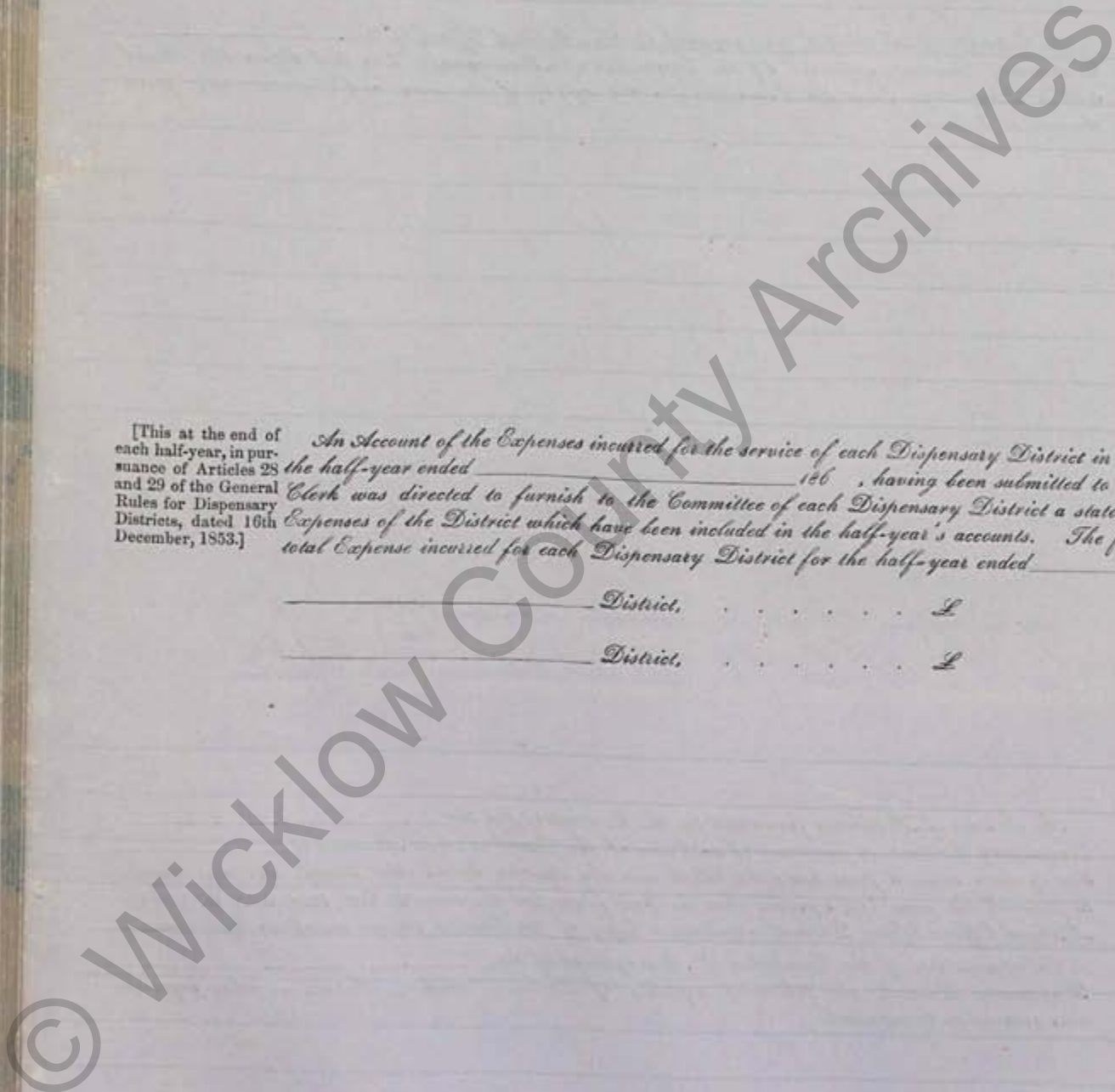
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £

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

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

_____ District, £

_____ District, £



[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, No. _____

of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Recd Letter from _____
stating that

dated _____

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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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RATHDRUM UNION.

381

Population in 1851. 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £130349.12

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 29 day of November 1862

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	743	356														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,	80	5														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	823	361														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			19	81	60	72	12	14	31	16	47	352	In Work-house Hospital, 71 In Fever Hospital, 35	In separate Wards, 11 In Wards with other inmates, 10		
Admitted during the Week,			17	5	2	1	2	1	1	4	2	35	Total, 76	Total, 21		
TOTAL,			36	86	62	73	14	15	32	20	49	338				
Discharged during the Week,			5	7	2	..	1	2	2	4	3	26				
Died,																
Total Discharged and Dead,			5	7	2	..	1	2	2	4	3	26				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			31	79	60	73	13	13	30	16	46	361				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 29 day of November authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	23	72	William Manning.
No. II.	17	36	Robert Manning.
No. III.	24	44	George Tuke.
No. IV.	12	21	Patrick Moran.
TOTAL,	76	173	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 2nd day of December 1862

PRESENT: In the Chair, Andrew McEneaney Esq.
Other Guardians: James Cornerford & Richard Howard Brooke 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 7th & Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 31 to No. 54, 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, - - - - - £262 : 11 : 10

Paid during the week, - - - - - £28 : 10 : 8

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* of the Guardians was £1562 : 14 : 4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged		Total		Remaining		Total	
		£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle Upper,	64	95			3	71		
	„ Lower,	„	„			„	„		
	Kilcoole,	24	169			1	125		
	Altadore,	18	109			„	„		
	Killiskey,	12	111			„	26		
		120	840	120	810	5	44	5	44
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,					8	1810		
	Calary,					7	75		
	Brockagh,					22	106		
	Ballycullan,					16	176		
	Oldtown,					17	97		
	Togher,					17	34		
	Moneystown,					12	82		
						102	154	102	154
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	81	37			210	47		
	Glanealy,	17	211			7	181		
		98	66	98	66	282	28	282	28
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown East,					49	186		
	„ West,					69	45		
	„ South,					58	1011		
						177	1310	177	1310
JOSEPH WEBB,	Ennereilly,					46	69		
	Kilbride,					39	58		
						85	125	85	125
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,	43	166			456	811		
		43	166	43	166	456	811	456	811
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,					53	181		
	Ballyarthur,					89	158		
	Ovoca,					166	144		
						310	81	310	81
WILLIAM SMITH,	Rathdrum,					279	1211		
	Knockrath,					73	1911		
	Trooperstown,					43	1611		
	Ballinderry,					55	127		
	Ballinacash,					89	178		
	Ballinacoor,					96	49		
	Aughrim,					91	19		
	Totals,			212	1110			731	39
								2151	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 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 £ 32 1s. 3 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	32	1	3
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	46	3	3
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2s		
Average cost in Infirmary,	1/8		
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	1/8		

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:

320 Loaves, White Bread	One Hide Butt Leather
320 " Brown do	One Hide Kip do
150 gals Buttermilk	1 Pair Shoes for a pauper
225 gals New Milk	gang to Levee
1 lb Butter	
20 lb Tea	
4 Cut Sugar	
2 gals Whiskey	
114 lb Meal	
36 Sheep, Hen do	
4 Doz Port wine	

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, -	£	8	8	10
In Kind, -	-	-	-	-
Total, -	8	8	10	-

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.
No. I.	William Manning,	12.0.0
No. II.	Robert Manning,	
No. III.	George Tuke,	3.0.0
No. IV.	Patrick Moran,	
TOTAL,		15.0.0

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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

		£	s.	d.	
Patrick Farrell	Collecting Rates				
"	Newcastle Upper	5	14	6	
"	" Lower	5	3	5	
"	Kilcoole	4	16	8	
"	Altadore	2	8	8	
"	Killeskey	£	3	9	5
		£	21	12	8
John Falconer	Books & Stationery	18	"	24	
P. A. Leslie & Co	Medicines Newbury Drugg	4	3	3	
Stephen Murphy	Leather	4	11	6	
Elyas B. Gunn	Meat	38	16	4	
Anne Farrell	Milk	9	2	10	
Edward Fallon	Shoes	14	17	"	
Thomas Smith	Flour	5	6	8	
John Farrell	Clothing	33	16	3	
Arthur Ubank	Postage	2	2	5	
John Cowley	Oatmeal	27	2	6	

In favor of Clerk to pay

		£	s.	d.
Isaac Flower				
dr	dr			
Joseph Christean				
Joseph Doyle				
Devin Chase	straw			
Isaac Flower				
John Farrell				
Daniel Farrell				
James Manning				
John Byrne	Rent			
William McCull	dr			
James Duane	dr			
John Doyle	Coal			
Bernard Manning				
	Eggs	✓	"	14
	Carrage Pipes	"	"	195
	Repz Hamp	✓	"	26
	Making Beds	✓	1	16 "
	straw	✓	1	26
	Expenses to less	✓	1	36
	Combr	✓	1	33
	Coffin	✓	1	4 "
	dr	✓	"	10 "
	Rent Tac Depot	✓	1	1 "
	dr Dungarston	✓	1	1 "
	dr Acklow	✓	"	126
	dr	✓	"	86
	Warrants	✓	1	18 "
			13	36

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The Reports of Medical Officers were read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

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

Gentlemen

I have to report that the pump in the Mens Yard is out of Order and requires a good deal of Repair, I would suggest that the Pump in the Laundry be removed to the Kitchen Yard for the purpose of supplying Water to the House when the other is out of Order. In consequence of the failure of the Pump in the Male Yard for the last 4 days the House is in great need of a proper Supply of Water, The Plumber is at the Workhouse at present and can complete these matters

Ordered that the Laundry Pump shall be changed as suggested as it appears it is not required where it is now placed, and that the broken pump be repaired

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

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

Letter N^o 215 M Dated 22nd Ultimo
Calling on the Clerk to furnish the Annual Return of Officers agreeable to Letters of the 29th Sept^r and 29 Oct last

Circular N^o 213 M 62 Dated 24th Ultimo Calling on the Clerk for a Return Showing the Amount of Poor Rates levied and the Total Expenditure of the Union during the year ended 29th September 1862 distinguishing under the heads Specifics the Collection and Expenditure for each of the Half Years ended 25th March and 29th September 1862 respectively
Also a separate Return of the several Dispensaries under the Medical Charities Act and of the Expenses of each Dispensary District

Letter N^o 25096 Dated 24th Ultimo enclosing questions for Answers to be signed by the person who may be appointed Relieving Officer in the Union of Mr Moran

Circular N^o 217 M 62 Dated 1st Instant Calling on the Clerk for a Return of the Rates made and any New Rates agreed upon in the Union for the Month of November

A Letter was read from the Nurse of the Fever Hospital requesting leave for her daughter to stop with her for One Month

A Letter was read from Capt. The Hon. W. P. P. calling the attention of the Board to the Case of a Man named Whelan who for a short time was in receipt of Out Door Relief on the Wicklow District. Capt. P. states that he heard from good authority that this Man feigned illness in order to impose on the Board and that he got up out of his bed and showed himself quite able to work immediately after he had got his Ticket for Relief.

Mr. George Luke Relieving Officer stated that the Medicine Officers of the Wicklow District sent him a Certificate of the Man's illness and he gave one Week's provisional Relief and then brought the Case before the Committee at Wicklow who directed him to continue the Relief 2 Weeks more which was sanctioned by the Board and at the expiration of the 3rd Week he was struck off on 1st November

And In Witness

Chairman

John Chapman

Mark Byrne

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

the _____ day of _____ 186

(Signed) _____

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Rathfriland
UNION, on Tues day, the 2nd day of December 1862
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District,

Account of Mr. _____

for _____

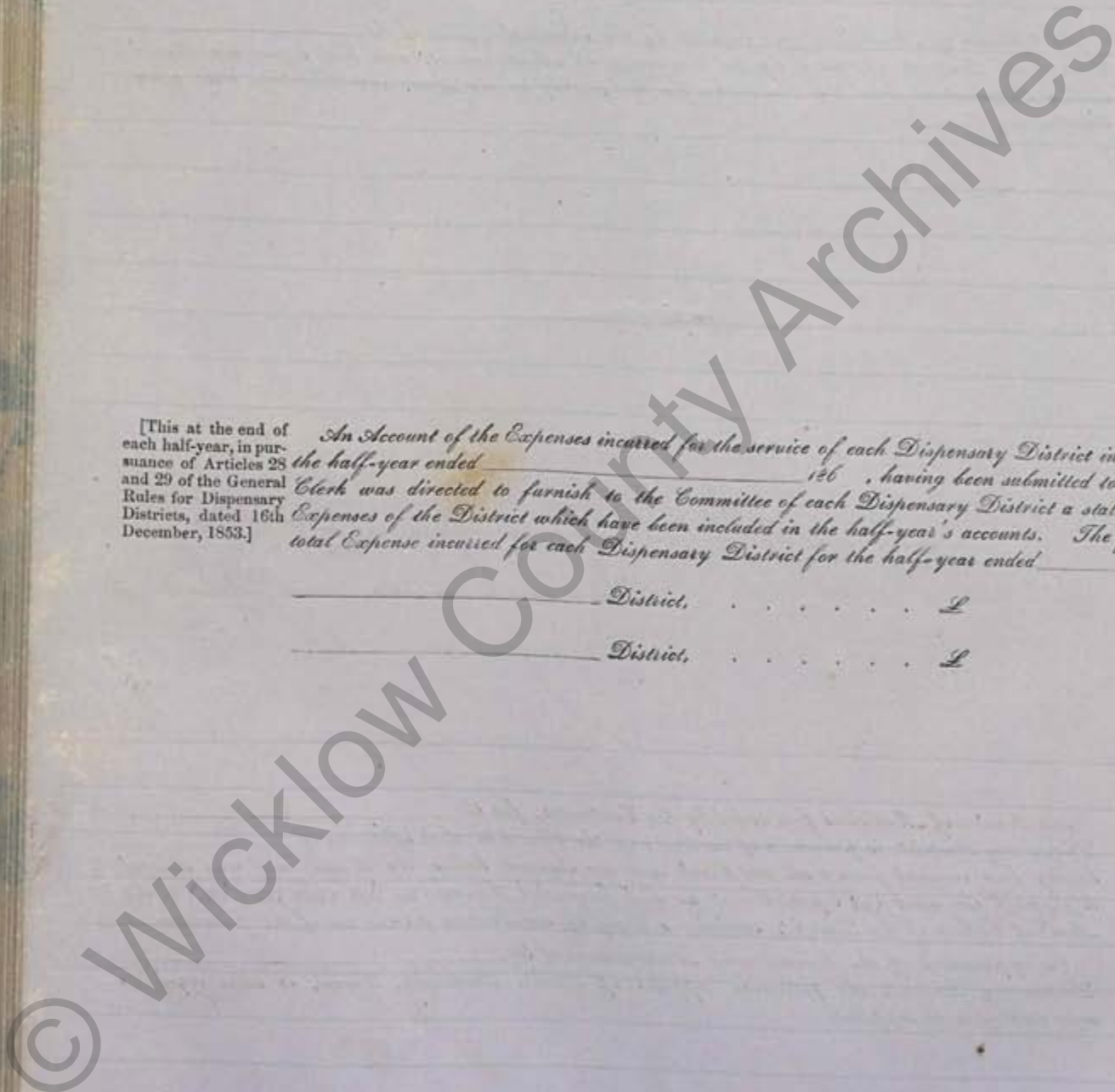
: Amount £

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

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

_____ District. £

_____ District. £



[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, No. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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):

Second Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 24th ultimo
relating that

N^o 25096 directing the Clerk to forward the Accurate List furnished by Dr Bauls back to him in order that he may submit same to his Dispensary Committee

The Clerk informed the Board that he transmitted the List above referred to the day after he received the above Letter to Dr Bauls

A Letter was read from Mr John Burn as follows
Rathfriland 25th 1862

Gentle

As I have taken on lease from the Rev^d Mr Galvin the Plot of ground in the Market Square of which the Dispensary forms a part, I find a great portion of the House unoccupied which I want to put to my own use and at the same time give to you what apartments is necessary for your accommodation at the same terms which you formerly had, I likewise want to put the whole House in repair inside and outside for which it stands in great need of and as my own family will be living in the House I will take care of the Dispensary. I hope that this will meet your approval and if you want any more information on the matter I will appear on next Board day

I am Sir

John Burn

Order on the above the ground is now bound to the present engagement until Sept 1863 and there will be sufficient time to consider the matter before that time

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

And Mr James Chapman

John Chapman
Mark Byrne

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RATHDRUM UNION.

401

Population in 1851, 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £130349.12

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of December 1862

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 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	748	384														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,	80	8														
Permanent Fever Hospital,																
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	828	392														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			31	79	60	73	13	13	30	16	46	361	In Work-house Hospital, } 72 In Fever Hospital, } 8 Total, } 80	In separate Wards, } 11 In Wards with other inmates, } 10 Total, } 21		
Admitted during the Week,			21	21	4	"	"	1	3	2	8	60				
TOTAL,			52	100	64	73	13	14	33	18	54	421				
Discharged during the Week,			15	8	2	"	"	"	"	1	"	26				
Died,			"	"	1	1	"	"	1	"	"	3				
Total Discharged and Dead,			15	8	3	1	"	"	1	1	"	29				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			37	92	61	72	13	14	32	17	54	392				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6th day of December authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 51, s. 1.		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	23	73	William Manning.
No. II.	20	47	Robert Manning.
No. III.	24	56	George Tuke.
No. IV.	14	29	Patrick Moran.
TOTAL,	81	205	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 9th day of December 1862

PRESENT: In the Chair, Andrew M^r Byrne Esq.
 Other Guardians: John F. Kullall, James Conoverford & D. J. Henry Esq.
 Messrs John Chapman, John Woodroope, M^r Gilbert Mecht Byrne
 Alex^r Condon, Edward Byrne, George Manning, A. Valentine
 John Murphy, James Murphy, Owen Fogarty, J. Rumble
 Samuel Livesley

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. 21.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 55 to No. 116, 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. 10, 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, £334:1:7

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £40:15:6

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £1856: " :5

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.	
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle Upper,							3	7	1				
	" Lower,							"	"	"				
	Kilcoole,			13	5			"	19	"				
	Altidore,							"	"	"				
	Killiskey,							"	4	6				
				13	5		13	5	4	10	7	4	10	7
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,							8	18	10				
	Calary,							7	7	5				
	Brockagh,							22	10	6				
	Ballycullan,							16	17	6				
	Oldtown,							17	9	7				
	Togher,							17	3	4				
	Moneystown,							12	8	2				
							102	15	4	102	15	4		
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,			11	4	8	1	145	16	6				
	Glanealy,			10	9	8		11	8	5				
				74	17	9	74	17	9	207	4	11	207	4	11
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown East,			7	5	"		42	13	6				
	" West,			23	5	"		45	19	5				
	" South,			18	5	"		44	5	11				
				48	15	"	48	15	"	128	18	10	128	18	10
JOSEPH WEBB,	Ennerdilly,			46	1	9		"	"	"				
	Kilbride,			38	8	8		"	17	"				
				84	15	5	84	15	5	"	17	"	17	
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,							456	8	11				
								456	8	11	456	8	11	
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,			7	"	"		46	18	1				
	Ballyarthur,			18	"	"		71	15	8				
	Ovoca,			100	"	"		66	14	4				
				125	"	"	125	"	185	8	1	185	8	1
WILLIAM SMITH,	Rathdrum,							279	12	11				
	Knockrath,							73	19	11				
	Trooperstown,							43	16	11				
	Ballinderry,							55	12	7				
	Ballinaclash,							89	17	8				
	Ballinacor,							96	4	9				
	Anghrim,							91	19	"	731	3	9	
							334	1	7	1817	7	5		

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

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

The 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.
No. I.	William Manning,	-	-	-
No. II.	Robert Manning,	-	-	-
No. III.	George Take,	-	-	-
No. IV.	Patrick Moran,	-	-	-
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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

£ s. d.

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

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

No Letters

Agreeable to Advertisement the Board proceeded to consider Tenders for the Supply of Provisions from 1st to 31st March 1863 when the following persons were declared the Contractors for the articles specified

Elyas Bagnall	Best Beef & Mutton @ 7 ² / ₄ lb
	" Ox Heads @ 2 ³ / ₄ each
	" Sheeps Heads @ 9 ² / ₄ each
John Cowley	" Oatmeal @ £14.0.0 per Ton
James Courtney	" White Bread @ 5 ² / ₄ per 24 loaves
do	" Brown do @ 4 ¹ / ₂ per do
John O'Brien	" Tea @ 3 ⁵ / ₄ lb
do	" Brown Sugar @ 4 ¹ / ₂ lb
do	" Lump Sugar @ 5 ² / ₄ lb
do	" Gunpowder & Pot @ 1 ⁵ / ₁₀ per doz
John D'Arcy	" Port Wine @ 32/- per doz
"	" Sherry " @ 26/- per doz
"	" Whiskey @ 15/6 per gallon
"	" Lisbon Shill Cocoa @ 24/- per lb

Edward Tallow was declared the Contractor for the following
 50 pair Mens Shoes @ $5\frac{5}{6}$ p pair
 100 pair Women Dr @ $4\frac{5}{6}$ p pair
 50 pair Boys & Girls @ $3\frac{5}{6}$ p pair

John Kilfoz was declared the Contractor for Making Cloths at the following prices,

Fever Hospital Suits	@	$2\frac{5}{6}$	each suit
Mens Suits, substance	@	$2\frac{1}{4}$	"
Boys Dr Dr	@	$2\frac{1}{4}$	"

The Board proceeded to Elect a Releasing Officer for N^o 4 District in the place of Mr Moran, (Resigned)

Testimonials was read from three Candidates namely Messrs Peter Moran, Cornelius McDonald and Thomas Reilly,

Proposed by Mr A Condron and seconded by Mr Michael Byrne that Mr Peter Moran be elected Releasing Officer

Mr McDonald was proposed by Mr Livesley but no function seconded Mr Livesley proposition

J. F. Kuttal Esq proposed Mr Reilly but no function seconded Mr Kuttal proposition,

The Chairman then put the Resolution of Messrs Condron and Byrne when Mr Peter Moran was declared duly elected

Proposed by Mr J. W. Murphy and seconded by Mr Livesley that the Workhouse inmates be allowed a Breakfast of Tea and Bread on New Years day in lieu of the usual Breakfast
 Passed

And so Bygone, Chairman

Edward Byrne
 Silvester Brunske

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the _____ day of _____ 186

(Signed) _____

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Rathfriland
UNION, on Tues day, the 9th day of Decr 1862
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

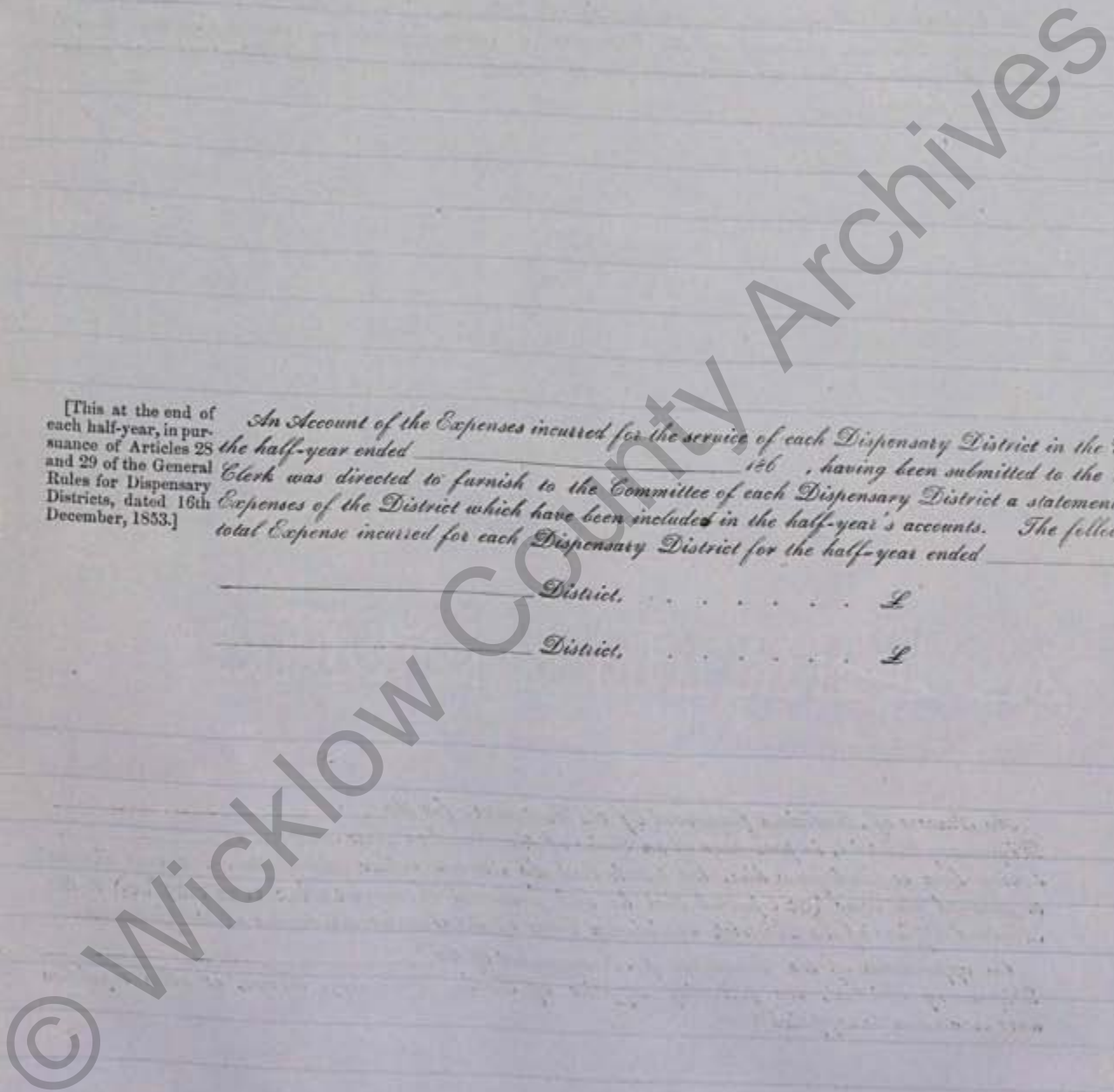
Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £

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

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

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



[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, in the following effect (or ideas) were made on them respectively as follows:

Recd Letter from W. Halkin Atklow dated 6th Dec 1862
~~as follows~~ as follows

Sir

I shall be glad to be informed if your Board or the Dispensary Committee at Atklow have made any recent Regulation with regard to the Class of persons entitled to Medical Relief, bringing this Matter under your Notice it will be necessary for me to point out the difference of a certain Class who have and those who have not received such Relief, first there are the Sailors who are Classified and known as, Coasters, and Fishermen, the former have never received Relief by a Regulation of the Dispensary Committee the latter have at all times received such.

It is not my intention to offer an opinion on the Classification however I have after an experience of some seven years at Atklow learned that to establish a Medical Fund would be a Mutual benefit for self and Coaster, this I established in the beginning of the present year and found the Coaster (a large Number) to avail themselves of its benefits. No sooner had I established this Fund than your Medical Man at Atklow commenced to give Medical Relief from the Dispensary thereby Contravening the Order he so long Cloaked himself with (having on many occasions refused to attend them as Coaster without payment.)

If not mistaken with regard to the existence of such an order or Regulation of the Dispensary Committee, I shall if necessary bring forward instances of which he has refused to attend as also an instance of where he is at present in attendance upon a Coaster wife (with a Ticket) where half a guinea has been tendered to me as a fee, so that he must err in one case and that such attendance is given by him with a view of gain being the object of the Medical Fund, the existence of which is owing to the Dispensary Regulation and of which the accompanying papers will prove

(Signed) Stephen Halkin

Ordered that this Document be referred to the Dispensary Committee at Atklow

(Signed)

Arthur Warr

Clerk of the Union.

And. W. Pyper
 Chairman

Edward Pyper

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RATHDRUM UNION.

421

Population in 1851, 47811

Present Net Annual Value, £130349.12

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of Decr 1862

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 8 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	743	378														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,	80	7														
Fever Sheds,																
Total,	823	385														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			37	92	61	72	13	14	32	17	54	392	In Work-house Hospital, 70	In separate Wards, 11		
Admitted during the Week,			12	16	3	"	"	1	3	5	8	39	In Fever Hospital, 7	In Wards with other inmates, 10		
TOTAL,			40	108	64	72	13	15	35	22	62	431	Total, 77	Total, 21		
Discharged during the Week,			12	18	2	"	"	1	3	3	6	45				
Died,			"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			12	18	2	1	"	1	3	3	6	46				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			28	90	62	71	13	14	32	19	51	385				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 13th day of Decr 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.		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	23	73	William Manning.
No. II.	20	45	Robert Manning.
No. III.	24	55	George Take.
No. IV.	13	25	Patrick Moran.
TOTAL,	80	198	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 16th day of Decr 1862

PRESENT: In the Chair, Andrew M. Byrne Esq
 Other Guardians: James Conyngham Esq Messrs J. Rowley P. Beatty
 William Hudson & Edward Byrne

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 7th & Vic., c. 21.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 117 to No. 182, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. ✓ to No. ✓, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £193: 19: 5

Paid during the week, - - - - - £37: 11: 7

And that the Balance on the Account ⁱⁿ favour the Guardians was £2012: 19: 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle Upper,							3	7	1			
	„ Lower,							.	.	.			
	Kilcoole,							.	19	.			
	Altidore,							.	.	.			
	Killiskey,							.	4	6			
								4	10	7	4	10	7
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,							8	18	10			
	Calary,							7	7	5			
	Brockagh,							22	10	6			
	Ballycullan,							16	17	6			
	Oldtown,							17	9	7			
	Togher,							17	3	4			
	Moneystown,							12	8	2			
								102	15	24	102	15	24
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	94	9	4				51	7	2			
	Glanealy,	21	10	1				39	18	4			
		115	19	5	115	19	5	91	5	6	91	5	6
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown East,							42	13	6			
	„ West,							45	19	5			
	„ South,							40	5	11			
								128	18	10	128	18	10
JOSEPH WEBB,	Ennereilly,							.	.	.			
	Kilbride,							.	17	.			
								.	17	.	17	.	.
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,							45	8	11	45	8	11
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,							4	6	18	1		
	Ballyarthur,							7	1	5	8		
	Ovoca,							6	6	14	4		
								185	8	1	185	8	1
WILLIAM SMITH,	Rathdrum,	11	.	.				2	18	12	11		
	Knockrath,	23	.	.				5	0	19	11		
	Trooperstown,	12	.	.				3	1	16	11		
	Ballinderry,	.	.	.				5	5	12	7		
	Ballinacush,	19	.	.				7	0	17	8		
	Ballinacor,	3	.	.				9	3	4	9		
	Aughrim,	10	.	.	78	.	.	8	1	19	153	3	9
Totals,				193	19	5				162	3	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 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 £ 39 8 s. 8 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	£ 39 . 8 . 8
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	49 . 1 . 9
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2/4
Average cost in Infirmary,	3/4
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	3/4

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

360 loaves, White Bread	2 Sets Bars for Kitchen Borden
360 .. Brown do	100 Small Rugs
160 lbs, Buttermilk	100 yds Strouding
230 .. New Milk	200 yds Linnen
6 lb. Butter	200 yds Check
130 lb. Meat	12th Thread 1 gross Tape
36 Sleeper Heads	1 gross Combs 4th Pins
	48 lb. Worsted
	150 yds Bengal Stripe
	500 Needles

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,	£ 9 . 7 . 4
In Kind,	- - - - -
Total,	9 . 7 . 4

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.
No. I.	William Manning.	
No. II.	Robert Manning.	10 -
No. III.	George Tuke.	10 -
No. IV.	Patrick Moran.	5 -
TOTAL,		25 -

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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

	£	s.	d.
Earl Fitzwetham Rent	18	6	6
John Simpson Mason Work	2	8	"
Arthur Abank			
James Flynn	1	19	2
Owen Kennedy		14	10
	<u>2</u>	<u>14</u>	<u>"</u>
Rev ^d A Sulbrant	7	10	"
Rev ^d R Galvin	15	"	"
Arthur Abank	25	"	"
do do Retiring Office	2	10	"
Dr Manning	25	"	"
Isaac Flower	15	"	"
May Flower	5	"	"
W ^m Manning	7	10	"
R Manning	7	10	"
Georg Tuke	7	10	"
Euth Byrne	7	10	"
Thos Keen	12	10	"
Allen Curren	3	15	"
Budget Nolan	3	"	"
Edmond Tallan	3	"	"
John Kelfry	3	"	"

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The Reports of Medical Officers were read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

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

Spenthemer I see to Call your attention to the very limited means for drying the clothes in the Laundry

(Signed) J Flower Master

In reference to the above the Master stated that by erecting a stove on the ground floor under the present drying Room all the Paupers clothes could be dried as at present some of them in wet weather has to be brought into the Womens days Room which is very objectionable

Order that a stove be purchased cost not to exceed Seven Pound

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:)

No Letters

A Circular was read from the Registrar General enclosing Copies of the Average Produce of the Several agricultural Crops for 1862 in order that the same may be examined and corrected.

The Clerk produced the Ledgers and Abstracts of the Poor accounts for the Half Year ending the 29th September last Audited by R Guinness Esq
The Abstracts were signed by the Chairman

James Comerford

D.V.Ch

Arthur Payne
Secretary

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

the _____ day of _____ 186

(Signed) _____

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 Rathfriland
UNION, on Tuesday day, the 16th day of Decr 1862
—continued.

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

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

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

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

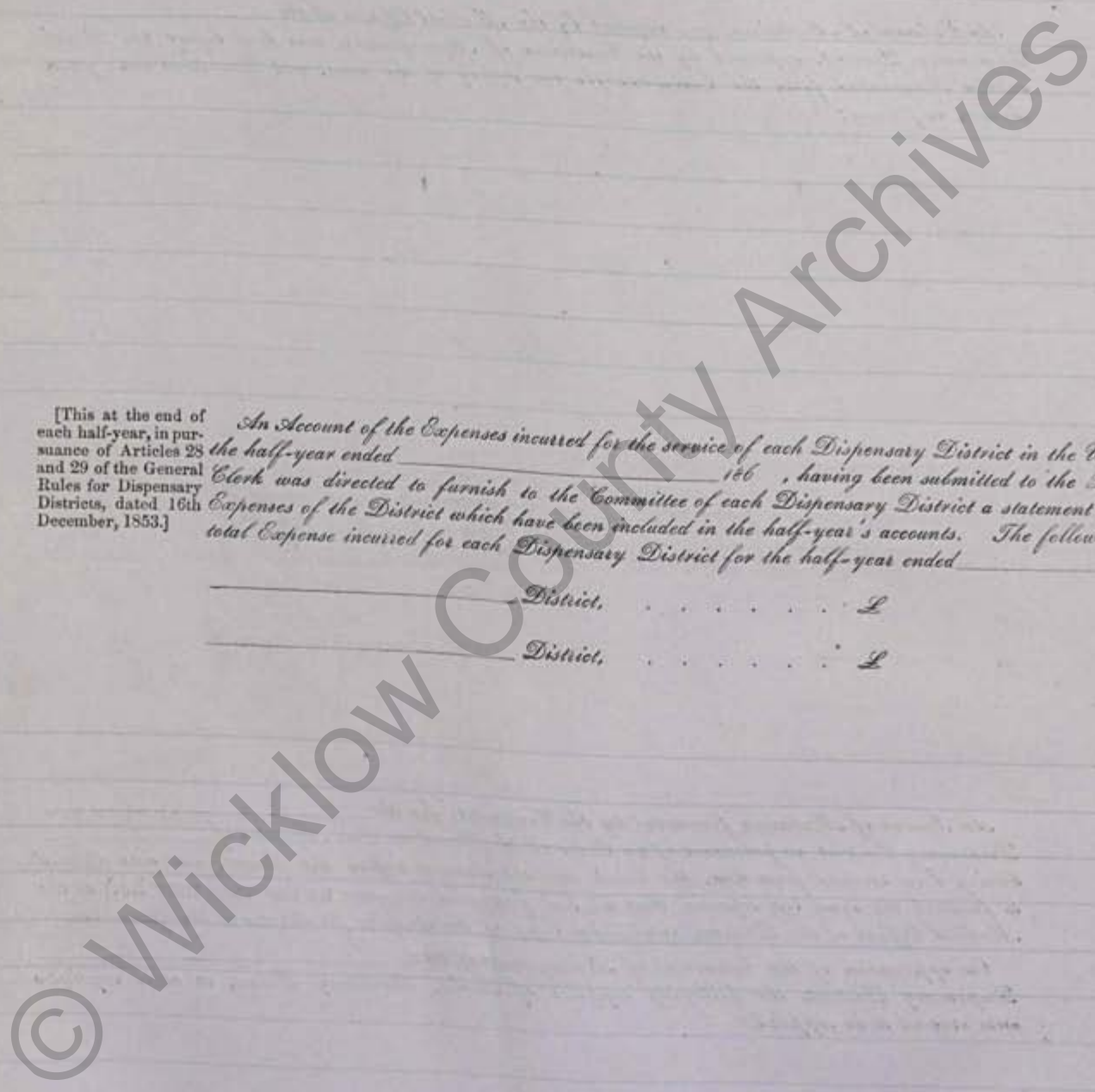
The following Accounts of expenses, (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

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

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

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

_____ District, £ _____
_____ District, £ _____



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

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

Dispensary District. Mr. _____

of _____

The 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):

Recd Letter from the Arklow Dispensary dated 4th Dec^r stating that as follows

At an extraordinary Meeting of the Sanitary Committee held at Arklow

Members present Capt. Honble W. Poby, R. Hudson Esq. M. A. Hudson Esq. Messrs. John Nusome, Peter Boland, Pat Bentley, & John Byrne.

Resolved that the provisions contained in the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Act be put into force.

Resolved that notices be posted throughout the Town requiring a fit and proper person to Superintend the Cleaning of the Town, any person wishing to offer themselves will attend at the Board of the Sanitary Committee on next Thursday 11th Decem^r 1862 at 11 o'clock.

Resolved that Mr. P. Boland be requested to act as Treasurer.

December 11th 1862

At a Meeting of the Sanitary Committee

Members present Capt. Honble W. Poby, R. Hudson Esq. M. A. Hudson Esq. Messrs. P. Boland, P. Bentley, John Nusome, & J. Byrne.

Resolved that James Forde be employed to remove Nuisances, &c at 5/6 per day, all Manure collected to be deposited in a heap on the farm at Timahurst.

Resolved that Mr. M. Hudson be requested to have the Notices printed by Mr. M. Phin.

Meeting adjourned to next Thursday

(Signed)

Arthur Grant
Clerk of the Union.

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RATHDRUM UNION.

441

Population in 1851, 47811

Present Net Annual Value, £130349.12

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 20 day of December 1862

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	743	3886														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,	80	5														
Permanent Fever Hospital,																
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	823	3371														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			28	90	62	71	13	14	32	19	56	385	In Workhouse Hospital, 72	In separate Wards, 11		
Admitted during the Week,			1	8	4	2	"	"	2	"	3	20	In Fever Hospital, 5	In Wards with other inmates, 10		
TOTAL,			29	98	66	73	13	14	34	19	59	405	Total, 77	Total, 21		
Discharged during the Week,			2	5	3	"	"	"	"	"	1	11				
Died,			"	"	"	2	"	"	"	"	1	3				
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	5	3	2	"	"	"	"	1	14				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			27	93	63	71	13	14	34	18	58	391				

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 19 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	18	73	William Manning.
No. II.	22	50	Robert Manning.
No. III.	25	57	George Tuke.
No. IV.	14	27	Patrick Moran.
TOTAL,	79	207	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 27. day of December 1862

PRESENT: In the Chair, James Comerford Esq. Other Guardians: R. Howard Brooke Esq. Messrs Michael Byrne, Silvester

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 & 2 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 182 to No. 203, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £595:15:4

Laid during the week, £101:1:8

And that the Balance on the Account ~~in~~ ⁱⁿ favour of the Guardians was £2507:12:11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle Upper,							3	7	1			
	„ Lower,							.	.	.			
	Kilcoole,							.	19	.			
	Altidore,							.	.	.			
	Killiskey,							.	4	6			
								4	10	7	4	10	7
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,							8	18	10			
	Calary,							7	7	5			
	Brockagh,							22	10	6			
	Ballycullan,							16	17	6			
	Oldtown,							17	9	7			
	Togher,							17	3	4			
	Moneystown,							12	8	2			
								102	15	4	102	15	4
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	28	1	4				23	5	10			
	Glencaly,	17	2	5				22	15	11			
		45	3	9	45	3	9	46	19		46	19	
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown East,	9	5	.				33	8	6			
	„ West,	35	10	.				10	9	5			
	„ South,	20	.	.				20	5	11			
		64	15	.	64	15	.	64	31	0	64	31	0
JOSEPH WEBB,	Ennecilly,							.	.	.			
	Kilbride,	17	.	.				.	.	.
		17	.	.	17	.	.	.	.	.
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,	113	19	7				342	9	4			
		113	19	7	113	19	7	342	9	4	342	9	4
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,	27	.	.				19	18	1			
	Ballyarthur,	24	.	.				47	15	8			
	Ovoca,	33	.	.				33	14	4			
		84	.	.	84	.	.	101	8	1	101	8	1
WILLIAM SMITH,	Rathdrum,	161	.	.				107	12	11			
	Knockrath,	21	.	.				29	19	11			
	Trooperstown,	11	.	.				20	16	11			
	Ballinderry,	12	.	.				43	12	7			
	Ballinaclesh,	29	.	.				41	17	8			
	Ballinacor,	32	.	.				61	4	9			
	Aughrim,	21	.	.	287	.	.	101	19	.	366	3	9
	Totals,				595	15	4		1027	12	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 following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

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

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

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

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was

Average cost in Infirmary,

Average cost in Fever Hospital,

Not Made up

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:

- 1100 Loaves White Bread 2^d
- 270 Brown do
- 225 Galls New Milk
- 11 lbs Butter
- 150 Galls Buttermilk
- 460 lbs Meat
- 36 Sheep Heads

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,	8 17 10
Total,	8 17 10

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Believing Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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 Believing Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.
No. I.	William Manning, - - -	10 - -
No. II.	Robert Manning, - - -	
No. III.	George Tuke, - - -	
No. IV.	Patrick Moran, - - -	
TOTAL		

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Believing 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

In favour of Clerk for Dispersing Leases			£	s.	d.
Eliza Johnson	1/2 Sal	Newcastle	15		
Ely Thompson	"	Dunstanston	1	2	6
Sarah Burns	"	Newbridge	1		
Mary Doyle	"	Arklow	1	5	
Margaret Clench	"	Rathdren	1		
Sarah Reid	"	Ashford	1		
Ellen Graham	"	Aughrim		15	
H. Warrant	"	Dr		7	6
			4	5	
Dr McElhann	"	Newcastle	22	10	
D Banks	"	Ashford	25		
D Hatch	"	Arainoe	22	10	
D Sheppard	"	Dunstanston	20		
D L Estamp	"	Arklow	20		
D Hudson	"	Newbridge	20		
D Clarke	"	Rathdren	18	15	
D Kearney	"	Aughrim	18	15	
Simon Smith	1/2 Rent	Arainoe	2	10	
E Telford	6 Mt. Maintenance of 1/2				
"	feul		5		
M J Aubro	6 Mt. Maintenance of 1/2				
"	a Deaf + Dumb by		5		
Pat Moran	Sal		2	18	3
Pete Moran	Dr		5	18	1
H M Phair	Putney		5	3	

		£	s.	d.
H. L. Dwyer	Subs. Cont. P. & B. Sects			
"	Waltham	1	1	.
"	Newcastle Df.	.	10	6
"	Ashford	.	10	6
"	Quamse	.	10	6
"	Dunjuston	.	10	6
"	Arklow	.	10	6
"	Newbridge	.	10	6
"	Rathfarnham	.	10	6
"	Anglemore	.	10	6
		5	5	"
Dennis Chase	Shaw	9	7	6
Francis Amesley	Collecting Rates			
"	Cum gratia E.D.	2	5	5
"	Kilbride	2	19	11
		5	5	14

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The Reports of Medical Officers were read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

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

Gentlemen

Ellen Ryder a Pauper Inmate aged 50 years
wishes to change her Religion in the Register from Protestant
to that of Roman Catholic

(Signed) Isaac Flower Master

Approved

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

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

Letter N^o 26707 Dated 22nd Instant approving of the appointment of Mr Peter Moran to the Office of Receiving Officer at £30 per Annum

Letter N^o 26569 Dated 22nd Instant with reference to a Report from the Master of the Workhouse on the 9th Instant calling the attention of the Commissioners to the great increase that has taken place in the number of persons seeking admission to the Workhouse as night lodgers and the order of the Commission

In reference to this Report the Commissioners state that the Workhouse Master is bound to admit to the Workhouse all persons who produce a Ticket from a Receiving Officer of the Union, As regards those who apply directly to him he must exercise his discretion in each case in regard to their admission and in doing so it will be well for him to bear in mind the terms of the Commissioners Circular Letter of the 11th August 1857 on the subject of the practice of admitting Night Lodgers to the Workhouse.

Letter N^o 26003 Dated 22nd Instant stating that the Commissioners have had before them Minutes of the 2nd Instant relating to the case of a Man named Whelan who had been in Receipt

of Out Door Relief and who was alleged to have feigned illness with a view of imposing on the Board together with the explanation furnished to the Board by Mr Tuke Relieving Officer in regard to the Case. The Commissioners found further information of the frauds the Copy of a Letter which they have addressed to Mr. Tuke on the Subject.

Letter No 26, 186 Dated 22nd Instant Stating that the Commissioners have received a Report from Mr Simms Poor Law Auditor informing them of the omission of the Board of Guardians to take Stock of the property of the Workhouse on the 24th September last in reference thereto the Commissioners call the attention of the Guardians to the 24th Paragraph of Article 14 of the Workhouse Rules.

The Commissioners request that the Board of Guardians will be good enough to make arrangements for the regular taking of Stock in future every half year namely on the 25th March and 29th Sept^r respectively

No order on the above

Letter No 26, 186 Dated 22nd Instant Stating that the Commissioners have received a Communication from Mr Simms Poor Law Auditor in which he informs them that the accounts of the Master of the Workhouse of Rotherham Union are not checked with sufficient closeness by the Clerk who appears to be under the impression that a general supervision of the accounts by him is all that is required. Mr Simms points out that this is not enough and that the Clerk should ascertain whether the Master issues every Article of food strictly according to the authorized scale of diet and that the extras allowed to the sick in Hospital are all authorized by the Medical Officer of the Workhouse, also that the Medical Officer has given authority in each individual case for the Wine Mandy Whiskey &c entered as Consumed by the Sick daily and taken Credit for by the Master at the Close of the Week and that the Weekly Summary of all is correctly made up and totted and the whole of the Provision Check accurately summed up every week

The Commissioners desire to point out to the Clerk that unless his weekly examination of the Master's accounts be proceeded in the manner indicated by Mr Simms he cannot be held to have discharged his duties under the 7th Article of the General Regulations

(No 9) for the due performance whereof the Commissions hold him chiefly responsible, and they caution him as to the necessity of avoiding all grounds of Complaint in this head in future.

In reply to the above the Clerk informed the Board that in future he would be more particular and comply with the instructions pointed out by the Commissions

James Comerford P.V.C.

Silvester Comerford
Mick Byrne

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday*
the *30* day of *December* 186 *2*
(Signed) *A. Whelan*
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 Rathfriland
UNION, on Tuesday, the 27th day of December 1862
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

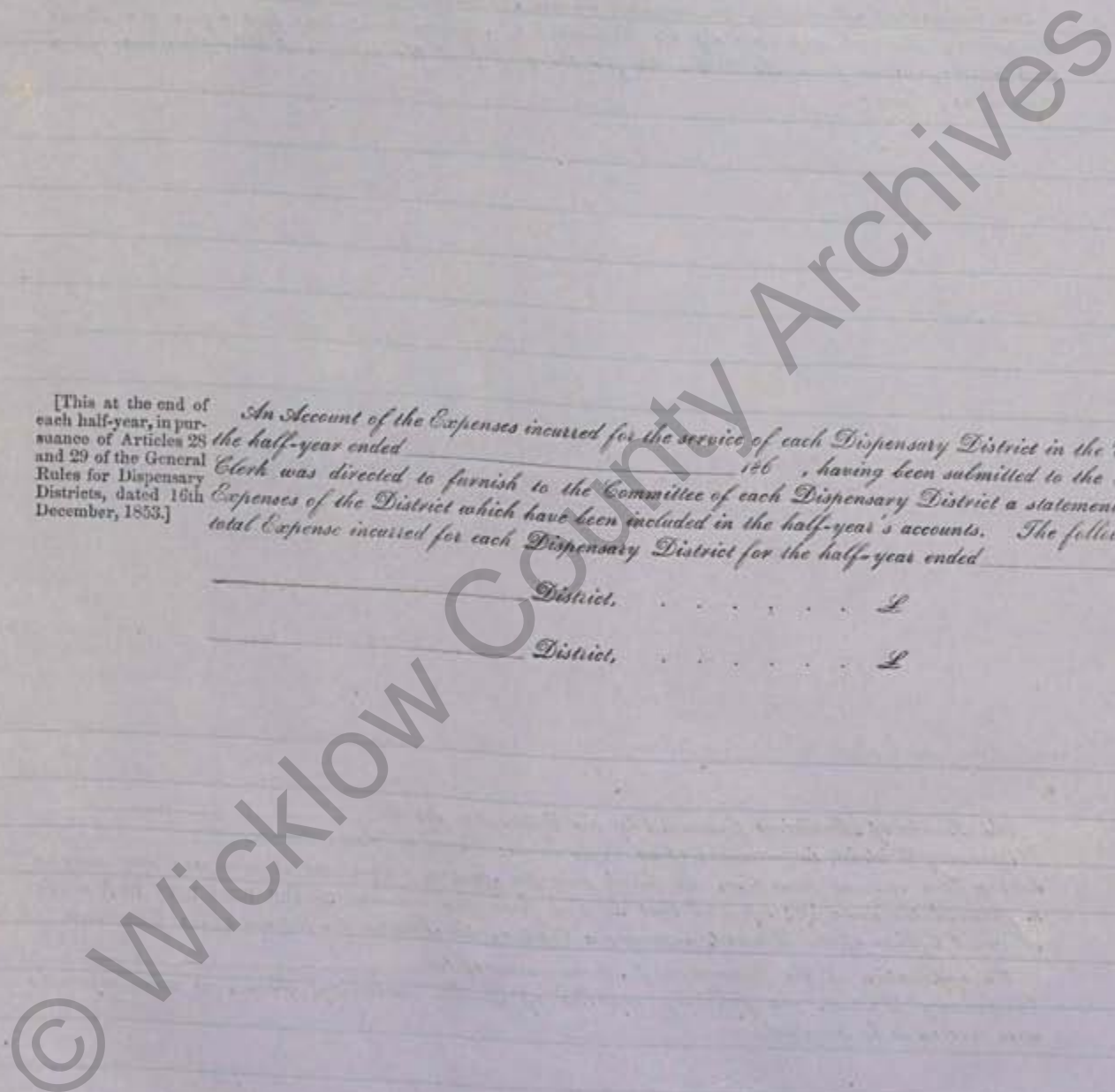
Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £

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

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

_____ District,	£
_____ District,	£



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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____

of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from the Poor Law Commission dated 22nd Inst No 26954

In reference to a Communication received from the Arklow Dispensary Committee and to proceedings of the Sanitary Committee for the Arklow Dispensary District and the employment of a person named James Forde to remove Nuisances in the District.

The Commissioners state that it does not appear under what Authority the Sanitary Committee has been constituted unless there are Town Commissioners in Arklow according to the Provisions of the Nuisances Removal & Diseases Prevention Act the Board of Guardians is the body authorized to act in the Matter

The Commissioners at the same time observe that it is not stated from what fund the person appointed to remove Nuisances is to be paid but the Act in Council under Section 9 of the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Act of 1848 being no longer in force the Guardians have no Authority to charge the expenditure for cleansing to out of the Poor Rate, except as provided in Section 4 of the above named Act

Ordered a Copy of the above to be sent to the Arklow Dispensary Committee

James Comerford D. S. C.

J. Fitzwater B. M. C.
Thos Byrne

(Signed)

Arthur White

Clerk of the Union.

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RATHDRUM UNION.

461

Population in 1851, 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £ 130 349. 12

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of December 1862

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . .	743	384														
Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, . . .	80	5														
TOTAL, . . .	823	389														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			27	93	63	71	13	14	34	18	58	391	In Work-house Hospital, 78	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 11		
Admitted during the Week, . . .			14	7	3	1	"	2	1	1	2	31	In Fever Hospital, 5	Total, 10		
TOTAL, . . .			41	100	66	72	13	16	35	19	60	422	Total, 83	Total, 21		
Discharged during the Week, . . .			12	6	1	"	"	3	4	1	3	30				
Died,			"	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	1	3				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			12	6	2	1	"	3	4	1	4	33				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			29	94	64	71	13	13	31	18	56	389				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27th day of December 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.		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	19	78	William Manning.
No. II.	23	55	Robert Manning.
No. III.	24	48	George Tuke.
No. IV.	14	27	Patrick Moran.
TOTAL,	80	208	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 30 day of December 1862

PRESENT: In the Chair, James Comerford Esq. J.V.C.

Other Guardians:

A. M. Byrne Esq
Super Michael Byrne & L. Bourke

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. 244 to No. 252, 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. 10, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ 103 : 11 : 11

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 164 : 5 : 4

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 1466 : 19 : 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total						
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.				
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle Upper,							3	7	1							
	" Lower,																
	Kilcoole,								19								
	Altidore,																
	Killiskey,									4	6						
								4	10	7	4	10	7				
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,	8	18	2						8							
	Calary,	7	6	3						1	2						
	Broekagh,	22	9	4						1	2						
	Ballycullan,	16	17	6													
	Oldtown,	17	9	7													
	Togher,	17	3	4													
	Moneystown,	12	7	9							5						
			102	11	11	102	11	11		3	5		3	5			
EDWARD BIRNK,	Wicklow,									23	5	10					
	Glanealy,									22	15	11					
										46	1	9	46	1	9		
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown East,	4	5							29	3	6					
	" West,									10	9	5					
	" South,	16	15							3	10	11					
			21			21				43	3	10	43	3	10		
JAMES WATSON, <i>J. Amesty</i>	Ennereilly,																
	Kilbride,																
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,									342	9	4					
										342	9	4	342	9	4		
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,									19	18	1					
	Ballyarthur,									47	15	8					
	Ovoca,									33	14	4					
										101	8	1	101	8	1		
WILLIAM SMITH,	Rathdrum,									107	12	11					
	Knockrath,									29	19	11					
	Trooperstown,									20	16	11					
	Ballinderry,									43	12	7					
	Ballinacash,									41	17	8					
	Ballinacor,									61	4	9					
	Aughrim,									60	19		366	3	9		
	<i>Totals,</i>									123	11	11	366	3	9	904	-	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 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 £46. 6 s. 8 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	46	6	8
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	59	0	3
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was			
Average cost in Infirmary,	2	9	1
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	3	10	2

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

- 360 white Loaves, Bread
- 360 Brown do do
- 10 cwt Oatmeal
- 160 lbs, Buttermilk
- 250 lbs, New Milk
- 6 lbs, Butter
- 140 lbs Meat
- 36 Sheep Heads
- 30 lbs Lard
- 2 cwt Sugar
- 10 Doz Potatoes

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 27 day of Decr; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, -	£	s.	d.
In Kind, -	8	17	10
		17	10
Total, -	8	17	10

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.
No. I.	William Manning.	-	-	-
No. II.	Robert Manning.	-	-	-
No. III.	George Tuke.	-	-	-
No. IV.	Patrick Moran.	-	-	-
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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

		£	s.	d.
William Murphy	Collecting Rate			
"	Glendalough E.D.	1	1	11
"	Calan	"	18	10
"	Brookhugh	6	2	9
"	Ballycullen	1	7	10
"	Oldtown	1	15	8
"	Foyhus	1	3	"
"	Monystown		19	7
			13	9
			7	
John O'Brien	groceries	20	6	3
James Courtney	firewood	162	13	10
Elijah Byrne	meat	30	13	6

l. s. d.

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The Reports of Medical Officers were read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

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

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

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

The following Letter was read from the Roman Catholic Chaplain
to the Guardians Board of Guardians.

Avon Park
Rathdown 30th Decr 1862

Sir

As I have not received for some time past the sum a man to provide Bread for the Communion of the Sacraments and Bread and Wine for the Altar I take the liberty of calling the attention of the Board to the necessity of paying up at length the sum due on that account, whatever arrangement may be deemed proper with regard to this allowance in future I am sure the Board will see at once the justice of acceding to this demand, especially as neither the Commissioners, nor the Board of Guardians, have ever intimated to me any change ~~in~~ ~~the~~ ~~mode~~ in the mode of meeting this necessary expense

I have &c
Richard Galvin
R.C. Chaplain

The above Letter referred to the Poor Law Commissioners, before the amount can be paid, as the Clerk informed the Board that the Auditor would disallow the amount if paid

M. J. Galvin, Bursar
Wm. H. H. H.
Aver Harty

Paid up
to 24 Aug 1858

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Next Meeting of the Guardjans to be held on *Tuesday*
the *7th* day of *January* 186*3*

(Signed) *M. W. [Signature]*

Clerk of the Union.

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 18____
—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):

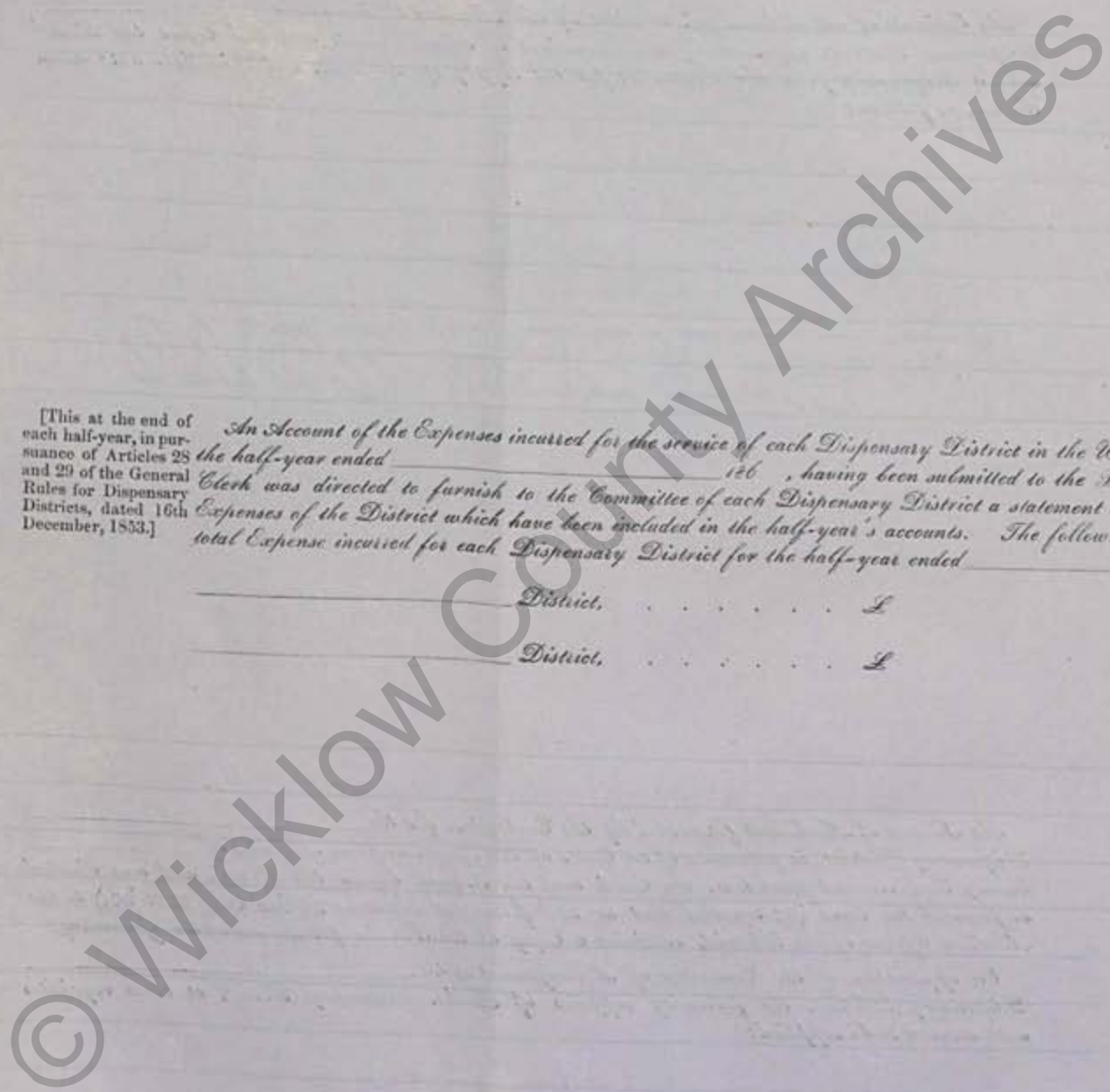
Dispensary District, _____
Account of Mrs. _____ for _____ : Amount £ _____

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

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

_____ District. £ _____
_____ District. £ _____



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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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 _____

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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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RATHDRUM UNION.

481

Population in 1851. 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £130349.12

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of January 1863

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	74	374														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,	50	7														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	823	381														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			29	94	64	71	13	13	31	18	56	389	In Workhouse Hospital, 50	In separate Wards, 11		
Admitted during the Week,			8	5	3	2	1	1	1	1	3	25	In Fever Hospital, 7	In Wards with other inmates, 10		
TOTAL,			37	99	67	73	14	14	32	19	59	414	Total, 87	Total, 21		
Discharged during the Week,			5	15	"	2	1	"	1	1	7	32				
Died,			"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			5	15	"	3	1	"	1	1	7	33				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			32	84	67	70	13	14	31	18	52	381				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 3rd 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. 21, s. 1.		NAME OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	20	83	William Manning.
No. II.	22	45	Robert Manning.
No. III.	24	50	George Tuke.
No. IV.	15	29	Patrick Moran.
TOTAL,	81	207	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 6th day of January 1863

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

There was no meeting this day only two from deins present Messrs. Bestall & Bonthe

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. 21.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 233 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, £132 : 9 : 9

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £45 : 3 : .

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £2551 : 6 : 3

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.
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle Upper,							3	7	1			
	" Lower,							4	"	"			
	Kilcoole,							"	19	"			
	Altidore,							"	"	"			
	Killiskey,							"	46				
								4	107		4	107	
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,									8			
	Calary,								1	2			
	Brockagh,								1	2			
	Ballycullan,								"	"			
	Oldtown,								"	"			
	Togher,								"	"			
	Moneystown,								"	5			
								3	5		3	5	
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,							23	5	10			
	Glancealy,							22	15	11			
								46	19		46	19	
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown East,							29	3	6			
	" West,							10	9	5			
	" South,							3	10	11			
								43	3	10	43	3	10
JOSEPH WEBB,	Ennareilly,							"	"	"			
	Kilbride,							"	"	"			
								"	"	"			
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,	132	9	9				209	19	7			
		132	9	9	132	9	9	209	19	7	209	19	7
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,							19	18	1			
	Ballyarthur,							47	15	8			
	Ovoca,							33	14	4			
								101	8	1	101	8	1
WILLIAM SMITH,	Rathdrum,							107	12	11			
	Knockrath,							29	19	11			
	Trooperstown,							20	16	11			
	Ballinderry,							43	12	7			
	Ballinaclesh,							41	17	8			
	Ballinacor,							61	4	9			
	Aughrim,							60	19	6	366	3	9
	Totals,				132	9	9				774	11	

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

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

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.

Not made up

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

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

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was

Average cost in Infirmary,

Average cost in Fever Hospital,

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

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 *March*; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, -	£	s.	d.
In Kind, -	8	19	10
Totals, -	8	19	10

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

Wm. B. B. Chairman
Edw. J. J.
Wm. J. J.

The requirements of each Believing 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:

Ratep District	Name of Believing Officer	By Check on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	William Manning.	-	-	-
No. II.	Robert Manning.	-	-	-
No. III.	George Tuke.	-	-	-
No. IV.	Patrick Moran.	-	-	-
TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Believing 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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

L s. d.

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The Reports of Medical Officers were read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

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

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

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

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the _____ day of _____ 186

(Signed) _____

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 18____
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

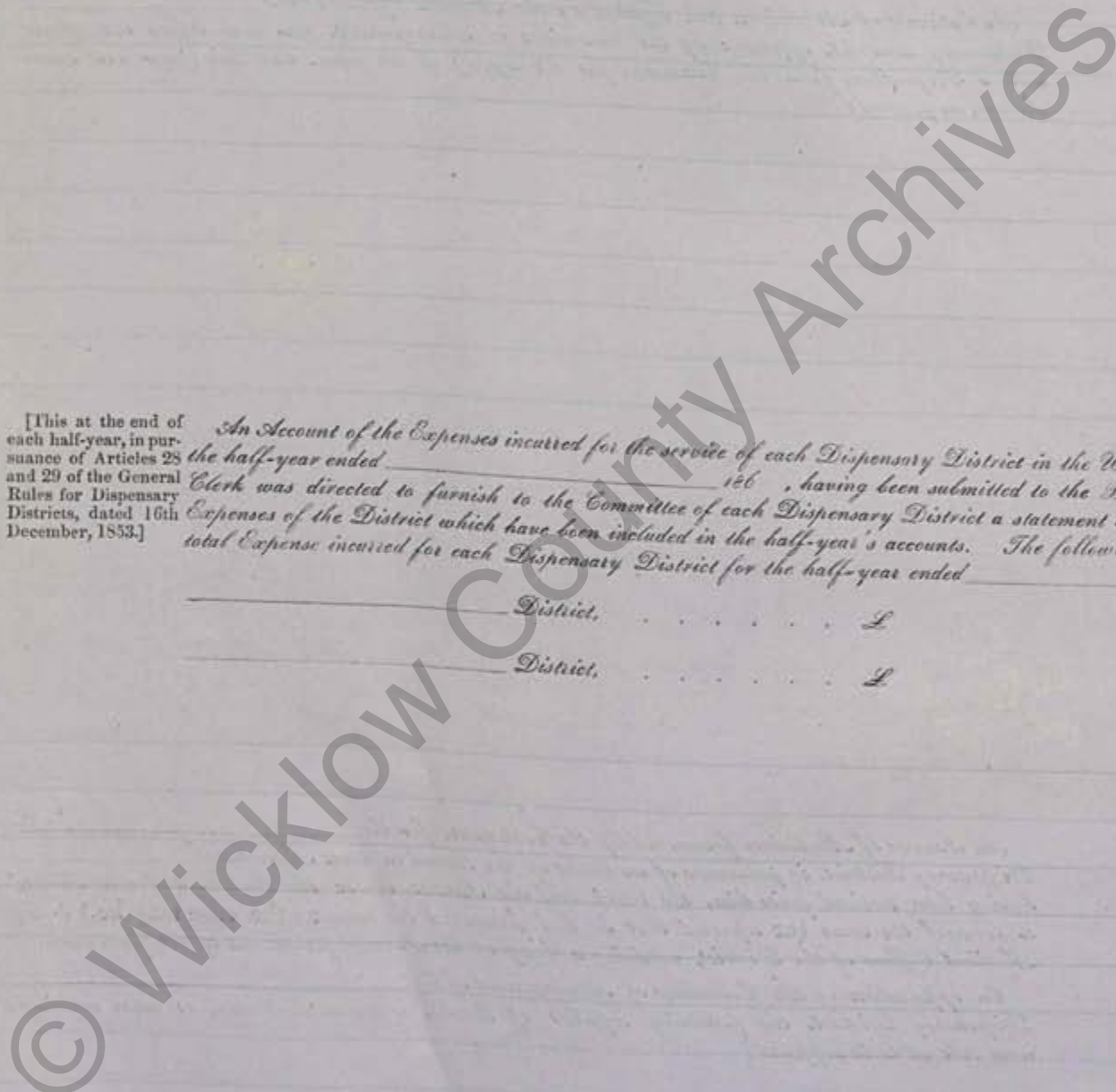
Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £

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

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

_____ District,	£
_____ District,	£



[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 _____
stating that _____*

dated _____

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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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RATHDRUM UNION.

501

Population in 1851, 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £130349.12

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of January 1863

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	743	373														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,	80	8														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	823	381														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			32	84	67	70	13	14	31	18	52	381	In Workhouse Hospital, 74	In separate Wards, 11		
Admitted during the Week,			6	10	7	"	"	"	"	"	4	27	In Fever Hospital, 8	In Wards with other inmates, 10		
TOTAL,			38	94	74	70	13	14	31	18	56	408	Total, 82	Total, 21		
Discharged during the Week,			9	5	3	"	"	"	"	1	3	21				
Died,			"	"	"	2	"	"	"	"	4	6				
Total Discharged and Dead,			9	5	3	2	"	"	"	1	7	27				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			29	89	71	68	13	14	31	17	49	381				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10th 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.		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	20	83	William Manning.
No. II.	21	40	Robert Manning.
No. III.	24	50	George Tuke.
No. IV.	14	27	Patrick Moran.
TOTAL,	79	200	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 13th day of January 1863

PRESENT: In the Chair, Andrew McNamee Esq.

Other Guardians: Messrs Owen Fogarty, J. Bourke and Edward P. Edger

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 & 2 Vic., c. 21.

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Ellen Bell Leasure Parish Newensto

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 233 to No. 252, 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. 4, 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, £ 5 : 5 : 4

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 21 : 2 : 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £ 2320 . 3 : 9

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.
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle Upper,							3	7	1			
	„ Lower,							„	„	„			
	Kilcoole,							„	19	„			
	Altidore,							„	4	6			
	Killiskey,							4	10	7	4	10	7
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,								8				
	Calary,								1	2			
	Brockagh,								1	2			
	Ballycullan,												
	Oldtown,												
	Togher,												
	Moneystown,								5				
								3	5		3	5	
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,							23	5	10			
	Glanealy,							22	15	11			
								46	19		46	19	
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown East,							29	3	6			
	„ West,							10	9	5			
	„ South,							3	10	11			
								43	3	10	43	3	10
JOSEPH WHELAN, <i>J. Amesty</i>	Ennereilly,							„	„	„			
	Kilbride,							„	„	„			
								„	„	„			
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,							209	19	7			
								209	19	7	209	19	7
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronchane,							19	18	1			
	Ballyarthur,							47	15	8			
	Ovoca,							33	14	4			
								101	8	1	101	8	1
WILLIAM SMITH,	Rathdrum,							107	12	11			
	Knockrath,							29	19	11			
	Trooperstown,							20	16	11			
	Ballinderry,							43	12	7			
	Ballinaclash,							41	17	8			
	Ballinacor,							61	4	9			
	Anghrim,							60	19		316	39	
	Totals,							771	11				

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

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

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 £41 . 0 s. 11 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	41	0	11
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	47	4	2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2	4	
Average cost in Infirmary,	3	3	
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	3	3	

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:

720 Loaves White Bread	24 Bush Hops
680 " Brown do	50 Iron Caps
500 lb New Milk 12 lbs Butter	Pair Shafts for Cart
320 lb Buttermilk	15 Cwt Soap
260 lb Meat	10 Cwt Rice
72 Sheep Heads	20 feet Stone pipe
4 Doz Port Wine	

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, -	8	14	10
	✓	✓	✓
Total, -	8	14	10

Credit each Relieving Officers as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.
No. I.	William Manning,	10 —
No. II.	Robert Manning,	"
No. III.	George Tuke,	10 —
No. IV.	Patrick Moran,	5 0
TOTAL,		25 —

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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

	£	s.	d.
John Deacy	28	6	1
James Quinn	93	11	11
Butter & Scott	21	.	.
Anne Farrell	7	9	8
John Cowley	15	2	6
Deann Chuse	2	11	.
John Farrell	52	17	1
Stephen Murphy	3	15	8
Edward Wright	134	6	2
Pat ^o Conterney	2	13	8
John Deacy	2	13	7
James Allentagh	2	11	8
John Simpson	3	"	.
Ch. Lavender	9	9	"
James Duffy	5	10	.
A. M'bank	4	.	6
Daniel Farrell	4	4	"
In favor of Clerk			
James Simpson	1	10	"
John Farrell	"	3	4
Thomas Smith	"	11	"
Isaac Flower	9	16	3
Thomas Troy	"	7	"
W. Jackaberg	"	7	"
George Tuke	1	9	"
R Manning	"	8	10
	5	12	5

		£	s.	d.
Joshua Edmondson Ho	Stone	6	6	0
Dr Sherwood	vacuation	3	"	"
Dr McClelland	"	3	"	"
Arthur Abank	Postage	1	3	11

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The Reports of Medical Officers were read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

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

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

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

Circular N^o 26487 Dated 30th Ultimo
 Calling for a Return of the Insane of all Classes who were relieved in the Workhouse during the year ended 31st Ultimo,
 Also a Return of the Number of Senatics, Idiots and Epileptic Inmates of the Workhouse on the 31st Ultimo

Letter N^o 26934 Dated 30th Ultimo relative to an order of the Guardians on the 16th Instant directing a Stone to be provided and placed on the ground floor under the present drying Room in the Workhouse, The Commissioners recommended the Board of Guardians to obtain the Consent of the Insurance Company in case there be no Stone at present in the place indicated
 Ordered the Clerk to write to the Agents of the Insurance Co to obtain their sanction to erect the Stone

Letter N^o 27289 Dated 30th Ultimo referring to an entry on the Minutes of the 2nd Ultimo relative to the case of a Man named Whelan who for a short time was in receipt of Out Door Relief, The Commissioners forward for the information of the Board of Guardians Copy of an explanation which they have received from the Relieving Officers on the Subject
 Order on the above The Guardians were perfectly satisfied with the explanation given by the Relieving Officers

in the first instance

Letter N^o 27139 Dated 31st Ultimo stating that the Commissioners have had before them the Weekly Abstracts of Rates Collected and Lodged to the 20th Instant from which they observe that Mr. Murphy has not attended for the examination of his Accounts since the 24th N^o: nor lodged any Money to the Credit of the Union during the 5 weeks ended 20th Inst^s, the Commissioners request that the Board of Guardians will call upon him for an explanation of the Cause of his neglect in these respects, and that such explanation when received may be recorded in the Minutes of their Proceedings.

The Commissioners request that the Clerk will be careful in future to furnish the Weekly Returns of the Rates Collected and lodged more promptly from week to week as they become due.

In reply to the above the Guardians beg to inform the Commissioners that Collector Murphy has since closed his accounts.

Circular N^o 2441 Dated 2nd Instant calling for a Return of the Rates Made and any New Rates agreed upon in the Union for the Month of December.

Letter N^o 5 of 13 Dated 5th Instant calling on the Clerk for a Return of Expenditure incurred under the provisions of the Medical Charities Act for the year ending 29th Sept^r last.

Circular N^o 1 of 13 Dated 7th Instant calling on the Clerk for a Return of the Number of persons affected by Ophthalmia in the Workhouse during the year ended 31st Decem^r 1842.

Wm Byrne Chairman

J Silvester Secy

John Grant

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

the _____ day of _____ 186

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 18____
—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,

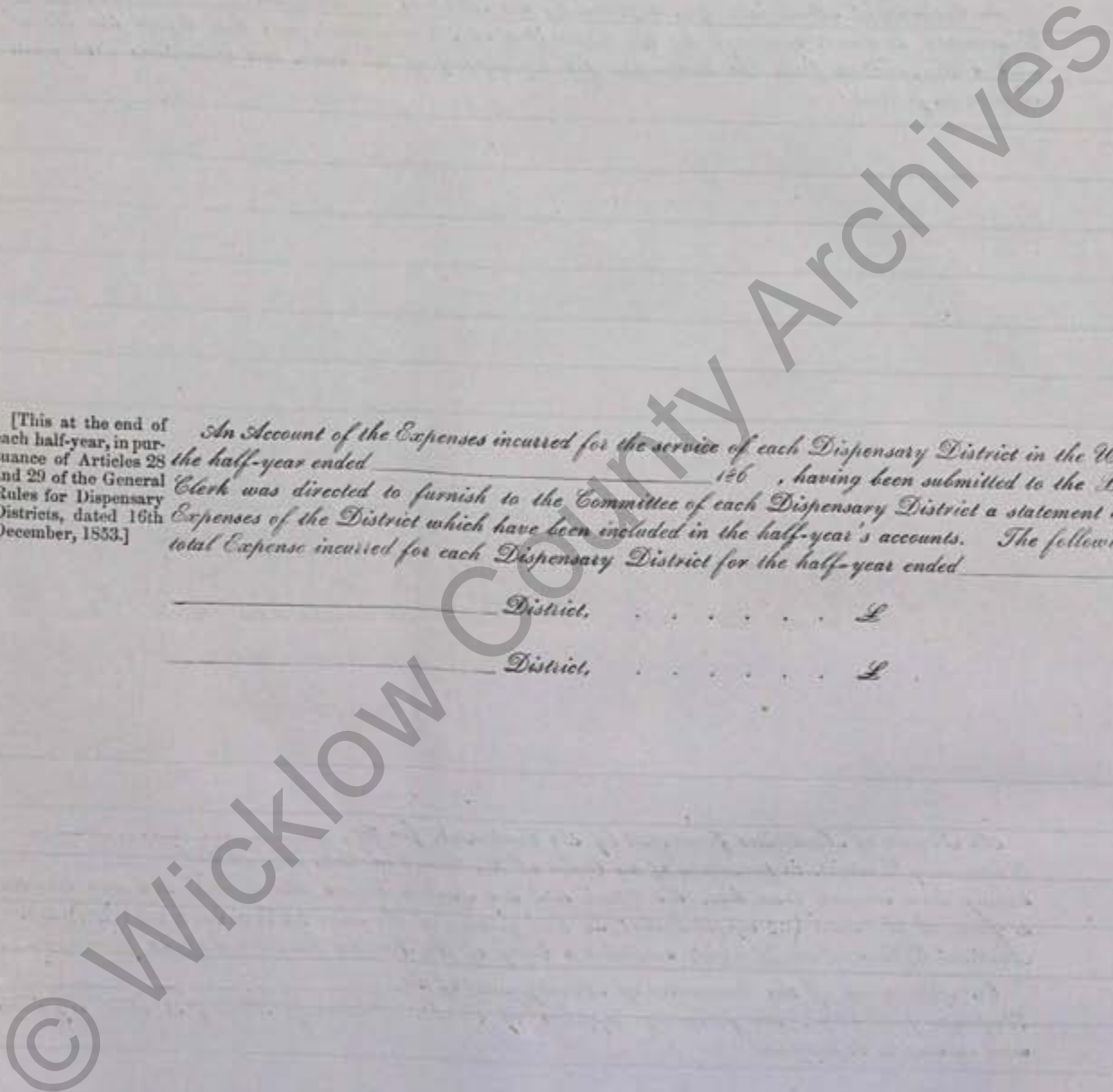
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £

[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, 1833.]

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

District, £

District, £



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

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Dispensary District, Mr. _____

of _____

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Order dated _____ (state subject)

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Read Letter from _____
stating that _____

dated _____

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RATHDRUM UNION.

521

Population in 1851, 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £130349.12

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of January 1863

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 5 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	743	394														
Temporary Buildings,	80	11														
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,																
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	823	405														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			29	89	71	68	13	14	31	17	49	381	In Work-house Hospital, 83	In separate Wards, 11		
Admitted during the Week,			16	11	2	"	1	1	3	3	5	42	In Fever Hospital, 11	In Wards with other Inmates, 10		
TOTAL,			45	100	73	68	14	15	34	20	54	423	Total, 94	Total, 21		
Discharged during the Week,			9	5	2	"	"	"	1	1	"	18				
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
Total Discharged and Dead,			9	5	2	"	"	"	1	1	"	18				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			36	95	71	68	14	15	33	19	54	405				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17 day of January, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
No. I.	20	83	William Manning.
No. II.	21	44	Robert Manning.
No. III.	25	58	George Tuke.
No. IV.	13	25	Patrick Moran.
TOTAL	79	208	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 20th day of January 1863

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. Michael Byrne

Other Guardians: D. J. Henry, W. H. Jones, Gm. Meigs, J. Hunter & H. Rowley

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. 253 to No. 375, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week, £137 : 10 : 4

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* the Guardians was £344 : 12 : 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £2113 : 1 : 4

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.
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle Upper,							3	7	1			
	„ Lower,							-	-	-			
	Kilcoole,							19	-	-			
	Altidore,							-	-	-			
	Killiskey,							46	-	-			
								4	10	7	4	10	7
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,							8	-	-			
	Calary,							12	-	-			
	Brockagh,							12	-	-			
	Ballycullan,												
	Oldtown,												
	Togher,												
	Moneystown,							5	-	-			
								35	-	-	35	-	-
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	9	5	24				14	-	6			
	Glanealy,	22	4	8				-	11	3			
		31	10	-	31	10	-	14	11	9	14	11	9
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown East,	4	1	-				25	2	6			
	„ West,	10	9	5				-	-	-			
	„ South,	3	10	11				-	-	-			
		18	14	-	18	14	-	25	2	6	25	2	6
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Ennerelly,							-	-	-			
	Kilbride,							-	-	-			
								-	-	-			
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cropebane,	10	-	-				9	18	1			
	Ballyarthur,	14	19	-				32	16	8			
	Ovoca,	20	-	-				13	14	4			
		44	19	-	44	19	-	56	9	1	56	9	1
WILLIAM SMITH,	Rathdrum,	14	-	-				93	12	11			
	Knockrath,	-	-	-				29	19	11			
	Trooperstown,	8	-	-				12	16	11			
	Ballinderry,	3	-	-				40	12	7			
	Ballinacash,	7	-	-				34	17	8			
	Ballinacoor,	4	-	-				57	4	9			
	Aughrim,	7	-	-	43	-	-	53	19	-	323	3	9
Totals,				18	10	4		134	-	8	134	-	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 Treasurers and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £28 " 13s. 9d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	28	13	9
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	48	3	9
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	2	36	6
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2	18	1
Average cost in Infirmary,	3	6	6
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	3	6	6

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:

110 Loaves white Bread	1/2 Gross Ratt Coats
700 do Brown do	1/2 do fine do
160 lbs fine Buttermilk	1 Gross Thimble
250 " New Milk	24 Sweeping Brushes
6 lbs Butter	24 Scrubbing do
136 lbs Meat	1 Lamp Shade
3 1/2 Sheep Heads	
30 lbs Ten 2 Cut Sugar	
2 Cut Soda	
40 lbs Mould Candy	
12 Doz Pairs Portis	
10 Cut Outmen	

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, -	£ 8 . 13 . 4
In Kind, -	- - -
Total, -	£ 8 . 13 . 4

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.
No. I.	William Manning,	10
No. II.	Robert Manning,	
No. III.	George Tuke,	
No. IV.	Patrick Moran,	
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 Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

		£	s.	d.
Dr. Pauke	Vaccination	28	"	"
Dr. Anderson	Dr	4	"	"
In favor of Club				
Dr. Kearney	Vaccination	1	"	"
Mr. Manning	Conveyance	1	1	"
		2	1	"
Dr. Buckley	Planting	6	19	5

£ s. d.

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The Reports of Medical Officers were read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

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

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

General Order Dated 2nd January 1853 for
Regulating the Election of Guardians in the
Several Unions throughout Ireland

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

Letter N^o 13 M 63 Dated 13th Instant informing
the Clerk for the information of the Board of Guardians that the
Commissioners have thought it advisable to receive Mr.
W Hamilton from the Superintendance of this Union
and to place it for the future under the Charge of Dr Hill
Medical Inspector in his Capacity of Poor Law Inspector

Circular N^o 14 H 13 Dated 16 Instant stating that the
Commissioners having deemed it necessary in consequence
of the Change made in the Law relating to the Election of
Guardians by the Act of last Session 25 + 26 Victoria Cap 83
to revise the General Order relating to the Election of Guardians,
dated 26th January 1852 now transmit to the Clerk a sealed
Copy of an Amended General Order Dated 2nd Instant regulating
the Conduct of future Election of Guardians in the Several
Unions in Ireland

A Letter was read from the Schoolmaster requesting
leave of absence for one week

Granted

The following Letter was read from Mr Foomy Solicitor
in reply to a Letter from the Clerk asking information

relative to two persons the Guardian, proceeded against at the Quarter Sessions in October last as the putative father of children in the Workhouse. The Assistant Barrister having postponed his decision until the last Session.

75 Aruncourt St Dublin
15th January 1863

Dear Sir

Our Chairman told me he thought the Evidence of Parentage should have been given before the Justices and that he should dismiss the Process, - he was very busy at Tuinahely, and not wishing that it should go abroad that you Board had not the power to enforce those Claims, I did not press for decision at Tuinahely and the proceedings therefore stand over still.

I think the Chairman have consulted as to the course to be taken under the Act as I find Mr Coppinger a very prominent Member of the Chairman Bench so decided at Tralee.

I would advise the Board to adopt a Petition to Parliament stating what they have done and the difficulties in their way - and further that the Law Officers of the Crown in Ireland hold one opinion on this part of the evidence and the Chairman Bench the other on Grammatical Construction of the Clause, and I would therefore pray the Parliament to amend the Act and give the power to Sue.

Will you kindly call the attention of the Board to my own position with them I am Solicitor for some of the Mining Co's and have heretofore always supported the Rates of your Union against my own Clients - they have now to appoint a Solicitor in Mr. Courtneys Room, - and I am asked to lay the foundation of Appeals against the Rates on the Mines, - if they elect one as their permanent Solicitor I shall be happy to act as I have done for them successfully as heretofore, but I don't think it was altogether fair to me heretofore to give them Superior Court business (where there was profit) to one attorney and leave the defence of the Rates to me where the money at stake was large and the payment given me ridiculously small.

To Mr Board of

I am Sir
Yours
Jas J. J. J. J. J.

The Clerk informed the Board that the last appeal against

the Rate was by the Commoned Mining Co or rather Mr. Browne who was then owner of the Mine, on that occasion the Valuation was defended by a Mr. Bolton on the part of Sir Richard Griffiths Commissioner of Valuations, and Mr. Toomey conducted the appeal for Mr. Browne and succeeded.

The Clerk was directed to write to Sir Richard Griffiths to know if the Guardians had the Power to employ their own Solicitor to defend appeals against the Valuations.

A man named McShirick ^{at the time} came before the Board for admission it appeared he was a Pensioner of 5/- per day he stated that he was anxious to remain in the Workhouse and pay for his Support, he lately received his quarterly pension which he spent on drink & he came quite destitute. McShirick requested the Board to place him on Ten diet to which the Board agreed.

Trustee Board Chairman

Geo. McManis
John O'Connell

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday*
the *27th* day of *January* 1863
(Signed) *M. W. B. [Signature]*
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Rathdown
UNION, on Tues day, the 20th day of January 1863
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

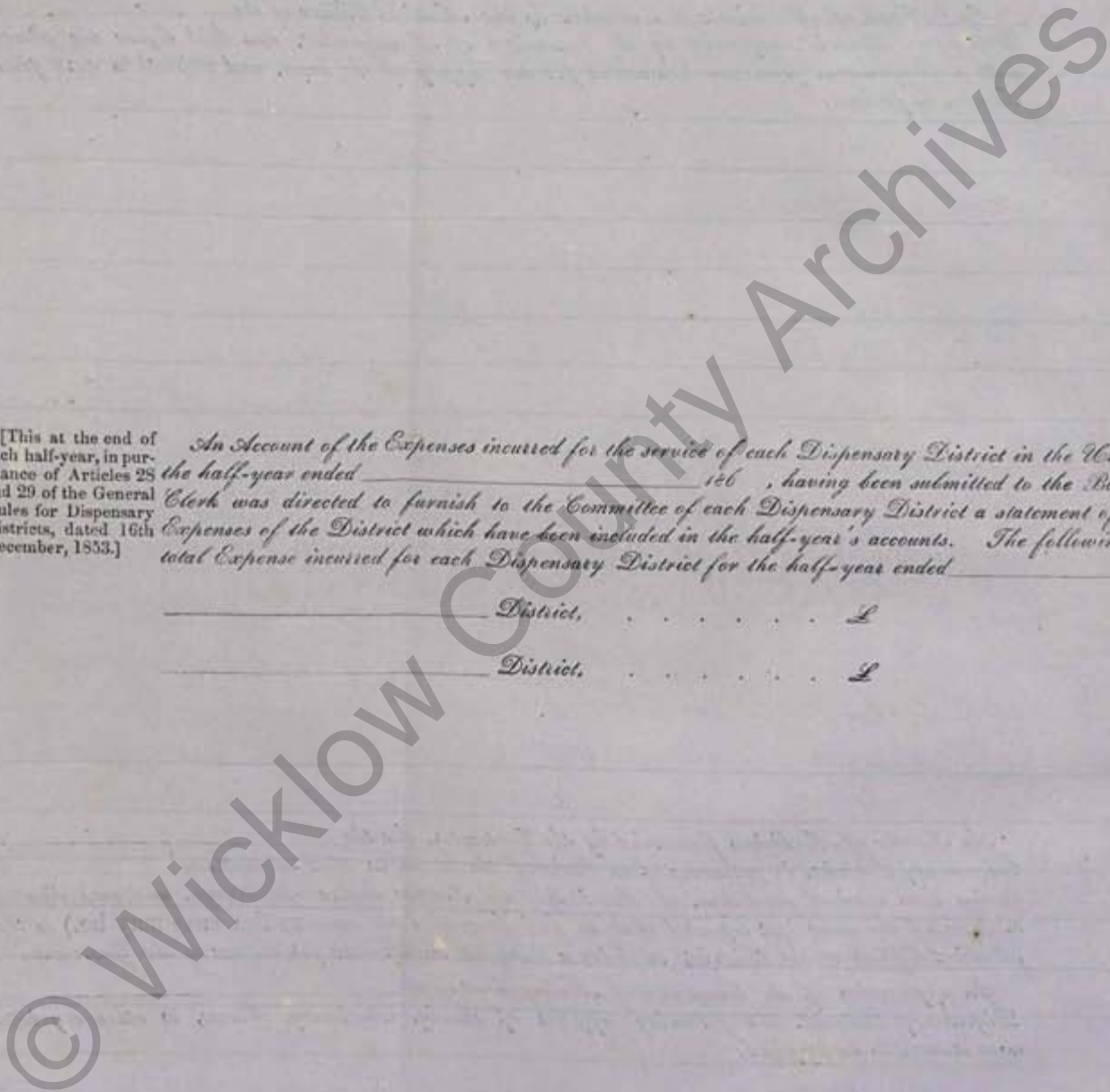
Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £

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

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

_____ District,	£
_____ District,	£



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Dispensary District, No. _____ of _____

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

Order dated 11th January 1843 (state subject.)

Ordering and directing that the order of the 10th October 1842 shall not apply to any person who shall at any time previously to his appointment as Medical Officer of a Workhouse have held office in any Union in Ireland either as Medical Officer of a Workhouse or Medical Officer of a Dispensary having been duly qualified for such office at such previous times

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Recd. Letter from ^{Clerk} the Poor Law Commissioners dated 16th Instant 1839 stating that

Enclosing Copy of sealed Order as to Qualification for Medical Officers

D. Banks Medical Officer of the Ashford Dispensary District attended before the Board and entered into a lengthened explanation as to the large number on his Vaccination Return.

The Clerk laid the Return before the Board which was verified by the Dispensary Committee and all the Rules relating thereto complied with, the List contained 600 Cases Successfully Vaccinated but the Clerk struck out 37 Cases who resided outside the District having 563 Cases, payable or £28.0.0

Proposed by Dr. Henry Cox and seconded by W. S. Bond Resolved that having read the Vaccination Order of the 2nd September 1858 and the Form of Notice of Vaccination Districts issued under said Order, Considered that the Medical Officer of a Dispensary District has no power to refuse Vaccination to persons presented for that purpose at the Vaccination Depot although same may not be resident in his District, and consequently think it due to the Medical Officer of the Ashford Dispensary District to express the satisfaction of the Board with the Vaccination Return presented by him and direct the Clerk to Communicate with the Poor Law Commissioners in order that this Board may ascertain if there be any objection as to payment of Cases of persons not resident in the Ashford Districts. — The Board considering that D. Banks has a fair claim for payment for those Cases

Witnessed at the Board
 Geo. Morrison
 John O'Connell

(Signed)

Arthur Banks
 Clerk of the Union.

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