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OF THE

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53, UPPER SACKVILLE-STREET DUBLIN.

OF WHOM MAY BE HAD

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

Population in 1851, *47,861*

Present Net Annual Value, £*125,929-19*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *11th* day of *December* 185*8*

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 9 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse,	<i>780</i>	<i>302</i>													
Temporary Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital	<i>100</i>	<i>5</i>													
Fever Sheds,															
TOTAL,	<i>880</i>	<i>310</i>													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			<i>4</i>	<i>72</i>	<i>54</i>	<i>57</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>33</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>298</i>	In Work-house Hospital, <i>53</i>	In separate Wards, <i>2</i>	
Admitted during the Week,			<i>2</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>23</i>	In Fever Hospital, <i>8</i>	In Wards with other inmates, <i>4</i>	
TOTAL,			<i>6</i>	<i>82</i>	<i>59</i>	<i>58</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>24</i>	<i>34</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>321</i>	Total, <i>91</i>	Total, <i>6</i>	
Discharged during the Week,			<i>1</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>10</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>1</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>-</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>11</i>			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			<i>5</i>	<i>76</i>	<i>53</i>	<i>57</i>	<i>21</i>	<i>23</i>	<i>34</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>310</i>			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *11* 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.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	<i>5</i>	<i>8</i>					Bt. forward						
No. II.	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>					No. X.						
No. III.	<i>2</i>	<i>5</i>					No. XI.						
No. IV.	<i>10</i>	<i>15</i>					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	<i>16</i>	<i>31</i>					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Tuesday* the *14th* day of *December* 185*8*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *John Parnell Esq*

Other Guardians:

R. Howard Brooke, W. Cartwright, J. L. Thompson Esq

John Aclon, John Booth, W. Stinger, J. Fogarty,

J. Poland, J. Musome, Ed. Edge, P. Sherwood, R. Duke, Mumpsey, M. H. Jones, M. L. Bestall, J. W. Bonney, J. Fogarty and J. Edge,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4560 to No. 4593, 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 : 15 : 7

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 78 : 10 : 6

And that the Balance on the Account *in favour* of the Guardians was £1448 : 17 : 10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 16 - 15 s. 5 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:

220 White Loaves
 130 Brown do
 120 lbs Meats
 36 Sheep Heads
 200 Gall Newmilk
 145 " Butter
 148 lbs Worster
 2 Rins. XX Paters
 1 Patent Cook + Vent Key

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

	£	s.	d.
In money,			
In kind,		19	10
Total,		19	10

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

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 No 258 Dated 13 Instant
 Calling the Clerk's attention to the Com^r
 Circular of the 20th ultimo and requesting
 him to inform them of the date on which
 he will be prepared to furnish the Return of
 Expenditure incurred under the Medical
 Charities Act during the year ended the 29th
 September 1855.)

Read Letter from the Clerk of the
 Clogheen Union forwarding a Petition to Parlia-
 ment adopted by the Guardians of that Union,
 against a Bill presented to the House of Commons
 in the last Session of Parliament proposing that
 the Apportionment of Grand Jury Cess and Poor Rate
 on the Counties and Poor Law Unions of Ireland
 shall be made by the Commission of Valuation
 in Dublin,

Proposed by Mr. N. Smith and Seconded by
 Mr. L. Thompson,

Resolved that the Petition read
 by the Clerk from the Clogheen Union be adopted
 by this Board and that the Clerk shall pre-
 -pare a Copy of same to be signed by the

Chairman and forwarded for presentation to the House of Commons and that our County Members be requested to support it,

Agreeable to advantage the Board proceeded to examine tenders for the supply of provisions for three months, when the following persons were declared Contractors for the articles named as follows viz;

John Cowley	Best White Bread	@	4 ³ / ₄	of 4 lb loaves	✓
"	" Brown do	@	3 ¹ / ₄	" do "	✓
"	" Black Tea	@	3 ¹ / ₄	of lb.	✓
"	" Brown Sugar	@	5 ⁰	of lb.	✓
"	" Lump Sugar	@	7 ⁰	of lb.	✓
"	" Black Pepper	@	1 ¹ / ₂	of lb.	✓
"	" Mustard	@	9 ⁰	of lb.	✓
"	" Lima Shell Cocoa	@	£1-1-0	of cwt.	✓
John D'Arcy	" Patna Rice	@	15 ⁰	of cwt.	✓
W. Nolan	" Oatmeal	@	£14-19 ⁰	of Ton	✓
James Nolan	" Indian Meal	@	8-11 ⁰	of Ton	✓
John D'Arcy	" Old Port Wine	@	£1-16-0	of doz	✓

There being only one tender for Meat, and the price considered it too high, ordered it to be re-advertised,

A letter was read from Miss Dwyer Schoolmistress applying for leave of absence for a week,

Some further,

Edw. Kelly,

Chairman

Mr. Byrne

John D'Arcy

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

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

Ditto, disallowed . . .

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

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

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

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

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185

(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 _____ 185____
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

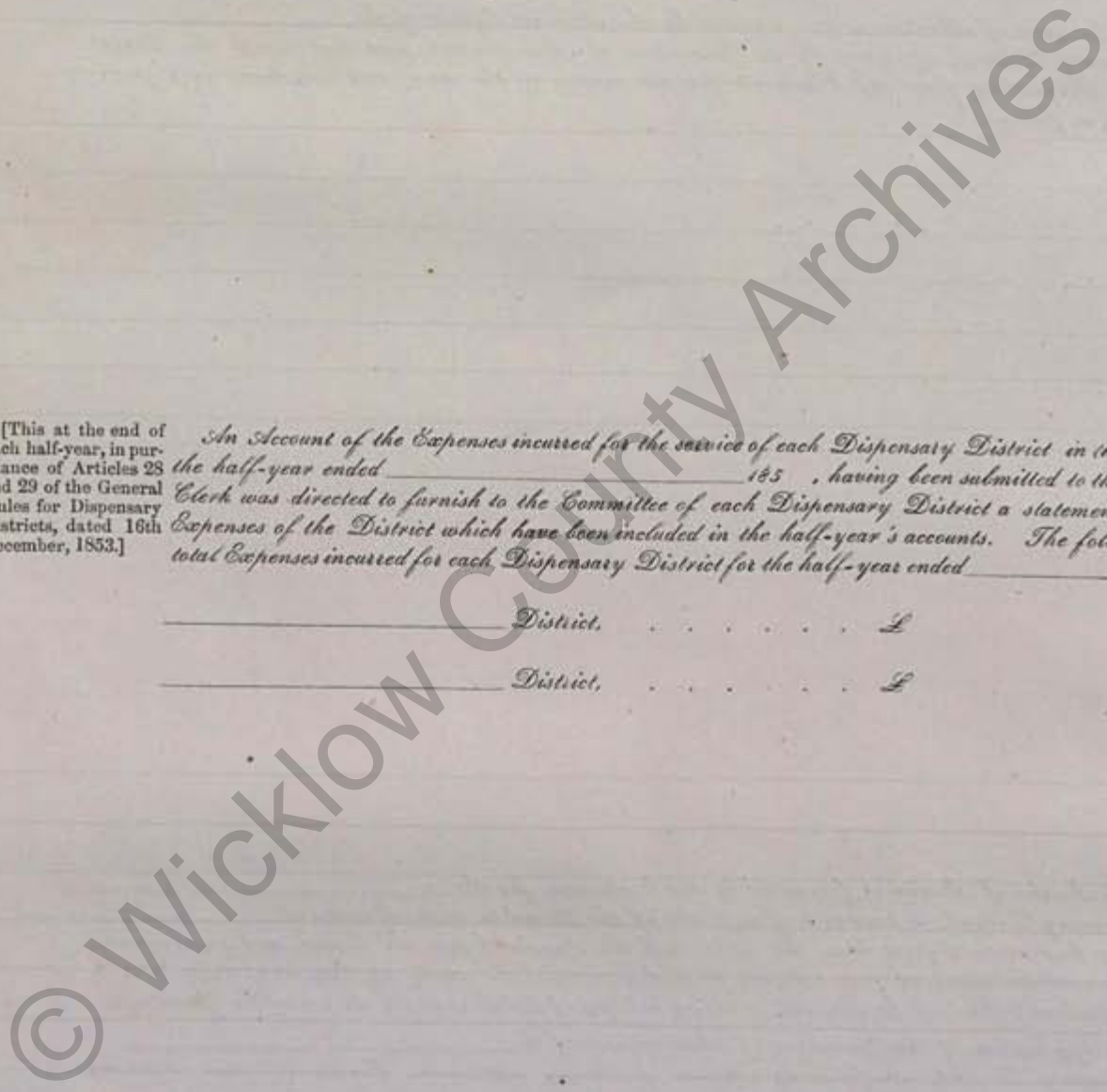
Dispensary District,

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £

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

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

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1851, 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £125929.19

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of December 1858

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,																
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			5	76	58	57	21	23	34	9	27	310	In Work-house Hospital, 82	In separate Wards, 2		
Admitted during the Week,			2	6	5	2	1	"	"	"	2	18	In Fever Hospital, 9	In Wards with other inmates, 54		
TOTAL,			7	82	63	59	22	23	34	9	31	328	Total, 91	Total, 6		
Discharged during the Week,			2	3	2	1	1	2	"	"	"	11				
Died,			1	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	2				
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	3	3	1	1	2	"	"	"	13				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			4	79	60	58	21	21	34	9	29	315				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 18th day of December 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.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 19 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	3	8					Bt. forward						
No. II.	1	2					No. X.						
No. III.	2	3					No. XI.						
No. IV.	10	18					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	16	31					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 21st day of December 1858

PRESENT: In the Chair, *St. Colm. Baley*
 Other Guardians: *Livingston Thompson Esq., Messrs. Edw. Edge, Silvester Bourke, Michael Byrne & John Acton*

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. 594 to No. 440, 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, - - - £ 169: 6: 5

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 109: 8: 5

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* the Guardians was £ 1508-15-10.

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Patrick Farrell	Newcastle upper	"	"	"	1	16	9	1	16	9			
	" Lower	"	"	"									
	Kilcoole	"	"	"									
	Altidore	"	"	"									
William Murphy	Killiskey	"	"	"						3			1 19 9
	Glandalough	"	"	"						3	12	4	
	Calary	"	"	"						4	2	5	
	Brookagh	"	"	"						4	19	5	
	Ballycullen	"	"	"						1	15	10	
	Old town	"	"	"						3	1	1	
	Togher	"	"	"						14	4	6	
Monystown	"	"	"						9	2	6	11 - 1	
Edward Byrne	Micklow	"	"	"						88	8	2	
	Glencaly	"	"	"						17	13		106 1 2
William Douglas	Dungaustown E	3		8									
	" W	8		2									
	" S	8	18	1	20	4	11						
Francis Amesley	Emeraldly	"	"	"							5		
	Kilbride	"	"	"							7		1 "
Thomas Bartholomew	Athlow	25			25					257	3	10	257 3 10
William Loughlin	Cronstoun	29	8							36	16	3	
	Ballyathin	6	7							42	8	6	
	Orbeca	"	"	"	35	15				21	7	6	100 12 3
William Smith	Rathmum	37	12	7						169	1	6	
	Kuscruth	10	1	3						54	7	11	
	Troopinstown	3	"	"						10	15	3	
	Ballinderry	9	3							29	12	1	
	Ballinaclesh	4	8	5						27		3	
	Ballinacross	12	17	10						37	18	9	
	Aughrim	11	3	5	88	6	6			33	7	9	362 3 6
Totals													1696 5
													869 1 7

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ VI 9 s. 6 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was

31 - 7 - 5 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

1/9 3/4

Average Cost in Infirmary.

2/3 1/2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital,

2/8

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:

210 Gall, New Milk	120 Tiles
140 " Buttermilk	6 Spades
340 lb Meat	2 Shovel
36 Sheep Heads	2 Iron

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

£ s. d.

In money,

In kind,

19 - 10 1/2

Total,

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bl. forward				
No. II.	R. Murray	3.0.0			No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.	W. Murray	5.0.0			No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. fwd.	Total	8.0.0			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 Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.			£	s.	d.
Rev. H. Galbraith	July to 25 th	Prot. Chaplain	7	10	"
Rev. R. Galvies	" "	Rel.	1	15	" "
Arthur Abank	" "	Clerk	1	25	" "
Do	" "	Relief Office	1	2	10
Samuel Manning	" "	Med. Officer	1	25	" "
Isaac Flower	" "	Master	1	15	" "
Mary Flower	" "	Matron	1	4	8 9

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

2. Establishment Account.

John Auer	Schoolmaster	7	10	"
William McCreath	Postman	3	"	"
Elyas Holt	Infy Nurse	3	"	"
Ellen Curran	F.H. Do	3	15	"
Catherine Byrne	Schoolmistress	5	"	"
William Manning	A.O.	7	10	"
Robert Manning	Do	7	10	"
George Tuke	Do	7	10	"
Patrick Moran	Do	7	10	"
Edward Tullow	Shoemaker	6	5	"
John Kelfoy	Taylor	4	10	"

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
Dr McClelland	1/2 Salty to 25 th Dec ^r Newcastle	18	15	"
Dr Hatch	" " Anansea	20	"	"
Dr Banks	" " Ashford	21	5	"
Dr Sherwood	" " Dunganston	20	"	"
Dr S. Estange	" " Arklow	20	"	"
Dr Nicholson	" " Newbridge	20	-	"
Dr Clarke	" " Rathdrum	18	15	"
Dr Kearney	" " Anghrim	18	15	"
Esther Byrne	" " Arklow	2	10	"
Simon Smith	1/2 Rent Anansea	2	10	"

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

In favour of Clerk to pay		£	s.	d.
Sarah Halpin	1/2 Salty	Rathdrum	1	"
Sarah Byrne	"	Newbridge	1	"
Ellen Graham	"	Anghrim	"	15
Elyce Johnson	"	Newcastle	"	15
Catherine Fitzgerald	"	Anghrim	"	7
Elyce Thompson	"	Dunganston	"	18
			24	15
Wm Eccles		Bucks	14	9
James Muntagh		Repairs	3	"
Deum Chase		Shaw	3	5

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

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

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

William Douglas	Collecting Rates	10	11	5
In favour of Clerk				
James Byrne	Mason Work	1	6	8+
Thomas Simpson	"	1	5	8+
Edw and Sherlock	Repairs	"	18	"
William Bryan	"	1	5	6+
James Forster	Realty	"	2	6+
Philip Byrne	Flags	"	12	"
Isaac Flower	Exp ^s to Wicklow	"	5	"
		5	15	4

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

Ordered that the Master provide two Suits of clothes for Paupers that are taken out of the Workhouse as Servants, Cost not to exceed 15/- per Suit

Ordered that the Master employ a Carpenter for 3 days to do some repairs in the Workhouse

The Medical Officer applied for leave of absence for two days, Dr. Nicholson to perform his duties

Leave granted

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 Letter

The Clerk produced the Ledger and Abstracts of the Union accounts Audited by George Braddell Esq ^{for the half year ending 24 September last} ~~with~~ they were approved by the Board and signed by the Chairman

L. Parnell Chairman

Edw. C. Esq
Silvester Barwick

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

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

Idem, disallowed . . .

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

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

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

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

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185

(Signed) _____

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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 21st day of December 1858
 —continued.

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

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

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the
 Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of
 having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed
 to forward the same, OR reported that he 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 29th September 1858, 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 Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended

Newcastle District	£ 55 . 18 . 10
Ashford District	£ 60 . 6 . 9
Quanao	54 . 15 . 11
Dungaustown	51 . 8 . 9
Arklow	45 . 18 . 0
Newbridge	72 . 3 . 6
Rathdrum	45 . 19 . 11
Aughrim	51 . 24 . 10

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 13th Decem^r 1858 N^o 28131 stating that

enclosing the Copy of a Letter which the Commissioners have received from Doctor Estang Medical Officer of the Arklow Dispensary District respecting a Communication received by him from the Clerk of the Union as to the examination of Bills for Medicines supplied to the Arklow Dispensary together with a Copy of the Commissioners reply

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1851, 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £125,929.19

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

1858

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 9 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	330	322														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	9														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	88	311														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			4	79	60	58	21	21	34	9	29	315	In Work-house Hospital, 82	In separate Wards, 2		
Admitted during the Week,			"	4	1	2	1	1	"	"	1	10	In Fever Hospital, 9	In Wards with other Inmates, 4		
TOTAL,			4	83	61	60	22	22	34	9	30	325	Total, 91	Total, 6		
Discharged during the Week,			2	3	1	4	"	"	"	"	"	10				
Died,			"	"	3	1	"	"	"	"	"	4				
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	3	4	5	"	"	"	"	"	14				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			2	80	57	55	22	22	34	9	30	311				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 25th 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.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	3	8					Dist. forward						
No. II.	1	2					No. X.						
No. III.	3	10					No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.	9	17					No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	16	57					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 28th day of December 1858

PRESENT: In the Chair,

John Parrell Esq.

Other Guardians:

Messrs. Edw. P. Edge, Wm. Law Bestall, Silvester

Downke & Patrick Baker

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1601 to No. 1606, 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:

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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, - - - - - £167 : 1 : 2

Paid during the week, - - - - - £238 : 4 : 2

And that the Balance on the Account in favor the Guardians was £1437 : 12 : 10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Patrick Linnell	Newcastle Upper	"	"	"				1	16	9			
	" Lower	"	"	"									
	Kilcoole	"	"	"									
	Altidore Killiskey	"	"	"						3			1 19 9
Mr. Murphy	Glandalough	3	12	4									
	Galary	4	2	5									
	Brookagh	4	19	5									
	Ballycallen	1	15	10									
	Oldtown	3	1	1									
	Togher	14	6	3									
	Moneytown	9	1	11	40	19	3			7			10
Edward Byrne	Wicklow	43	7	2				45	1				
	Glencaly	5	14	9	49	1	11	11	18	3			56 19 3
Wm Douglas	Dungarstown East	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" West	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" South	"	"	"				"	"	"			
Thomas Amesley	Emerald	"	"	"						5			
	Kilbride	"	"	"						7			1 "
Thomas Purthistle	Athlow	"	"	"				257	3	10			257 3 10
Mr. Longbrin	Bronckagh	"	"	"				36	16	3			
	Ballyathin	"	"	"				42	8	6			
	Booca	"	"	"				21	7	6			100 12 3
Mr. Smith	Rathrum	58	"	"				111	1	6			
	Knockrath	7	"	"				47	7	11			
	Trappinstown	5	"	"				5	15	3			
	Ballinderry	5	"	"				24	12	1			
	Bullinacash	"	"	"				27		3			
	Ballinger	2	"	"				35	18	9			
	Bughrin	"	"	"	77	"	"	33	7	9			285 3 6
Totals								167	12				702 . 5

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 22 . 13^s . 11^d .

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	37	12	6 ¹ / ₂
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2		1
Average Cost in Infirmary.			2/6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital,			2/9

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

220 Loaves, White Bread	120 ^{lb} Meat
130 " Brown do	36 Sheep's Heads
4 ^{lb} Pk Tea	2 Cut Rice
56 ^{lb} Sugar	4 Gall, Oil
150 Gall, Buttermilk	24 Bottle, Wine
210 Gall, New Milk	2 Gall, 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 25 day of Dec^r; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,			
In kind,	1	2	2 ¹ / ₂
Total.			

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

William Murphy Collecting Rate
 Glasdrough E. Dr.
 Balany
 Broe Ragh
 Ballycullen
 Old town
 Togher
 Moneytown

1	1	11
1	8	3
3	:	24
"	18	7
2	7	2
1	8	9
"	17	4
11	2	14

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

£ s. d.

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

Scutcheon

I have to report that a woman (name unknown) was brought here on Thursday evening the 23rd instant. She was unable to speak and died in $\frac{3}{4}$ of an hour. An Inquest is being held on her remains this day.

J. Flown Master

The Master brought under the notice of the Board the case of a pauper inmate named Bridget Tindale who has three illegitimate children by a man named Patrick Kelly a Farmer in good circumstances, residing at Ballyteskin who has heretofore contributed to the support of his children but now refuses to do so. The Master was directed to take proceedings against Kelly ^{on behalf} of Bridget Tindale before the Assistant Parishes.

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 Board proceeded to examine Tenders for supplying the Workhouse with Meat for three Months, Mr. Byrne of Ractonum was declared Contractor at the following prices viz

Best Beef @ 6⁰/₁₂

" Mutton @ 6⁰/₁₂

Ox Heads @ 4⁵/₆ each

Sheep Heads @ 6 each

1 lb of Meat to be given for every sheep Head. Deposited

L. B. Smith Ch^m

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

the

day of

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(Signed) _____

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

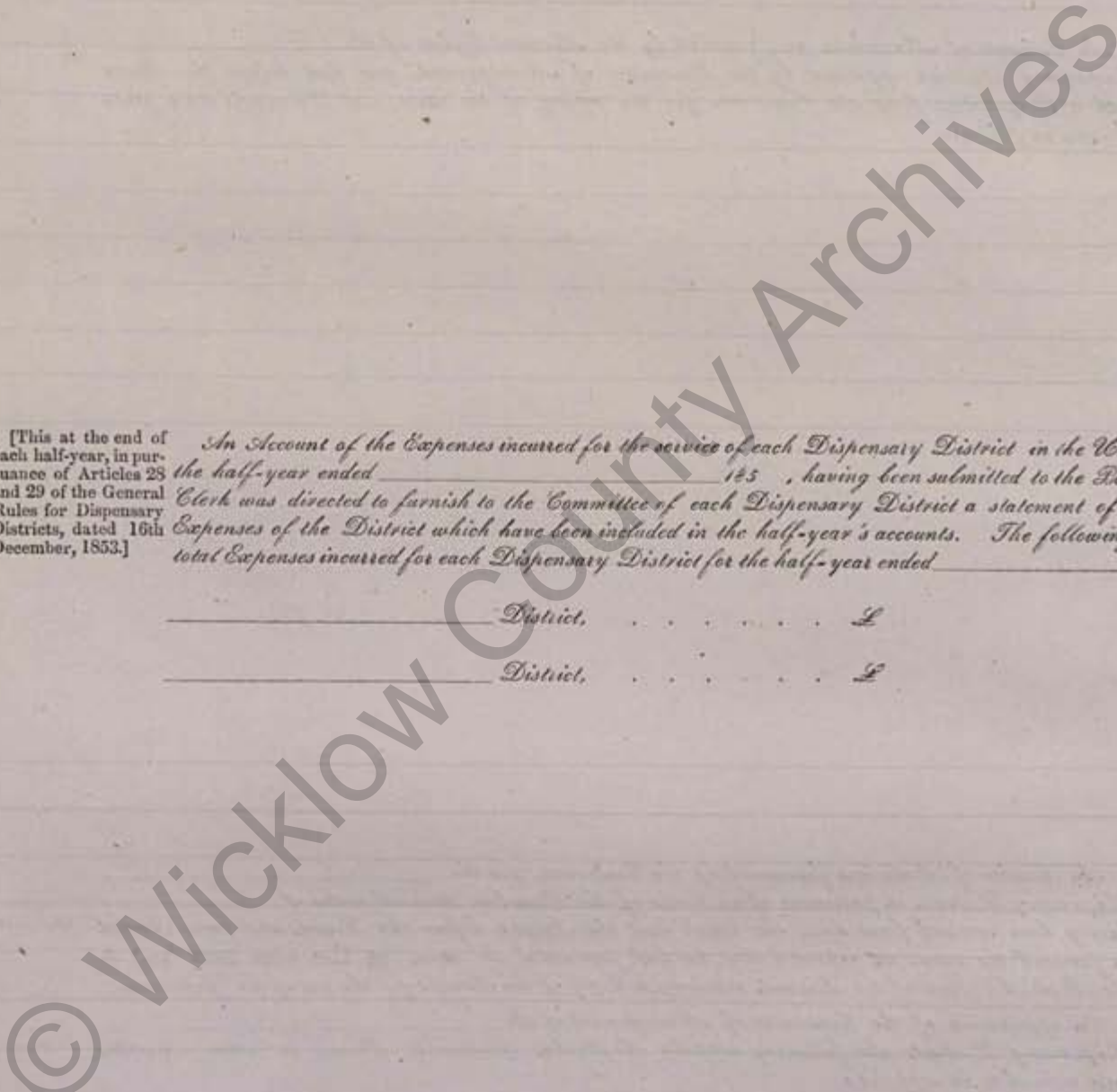
Dispensary District,

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £

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

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

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

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Rathfriland UNION.

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Population in 1851, 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £125929.19

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *1st* day of *January* 185*9*

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,	780	299													
Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds,	100	10													
TOTAL,	880	309													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			2	80	57	58	22	22	34	9	30	311	In Work-house Hospital, 53 In Fever Hospital, 10	In separate Wards with other inmates, 2 4	
Admitted during the Week,			7	7	3	1	1	2	-	"	2	16			
TOTAL,			2	87	60	56	23	24	34	9	32	327	Total, 93	Total, 6	
Discharged during the Week,			1	6	3	1	1	2	1	"	"	15			
Died,			"	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	3			
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	6	4	2	1	2	1	"	1	18			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			1	81	56	54	22	22	33	9	31	309			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *1st* day of *January* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	3	8					Bt. forward						
No. II.	1	2					No. X.						
No. III.	3	10					No. XI.						
No. IV.	9	17					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	16	34					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Tuesday*

the *4th* day of *January* 185*9*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *John Parrell Esq.*
 Other Guardians: *Wm. Conterway Esq. Messrs. Michel Byrne*
Richard Sherwood & Edward P. Edge
James Conroy Esq.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1027 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:

Registers not written up

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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, - - - - - £60 : " : "

Baid during the week, - - - - - £94 : 12 : 9

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £1103 : 0 : 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	"	"	"				1	16	9			
	" Lower	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Kilcoole	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Altidore	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Kelliskey	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	3	"	1	19	9
William Murphy	Glandalough	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Calary	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Brookagh	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Ballycullen	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Oldtown	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Togher	"	"	"				"	"	3			
	Moneystown	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	7	"	"	10	
Edward Byrne	Wicklow	"	"	"				45	1	"			
	Glencaly	"	"	"	"	"	"	11	18	3	56	19	3
William Douglas	Dunganstown East	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" West	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" South	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Francis Muesley	Emerally	"	"	"				"	"	5			
	Kilbride	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	7	"	1	"
Thomas Cuthistle	Arklow	60	"	"	60	"	"	197	3	10	197	3	10
Wm Loughlin	Courbane	"	"	"				36	16	3			
	Ballyathur	"	"	"				42	8	6			
	Orola	"	"	"	"	"	"	21	7	6	100	12	3
William Smith	Rathkern	"	"	"				111	1	6			
	Kuskruth	"	"	"				47	7	11			
	Troopstown	"	"	"				5	15	3			
	Pallinderry	"	"	"				24	12	1			
	Pallinacash	"	"	"				27	-	3			
	Pallinacor	"	"	"				35	18	9			
	Aughrim	"	"	"	"	"	"	33	7	9	285	3	6
	Totals				60	"	"				642	"	5

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £52. 11 s. 8 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
	52.	11.	8 1/2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	30.	8.	4 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	1/9 1/2		
Average Cost in Infirmary,	2/3 1/2		
Average Cost in Fever Hospital,	2/8		

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:

210 Loaves White Bread 200 Yards Bengal Stripes
 120 lb, Meat
 39 Sheep's Heads
 150 Gallons Buttermilk
 210 Gall Newmilk

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

In money,	£	s.	d.
In kind,	1.	2.	2 1/2
Total,			

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

		£	s.	d.
Stephen Murphy	Leather	8	8	4
Perrin Volcan, Timber, Tiles, & Bricks		10	"	8
Thomas Troy	Lein Sack	2	7	11
Elyas Byrne	Meat	49	4	9
Dennis Cromeyne	Rebuilding Churn	7	"	"
Mr Daniel		15	15	10
Mr Daniel		34	13	2

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

2. Establishment Account.

		£	s.	d.
William Daniel		5	"	5
John D'Arcy	Wine & Groceries	19	15	10
Richard Sutton	Painting & Contract	25	5	"
John Lawley	Meat & Bread	31	7	3
P. T. Leslie Ho	Paints	2	7	11
Francis Amesty	Collecting Rates	1	17	6
Ann Farrell	Milk	5	1	4
Thomas Byrne	Bread	19	8	1

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

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

12 Bibles

12 Prayer Books

6 Hymn Books

6 Catechisms

for Protestant Inmate

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 29863 Dated 29th Ultimo stating that the attention of the Commissioners has been lately drawn by direction of his Excellency the Lord Lieutenant to the expediency of furnishing the Constabulary with such information regarding the Limits of Relief and Dispensary Districts, and the persons Competent to afford Relief and responsible for affording it, as may enable them promptly to bring under the notice of the proper Party any Case of Debilitation of an urgent Character which may come under their Observation.

The Commissioners are informed that the Inspector General is prepared to issue instructions with this view, and the Commissioners request that the Board of Guardians in furtherance of so desirable an object will be good enough to forward to each Constabulary Station in the District a Statement shewing the following particulars, and that they will from time to time when any Changes occur forward in like manner the particulars of such Changes.

1st The day of Weekly Meeting of the Board of Guardians

2nd The precise locality of the Workhouse

3rd The limits and Boundaries of the Union

4th The limits and Boundaries of each Relieving Officers District.

- 5th The Name & address of each Relieving Officer and the Stations at which he attends, with the time, fixed for his attendance
- 6th The limits, and Boundaries of each Dispensary District and the Locality of each Dispensary
- 7th The Name and address of each Dispensary Medical Officer and the time, fixed for his attendance at the Dispensary
- 8th The Names, and Addresses of the several persons authorised to give Tickets for Medical Relief under the Medical Charities Act

A Notice was served on the Clerk by Messrs Edward P. Edger and Richard Sherwood to call a Special Meeting of the Board on Tuesday the 18th Instant to take into consideration the Claim of the Clerk of the Union for his Services under the Parliamentary Votes Act for the Year 1858

Samuel CR^m
 Minister

Silverster Bank

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185

(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 _____ 185
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

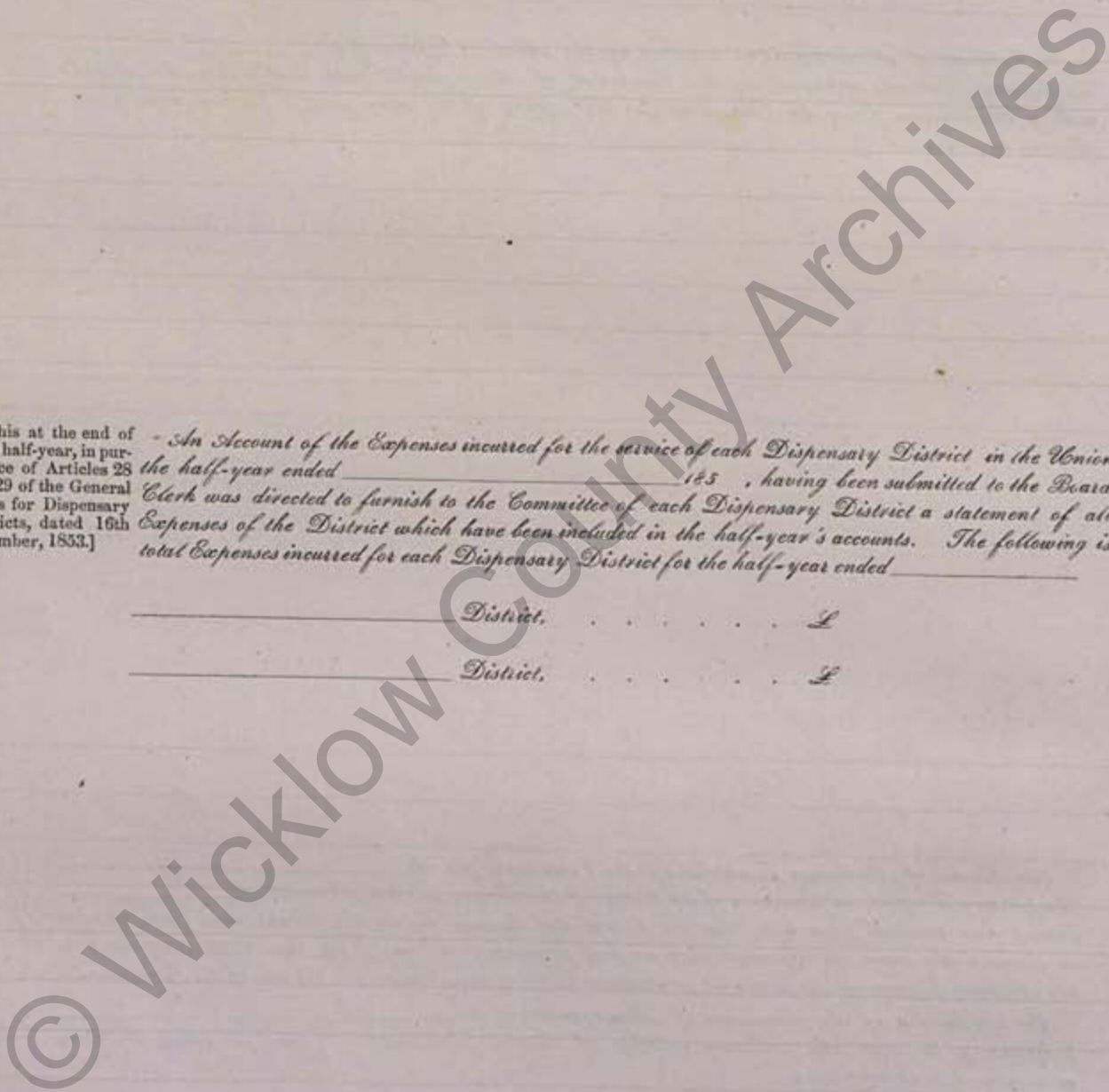
Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 25 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 _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses 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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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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UNION.

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Population in 1851, 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £125929.19

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of January 1859

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied						Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working			Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls	Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date									
Workhouse,	780	296																	
Temporary Buildings,																			
Additional Workhouse,																			
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	10																	
Fever Sheds,																			
TOTAL,	880	306																	
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			1	81	56	54	22	22	33	9	31	309	In Workhouse Hospital,	79	In separate Wards,	2			
Admitted during the Week,			5	3	1	"	"	3	1	3	16	In Fever Hospital,	10	In Wards with other inmates,	4				
TOTAL,			1	86	59	55	22	22	36	20	34	325	Total,	89	Total,	6			
Discharged during the Week,			1	6	2	1	1	"	"	"	4	15							
Died,			"	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	2	4							
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	6	3	2	1	"	"	"	6	19							
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			"	80	56	53	21	22	36	10	28	306							

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	3	8					Bl. forward						
No. II.	2	4					No. X.						
No. III.	3	10					No. XI.						
No. IV.	7	15					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	15	37					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday

the 11th day of January 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Parnell Esq
Other Guardians: Charles, Matthew West Esq & Mr. 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. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 437 to No. 445, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 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, - - - - - £ 165 : 16 : 11

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £ 1237 : 3 : 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Patrick Farrell	Newcastle Upper	"	"	"				1	16	9			
	" Lower	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Kilcoole	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Altidore	"	"	"				"	"	"			
William Murphy	Killiskey	"	"	"						3			1 19 9
	Glendalough	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Galary	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Brook Park	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Ballycullen	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Oldtown	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Togher	"	"	"				"	"	3			
Edward Byrne	Moneystown	"	"	"				"	"	7			" " 10
	Micklow	"	"	"				45	1	"			
William Douglas	Glencaly	"	"	"				11	18	3			56 19 3
	Dugganstown East	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" West	"	"	"				"	"	"			
Francis Aunesty	" South	"	"	"				"	"	"			" " "
	Emerilly	"	"	"				"	"	5			
Thomas Pittwater	Kilbride	"	"	"				"	"	7			" 1 "
	Artklow	"	"	"				197	3	10			197 3 10
William Loughlin		"	"	"									
	Bronsbau	"	"	"				36	16	3			
	Ballyanthus	"	"	"				42	8	6			
William Smith	Over	"	"	"				21	7	6			100 12 3
	Rathdrum	"	"	"				111	1	6			
	Knockrath	"	"	"				47	7	11			
	Triperstown	"	"	"				5	15	3			
	Ballinacorney	"	"	"				24	12	1			
	Ballinaclesh	"	"	"				27		3			
	Ballinacor	"	"	"				35	18	9			
Aughrind	"	"	"				33	7	9			285 3 6	
	Totals												642 5

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 30 . 12 s. 1 3/4 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
	30	12	1 3/4
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	30	0	9 3/4
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was			1/9
Average Cost in Infirmary.			2/3 1/2
Average Cost in Fever Hospital.			2/7

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

210 Loaves, white Bread	200 Yards Bengal Stripes
180 " Brown do	200 Yards Sunday Woolsey
56 lbs Sugar	2 Ton Straw
3 lbs Rum do	1 Gallon Marrying Ink
116 lbs Meat	
36 Sheep heads	
160 Galls Buttermilk	
210 Galls New Milk	

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 8th day of January: whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,			
In kind,			19 . 9 1/2
Total.			19 / 9 1/2

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

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

Gentl^{rs}

I have to inform you that I have received from John Dillow late a pauper inmate and a pensioner the sum of £1.12.0 for his maintenance during the time he was an inmate,

Agreeable to your instructions I attended at the Quarter Session held on yesterday at Wicklow in the case of Bridget Tindale a pauper inmate against Patrick Kelly for the support of his three illegitimate children, also inmates of the Workhouse. The case was compromised by the man in question paying the mother the sum of £5.0.0

In accordance with the suggestion made at last Comtee with reference to the average cost of dietary in this Union as compared with that of Skillelagh Union I wrote to six of the neighbouring Unions for the required information the following are their replies

	Skillelagh	Rathdrum	Ciniscolly	Gorey	Wexford	Rathdown
Wallingford 1/11 ³ / ₄						
2/4	1/8	1/9	1/10 ² / ₄	1/8 ² / ₄	1/10 ² / ₄	2/4
3/8	2/1	2/3 ² / ₄	2/9 ² / ₄	2/2 ² / ₄	2/8 ² / ₄	5/8
9/11 ² / ₄	2/6 ² / ₄	2/7	4/6	3/4 ² / ₄	4/10	2/3
	6/3 ² / ₄	6/7 ² / ₄	9/2	7/3 ² / ₄	8/7 ² / ₄	10/3

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 1st 59 Dated 3rd Instant
Calling on the Clerk for a Return of the Rates, Made and any
new Rates agreed upon in the Month of December

Letter N^o 30498 Dated 5th Instant Calling on the Clerk to
furnish the weekly Abstract of Rates, Collected & Lodged
during the weeks ending the 27th November and 14th
Ultimus.

Letter N^o 30245 Dated 5th Instant with reference to
an order of the Guardian on the 21st Ultimus directing the
Master to provide two Suits of Clothes for paupers taken
out of the Workhouse as Servants. The Commissioners
request to be informed of the respective ages of the parties
referred to and the length of time that each of them
has been inmates of the Workhouse

In answer to the above, Ellen Shannon aged 17 years
Chargeable to Arklow E. D. & Bridget Flanagan aged
15 years Chargeable to Dungawstown South E. D. both
parties have been over 5 years in the Workhouse

Letter N^o 494 Dated 10th Instant with reference to
an order of the Guardian on the 28th Ultimus
directing the Master of the Workhouse to take proceedings

against the putative father of three illegitimate Children for the recovery of the Cost of their Support in the Workhouse in reference thereto the Jurymen state that they are not aware of any provision of the Law which enables the Guardians to direct the Master to proceed against the putative father of the Children in question or which would authorise the payment out of the Poor Rates of Costs incurred in such proceedings

A letter was read from Mr. Craig Revising Valuator enclosing Notices to be posted by the several Poor Rate Collectors fixing the times and places he would attend

J. Parnell. Chairman

Wm. Gibbons

Wm. Law Parrott

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185
—continued.

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

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

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed
to forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to
the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.
On application of the Committee of Management of the _____
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites
were ordered to be supplied:*

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

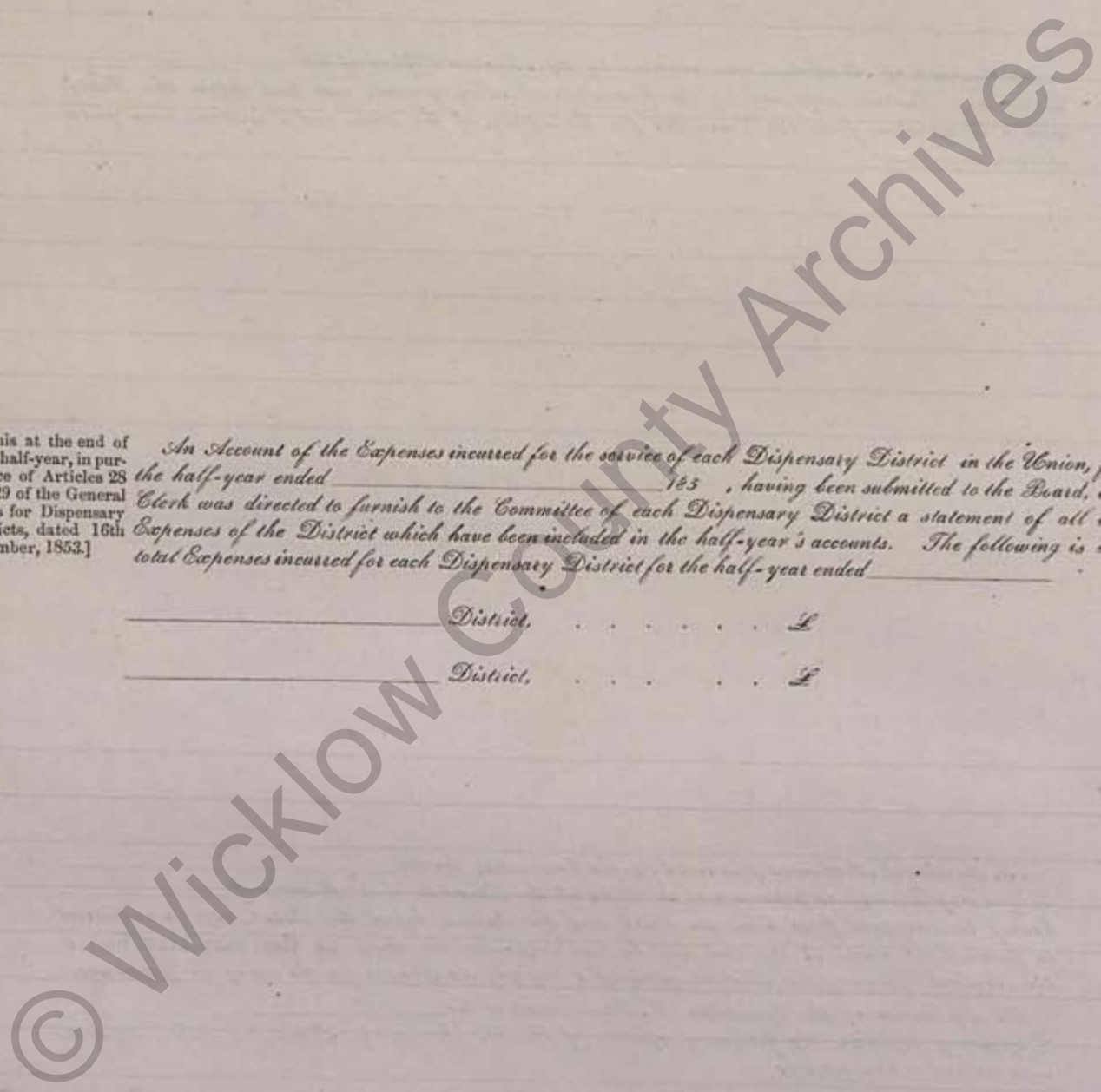
Dispensary District,

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses 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, 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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Population in 1851, 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £125929.19

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

15th day of January

1859

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,	780	293														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	10														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	880	303														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,				80	56	53	21	23	36	10	28	306	In Workhouse Hospital, 78	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, 2		
Admitted during the Week,			1	3	1	4	"	1	"	"	"	10	In Fever Hospital, 10	Total, 4		
TOTAL,			1	83	57	57	21	24	36	10	28	316	Total, 88	Total, 6		
Discharged during the Week,			"	4	3	"	"	"	1	"	2	10				
Died,			1	"	"	2	"	"	"	"	"	3				
Total Discharged and Dead;			1	4	3	2	"	"	1	"	2	13				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			"	79	54	55	21	23	35	10	26	303				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15th 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		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 21, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	3	8					BT. forward						
No. II.	2	4					No. X.						
No. III.	3	10					No. XI.						
No. IV.	7	15					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	15	37					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday

the 18th day of January 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Purcell Esq.

Other Guardians: Messrs John Chapman, Martin Hagerly, Mr. Stringer, John Acton, Mr. Gilbert, Samuel Livesley, Edward P. Edge, John Murphy, James Murphy, Sylvester Bourke, Rich^d Luke, Mr. Law, Bestall, James Fogarty, Richard Sherwood, Martin H. Jones

Charles S. Crawford Esq. Poor Law Inspector was also present

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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	Manchester uppr	"	"	"				1	16	9				
	" down	"	"	"				"	"	"				
	Kilmore	"	"	"				"	"	"				
	Attidore Killeskey	"	"	"				"	"	"				
												1	19	9
William Murphy	Maundalough	"	"	"				"	"	"				
	Calury	"	"	"				"	"	"				
	Moockagh	"	"	"				"	"	"				
	Ballycullen	"	"	"				"	"	"				
	Oldtown	"	"	"				"	"	"				
	Fogher	"	"	"				"	"	3				
	Moneytown	"	"	"				"	"	7			10	
Edmond Byrne	Nicklow	1	7	10				43	13	2				
	Glencaly	7	"	10	8	8	8	4	17	5	48	10	7	
William Douglas	Dungans town East	"	"	"				"	"	"				
	" West	"	"	"				"	"	"				
	" South	"	"	"				"	"	"				
Francis Amesty	Emerally	"	"	"				"	"	5				
	Kilbride	"	"	"				"	"	7			1	
Thomas Birkette	Arklow	"	"	"				197	3	10	197	3	10	
William Loughlin	Greystown	"	"	"				36	16	3				
	Ballycuthin	17	"	"				25	8	6				
	Dovea	3	"	"	20	"	"	18	7	6	80	12	3	
William Smith	Rathdruin	"	"	"				111	1	6				
	Kilvekrath	7	"	"				40	7	11				
	Troopers town	"	"	"				5	15	3				
	Ballinderry	3	"	"				21	12	1				
	Ballinacross	7	"	"				20	"	3				
	Castlemore	8	"	"				27	18	9				
	Inghrim	9	"	"	34	"	"	24	7	9	251	3	6	
	Totals				62	8	8				579	11	9	

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 30 . 18 s. 10 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	30	18	10 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	29	9	8 2/3
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		11	9
Average Cost in Infirmary,		2	3 1/2
Average Cost in Fever Hospital,		2	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:

- | | |
|----------------------|--------------------|
| 210 lbs white bread | 1/2 Ton Peas fibre |
| 135 " Brown do | |
| 15 cwt Ind. Meal | |
| 30 cwt Potatoes | |
| 160 galls Buttermilk | |
| 205 galls New Milk | |
| 112 lbs Meat | |
| 36 Sheep Heads | |
| 100 lbs deph Candles | |
| 60 lbs Mould do | |

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several 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 15th day of January 1859 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	£	s.	d.
In kind,			
Total,		19	9 1/2
		19	9 1/2

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

I have to report the gable ends of the Infirmary building admit the damp, the slating would require to be steep flashed with lead,

Ordered to be postponed until the month of April.

Received for Aberdeen Turnips £11.7.6

I have to report that the Contractor for Shaw has failed to supply that article.

Matter ordered to buy Shaw and charge expense to 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:)

Circular No 12 et 59 Miscellaneous
 Calling the attention of the Returning Officer to the Commissioners
 General Order dated the 26th January 1852 for Regulating
 the Conduct of Election of Guardians in the several Unions
 in Ireland a sealed Copy of which Order was transmitted
 with this Circular of the 31st of that Month,

The Commissioners also inform the Returning Officer
 of the days upon which the several proceedings
 in the ensuing Election are to be taken in pursuance
 of the Order

A Letter was read from the Schoolmaster asking the
 Guardians permission to offer himself as a Candidate
 for the Situation of Schoolmaster and Agriculturist
 for the Rathdown Union
 Leave granted

A Letter was read from the Schoolmistress asking the
 Guardians permission for her Sister to stop with her
 for a fortnight
 Leave granted

Agreeable to Notice served on the Clerk on this day
 fortnight the Board proceeded to consider the Claim
 of the Clerk of the Union for his expenses ^{and services} under the
 Parliamentary Voters Act 13th & 14th Victoria Cap 69

Section 73

Proposed by Mr Edward P Edge and Seconded by Mr
Richard Sherwood, Resolved that the Clerk shall be paid
the Sum of Twenty five Pounds for his Services and expenses
under the Parliamentary Voters Act

Passed

Wm. P. Edge

Edw. P. Edge

John Murphy

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Rathfriland
UNION, on Tues day, the 15th day of January 1859
—continued.

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

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

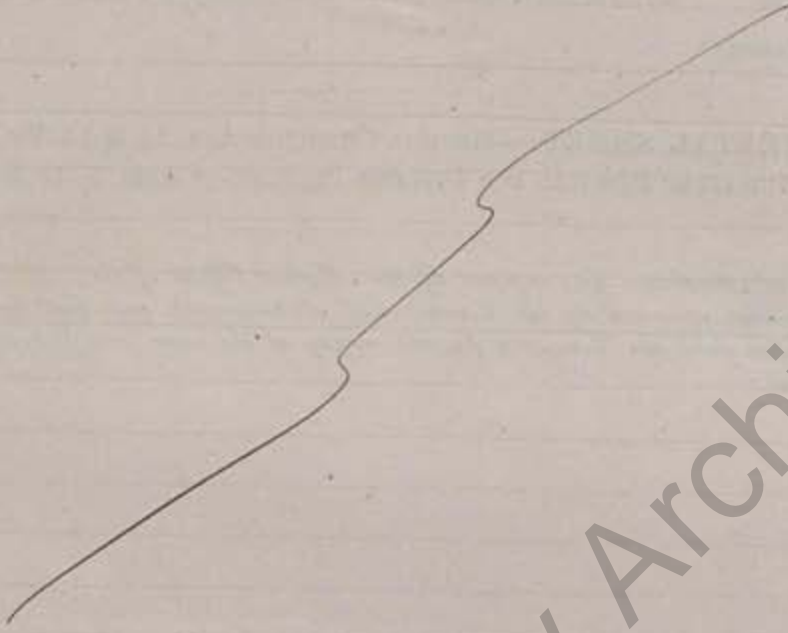
*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed
to forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as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

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

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

Dispensary District,

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £

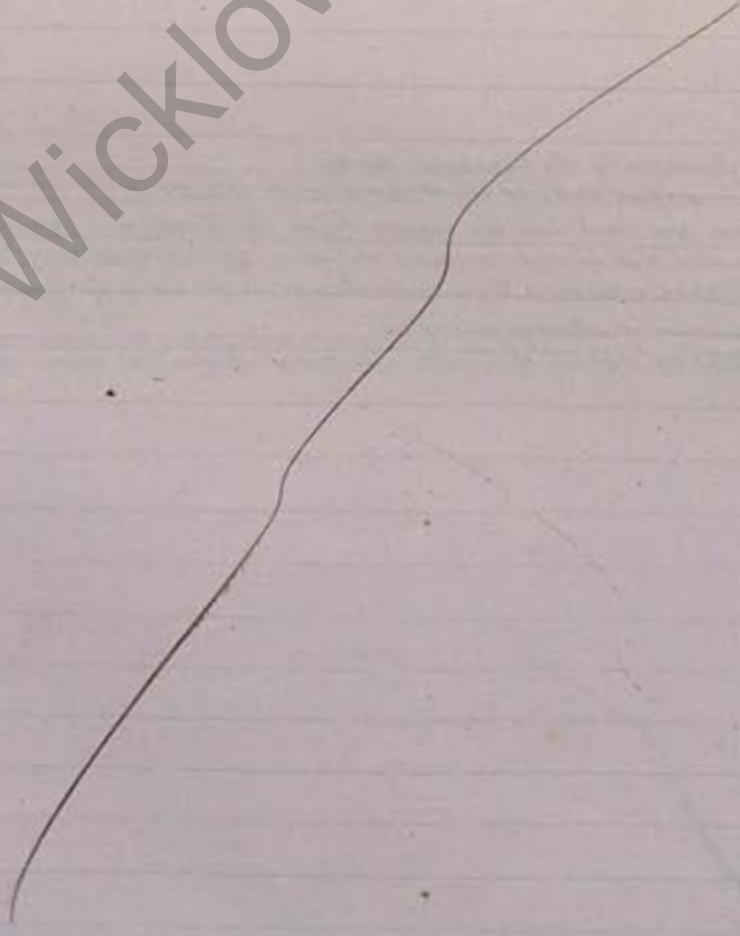
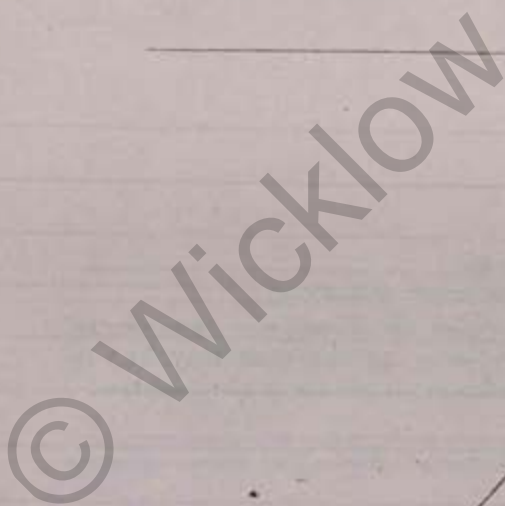


[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

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

Circular

Read Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 15th Instant A^o 13 M 59 stating that

Informing the Clerk of the Union and the Board of Guardians as to the Manner in which Reports should be furnished by the Medical Officers of each Disputing District of the number of persons vaccinated, also as to the ^{mode} ~~mode~~ in which they should be paid by the Guardians for the successful cases vaccinated

J. Murphy

Edw. S. Edge

John Murphy

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1851. 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £125929.19

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 22nd day of January 1859

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, . . .	780	289														
Temporary Buildings, . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	11														
Fever Sheds, . . .																
TOTAL, . . .	880	300														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .					79	54	55	21	23	35	10	26	303	In Work-house Hospital, 50 In Fever Hospital, 11 Total, 91	Inseparate Wards, 2 In Wards with other inmates, 4 Total, 6	
Admitted during the Week, . . .					1	1				1		4	11			
TOTAL,					83	55	56	21	23	36	10	30	314			
Discharged during the Week, . . .					3	3	1		2		1	2	12			
Died,						2							2			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .					3	5	1		2		1	2	14			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .					80	50	53	21	21	36	9	28	300			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 22nd day of January 1859 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	3	6	M. Manning				Bt. forward						
No. II.	4	13	A. Manning				No. X.						
No. III.	2	3	J. Tuck				No. XI.						
No. IV.	7	15	P. Morris				No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	16	37					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 25th day of January 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, Visct Coln Baly

Other Guardians:

Charles Matthew West, Edward P. Edge, John Murphy, Silvester Bonker, James Crawford Esq and 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 13th section of the 7 & Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. ~~4474~~ to No. ~~4480~~, 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, - - - - - £ 73 : - : -

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 81 : 18 : 5

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* of the Guardians was £ 1206 : 7 : 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 up	"	"	"				1	16	9			
	" Low	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Kilcoole	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Altidor	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Killistey	"	"	"	"	"	"	-	3		1	19	9
William Murphy	Standalough	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Calany	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Brookagh	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Bullycullen	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Oldtown	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Togher	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Monystown	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"			10
Edmund Byrne	Nicklaw	"	"	"				112	13	2			
	Glancey	"	"	"	"	"	"	4	17	5	4	8	10
William Douglas	Dunganstown East	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" West	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" South	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Francis Annesley	Emerilly	"	"	"				"	"	5			
	Kilbride	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	7	"	1	"
Thomas Pithistle	Millow	73	-	-	73	-	-	124	3	10	124	3	10
William Vaughan	Crossband	"	"	"				33	16	3			
	Bullyarthur	"	"	"				25	8	6			
	Ovoca	"	"	"	"	"	"	21	7	6	80	12	3
William Smith	Cathdrum	"	"	"				111	1	6			
	Kyashrath	"	"	"				40	7	11			
	Cooperstown	"	"	"				5	15	3			
	Ballinderry	"	"	"				21	12	1			
	Ballinaclash	"	"	"				20	-	3			
	Ballinacor	"	"	"				27	18	9			
	Anghrum	"	"	"	"	"	"	24	7	9	251	3	6
	Totals										506	11	9

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £21 . 15 s. 9 1/4 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

£ 26 . 15 . 9 1/2

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was

29 . 15 . 9 3/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

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

1/9 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary.

2/3 1/2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital,

2/8 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:

- 210 Loaves, White Bread
- 135 do Browne do
- 24 lbs Pepper
- 30 Cut Outmeal
- 155 Gall, Buttermilk
- 200 Gall, New Milk
- 112 lb, meat
- 36 Sheep, Heads

- 1/2 Ton Hay
- Metal Pot for Infirmary
- 2 Mops, Heads
- 12 Nap Brooms
- 1 Padlock

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 27th day of *Jan*; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,			
In kind,	1	1	6 1/2
Total,	1	1	6 1/2

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

Edward Boyle

Liab

21 14 3

In favor of bills to pay
Edward Sherlock
John Farrell
Thomas Simpson
James Fleming

Carpenter Work
Carriage
Mason Work
Carpenter Work

" 11 3
" 5 "
1 11 6
" 14 2
2 11 11

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

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

The Master was ordered to provide a suit of clothing for Sarah Bunker aged 9 years, who has been an inmate of the Workhouse for the last 5 years.

Ordered a Carpenter to be employed for 14 days at the Infirmary Windows.

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 Revising Valuator, addressed to the Clerk

Wicklow
18th January 1859

Dear Sir

I was a good deal disappointed here on yesterday at Mr Byrne the Collector not attending, he wrote a letter saying he had important business and could not come, this I think the Guardians should not permit, I only require him one day in the year and he having ten days previous notice he could (I think) have made arrangements to come. It is impossible to have a correct Revision without information and when the Collector is bound to give this information the Guardians should insist on his doing so, had it not been for Mr Chapman a Poor Law Guardian I would have got on badly.

(Signed) George A Craig

Ordered that the Collector Edward Byrne be called upon for an explanation

The following letter was read from the Schoolmaster

Worthhouse
25th January 1859

Gentlemen

Having been a successful Candidate at the late Election in Ruthdown Union I beg to lay before your Board my resignation of the Office of Worthhouse Schoolmaster held under your Board, and as I have been urgently requested by the Ruthdown Board of Guardians to enter on my duties there as soon as possible, I am obliged to apply to your Kindness for permission to leave on the 9th Feb^y proximo a fortnight from this date. I would take this opportunity to express my sense of gratitude for the many favors your Board have kindly bestowed on me and for which I beg to return my most sincere thanks.

(Signed) John Kears

Ordered that the Schoolmaster's resignation be accepted and that he be allowed to leave for his new situation on the 9th Proximo.

Proposed by Charles Mathew West Esq and Seconded by Mr Silvester Boushe. Resolved that in consequence of the resignation of the Schoolmaster, that the Male and Female Schools shall be amalgamated and that the Schoolmistress Miss Payne take charge of both Schools, and that her Salary be increased from £20 to £30 per Annum, until the 26th March next, that for the purpose of carrying out this arrangement a Committee of the Board shall fix the hours the Schoolmistress is to attend each School.

James Comaford
D. V. C.
Silvester Boushe

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday* the
1st day of *July* 1859
(Signed) *Arthur Wain*
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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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 _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses 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, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

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(Signed)

Arthur Hawk

Clerk of the Union.

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Rathfriland

UNION.

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Population in 1851, 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £125929.19

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of January 1859

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, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds,	780	302														
TOTAL,	880	315														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,	"	80	30	55	21	21	36	9	28	300			In Workhouse Hospital, 54 In Fever Hospital, 13 Total, 97	In separate Wards, 2 In Wards with other inmates, 4 Total, 6		
Admitted during the Week,	1	15	3	1	"	1	2	1	7	31						
TOTAL,	1	95	53	56	21	22	38	10	35	331						
Discharged during the Week,	"	9	"	"	"	1	1	1	2	14						
Died,	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	2						
Total Discharged and Dead,	"	10	"	"	"	1	1	1	3	16						
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	1	85	53	56	21	21	37	9	32	315						

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 29th day of January authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.							Bt. forward						
No. II.	3	6	W. Manning				No. X.						
No. III.	4	13	A. Manning				No. XI.						
No. IV.	2	3	George Doherty				No. XII.						
No. V.	8	21	P. Moran				No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	17	43					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 1st day of February 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

James Comerford Esq
St Colm. Raley, Edward P. Edey, Michael Byrne and
Silvestra Poole

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. 4690 to No. 4704, 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, - - - - - £ 35 : 12 : 6

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 27 : 12 : 11

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 12 : 14 : 6 : 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Patrick Farrell	Newcastle upper	"	"	"				1	16	9			
	Lower	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Kilcoole	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Allidore	"	"	"				"	"	"			
William Murphy	Killistoy	"	"	"				"	3	"	1	19	9
	Glandalough	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Calary	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Brookagh	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Ballycullen	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Oldtown	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Togher	"	"	"				"	"	"			
Moneystown	"	"	"				"	7	"	"	10		
Edmond Byrne	Micklow	"	"	"				43	13	2			
	Glencaly	"	"	"				4	17	5	48	10	7
Wm Douglas	Dungastown East	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" West	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" South	"	"	"				"	"	"			
Francis Amesley	Eunereilly	"	"	"				"	"	5			
	Kilbride	"	"	"				"	"	7	"	1	"
Thomas Potholke	Arllan	"	"	"				124	3	10	124	3	10
William Soughlin	Broubane	"	"	"				33	16	3			
	Ballyarthur	"	"	"				25	8	6			
	Ovoca	"	"	"				21	7	6	80	12	3
William Smith	Rathdrum	3	"	"				108	1	6			
	Knockraath	7	"	"				33	7	11			
	Trooperstown	5	12	6				"	2	9			
	Ballinderry	"	"	"				21	12	1			
	Ballinacash	"	"	"				20	"	3			
	Ballinacor	7	"	"				20	18	9			
	Aughrim	13	"	"	35	12	6	11	7	8	215	11	"
Totals					35	12	6				470	19	3

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 17 . 9 s. 6 ³/₄ d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
	17	9	6 ³ / ₄
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	30	5	3 ³ / ₄
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	1	9	
Average Cost in Infirmary.	2	4	
Average Cost in Fever Hospital.	2	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:

- | | |
|------------------------|-------------------------------|
| 220 White Loaves Bread | 130 Yards Blue Linen |
| 135 Brown " | 1000 Bricks for Laundry floor |
| 150 Gall Buttermilk | 6 Large Buckets |
| 200 Gall New Milk | |
| 114 lb meat | |
| 30 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 27 day of Jan; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,	£	s.	d.
In kind,	1	9	2 ¹ / ₂
Total.	1	9	2 ¹ / ₂

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.	Gay, Luke	3-0-0			No. XI.				
No. IV.	Pellow	3-0-0			No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. frwd.		6-0-0			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 Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

		£	s.	d.
Andrew Bellon	Tea	9	7	4 ✓
Daniel Fanelle	Coffee	2	15	" ✓
Deanis Chado	Shaw	3	15	6 ✓
John Cowley	Bread	31	19	9 ✓
John Fanelle	Clothing	13	13	8 ✓
William J. Nolan	Oatmeal	37	7	6 ✓
Ann Fanelle	Milk	10	12	5 ✓

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

2. Establishment Account.

Richard W. Whaley	Milk	44	10	3 ✓
Arthur Whank	Parliamentary Vote, Act	25	"	"
Henry S. Dwyer	Subs ⁿ Cow Park Inst.			
"	Wickliffe	1	1	"
"	Newcastle Dwyer	"	10	6
"	Ashford "	"	10	6
"	Annamore "	"	10	6
"	Dungannon "	"	10	6
"	Armlow "	"	10	6
"	Newbridge "	"	10	6
"	Rathfriland "	"	10	6
"	Duham	"	10	6

Debit Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above 5 0

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
Per Henry Galbraith	1/2 Jm. Rent Nathan	5	"	"
William McPhail	Printing & Stationery	13	19	3
In favor of Clerk to pay				
Musk fadief	Postage ashford draft	1	2	6
Edward Sherlock	Carpenter work	"	5	"
D. Banks	Rep. Ashments, Ashford Draft	"	17	6
J. Fitzsimon	Postage Keshmidge Draft	"	2	6
William Wright	Coopers	1	4	9 1/2
A Courtenay	Paving	1	15	8 1/2
Anne Browne	Knives & Forks	"	4	6 1/2
Thomas Lane	Paints & Oils	1	18	6 1/2
Michael Byrne	Flags	"	19	8 1/2
Grace Holmes	Expenses to Wicklow	"	3	6 1/2

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
Thomas Simpson				
Thomas Simpson	Wagon work	"	19	10 1/2
Edward Sherlock	Carpenter work	1	11	" 1/2
Andrew Hyppon	Sundries	"	3	2 1/2
John Farrell	Candles	"	7	" 1/2
Arthur Womb	Postage	1	16	3
George Tuller	Conveyance	"	9	6
Robert Manning	"	"	8	"
William Manning	"	"	7	6
	Total	14	16	4

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

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

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

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

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

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

Letter No 1838 dated 21th Ultimo approving of the Resolution of the Guardians on the 15th Ultimo proposing to pay the Clerk of the Union Twenty Five pounds for his services under the Parliamentary Votes Act.

Letter No 1838 dated 31st Ultimo with reference to a report from the Master of the Workhouse on the 18th Instant that the gable end, of the Infirmary Building admitted damp and that the Slating required to be step flashed with lead, the consideration of which was postponed by the Guardians until the Month of April. The Commissioners point out to the Guardians that more injury may occur to the Building during the ensuing two months than from a considerably longer period at a more advanced season of the year and recommend the Board of Guardians to have the necessary repairs executed at once. No order

The following extracts from the District Inspector's Report on the Workhouse Schools was read by the Clerk.

"The efficiency of the Boys School reflects great credit on the Teacher. He is intimately acquainted with the duties of his situation which he performs with a thorough good will, I regret he is not in charge of a larger School.

The Irish department is in a less satisfactory state,
 The Reading of the several classes was I am bound to add
 accurate and fluent, while the answering on meaning
 of words and subject matter of lesson was much more intelligent
 than at last inspection. Sufficient attention has not however
 been given to Penmanship, Arithmetic, and Writing from
 Dictation!

Signed Maurice Cross
 " James Kelly
 Secretaries

A Letter was read from the Registrar General calling on the
 Clerk to forward the produce tables which were sent to him
 for correction by the guardians

The following answer to a letter written by the Clerk as ordered by the
 Board on the 25th Instant was read

Pallinacloe, Wicklow
 31st January 1859

Sir

In reply to yours of the 28th Instant relating to a Letter
 from Mr Cairns the Revisor complaining of my non attendance
 to give him information at the Revision for the Electoral
 Divisions of Wicklow and Glencole, held at Wicklow on the
 17th Instant, I beg to inform you that having filled up the
 Schedule supplied to me for the Revision Lists I felt it to
 be unnecessary that I should personally attend inasmuch
 as I had not any information to give that I had not
 supplied in those lists

I am &c
 Edward Payne
 Poor Rate collector
 No order

I,
 The Clerk

Doctor Manning applied for leave of absence for two days
 to attend to his duties, Leave granted

Proposed by Mr Bannister and seconded by Mr Edw^d Pidgey, Resolved
 that the Charitableness of Thomas Kavenagh be attested from
 the Union at large to the Electoral Division of Rathdown

James Cornford, J Parnell (Chairman)
 Silvester Bannister

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the

day of _____ 185

(Signed) _____

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____

UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185

—continued.

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

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

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

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

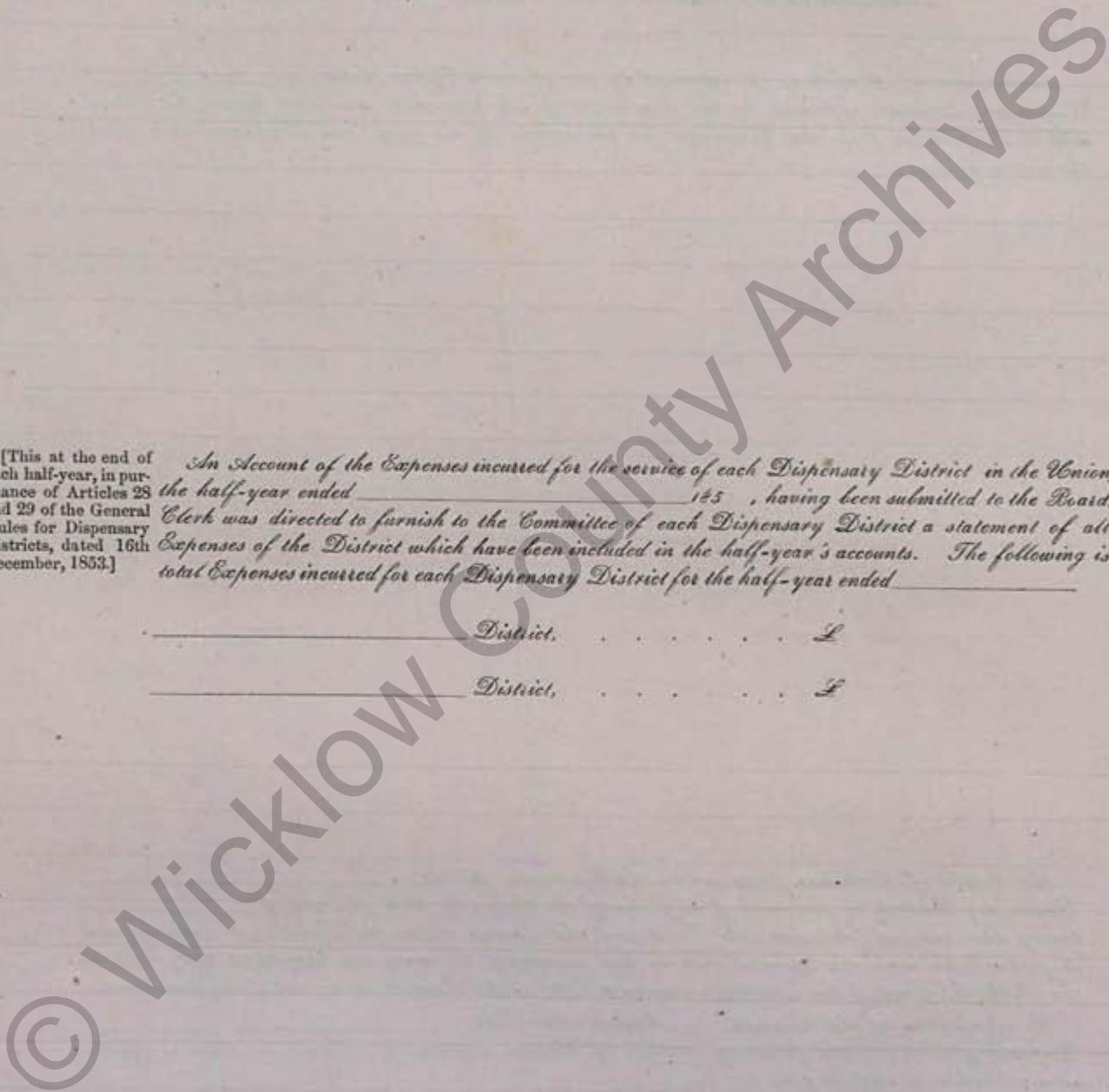
The following Accounts of expenses, (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

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

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

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

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Population in 1851. 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £125929.19

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of February 1854

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	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,	780	13														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	310														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	880	323														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			1	88	55	56	21	21	37	9	32	315	In Work-house Hospital, 88 In Fever Hospital, 13	In separate Wards, 2 In Wards with other Inmates, 54		
Admitted during the Week,			1	4	2	4					1	12	Total, 101	Total, 56		
TOTAL,			2	89	55	60	21	21	37	9	33	327				
Discharged during the Week,			1	1	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	14				
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	1	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	14				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			1	88	54	54	21	21	37	9	33	323				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 5th day of February authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	3	6	M. Manning				Bt. forward						
No. II.	5	19	R. Manning				No. X.						
No. III.	2	13	J. Taylor				No. XI.						
No. IV.	7	15	P. Moran				No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	17	43					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 8th day of February 1854

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Parule Esq.
 Other Guardians: James Tomford Matthew Wright Esq. Messrs Lewis, Byrne
 Herbert Parule
 Charles S. Tomford Esq. Poor Law Inspector

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. 4691 to No. 4732, 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.

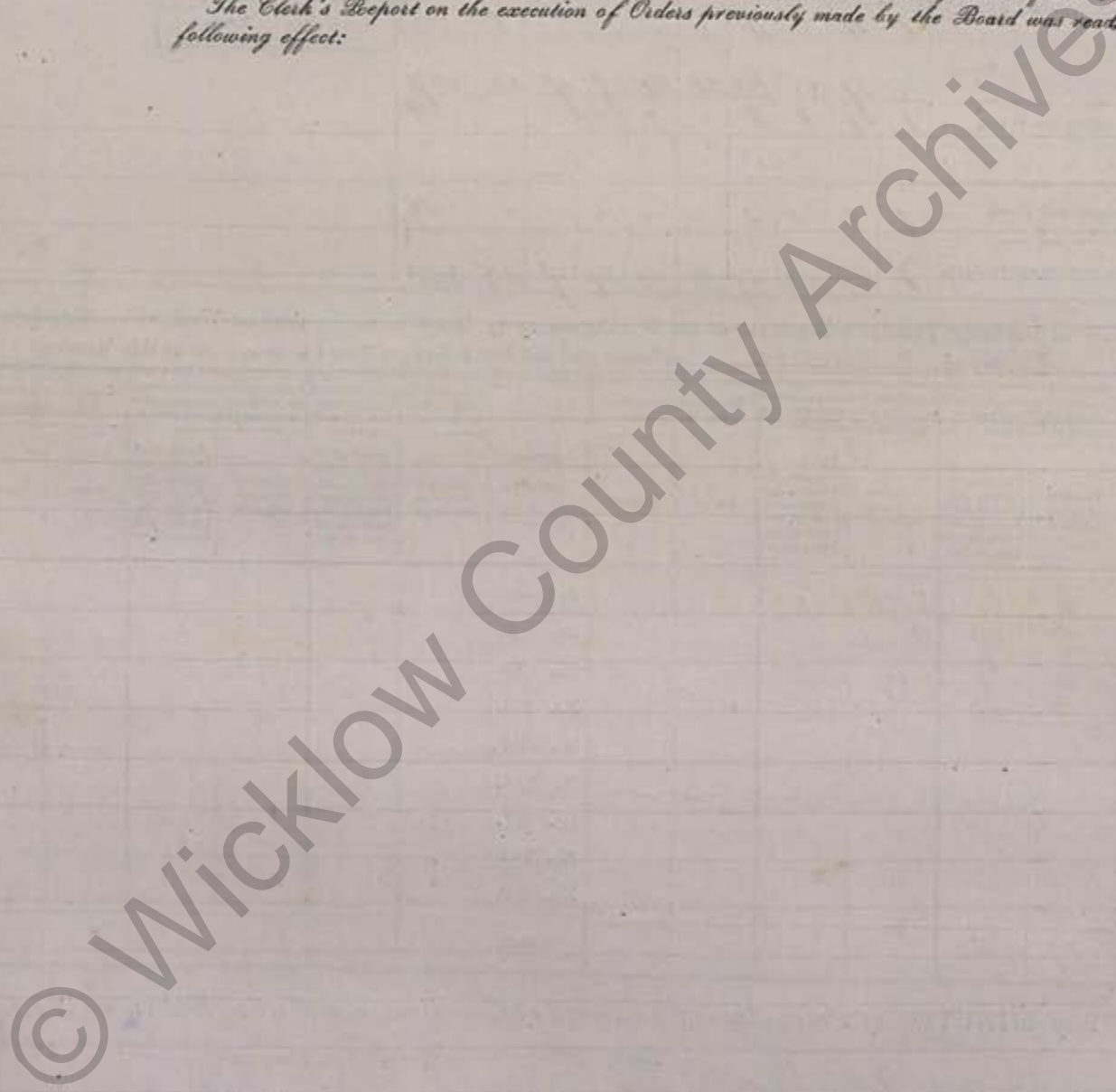
The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £15 : 8 : 11

Paid during the week, - - - - - £145 : 4 : 9

And that the Balance on the Account *in-favre* the Guardians was £1134 : 11 : 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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



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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Patrick Farrell	Newcastle Upw	"	"	"				1	16	9			
	" Down	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Kilcoole	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Altisore	"	"	"				"	"	"			
William Murphy	Killistey	"	"	"				"	3	"	1	19	9
	Maudalough	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Culaly	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Brooklyne	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Ballycuthan	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Oldtown	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Togher	"	"	"				"	"	3			
Monystown	"	"	"				"	"	7	"	"	10	
Edmond Byrne	Nicklars	33	8	11				10	4	3			
	Glencaly	"	"	"	33	8	11	4	17	5	15	18	
Wm Douglas	Dungunstown E	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" W	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" S	"	"	"				"	"	"			
Francis Amestey	Emerally	"	"	"				"	"	5			
	Kelbride	"	"	"				"	"	7	"	1	"
Thomas Pithers	Arklow	"	"	"				124	3	10	124	3	10
Wm Laughlin	Bonehouse	"	"	"				33	16	3			
	Ballyartan	"	"	"				25	8	6			
	Obola	"	"	"				21	7	6	80	12	3
William Smith	Rathmaye	6	"	"				102	1	6			
	Knockrath	12	"	"				21	7	11			
	Coopers town	"	"	"				"	2	0			
	Ballyduff	7	"	"				14	12	1			
	Ballymash	4	"	"				16	"	3			
	Pullinacor	3	"	"				17	18	9			
	Aughrim	"	"	"	32	"	"	11	7	9	183	11	"
Totals					65	8	11				405	10	4

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 16 s. 9 d. 7

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ 16 s. 9 d. 7

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 31 s. 11 d. 9

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average Cost in Infirmary. 2 s. 8 1/2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital. 2 s. 7 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:

- 220 loaves White Bread
- 135 " Brown do
- 116 lb Meat
- 36 Sheep Heads
- 220 galls New Mill
- 155 " Buttered B
- 15 cwt Indr Meal
- 1/2 Barrel S & S Potw

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In money,			
In kind,	1	4	4 1/2
Total,			

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

John. Kane

Salary 3 14 9

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

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

John
I have to report that the case of Mary Murphy aged 40
years admitted here on Thursday last, it will be necessary
to have her removed to Wicklow goal as a dangerous Lunatic
Ordered to be brought before next petty Sessions

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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 No. 2398 Dated 2nd Instant with reference to a Resolution of the Guardians on the 25th Ultimo proposing to amalgamate the Male & Female Schools and to place them under the care of the Schoolmaster whose salary it is further proposed to increase from £20 to £30 per Annum.

The Commissioners inform the Guardians that they will not object to a trial of the proposed Amalgamation of the Schools until the 25th March next and they sanction the proposed increase of the Schoolmaster's Salary to the above date.

Proposed by Mr. Wright & seconded by Mr. Comerford, that the Master be allowed at the rate of Ten Pounds per Annum from this date to the 25th March next to enable him to employ an Assistant in Book Keeping additional duties having devolved on him in Superintending the boys at Out Doors Work in consequence of the resignation of the Schoolmaster.

J Parnell Chairman
James Comerford
Edward [unclear]

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was
 Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday* the
26th day of *April* 1859

(Signed) *A. Abank*

Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185
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SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET :—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

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

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

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

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

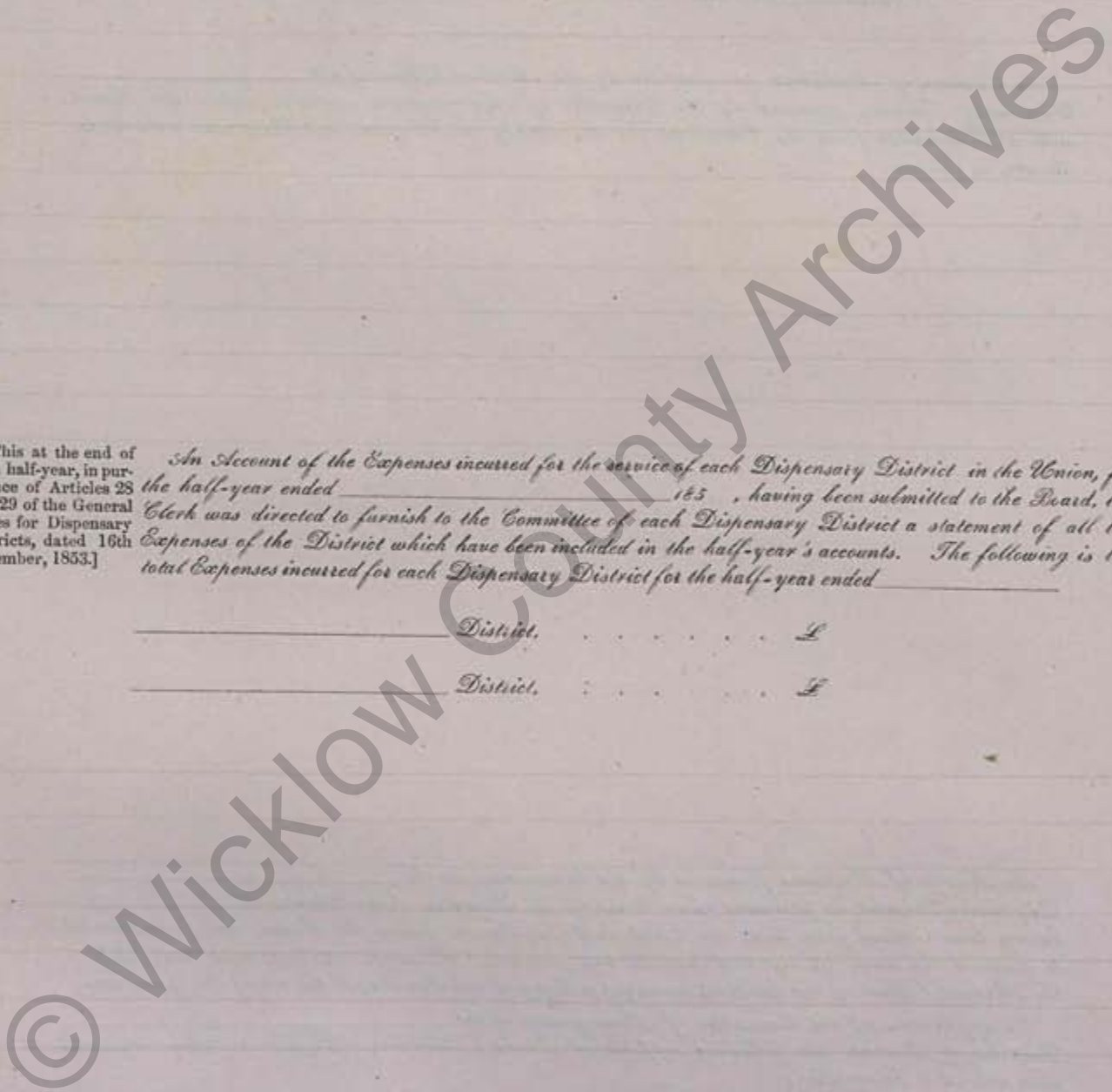
Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £

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

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

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Population in 1851. 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £125929.19

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

12th day of February

1859

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,	780	306														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	18														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	880	324														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			1	88	54	59	21	21	37	9	33	323	In Work-house Hospital, 94 In Fever Hospital, 18 Total, 112	In separate Wards, 2 In Wards with other inmates, 4 Total, 6		
Admitted during the Week,			1	9	3	1	"	1	1	"	"	17				
TOTAL,			2	97	57	60	21	22	38	10	33	340				
Discharged during the Week,			1	5	2	3	"	"	1	1	2	15				
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	5	2	3	"	"	1	1	3	16				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			1	92	55	57	21	22	36	9	31	324				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12th day of February authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	3	6	Mr Manning				Bt. forward						
No. II.	5	19	R Manning				No. X.						
No. III.	2	3	Gory Tubel				No. XI.						
No. IV.	7	15	P. Moran				No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	17	43					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 15th day of February 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Farrell Esq
Other Guardians: James Comerford Esq Messrs John Murphy and Edward 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 7 & 8 Vic., c. 61.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 733 to No. 749, 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, - - - - - £ 80 : 1 : 11

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 99 : 16 : 5

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* the Guardians was £ 114 : 16 : 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Patrick Farrell	Newcastle upper	"	"	"				1	16	9			
	" Lower	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Kilcoote	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Allidow	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Killistey	"	"	"				"	3		1	19	9
William Murphy	Glandalough	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Culacoy	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Brookagh	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Ballycullin	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Oldtown	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Togher	"	"	"				"	3				
	Moneytown	"	"	"				"	7				10
Edward Byrne	Wicklow	"	"	"				10	4	3			
	Glacally	"	"	"				4	17	5	15	1	8
William Douglas	Duiganstown E	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" W	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" S	"	"	"				"	"	"			
Francis Anesly	Euncredly	"	"	"				"	"	7			
	Kilbride	"	"	"				"	"	5			1
Thomas Pittkistle	Arklow	"	"	"				124	3	10	124	3	10
Wm Loughlin	Bronsbauz	33	14	1				"	2	2			
	Ballyasthu	25	5	7				"	2	11			
	Broca	21	2	3	80	1	11	"	5	3			10 4
William Smith	Rathdunn	"	"	"				102	1	6			
	Knockrath	"	"	"				21	7	11			
	Troopstown	"	"	"				"	2	9			
	Ballindary	"	"	"				14	12	1			
	Ballinaclath	"	"	"				16	"	3			
	Ballynacor	"	"	"				17	18	9			
	Aughrim	"	"	"				11	7	9	185	11	"
Totals					80	1	11				328	5	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 Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 25 14 11.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£ 25 14 11
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	30 18 0 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	1 9
Average Cost in Infirmary,	2 3
Average Cost in Fever Hospital,	2 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:

240 Lbns White Bread	12 Barrells Lime
125 " Brown "	2 Cwt Salt
70 lbs Cocow	200 lbs Blaz Culico
56 lbs Sugar	12 Pack Needles
156 gals Buttermilk	300 Sewing sv
224 " Newmilk	1 gross Combs
116 lbs Meat	2 lb Pin
36 Sheeps Heads	24 lbs Wrosted
	12 lbs Thread
	4 Digging Forks & Spades

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,	1 3 10 1/2
In kind,	
Total,	1 3 10 1/2

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

William Loughlin Collecting Rates
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7	9	1
2	6	2
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£	15	1 5

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

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

Gent

I wish to know if the ground of the Workhouse be laid down with the following, Wheat, Oats, Potatoes, Mangold Wyeke, Turnips, Onions, Leeks, Parsneps, Carrots and Parsley

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:)

Circular No. 2899/59 Miscellaneous dated 8th Instant informing the Guardian that the Commissioners have recently had a correspondence with the Board of Inland Revenue on the subject of the liability of Cheques drawn by Boards of Guardians to Stamp duty, if made payable to "order", and they have received, through the Comptroller-General a communication from that Board stating that ^{such cheques} Cheques made either payable to order or to Bearer are exempt from Stamp Duty.

With reference to the above the Clerk informed the Board that the Guardian Cheques now in use are made payable to order and stamped but that he had only got two Books printed in this form which would soon be used out.

Letter No. 3363 Dated 12th Instant forwarding to be laid before the Guardian the copy of a letter which the Commissioners have received from Mr Francis Synges of Glanmore Ashford relative to the case of two children named Guffney who have been admitted to the Workhouse and charged to the Ballycullen Electoral Division, and the Commissioners request that they may be furnished with the observations of the Board of Guardians on the subject.

In reply to Mr Synges Letter, The Children in question were represented to be deserted by their Father and a Warrant was ordered to be taken out for his apprehension which is in the hands of the Police.

Circular N^o 44 M dated 14th Instant informing the Clerks as Returning Officers that the Commissioners have forwarded 200 Copies of the Notice of Election of Guardians for this Union (Form D)

Letter N^o 3511 Dated 14th Instant with reference to a Resolution of the Guardians on the 8th Instant proposing to allow the Master of the Workhouse a Sum at the Rate of £10 per Annum to the 25th March Next to enable him to employ an Assistant in Book Keeping, which is rendered necessary by the additional duties which have ~~been~~ devolved on him in Superintending the Boys at Out door Work since the Resignation of the Schoolmaster. The Commissioners desire under the circumstances to notify their Sanction of this arrangement

J Parnell Chairman
 Sylvester Boyer Secy
 Edw. C. Boyer

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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day of _____ 185

(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 _____ 185
 —continued.

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

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

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

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

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

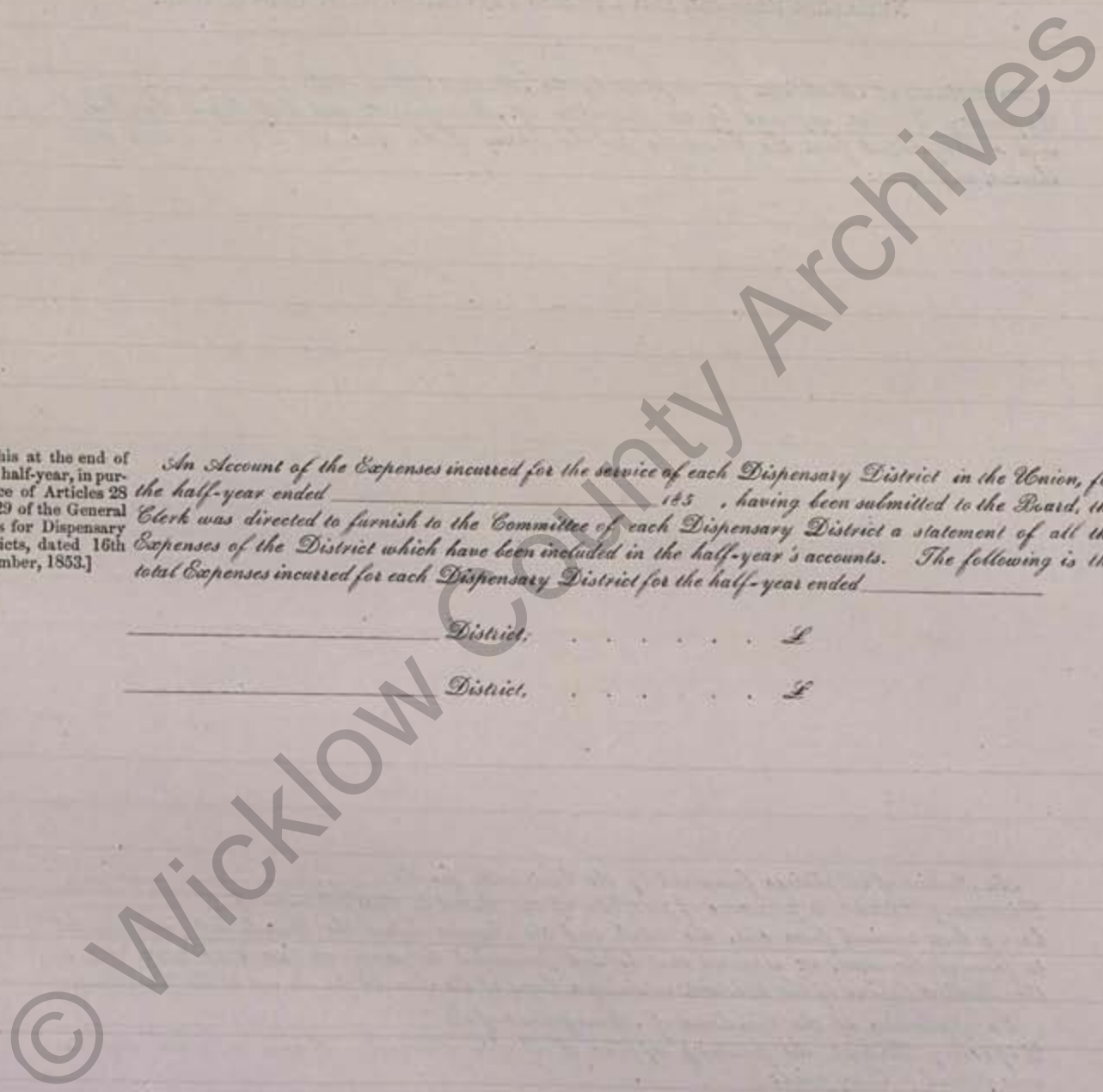
Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £ _____

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

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

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Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1851, 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £125,929.19

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of February 1859

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date	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,	780	304														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	19														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	880	323														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			1	92	55	57	21	22	36	9	31	324	In Workhouse Hospital, 96	In separate Wards, 2		
Admitted during the Week,			3	6	1	"	"	"	1	"	1	12	In Fever Hospital, 19	In Wards with other inmates, 14		
TOTAL,			4	98	56	57	21	22	37	9	32	336	Total, 115	Total, 16		
Discharged during the Week,			3	5	1	1	"	"	"	1	"	11				
Died,			"	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	2				
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	5	2	2	"	"	"	1	"	13				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			1	93	54	55	21	22	37	8	32	323				

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	4	12	Mr Manning				Bt. forward						
No. II.	6	26	R. Manning				No. X.						
No. III.	2	3	George Fisher				No. XI.						
No. IV.	8	17	F. Morrison				No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	20	58					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday

the 22nd day of February 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Parrell Esq.
 Other Guardians: Livingston Thompson, C. M. West, Thomas Graydon
 James Comerford Esq., Messrs. Edward P. Edge, J. Bourke,
 John Murphy, Mr. Law Bestell

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 7th & Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 750 to No. 764, 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, - - - - - £104:2:9

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

And that the Balance on the Account ~~in favor~~ of the Guardians was £1213:19:4

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	"	"	"				1	16	9			
	Lower	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Kilcoote	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Allidore Killistkey	"	"	"				"	2	"	1	19	9
William Murphy	Glandalough	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Calary	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Brackagh	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Ballycullen	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Oldtown	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Togher Honeystown	"	"	"				"	3	"	"	10	
Edwards Byrne	Micklow	"	"	"				10	14	3			
	Glansally	"	"	"				4	17	5	15	1	8
William Douglas	Dungannon E	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" W " S	"	"	"				"	"	"			
Francis Amesly	Emercilly	"	"	"				"	"	5			
	Kilbride	"	"	"				"	"	7	"	1	"
Thomas Buttrick	Arklow	72	"	"	72	"	"	52	3	10	52	3	10
William Loughlin	Crowstake	"	"	"				"	2	2			
	Ballyastur	"	"	"				"	2	11			
	Boxee	"	"	"				"	5	3	"	10	11
William Smith	Rathdunn	23	"	"				79	1	6			
	Knockrath	2	"	"				19	7	11			
	Trospinstown	"	2	9				"	"	"			
	Ballinacree	"	"	"				14	12	1			
	Ballinaclesh	2	"	"				14	"	3			
	Ballynacree	"	"	"				17	18	9			
	Aughrim	5	"	"	32	2	9	6	7	9	157	8	3
Totals					104	2	9				221	5	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 Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £20 . 10 s. 7 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£ 20 . 10 . 7
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	. 32 . 8 . 10
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	0 . 0 . 0
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	. 1 . 9 . 2
Average Cost in Infirmary,	2 . 11
Average Cost in Fever Hospital,	2 . 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:

- 250 loaves White Bread
 - 120 " Brown do
 - 2 lbs Tea
 - 2 lbs Tobacco
 - 120 lbs Meat
 - 33 Sheeps Heads
 - 140 fells, Buttermilk
 - 230 " New Milk
- One large Tub

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

In money,	£ . s. d.
In kind,	1 . 7 . 11
Total,	1 . 7 . 11

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

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

Sent to

Christopher Lewis a pauper Inmate Registered a Roman Catholic wishes to have the Register altered to that of a Protestant, I have asked him which way he wished to have his two Children Registered, he answered that he had no Children, and that the woman who passed as his wife was not married to him at all but that he was married to a woman named Booth living at the Grey Stones, the woman who always passed as his wife was sentenced at the last Quarter Session held at Millow to 3 years Penal Servitude, I fear his object is to leave the Children a brethren on the Union as soon as he is able to take his discharge, I would suggest that some enquiries be made of the woman Lewis now in custody

J. Flower
Master

No Order on the above

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

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

The following Letter was read

Rathfriland
Feb 9th 59

Gentlemen

In the discharge of my Religious duty I had to listen to a painful discussion between the Master of the Workhouse and Nurse of Fever Hospital, On one side that of the Master there is defamation of Character, the Charge of wearing the Union Clothes being made. on the other there is the assertion of Underhand Persecution for she is a Catholic, such a state of things require your serious attention and demands prompt and effective Measures to put an end to it. As far as I could observe there was in the manner of the Master a proud overbearing Contempt and total disregard of Christian Charity. I may tell you too that the Poor Law Inspector Mr Crawford was asked by myself to remove a grievance which the Nurse complained of to me. In every likelihood I am told this may be a punishment for that. Nurse says that a woman has been sent to her to watch her Conduct, I am of opinion that this is not proper treatment for any Officer to be placed under the Surveillance of any Pauper.

I think there may be truth in the saying that a person may suffer for their faith in such a way that the Officer who may be guilty of intolerance may not violate the Act that secures religious liberty - the Act as written, though there is a positive violation of the spirit of the Law

Nurse has always conducted herself in a most praiseworthy manner during my visits to the Hospital, she is a most efficient Officer combining skill with the most unremitting attention, I can only hope that you will adjust the whole dispute in a most quiet and practicable way by telling each of them what they should do

I am Gentlemen
 Your very Obedt
 (Signed) Francis DeWald
 C. C.
 Rathfriland

Order in the above

A Letter having been laid before the Guardians making a Complaint against the Master of the Infirmary of the Hospital Nurse, and the Nurse and Master having been called on to make their Statements respectively before us, Resolved that they be reprimanded and cautioned to abstain from all quarrelling, and that should any Complaint arise again the Board will be obliged to communicate the Matter to the Commissioners in order to ascertain where the fault lies

The Master and Nurse were called in and admonished by the Chairman

John Byrne
 Chairman

James Fogarty
 Sibvester Bennishe

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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(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 _____ 185

—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District,

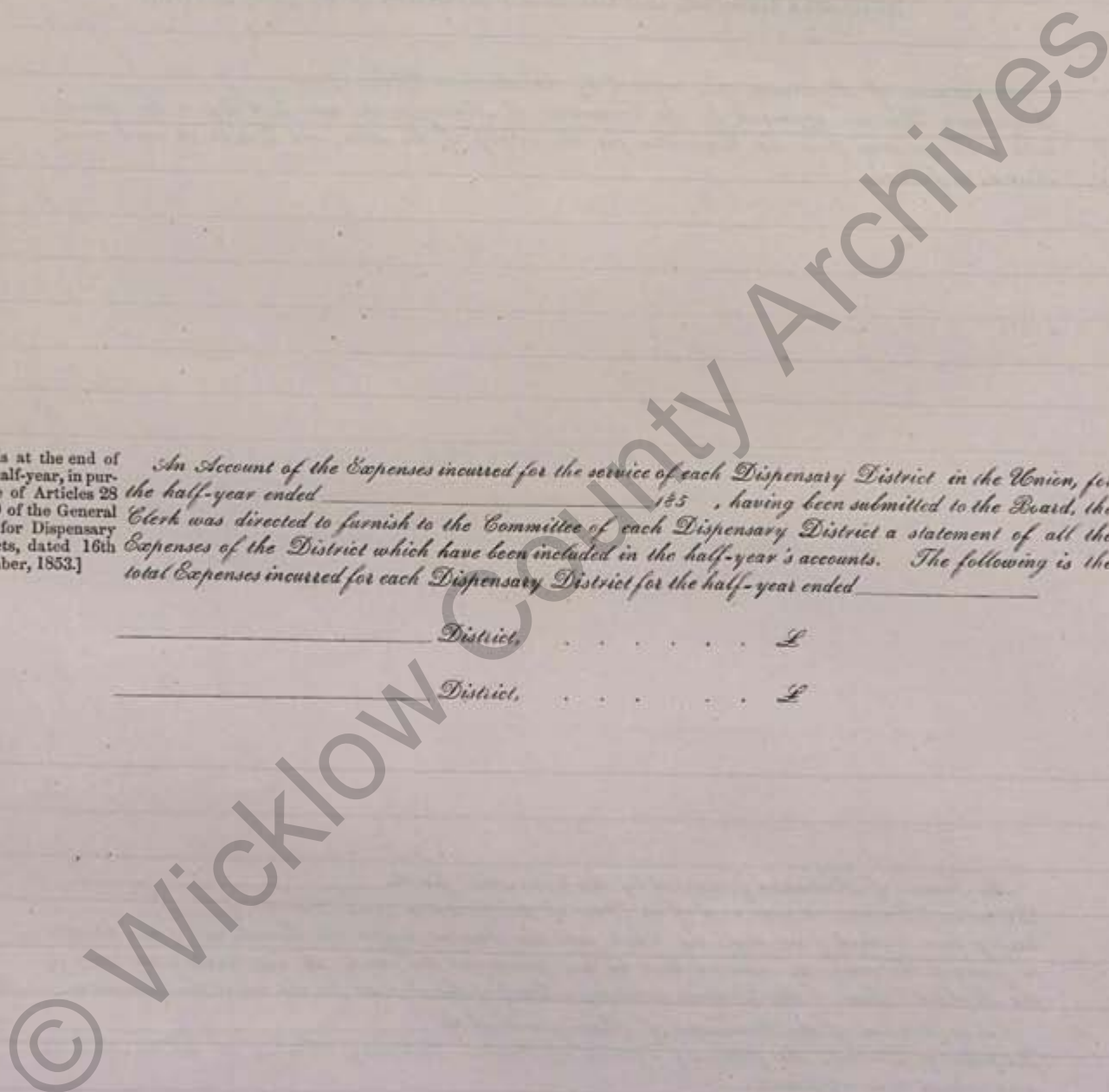
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £

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

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

_____ District, £

_____ District, £



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

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

Dispensary District. Mr. _____ of _____

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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):

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that _____

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Population in 1851, 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £125929.19

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of February 1859

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,	780	299														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,	100	15														
Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	880	314														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			1	93	54	55	21	22	37	8	32	323	In Work-house Hospital, { 87	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, { 2		
Admitted during the Week,			2	5	1	"	"	1	"	1	1	11	In Fever Hospital, { 15	Total, { 4		
TOTAL,			3	98	55	55	21	23	37	9	33	334	Total, 102	Total, 6		
Discharged during the Week,			1	9	3	2	"	"	"	1	3	19				
Died,			"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	9	4	2	"	"	"	1	3	20				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			2	89	51	53	21	23	37	8	30	314				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26th day of Feb^y authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	5	19	Mr. Manning				Bt. forward						
No. II.	5	25	R. Manning				No. X.						
No. III.	2	3	John Tully				No. XI.						
No. IV.	6	10	P. Moran				No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	18	57					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 1st day of March 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. Michl Byrne
 Other Guardians: Messrs. O'Loch Fogarty, James Fogarty, Silvestro Bourke and Edward 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 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 11765 to No. 11778, 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:

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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, - - - - - £ 18 : 1 : 5

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £1195 : 17 : 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 up.	"	"	"				1	16	9			
	" down	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Kilboide	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Altidore	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Killiskey	"	"	"	"	"	"	3	"		1	19	9
William Murphy	Glandalough	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Calary	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Brookagh	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Ballycullev	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Oldtown	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Togher	"	"	"				"	"	6			
	Moneytown	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	7	"	10	
Edward Byrne	Micklow	"	"	"				10	4	3			
	Glancaly	"	"	"	"	"	"	4	17	5	15	1	8
Wm Douglas	Dungannon E	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" W	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" S	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Francis Annesly	Ennercilly	"	"	"				"	"	5			
	Killride	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	7	"	1	"
Thomas Birkhills	Arklow	"	"	"	"	"	"	52	3	10	52	3	10
William Longhlin	Bourban	"	"	"				"	2	2			
	Ballyarthur	"	"	"				"	2	11			
	Osbea	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	5	3	"	10	4
William Smith	Rathdrum	"	"	"				79	1	6			
	Kinocraugh	"	"	"				19	7	11			
	Trooperstown	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Ballinderry	"	"	"				14	12	1			
	Ballinacash	"	"	"				14	"	3			
	Ballinacor	"	"	"				17	18	9			
	Aughrim	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	7	9	157	8	3
	Totals				"	"	"				221	5	8

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 18 " 12 s. 7 1/2 d

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ 18 " 12 " 7 1/2

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, 1/9 1/2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, 2/4 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:

240 White Loave Bread	6 Large Buckets
124 Brown do do	20 Yards Frize
4 lbs Tea	30 Yards Shrouding
15 Cut Oatmeal	2 do Druggit
15 do Indian Meal	50 do Cheek
140 Gallon Buttermilk	100 do Blue Calico
224 do New Milk	
60 lbs Dept Candles,	
60 " Mould do	
12 Sheets Pasteboard	
2 Gall Oil	

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - - -			
In kind, - - - - -			
Total, - - - - -	1	7	1
Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book	1	7	0

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

		£	s.	d.	
P. A. Heston Ho	Medicines	15	18	1	✓
Dr	Dr	32	16	7	✓
Dr	Dr	15	3	1	✓
James Dillow	Coat	3	..	6	✓
J. Henshaw Ho	Spades	2	3	4	✓
James Moutagh	Repairs	2	11	6	✓
John Cowley	Bread	28	17	8	✓

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

2. Establishment Account.

		£	s.	d.	
Andrew Peltow	Tenoune	3	10	..	✓
Dennis Chute	Shaw	3	2	3	✓
A. Courtenay	Paving	2	9	3	✓
John O'Keefe	Bulls	2	6	9	✓
R. W. Whaley	Milk	22	6	..	✓
Thomas Simpson	Mason work	4	5	..	✓
Elyan Byrne	Meat	31	4	6	✓
Aunt Farrell	Milk	5	10	6	✓

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

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

Sentences

I have to report the sudden death of a Pauper Inmate named Daniel Killeen Chargeable to the Electoral Division of Oldtown which took place on Saturday the 26th Ultimo. he was in his usual state of health that morning when I was giving him some directions for work, and about 12 o'clock the Porter of the Workhouse reported to me that Daniel Killeen was Dead. I at once proceeded with him to the field where he had fallen in a fit and found that he was still living. I had him at once carried into the Fever Hospital being the nearest at the time.

An Inquest was held on the body yesterday when the following Verdict was returned, Died of Paralysis

The sum of £8. 14. 4^{rs} was found on Killeen person

J. Flower Master

Two Sons of the above named Daniel Killeen came before the Board to claim the sum of money found on him at the time of his decease.

Order on the above. The Guardians beg to refer this case to the Poor Law Commissioners to ascertain if the Board can retain the money and lodge it to the credit of the Electoral Division of Oldtown to which Killeen was Chargeable

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

Master's Report Continued

The wooden partition which separates the Kitchen Yard from the Men's Yard requires to be repaired
 Ordered that a wall 18 inches thick be built in place of the wooden partition

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 4664 Dated 28th Ultimus with reference to a Report made by the Master of the Workhouse on the 22nd Instant and the application made to him by Christopher Lewis a Pauper Inmate to have his religious denomination in the Registry changed from Roman Catholic to Protestant, the Commissioners request to be informed whether the Guardians have had the party brought before them as required by the 33rd Article of the Workhouse Rules.

The Commissioners think it desirable that the Guardians should direct one of the Relieving Officers of the Union to make enquiry relative to Lewis' allegation, that the woman who passed as his wife is really not such

Lewis being in Hospital was unable to be brought before the Board. The Master was directed to write to the Prison in Dublin to make enquiries from the woman in question, the Registry to be altered if he still requires it

John Murphy
 Wm. S. S. S.
 Lewis Byrne

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the

day of _____ 185

(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 _____ 185
—continued.

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

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

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

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

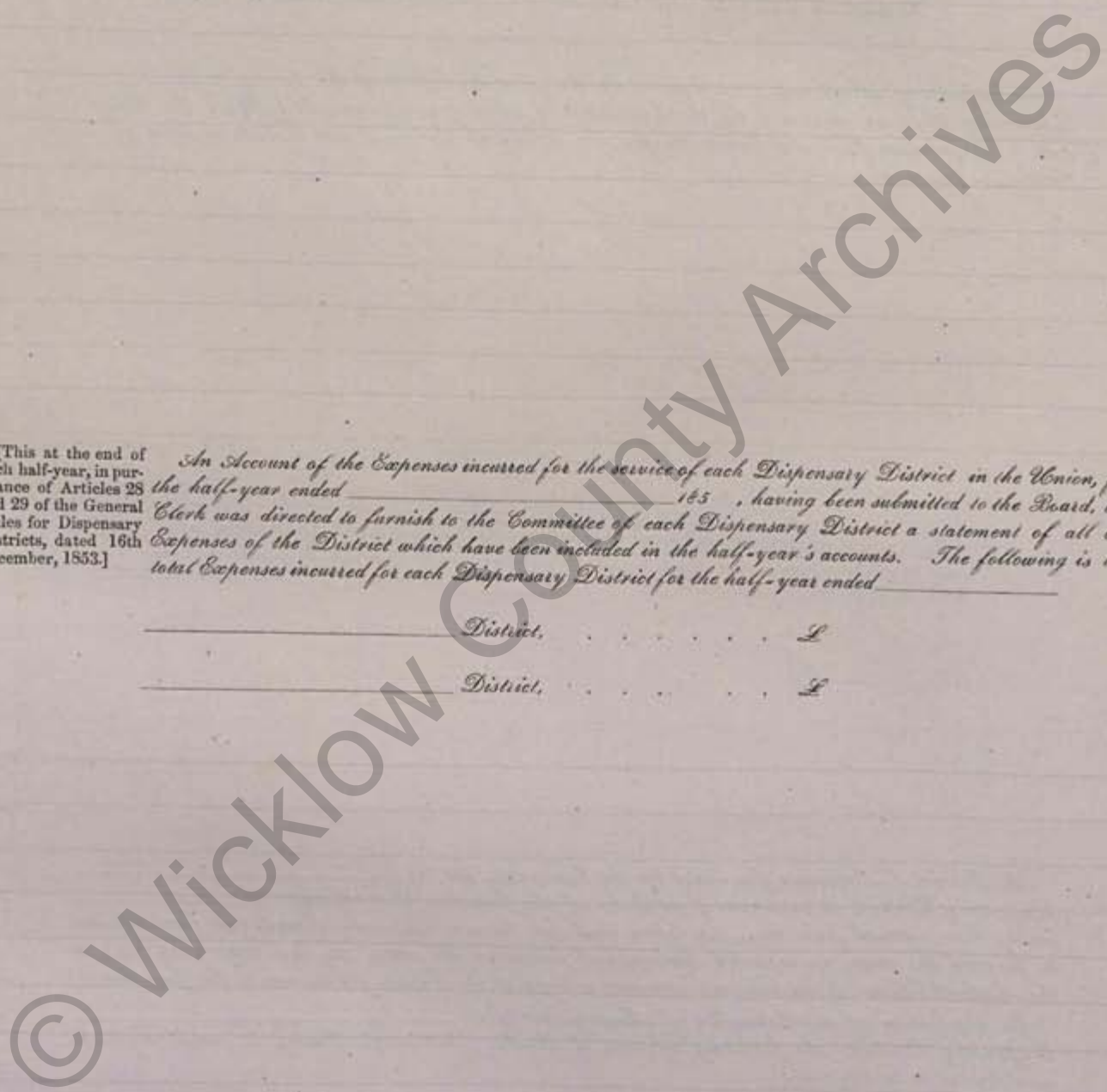
The following Accounts of expenses, (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

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

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses 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, 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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Population in 1851. 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £125929.19

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of March 1859

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,	78	292														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	18														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	88	310														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			2	89	51	53	21	23	37	8	30	314	In Workhouse Hospital, 73 In Fever Hospital, 18 Total, 91	In separate Wards, 2 In Wards with other inmates, 4 Total, 6		
Admitted during the Week,			"	2	3	2	"	"	1	1	"	9				
TOTAL,			2	91	54	55	21	23	38	9	30	323				
Discharged during the Week,			"	7	1	2	"	"	"	"	2	12				
Died,			"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			"	7	2	2	"	"	"	"	2	13				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			2	84	52	53	21	23	38	9	28	310				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 5th day of March authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	4	10	Mr. Murray				Bt. forward						
No. II.	11	18	McLannan				No. X.						
No. III.	2	3	George Sullivan				No. XI.						
No. IV.	4	14	P. Moran				No. XII.						
No. V.	7	21					No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.	17	52					No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	16	78					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 5th day of March 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. John Murphy
Other Guardians: Messrs Edward P. Edge & Louis 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. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 7779 to No. 7781, 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. 7779 to No. 7781, 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,

Baid during the week, - - - - - £57 : " : "

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £66 : 4 : 6

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £1186 : 13 : 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	"	"	"				1	16	9			
	" Lower	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Kilcoole	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Allidore Killickey	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	19	9
William Murphy	Glandalough	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Balung	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Brookagh	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Ballycullen	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Oldtown	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Togher	"	"	"				"	"	3			
	Moneystown	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	7	"	"	10
Edward Byrne	Micklow	"	"	"				10	4	3			
	Glencaly	"	"	"	"	"	"	4	17	5	15	1	8
William Douglas	Dunganstown E	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" W	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" S	"	"	"				"	"	"			
Francis Amesty	Emercilly	"	"	"				"	"	5			
	Kilbride	"	"	"				"	"	7	"	1	"
Thomas Pithistle	Arklow	"	"	"				52	3	10	52	3	10
William Loughlin	Brownsau	"	"	"				"	2	2			
	Ballyarthur	"	"	"				"	2	11			
	Oboen	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	5	3	"	10	4
William Smith	Rathrum	34	"	"				115	1	6			
	Knockrath	"	"	"				19	7	11			
	Trooperstown	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Ballinderry	6	"	"				8	12	1			
	Ballinaclesh	8	"	"				6	"	3			
	Ballinacor	9	"	"				8	18	9			
	Bughrins	"	"	"	57	"	"	6	7	9	94	8	3
Totals					57	"	"				164	5	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 Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £38 1s. 10¹/₂d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

£ 38 . 1 . 10¹/₂

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was

31 . 4 . 8¹/₂

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

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

1 . 9³/₄

Average Cost in Infirmary.

2 . 4¹/₂

Average Cost in Fever Hospital,

2 . 7

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

- 230 White Loaves Bread
- 125 Brown Do Do
- 1 cwt Sugar
- 2 lbs Pepper
- 210 Gallons New Milk
- 150 " Buttermilk
- 120 lbs 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,	1	4	3
In kind,			
Total.	1	4	3

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 Treasurers, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	<i>A. Murray</i>	3. 0. 0			Bt. forward				
No. II.	<i>P. Morah</i>	3. 0. 0			No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. frwd.					TOTAL,				

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 Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurers, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

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

Sent
 John Devlin a Pauper Inmate chargeable to the Electoral Division of Glencaly, age 16 years has been hired as Servant by a Farmer named Patrick Jiffin of Ballinacor & he is an Inmate for the last five years and has no Clothing. John Richmond another Inmate chargeable to the Electoral Division of Knockraith has been hired by Mr Owen Hoagarty P.L. & he has been in the Workhouse for the last six years and is without Clothes.

Ordered the Master to provide two Suits of Clothes cost not to exceed 15/- each Suit.

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 48 Dated 16th Ultimo Calling on the Clerk for a Return of the Deported Children who were Inmates of the Workhouse on the 1st January 1858 and those who may have been admitted during the year ended on the 31st December 1858

Letter N^o 59 M 59 Dated 1st Instant Calling on the Clerk to furnish the Return called for by the Commissioners Letter of the 16th Ultimo

Circular N^o 53 M 59 Dated 3rd Instant Calling on the Clerk for a Return of the Rates made and any Rates agreed upon in the Union for the Month of February

Letter N^o 166/4 Dated the 7th Instant Stating that the Commissioners have had before them the Copy of the Letter addressed to the Board of Guardians by the Revd. Mr. O'Neill as inserted in the Guardians Minutes of the 22nd Ultimo in which he complains of the treatment received by the Fever Hospital Nurse at the hands of the Master of the Workhouse and with reference to that portion of Mr. O'Neill's Letter in which he states that the Poor Law Inspector Mr. Crawford was asked by him to remove a grievance which the Nurse complained of, the Commissioners desire to state that they have been informed by Mr. Crawford

that the transaction referred to related merely to the Nurse, stating that she required the services of an additional Pauper assistant ~~nurse~~ in the Hospital, and he communicated in consequence with the Medical Officer and the Master, when an arrangement was made to give the required assistance.

Mr Crawford further states that there was nothing whatever in this transaction which could produce ill feeling between the parties, and that he never known any circumstances which would lead him to believe that there was any ground for the charge of intemperance against the Master which is implied in the communication of the Rev^d Mr O'Neill.

The following letter was read addressed to the Chairman
March 8th 1859
Gentlemen

I am greatly annoyed by Mr Flower he opened my letter on this morning and then sent it to me by a Pauper inmate who could read it.

(Signed) Ellen Curran
Nurse Fever Hospital

The Nurse was called into the Room, and Mr Flower explained to the Board that in taking the letter out of the Post Bag this morning he partly tore open the letter in question before he discovered it was for the Nurse and that he had no intention whatever to do so.

The gentlemen were satisfied with Mr Flower's explanation.

A letter was read from the Commissioner of Valuation informing the Clerk that he had forwarded the Revised Valuation List for this Union by the Night Mail.

James Somersford Secy
John Chapman
Wm Thompson

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185

(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 8th day of March 1859
—continued.

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

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

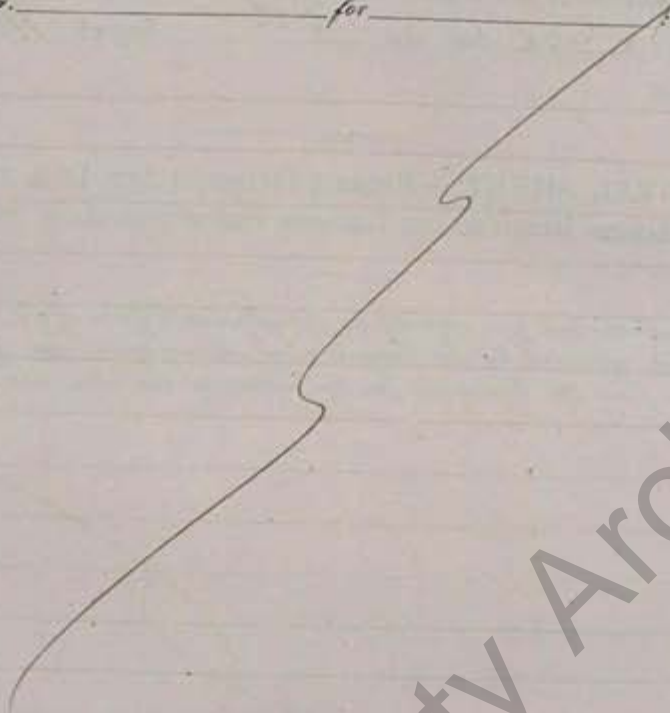
*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed
to forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as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

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

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

Dispensary District,

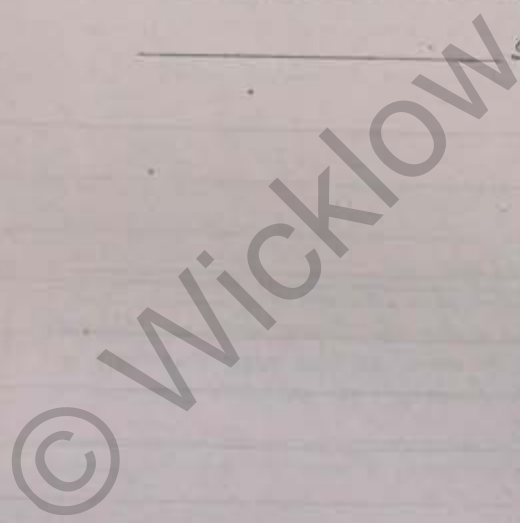
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount £



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

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

_____ District £
_____ District £



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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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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):

Read Letter from Doctor L Estamp ~~and~~ Medical Officer Wicklow
stating that

Dispensing Complaining that he had forwarded on the 23rd Dec^r to the Clerk a list of Cases vaccinated by him and had since addressed him on the Subject and not receiving an answer he wished to enquire why his Claim remains so long unsettled now upwards of two Months.

The Clerk informed the Board that he had not received the Reports from the other Medical Officers and he wishes to bring the Payment for all Vaccination into the account at the same time

James Comerford J.V.C.
John Chapman.
Wingate Thompson

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1851, 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £125929.19

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of March 1859

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,	780	291														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	18														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	880	309														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			2	84	52	53	21	23	38	9	28	310	In Workhouse Hospital, 72	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 2		
Admitted during the Week,			"	5	1	"	"	"	"	1	1	8	In Fever Hospital, 18	Total, 4		
TOTAL,			2	89	53	53	21	23	38	10	29	318	Total, 90	Total, 6		
Discharged during the Week,			"	7	4	"	"	"	"	1	"	17				
Died,			"	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	"	2				
Total Discharged and Dead,			"	2	5	1	"	"	"	1	"	9				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			2	87	48	52	21	23	38	9	29	309				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12th day of March 1859 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	4	10					Bt. forward						
No. II.	6	24					No. X.						
No. III.	2	3					No. XI.						
No. IV.	7	21					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	19	58					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday

the 15th day of March

1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, James Comerford Esq

Other Guardians: St John Paley, Charles Mathew West, John D Oliver and Vivianston Thompson Esqs. Messrs. John Adams, John Chapman, John Acton, Peter Boland, Owen Fogarty, Michael Byrne, Silvestus Bourke, Richard Tukey, Matthew Holmes, James 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^g & Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4782 to No. 4788, 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, - - - - - £ 14: 8: 3

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £1172: 5: 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total					
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
Patrick Farrell	Newcastle upper	"	"	"				1	16	9						
	" lower	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	Kilcoole	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	Altidore	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	Kelliskey	"	"	"				"	3	"	1	19	9			
William Murphy	Glandalough	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	Calary	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	Brockagh	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	Ballycullen	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	Oldtown	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	Tagher	"	"	"				"	"	3						
	Moneystown	"	"	"				"	7	"	"	10				
Edw & Byrne	Wicklow	"	"	"				10	4	3						
	Glareagh	"	"	"				4	17	5	16	1	8			
Mr Douglas	Dungastown E	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	" H	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	" S	"	"	"				"	"	"						
Francis Amesley	Ennereilly	"	"	"				"	"	5						
	Kilbride	"	"	"				"	"	7	"	1	"			
Thomas Rotherillo	Armtow	"	"	"				52	3	10	52	3	10			
Mr Loughlin	Croastown	"	"	"				"	2	2	"	3	2			
	Ballyasther	"	"	"				"	2	11	"	2	1			
	Orca	"	"	"				"	5	3	"	10	4			
William Smith	Rathruw	"	"	"				45	1	6						
	Knocknath	"	"	"				19	7	11						
	Troopstown	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	Ballindery	"	"	"				8	12	1						
	Ballinacash	"	"	"				6	"	3						
	Ballynacor	"	"	"				8	18	9						
	Aughrim	"	"	"				6	7	9	94	8	3			
Totals														104	5	8

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £26 . 6 s. 10³/₄ d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£ 26 . 6 . 10 ³ / ₄
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	- 30 . 5 . 11 ³ / ₄
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.	
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	1 . 9 ¹ / ₂
Average Cost in Infirmary.	2 . 14
Average Cost in Fever Hospital.	2 . 7

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

220 lb. White Bread	200 lb. Twilled Cakes
130 " Brown do	
2 Hs Tea	
210 Gall. New milk	
150 lb. Buttermilk	

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,	1 . 6 . 6
In kind,	- 0 . 0 . 0
Total.	1 . 6 . 6

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

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

There is some paving required to be done in the Male Yard
Ordered to be done

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 5174 Dated the 12th Instant in answer to a Resolution of the Guardians on the 1st Instant requesting to be informed whether they can retain a sum of money found on a deceased pauper inmate of the Workhouse named Daniel Killeen and lodge the amount to the Credit of the Electoral Division to which he was chargeable, and in reply the Commissioners desire to state that unless the Relief afforded in this case was given by way of loan, the Board of Guardians has not power to withhold from the legal representatives of the deceased

No order
Letter N^o 5871 Dated 15th Instant with reference to the Complaint made on the 8th Instant by Nurse Curwen of the Master having opened a Letter addressed to her and then sent it to her by a pauper who could read its contents, the Commissioners desire to observe that they think the Master's conduct in the matter censureable,

The Master having it appear opened the letter by mistake he should not have entrusted it in open state to a pauper who could read to carry it to the Nurse, and the Commissioners think that he should have personally delivered it to the Nurse and explained the circumstances under which it had been opened

The following extracts from the Inspector's Report on the Wickhouse School was read by the Clerk

The general answering of the boys examined at this inspection was very satisfactory, due allowance being made for their respective terms of attendance. Their creditable proficiency in the usual elementary branches is wholly attributable to the zeal and energy of their Teacher John Kane now engaged elsewhere in a more extensive sphere of duty.

In the girls' School the reading was accurate and fluent while the answering on the subject matter of the lessons read by the pupils of the several classes showed they understood the meaning of each lesson. I was also favourably impressed by the answering of the 3rd & 4th classes on Geography. I regret to be obliged to add that much remains to be done before even a tolerably favourable report can be made of the proficiency of any of the classes in penmanship and arithmetic. Teachers' serious attention should be directed to the improvement of the pupils in those essential branches.

Great credit is due to the guardians for the reading and liberality with which they granted funds for the purchase of a considerable amount of books and apparatus.

(Signed) J. C. Kelly & J. Kelly Secty

The following notice of motion was laid before the Board

We hereby give notice that on Tuesday the 29th instant at the meeting of the guardians we intend to move that no further Out Door Relief be administered in this Union

(Signed) Thomas Thompson
" " Bell West

A letter was read from the Superintendent of Mountjoy Prison in answer to a letter of the Master of the Wickhouse relative to the case of Christopher Lewis a pauper inmate as entered on the Minutes of the 22nd ultimo. Lewis reported wife states that she was lawfully married to him at Bachelstow in the County of Harlow by Father Moran about 14 years ago and that Miss Whelan of Rathdangan witnessed her marriage. She said he was again married ^{to a girl named Bostly} about 6 years ago when she was herself put up an imprisonment of 9 months in Wicklow Goal

He further states that his object in repudiating his Marriage is that he may not be obliged to support his Children

The following persons were declared the Contractors for the Articles named for three Months from the 25th Instant and ending 25th June next

Elizabeth Byrne	Best Beef tallow at 7 ³ / ₄ per pound
"	Or Heads at 7 ¹ / ₆ each
"	Sheeps Heads at 6 ¹ / ₂ each
"	and in case the latter cannot be got Mr Byrne is to supply 2 lb Mutton for each head
John Cowley.	Best White Bread @ 5 ¹ / ₂ per 14 lb loaf
	" Brown do @ 4 ³ / ₄ do do
William Skolaw	Best Oatmeal @ £14 " 9 " 5 per Ton
P. P. Bilbrough	" Yellow Indian Meal @ £10.0 per Ton

Mr Bilbrough having stated in his Tender that he would not supply Indian Meal unless he got the Contract for Oatmeal, the Clerk was directed to offer him the Contract, and in case he refused to readvertise it

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Disso. disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Contracts Continued

John D'Arcy Best Black Tea @ $3\frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{1}{lb}$
 " Brown Sugar @ $5\frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{1}{lb}$
 " Lump Sugar @ $7\frac{1}{4}$ $\frac{1}{lb}$
 " Lisbon Shell Cocoa @ $27\frac{1}{2}$ per Cwt

Messrs. P. & S. Leslie & Co. 36 Bride Street Dublin were declared the Contractors for the Supply of Medicines and Medical Appliances for our year from the 25th March next to be delivered Carriage free at the Workhouse and the several Dispensary Stations at the prices marked in their Tenders, all Bottles, Jars, Stamps &c. to be returned at their own expense and to be allowed full price for all the Invoices.

James Comerford D.V. Ch.
 Sawd By
 James Murphy

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185

(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 15th day of March 1859
—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
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thereon, as follows:*

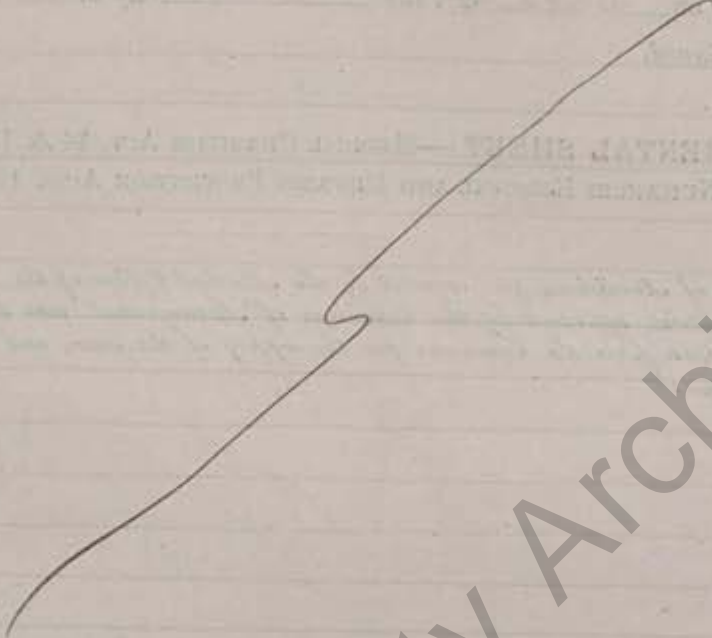
*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed
to forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as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

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

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

Dispensary District.

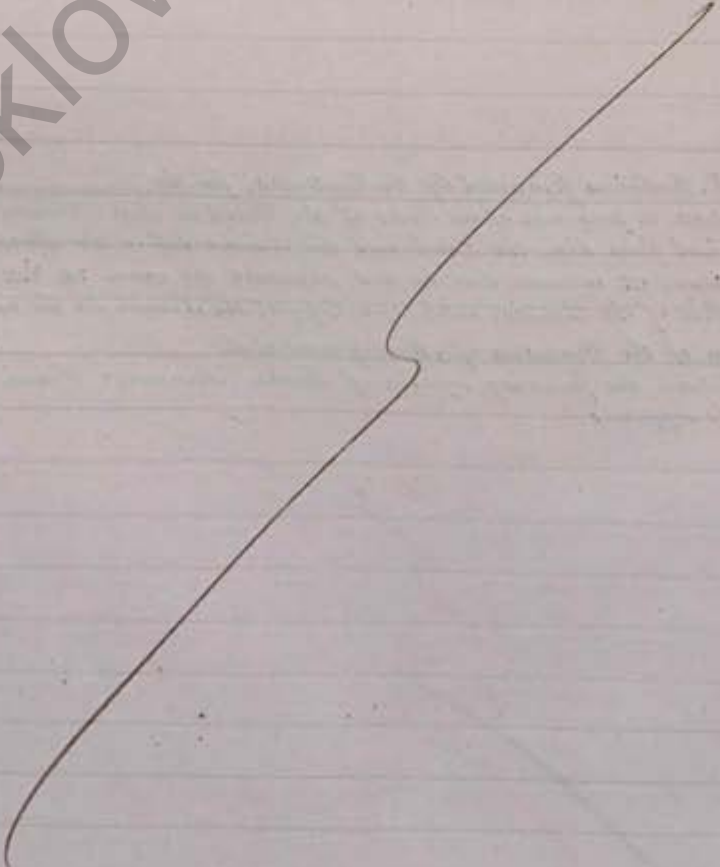
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £



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

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

_____ District,	£
_____ District,	£



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

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

_____ Dispensary District. Mr. _____ of _____

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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):

Read Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 12th Instant 1871
stating that

With reference to the application of the Medical Officer of the Arklow District for payment for the Cases Vaccinated by him entered on the Guardian Minutes on the 8th Instant the Commissioners request the attention of the Clerk to Article 3rd of the Vaccination order of the 22nd September last and they desire to be informed whether the Report in question has been made in the prescribed form and transmitted to the Guardian by the Dispensary Committee of the District as required by the 3rd Article of the Vaccination Order and if so the Commissioners request that the Clerk will place on the Guardian Minutes for the Commissioners information an abstract of the Number of Successful Cases, unsuccessful Cases, as well as Cases of Vaccination performed by the Medical Officer but not again seen by him

In reply to the above, the Report has been made in the prescribed form, but was not transmitted to the Guardian by the Dispensary Committee, the Medical Officer having forwarded it himself.

The Clerk informed the Board that he would return the Report in order to have it forwarded through the proper Channel.

A letter was read (addressed to the Committee of Management of the Newbridge Dispensary District,) from the Medical Officer Doctor Nicholson, informing them that he was ill of Fever and hoped the Committee would make such arrangements as the exigencies of the Case would require

The following letter was read from the Hon^{ble} Secty
(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Keshidze Dispensary
14th March 1889

To the Chairman

Sir

I beg to forward you a Copy of a Resolution
passed by the ~~above~~ Committee of the above Dispensary this
day

Resolved that Dr Manning be appointed to attend
the duties of the Newbridge Dispensary as a substitute
during Dr Nicholson's absence and we recommend that
Dr Manning shall receive £6.13.4 for one month's
attendance from the 15th instant

(Signed) Rich^d Johnson
Henry Seely

Approved

James Comerford D.V.Ch
Edw. P. Day
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Population in 1851, 17861

Present Net Annual Value, £125929.19

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of March 1859

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date	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,	750	286														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital,	100	18														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	850	304														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			2	87	48	52	21	23	38	9	29	309	In Workhouse Hospital, 78 In Fever Hospital, 18 Total, 96	In separate Wards, 2 In Wards with other inmates, 4 Total, 6		
Admitted during the Week,			2	5	4	1			1	2	2	17				
TOTAL,			4	92	52	53	21	23	39	11	31	326				
Discharged during the Week,			3	9	2		2		1	3	2	22				
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	9	2		2		1	3	2	22				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			1	83	50	53	19	23	38	8	29	304				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 18th day of March 1859 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	4	10					Bt. forward						
No. II.	5	23					No. X.						
No. III.	2	3					No. XI.						
No. IV.	7	21					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	18	57					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 21st day of March 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, James Comerford Esq
Other Guardians: Messrs Edward P Edge & James Murphy

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. 4782 to No. 4803, 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:

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

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

Baid during the week, - - - - - £ 8 : 13 : 3

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £ 37 : 18 : 10

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £ 1142 : 19 : 7

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	"	"	"				1	16	9			
	Lower	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Kilcoole	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Allidore	"	"	"				"	"	"			
William Murphy	Kelliskey	"	"	"				"	3	"	1	19	9
	Glandanagh	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Calary	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Brookagh	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Ballycullen	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Oldtown	"	"	"				"	3	"			
	Togher	"	"	"				"	7	"	"	10	
Edward Byrne	Moneytown												
	Wicklow	4	11	3				5	13	"			
Mr Douglas	Glencaly	4	2	"	8	13	3	"	15	5	6	8	5
	Dungaustown E	"	"	"				"	"	"			
Francis Aunesley	" W	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
	" S	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
John Peithelle	Emercilly	"	"	"				"	5	"			
	Kelbride	"	"	"				"	7	"	1	"	
Mr Loughlin	Arklow	"	"	"	"	"	"	52	3	10	52	3	10
	Bronnbau	"	"	"				"	2	2			
	Ballyarthur	"	"	"				"	2	11			
William Smith	Osca	"	"	"				"	5	3	"	10	4
	Rathruin	"	"	"				45	1	6			
	Knockrath	"	"	"				19	7	11			
	Trooperstown	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Ballinderry	"	"	"				8	12	1			
	Ballinacast	"	"	"				6	"	3			
	Paffinacost	"	"	"				8	18	9			
	Aughrim	"	"	"				6	7	9	94	8	3
Totals					8	13	3				155	12	5

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £15 ⁷ s. 2 ³/₄ d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
	15	7	2 ³ / ₄
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	30	12	3 ³ / ₄
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	7	9	2
Average Cost in Infirmary.	2	4	
Average Cost in Fever Hospital.	2	7	

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

- | | |
|----------------------|--------------|
| 225 lb. white Bread | 8 lb. Tea |
| 130 " Flour or | 2 Cut Sugar |
| 14 lb. Shells Cocoa | 7 lb. Pepper |
| 15 Cut Oatmeal | 2 Cut Cocoa |
| 15 Cut Indian Meal | |
| 145 Gall. Buttermilk | |
| 210 Gall. New Milk | |
| 130 lb. 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

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - - -			
In kind, - - - - -	1	6	0
Total, - - - - -	1	6	0

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

<u>1. Clothing Account.</u>		£	s.	d.
Rev ^d Henry Jalbraith	1 st July	7	10	"
Rev ^d A. Jalvin	"	15	"	"
Arthur Abrecht	"	25	"	"
do do	Returning Officers "	22	10	"
Samuel Manning	"	25	"	"
Isaac Flower	"	15	"	"
May Flower	"	5	"	"

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

<u>2. Establishment Account.</u>		£	s.	d.
William McPartt		3	"	"
Ella Holt		3	"	"
Ella Curren		3	15	"
Catherine Byrne		5	"	"
William Manning		7	10	"
Robert Manning		7	10	"
George Tuttle		7	10	"
Patrick Moran		7	10	"
Edmond Tallor		6	5	"
Wm. Kelfoy		4	10	"

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

	£	s.	d.
Richard McCallan M.D.	✓ 18	15	"
A. B. Sherrin John Hatch	✓ 20	"	"
R. A. L. Estamp Henry Buntz	✓ 21	5	"
J. J. Nicholson A. B. Sherrin	✓ 20	"	"
R. A. L. Estamp	✓ 20	"	"
J. J. Nicholson	✓ 20	"	"
Charles Clarke	✓ 18	15	"
John Kearney	✓ 18	15	"
Esther Byrne	✓ 2	10	"
Henry Buntz	✓ 7	10	"
Murietta Wuntz	✓ 2	15	"
Henry Rogan	✓ 2	"	"

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

4. ~~Out-door Relief Invoice Account.~~

In favor of	£	s.	d.
Jane Kalpin	✓ 1	"	"
Sarah Burns	✓ 1	"	"
Ellen Fuhun	✓ -	15	"
C. Fitzgerald	✓ -	7	6
Elyn Johnston	✓ -	15	"
Elyn Thompson	✓ -	18	"
	4	15	6

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

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

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

Daniel Kirowan	✓ 3	"	"
Simon Smith	✓ 2	10	"
Thomas Byrne	✓ 5	"	"
Edward Byrne	✓ 5	"	"
Rev A. Galbraith	✓ 5	"	"

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

Sept

The Burrows Contracted for last September have not been supplied we are much in need of them.

Ordered the Wheelbarrows to be purchased & charged to 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. 6399 Dated 21st Instant with reference to the Statement of the Inspector of the National Schools, that the general answering of the Boys at his recent Inspection of the Workhouse Schools, was very satisfactory due allowance being made for the respective hours of attendance the Commissioners request to be informed as to the time prescribed for the attendance of the Boys at School in the arrangements that were made subsequent to the Boys being placed under the charge of the Schoolmistress.

In reply to the above the hours of attendance are from 9 to 11 of A.M. and from 1/2 past 3 to 1/2 past 5 of P.M. including Religion instruction

A Letter was read from Mr Bilbrough Clerk Mills accepting the Contract for the supply of Indian meal for 3 Months ending 25th June next at £ 8. 10 per Ton.

A Letter was read from Robert Anderson Esq. Law Bank Arklow informing the Clerk that he had taken out the Commission of the Peace and he purposed to act as an J.P. Officer

Guardian of this Union

A circular was read from the Dublin Statistical Society on the
subject of Registration of Deaths Births and Marriages

2 Parnell Chambers

Wm. A. Jones

William Courtney

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Rutherford
UNION, on Tues day, the 21st day of March 1859
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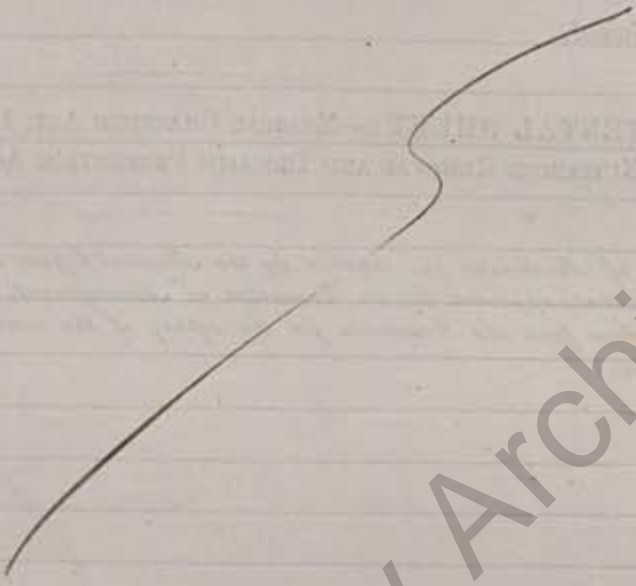
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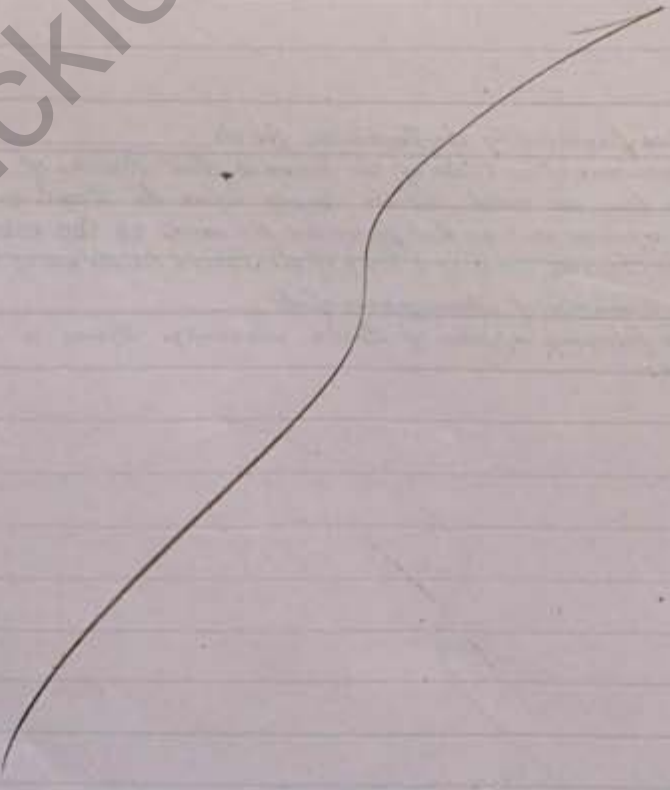
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £



[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 25 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

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

_____ District,	£
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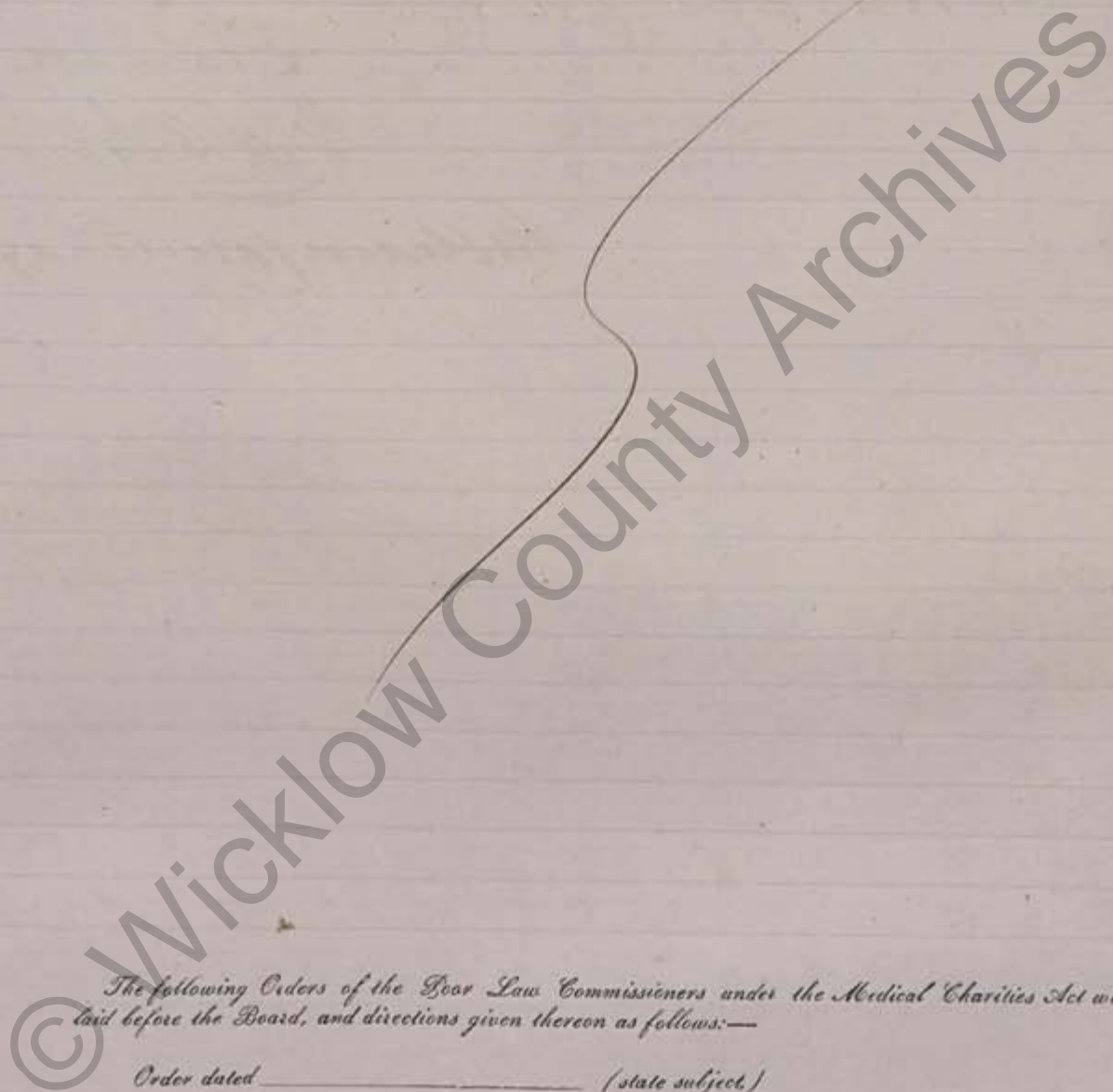
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_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)



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

Read Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 21st Inst No 6399
stating that

Sanctioning the appointment of Doctor Manning as
Temporary Medical Officer for Newbridge Dispensary District
During the illness of Dr Nicholson and the payment of
£6. 13. 4 to the former for two months

J. Parnell Chairman

Wm. H. Jones

William Pratney

(Signed)

Arthur H. Jones

Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1851, 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £125929.19

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of March 1859

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,	780															
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	100															
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	880															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			1	83	50	53	19	23	38	8	29	304	In Work-house Hospital, 71	Inseparate Wards, 2		
Admitted during the Week,			4	6	"	"	"	"	"	2	1	13	In Fever Hospital, 18	In Wards with other inmates, 54		
TOTAL,			5	89	50	53	19	23	38	10	30	317	Total, 89	Total, 56		
Discharged during the Week,			4	6	1	"	"	1	"	1	2	15				
Died,			"	"	1	"	"	"	"	1	"	2				
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	6	2	"	"	1	"	2	2	17				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			1	83	48	53	19	22	38	8	28	300				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26th day of March 1859 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.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 19 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	4	10					Bl. forward						
No. II.	5	17					No. X.						
No. III.	2	3					No. XI.						
No. IV.	7	21					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	18	51					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 29th day of March 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Parnell Esq.
 Other Guardians: Mr. Charles Hume, Mr. Courtenay, Robert Hudson, Francis Wright, Major Gen Cunningham, John F. Nuttall, Charles Mathew West Esq. J.P., Livingston Thompson, Robert M. Hudson, Thomas Graydon, Lawrence Graydon, Esq., Messrs. Richard Luke, Mat^r H. Jones, William Gilbert, Joseph Gordon, Joseph Edg. John Twiss, Edmund P. Edg., James Murphy, John Murphy, John Murphy (Brooklyn), John Chapman, Sylvester Bouille, Meah K. yme, Owen Fogarty, Sam^r Livsey, John Acton, Pat^r Beatty, Edward Rymer, James Fogarty, John Hudson, Richard Sherwood.

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. \checkmark to No. \checkmark , 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. \checkmark to No. \checkmark , 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:

Registers not Signed

Lodges with Treasurer by the Clerk	
Turnips and Oats sold off Workhouse ground	£ 11. 11. 9
Maintained Repair	1. 13. 8
offal of Kilsken	" 17. 0
Cement Casks sold	" 15. 0
Rags	11. 3
Sawfosh repaired on Wicklow £ D	
overpaid on Anglin's Draft	£ 14. 9
	£ 19. 3. 5
	£ 19. 5. 5

The Clerk laid before the Board his Return of Guardians for the year ending 25th March 1860

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

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

Paid during the week,

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* 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	Northcastle Upper	"	"	"				1	16	9			
	Northcastle Lower	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Kilcoste	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Altidore	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Killickey	"	"	"				3			1	19	9
William Murphy	Glendalough	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Galaxy	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Brookagh	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Ballycullen	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Oldtown	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Dogher	"	"	"				3					
	Moneytown	"	"	"				7					10
Edward Byrne	Micklow	"	"	"				5	13				
	Glenculy	"	"	"				15	5		6	8	5
William Douglas	Dunganstown E	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" W	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" S	"	"	"				"	"	"			
Francis Amesley	Eunreilly	"	"	"						5			
	Kelbridge	"	"	"						7			1
Thomas Withiske	Micklow	34	19	1	34	19	1	17	4	9	17	4	9
William Longhini	Brustand	"	"	"				2	2				
	Ballyasther	"	"	"				2	11				
	Orbeca	"	"	"				5	3				10 4
William Smith	Rathrum	1	12	9				43	8	9			
	Arvekrath	1	7	1				18		10			
	Trooperstown	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Ballindery	2	11	1				6	1				
	Ballinaclash	5	3	5					16	10			
	Ballinacor	6	3	1				2	15	8			
	Aughrim	2	16	10	19	14	3	3	10	11	74	14	"
Lodged by the Clerk	519. 5. 5												
Totals					574	13	4				100	19	1

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 19 . 18 . 1 1/2

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
	19	18	1 1/2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	28	11	0
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	1	9 1/2	
Average Cost in Infirmary.	2	4	
Average Cost in Fever Hospital,	2	7	

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

- 225 Lbns. White Bread
- 130 " " Brown do
- 116 lbs. Meat
- 36 Sheep's Heads
- 145 Gallons Buttermilk
- 200 Gallons New Milk
- 48 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

	£	s.	d.
In money,			
In kind,	1	3	6
Total,	1	3	6

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

This being the first meeting of the new Board Mr S Bourke was called upon to take the Chair.

Proposed by Mr Michl Byrne and seconded by Mr Edward P Edge that John Parnell Esq. be elected as Chairman of this Board for the year ending 1871.
Passed unanimously

Mr Bourke vacated the Chair and John Parnell Esq. was moved there to.

Proposed by Mr Michael Byrne and seconded by Mr Edw P Edge that Charles Tottenham Esq. be elected as Vice Chairman.

Amendment proposed by Mr Courtney Esq. and seconded by Mr Richard Tuhe that Lieut Colonel Baley be elected Vice Chairman. The Chairman put the amendment and Mr Col Baley was elected by 17 to 9.

Proposed by Mr Michael Byrne and seconded by Mr Edward P Edge that James Comerford Esq. be elected Deputy Vice Chairman.
Passed unanimously

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

The Board then proceeded to elect the Finance and Visiting Committees

Finance Committee

James Comerford Esq. D.T.C.

David J Henry Esq.

Laurence Smydon Esq.

Mr Gilbert Esq.

Mr Law Bestate Esq.

Messrs Owen Fogarty

Michl Byrne

Silvester Bourke

Edward P Edge

Charles Mathew West Esq. D.P.

Visiting Committee

Charles M West Esq.

James Comerford Esq.

Messrs R Tuhe, Edward P Edge, John Murphy,
S Bourke, James Fogarty, Michl Byrne
James Murphy, John Lewis

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

Master's Report

I have to report that from enquiries made from the Police touching the statements of Christopher Lewis and his reputed wife Mary Lewis that it appears he was married to a girl named Booth at Belgany Church about 6 years ago but the statement of Mary Lewis alias Finlay as to her being married to Lewis at Hacketstown by the Rev. Mr Moran about 14 years back is false. Under these circumstances I wish to be instructed as to the course I shall adopt respecting the two children now in the Workhouse, of the said Mary Lewis alias Finlay when Christopher Lewis is going out of the Workhouse on his discharge, an opinion having been expressed as to his liability he having pledged as her husband.

Ordered Christopher Lewis having frequently brought these two children into the Workhouse and acknowledged them as his children the Master ought not to allow him to leave the House without the children.

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 6599 Dated 24th Instant relative to the state of the Collection of Rate in the Union the Commissioners perceive from the Weekly Abstracts that a considerable Arrear still remains due in the Districts of Messrs Byrne Smith and Birritho although the period named for the completion of the Collection expired so far back as January last.

The Commissioners request the Board of Guardians to call upon the Collectors referred to to bring their respective Collections to a close as speedily as possible.

Ordered the Clerk to call on the Collectors to close their accounts forthwith.

The Board proceeded to revise the Salaries of the several Officers and to fix them for the year, and the Clerk having read over the Salary paid to each Officer.

Mr. S. Bourke proposed that the Salary of each Officer should be reduced to the sum they were originally appointed at, this being no person to second this resolution it fell to the ground.

The following letter was read from the Master.

Gentlemen

I beg respectfully to draw your attention to the

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necessity of continuing to me the sum of £10 per Annum to procure me some assistance in keeping the Books & consequent on the Office of Schoolmaster being abolished, all of whose duties, with the exception of the 4 hours occupied in teaching devolves now on me and at the same time I am deprived of the assistance he rendered to me in many ways. There is no Union in Ireland circumstances as this is that one Officer is required to discharge the duties now imposed on me without any assistant at a much greater expense than the ~~sum~~ ^{sum} now named. Under these circumstances it is for you to say whether it is just and reasonable to impose on an Officer who I trust has served you efficiently an amount of duty that could not be discharged by one man with benefit to your interests and when the amount sought for is not for any personal interest but that the duties may be discharged in a proper manner

(Signed) Isaac Flower, Master

The Board entered into a lengthened discussion as to whether the Master should be allowed the addition of Ten Pounds to his Salary which was voted on the 8th February last and ceased on the 20th Instant. No Resolution being brought forward the subject dropped and the Salary was allowed to remain at £60 per Annum.

A Letter was read from the Matron calling the attention of the Board to the low Salary she was appointed at £20 per Annum while the late Matron had £40 per Annum. After some discussion on the subject the Matron's Salary was left as at present £20 per Annum.

The Clerk brought under the notice of the Board the increase of Salary allowed to the Schoolmistress of £10 per Annum in consequence of her getting charge of both Schools and which ceased on the 3rd Instant.

Proposed by Mr Gilbert and seconded by Mr Michl. Byrne that the Schoolmistress Salary be raised from £20 to £30 per Annum to continue only so long as she has charge of both Schools

Passed

Proposed by Mr Michl. Byrne and seconded by Mr. Bonthe that the Salaries of the Tailor and Shoemaker be reduced to £12 per Annum for each Office and ~~and~~ to attend at the Workhouse only three hours each day

Passed

Proposed by Livingston Thompson Esq and seconded by Charles M. West Esq. that all Out Door Relief shall henceforth be discontinued in this Union, after some discussion this resolution was

withdrawn

Proposed by Thomas Frydow Esq. and seconded by Mr. J. Bourke
Resolved that the Services of three Relieving Officers
be discontinued

Amendment proposed by Mr. Michael Byrne and
seconded by Mr. John Murphy, that it is the opinion
of this Board that less than four Relieving Officers
would be insufficient to perform the duties of this
Union, and that there be no alteration in either the
number of Relieving Officers or their Salaries

The Chairman put the amendment which was
carried by 21 Votes against 10

James Comerford J.V.C.
Wm. H. Jones
William Cutaway

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse conformed was

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The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

The Comrs proceeded to Elect the Several Medical Committees

Newcastle Committee

1	Major Gen Cunningham	S.P.	Mr Kenney	Mr. K. Kenney
2	Major Tottenham	S.P.	Woodstock	"
3	John F. Nuttall Esq	S.P.	Tilton	"
4	David J. Henry Esq	P.L.G.	Judder House	"
5	Lawrence Guydon Esq	"	Toomon	Delgany
6	Thomas Guydon Esq	"	Toomon	"
7	Livingston Thompson Esq	"	Castle Gung	Ashford
8	Mr Saml Livedley	"	Kallyphilip	Kilcoole
9	John Rourke	"	Knockfadda	Mr. F. McHenry
10	James E. Scott Esq	"	Ballygannon	Kilcoole
11	James R. Taylor Esq M.D.	"	Kilmullen	Mr. F. McHenry
12	Lordon Evelyns Esq	"	Bromley	"
13	Major Gen Wattes	"	Newcastle	"
14	John Mclements	"	"	"
15	James Kelly	"	Charlesland	Delgany
16	George Evans	"	Kelpeddar	Mr. F. McHenry
17	James Evans	"	Kilcoole	"
18	George Saunders	"	Callow Hill	"
19	James Jones	"	Newcastle	"
20	William Jones Joseph M.D.	"	"	"
21	Samuel Edge	"	Knockfadda	"

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(Days of Meeting) 2nd & 4th Monday in each month at 11 O'clock at the

Ashford Committee

1	Charles Tottenham Esq S.P. & S.P.	S.P.	Ballycurry	Ashford
2	Albert Holt Esq S.P.	S.P.	Clonmannon	"
3	John Edwards Esq S.P.	S.P.	Knockstobin	Wicklow
4	Daniel Tighe Esq S.P.	S.P.	Rosanna	Ashford
5	Major John Chapman	P.L.G.	Wicklow	Wicklow
6	Martin Supt	"	Kolarny	"
7	John Booth	"	Ballinabarney	"
8	John Acton	"	Broneroc	Ashford
9	Patrick Juskin	"	Newcastle	"
10	Rev. A. W. Crofton	"	Inchinappa	"
11	Rev. John Drought	"	Glencurry	Glencurry
12	Hugh Eccles Esq	"	Broneroc	Ashford
13	Mark J. J. J. Esq	P.L.G.	Ballyhenry	Casturaw
14	John Perrin Esq	"	Wicklow	Wicklow
15	Mr. Joseph Morton	"	Wicklow	"

Althford Committee Contd.

16	Mr Thomas Smith	✓	Wetblan	Wetblan
17	John Woodroffe	✓	Ballyquite	"
18	Joshua Roberts	✓	Corcilla	Althford
19	William Bolton	✓	Glancagh	Glancagh
20	Seamus Moran	✓	Althford	Althford
21	Garrett Byrne	✓	Rathmore	"

Wardens Rev Henry Brownrigg and Rev John Grant

Days of Meeting the 2nd & 4th Saturday in each Month at 11 o'clock

Anamoe Committee

Booth

1	Thomas J Barton Esq	J.P.	Glendalough House	Anamoe
2	Charles Frizelle Esq	J.P.	Castle Kevin	"
3	Francis Spina Esq	J.P.	Glancagh East	Althford
4	Col. Lab. Burke	J.P.	Legelaw	Roundwood
5	Mr. Micho Byrne	P.S.	Monestown	Anamoe
6	Joseph Edge	"	Tonriland	"
7	John Murphy	"	Brockagh	"
8	James Murphy	"	Mulhannigra	Roundwood
9	John Murphy	"	"	"
10	John Lewis	"	Ballycullen	Althford
11	James Latta John Dowling	"	Glansammilly	Roundwood
12	William Keenan	"	Ballymore	"
13	Thomas Valentine	"	Diamond Hill	"
14	James Coleman	"	Tonriland	Anamoe
15	William Paul	"	Parthmore	"
16	Thomas Cullen	"	Anagowlaw	Althford
17	James Byrne	"	Lugduff	Lanagh
18	John O'Brien	"	Ballycullen	Althford
19	Emanuel Healty	"	Walthamanna	Roundwood
20	Patrick Murphy	"	Roundwood	"
21	Lewis Byrne	"	Knackapumpin	Anamoe

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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Dungaustown Committee

1	Francis Wright Esq	J.P	Ballykeane	Redcrop
2	John J Byrne Esq	J.P	Kilpatrick	"
3	Mathew Wright Esq	P.L.C.	Dungaustown	Wicklow
4	Wm Law Westale Esq	P.L.C.	Templeton	Redcrop
5	Mr William Stringer	P.L.C.	Ballymoyle	Arklow
6	Edward Byrne	P.L.C.	Ballymurren	Wicklow
7	Henry Shepherd Esq		Outlands	"
8	Wm Barton Revell Esq		Ballymorey	"
9	Rev Wm Magee		Dungaustown	"
10	Edward A Keogh Esq		Ballinaclos	"
11	Henry Donnell Fitzgibbon Esq		Ballinacross	Redcrop
12	Thomas Acton Esq		Westaston	Kathdram
13	Major John Callan		Ballinacross	Redcrop
14	James Brennan	Alex ^r McDonnell	Ballymorey	Arklow
15	Paul Costelloe		Arduary	Arklow
16	Samuel William		Rockstown	Kathdram
17	Peter Tyndale		Managherbeg	Wicklow

Day of Meeting the 1st Friday in each month at 12 O'clock

Rathdram Committee

1	John Parnell Esq	J.P	Swondale	Kathdram
2	A.W. Byrne Esq	J.P	Crowe Byrne	"
3	St Colm Daly	J.P	Ballyathan	Droeda
4	Henry Hodgson Esq	J.P	Ballycaine	Arklow
5	Charles M West Esq	J.P	Mount Acon	Kathdram
6	James Mansford Esq	P.L.C.	The Cottages	"
7	Mr Gilbert Esq	P.L.C.	74 Upper Baggin	Dublin
8	James Fogarty	P.L.C.	Ballyboy	Kathdram
9	Edward P Edge	P.L.C.	Shrookhath	"
10	Rev Henry Galbraith		Rectory	"
11	Rev Rich Galvin		Avonhall	"
12	Robert Dickenson Esq		Kings town	"
13	Mr R Lawrence		Ballinacross	"
14	Hugh Byrne		Ballinacross	Arklow
15	John Woodbyne		Gangmore	"
16	Patrick Jones		Ballindroyle	"
17	William Byrne		Ballece	"
18	Loughlin Byrne		Ballybeg	"

Day of meeting the 1st Tuesday in each month at 2 O'clock

Aughrim Committee

1 ✓	Mr. Keenan Esq JP	Ballinacor	Nathuram
2 ✓	Robert Patton Esq JP	Clone	Aughrim
3	Mr. Owen Fogarty PLG	Aughrim	"
4 ✓	Sebastian Douille PLG	Ballyshaur	Nathuram
5 ✓	Joseph Leviston PLG	Meetings (Milashie)	Doona
6 ✓	Joseph Macenagh	Kipsham	Aughrim
7 ✓	John Fleming	Muelllow	"
8 ✓	Edward Byrne	Ballyreen	Nathuram
9 ✓	Thomas Woodbyrne	Ballinacorney	"
10	Patrick Trausey	Croscattagh	"
11 ✓	Patrick Carey	Faminicron	Aughrim
12 ✓	John Doyle	Manganacool	Nathuram
13 ✓	James Phelan	Aughrim	Aughrim
14 ✓	Lawrence Byrne	Three Wells	"
15	James Fogarty	Balleeshal	"

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Day of Meeting 1st Monday in each month at 12 o'clock

Arklow Committee

1	1 Rt Hon ^{ble} Earl of Jersey Esq J.P. & Glenart Castle	Arklow
2	2 Lord Probby J.P. & etc P	"
3	3 Robert Hudson Esq JP	"
4	4 Henry Hodgson Esq JP	"
5	5 Mr. Peter Boland PLG	"
6	6 John Muesome PLG	"
7	7 Patrick Kealey PLG	"
8	8 Robert M'Kenna Esq PLG	"
9	9 Mr. Richard Hedman	"
10	10 Lewis Byrne	"
11	11 James Borbidge	"
12	12 James Hopkins	"
13	13 William Kelly	"
13	13 William Kelly & William Kelly	"

Warden Mr. John Campbell & William Kelly

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Rathdown
UNION, on Tuesday day, the 29th day of March 1859
—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 Armlaw
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:

Check to forward same to Contractor

Newbridge Committee

1	Rt Honble Earl of Wicklow J.P.	Shelton abbey	Armlaw
2	St Colm Balry J.P.	Ballyathin	Ovoea
3	Richard Howard Brooke J.P.	Castle Howard	Rathdown
4	John Dudley Oliver J.P.	Cherry mount	Ovoea
5	Mr Charles Haime Esq J.P.	Pitworth	Redcrop
6	Henry Hodgson Esq J.P.	Ballyrain	Armlaw
7	Robert Hudson Esq J.P.	Seabank	"
8	Mr Courtenay Esq J.P.	Woodmount	"
9	Edward Barnes Esq J.P.	Ballymuntagh	Ovoea
10	Richd Johnson P.L.	Newbridge	"
11	Richard Tule P.L.	Castlemoan	"

~~The 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.~~

~~In 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:~~

12	Math. H. Jones	P.L.	Shrotonhamshire	Ovoea
13	Richd Sherwood	P.L.	Kilbride	Armlaw
14	Mr Saville	✓	Redcrop	"
15	George Manning	✓	Ovoea	Ovoea
16	William Roberts	✓	Ballynapanth	"
17	John Ruskell	✓	Ballyrishin	Armlaw
18	Christmas Moore	✓	Ballyvollo	Ovoea

Days of Meeting 1st Monday in each month at 11 o'c

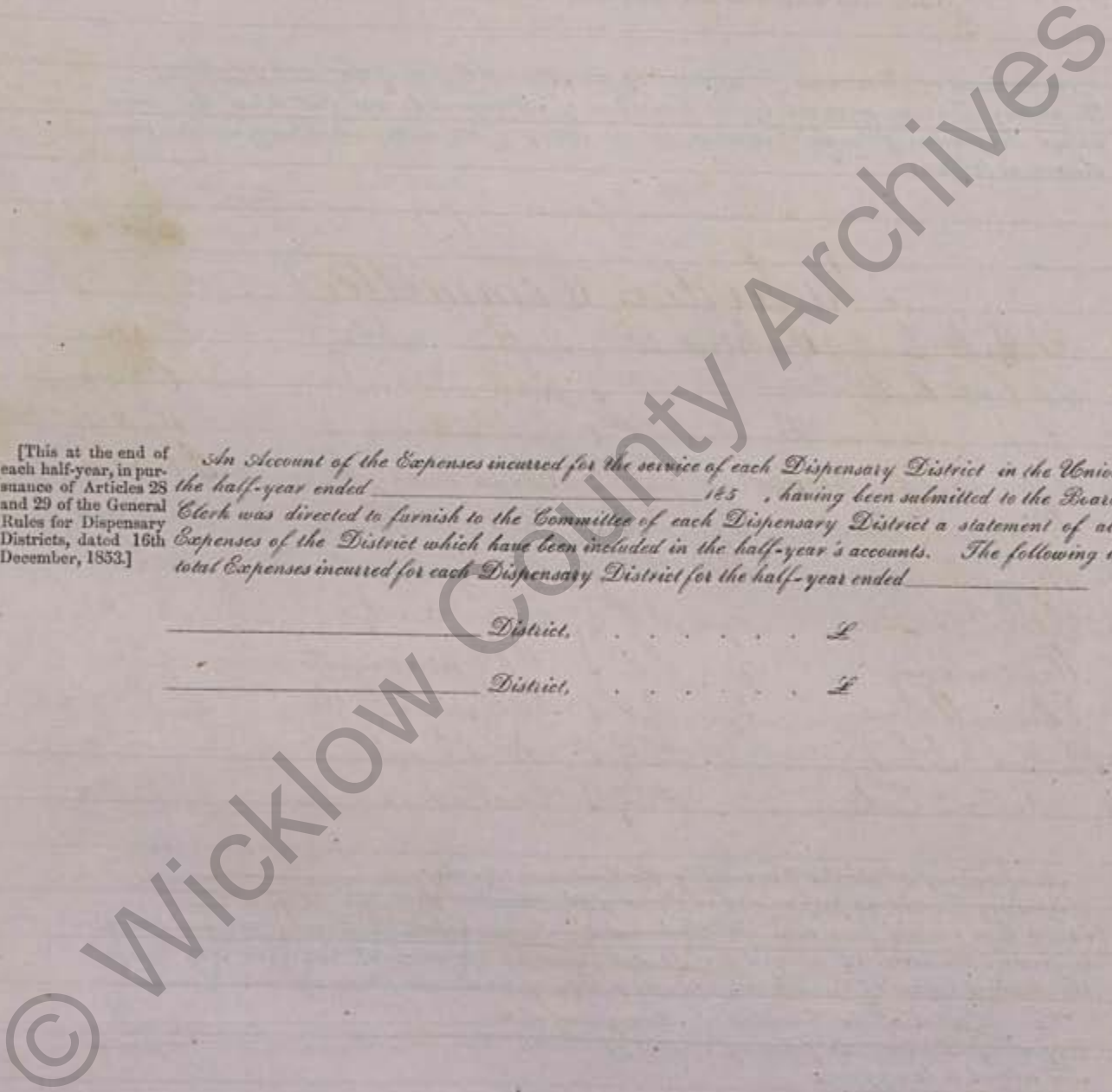
The following Accounts of expenses, (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District, 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):

Circular
Read Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 28th Instant
stating that

for forwarding for the information and guidance of the Board of Guardians a copy of their Circular letter of the 22nd March 1856 relating to the appointment of qualified Rate payers to complete the committees of Management of Dispensary districts in the several Unions in Ireland together with an extract from their Circular of the 30th March 1852 in reference to the appointment of Wardens under the provisions of the 30th Section of 14th Victoria Cap 56

The following letter was read by the Clerk
Wicklow March 25th 1857

Dear Sir

I am desired by Mr. Wakefield of Broomfield House to inform you that he has purchased the House in Ashford in which your Dispensary is held, the Sale having taken place last September. Mr. Wakefield will request you not to pay the Rent to any person but to him, as he is the Sole owner of the property and will thank you to send me a check for the amount and I shall send you his receipt.

(Signed) Robert Stalpin

The Clerk was directed to hold over the check until it was ascertained who is legally entitled to receive it

The Clerk read over the Salary paid to each of the Dispensary Medical Officers ~~and~~ they were allowed to remain as at present.

Proposed by Mr. Patrick Reaney and seconded by Mr. John Kusome
Resolved that the Salary of either Byrne attendant on the Ashford Dispensary be reduced from 10^l to 5^l per annum
(Signed) Pasted

James Comafort D. V. W.

Robert Jones

William Portman

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Rathfriland

UNION.

323

Population in 1851, *47861*

Present Net Annual Value, *£125929.19*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *2nd* day of *April*

185 *9*

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>70288</i>														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	<i>100</i>	<i>13</i>														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,		<i>880</i>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			<i>1</i>	<i>83</i>	<i>48</i>	<i>53</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>38</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>28</i>	<i>300</i>	In Workhouse Hospital, <i>69</i>	In separate Wards, <i>2</i>		
Admitted during the Week,			<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>2</i>	"	"	"	"	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>10</i>	In Fever Hospital, <i>13</i>	In Wards with other inmates, <i>4</i>		
TOTAL,			<i>3</i>	<i>86</i>	<i>50</i>	<i>53</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>38</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>30</i>	<i>310</i>	Total, <i>82</i>	Total, <i>6</i>		
Discharged during the Week,			<i>2</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>1</i>	"	"	"	"	"	<i>1</i>	<i>9</i>				
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
Total Discharged and Dead,			<i>2</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>1</i>	"	"	"	"	"	<i>1</i>	<i>9</i>				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			<i>1</i>	<i>81</i>	<i>49</i>	<i>53</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>22</i>	<i>38</i>	<i>9</i>	<i>29</i>	<i>301</i>				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *2nd* day of *April* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	<i>4</i>	<i>10</i>					Bt. forward						
No. II.	<i>5</i>	<i>17</i>					No. X.						
No. III.	<i>2</i>	<i>13</i>					No. XI.						
No. IV.	<i>7</i>	<i>21</i>					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	<i>18</i>	<i>51</i>					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Tuesday* the *5th* day of *April* 185 *9*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *James Comerford, Esq*
 Other Guardians: *Charles M. West, Robert Hudson, William Comtey, Andrew W. Byrne Esq, Messrs Mat^r H Jones, R. Johnson, W. Gilbert John Chapman, Pat^r Jackson, M. H. Byrne, Peter Boland R. M. Hudson, John Kusome, Rich^d Sherwood, James Murphy, John Murphy, James Fogarty, John Murphy & 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 & Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4804 to No. 4830, 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,	£ 200 : 18 : 2
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And that the Balance on the Account *in favour* the Guardians was £ 956 : 2 : 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The ledgments 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	"	"	"				1	16	9						
	" Lower	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	Milcoote	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	Altadore Killeskey	"	"	"				"	3	"	1	19	9			
William Murphy	Glandalough	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	Calany	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	Brookagh	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	Ballycullev	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	Oldtown	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	Fogher Moneytown	"	"	"				"	7	"	"	10				
Edward Byrne	Micklow	"	"	"				5	13	"						
	Glenculy	"	"	"				"	15	5	6	3	5			
William Douglas	Dungannon E	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	" W	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	" S	"	"	"				"	"	"						
Francis Amesty	Emercilly	"	"	"				"	"	5						
	Kelbride	"	"	"				"	"	7	1	"				
Thomas Bithistle	Micklow	"	"	"				17	4	9	17	4	9			
William Longhin	Bronsbarr	"	"	"				"	2	2						
	Ballyanthery	"	"	"				"	2	11						
	Booca	"	"	"				"	5	3	"	10	4			
William Smith	Bathoneen	"	"	"				43	8	9						
	Knochruth	"	"	"				18	"	10						
	Troopstown	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	Balindery	"	"	"				6	1	"						
	Ballinacash	"	"	"				"	16	10						
	Ballynacoo Aughrim	"	"	"				2	15	8	3	10	11			
Totals,														100	19	1

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

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

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

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 . 15 s. 9 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
	25	15	9 1/2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	-	-	-
	31	14	0 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	0	0	0
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	-	-	-
	1	10 1/2	-
Average Cost in Infirmary,	-	-	-
	2	4 1/2	-
Average Cost in Fever Hospital,	-	-	-
	3	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:

- 250 Loaves White Bread
- 135 " Brown "
- 200 Gals New Milk
- 140 Gals Buttermilk
- 120 lbs Meat
- 36 Sheeps Heads
- 15 Cut Indian meal
- 15 Cut Outmeal

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, - - - - -	1	3	8
In kind, - - - - -	-	-	-
Total,	1	3	8

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
<i>In favour of</i>				
Thomas Tigg	Salt	"	7	" 4
Thomas Simpson	Mason work	1	10	" 4
James Byrne	"	1	12	" 4
Edward Boyle	Sweeping	1	4	7 1/2
Philip Byrne	Flour	1	4	" 4
Daniel Farrell	Coffins	"	15	" 4
Mary Suckerson	Potatoes	1	4	" 4
Salmon Rice Ho	Cement	"	10	6 1/2
William Bryan	Repairs	"	12	6 1/2
Bernard Manning	Warrants	"	18	6
Arthur Fontenay	Pauper	1	13	10 1/2
		11	11	11

Amair Brudie
3rd Decr 1859

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

7
Masters Report

The Master respectfully requests that the Workhouse Porter may be directed to assist him by discharging the following duties as the latter considers it is not his duty to do so

To ring the Bell to notice Paupers to rise, To get in all tea porringers to the Kitchen, and to have laid all food in Dining Hall for each meal by $\frac{1}{4}$ to 9 O'clock morning, and by 3 O'clock evening, To see that the grounds in front of Lodge, Bath Room, Probationary Wards and yards of same properly cleaned each day before 11 O'clock, To superintend the issue of Coals, to see that all Male Paupers on their admission are properly cleaned and dressed.

To lock up all Male Paupers and the outside doors and gate each night, and to unlock same in the morning after the Bell rings.

To weigh Coals and Straw, To go with all Funerals to the Burial ground, and to take charge of Paupers young and returning.

To open Chapel Doors for prayer on all occasions and not to leave the Chapel after until all Paupers have left and then to lock Doors.

To weigh Meal each night for Boilers, To allow no Pauper or any pretence to leave the Workhouse without a pass from the Master or the

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

Matron in his absence. To allow no person up to the Workhouse other than a Guardian, Officer or friend of an Officer without the permission of the Master or the Matron in his absence, To assist the Matron in every way in the absence of the Master when called upon by her and in his absence to have a general care of the Workhouse under the Matron, To assist the Master by taking his place when called should he be engaged with other business, To return each Saturday

to the Master a return of all soiled clothes sent to the Laundry taken off all Male Paupers discharged in the Luncheon Room, The Hours named to be taken by the Clock in the Main Building.

To observe strictly these duties at all times

Issue Flower Master

The Porter was called before the Board and handed in the following written explanation

Workhouse 5th April 1839

Gentlemen

I wish to inform you that the differ between me and Mr. Flower first arose from a complaint made by Mrs. Flower on me she told him that I insulted her and that I did not pay her respect inasmuch as I did not say Mam when speaking to her, Mr. Flower then sent for me to go up to the Office to know why I did not pay more respect to Mrs. Flower, I told her the words that passed between her and me and I asked him to point out to me how I offended her, I then told

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him I was of the opinion that I was not obliged to stand in Office on such an occasion. In some short time after that he accused me with dishonesty by saying that I gave out of the Store anything that wished to be taken, But I have done a great part of the work in the House for the last two years, every night I weighed the Meal for the Poor in the Mr Flower accused me with being a rogue but since I stopped I believe that no Officer ever was present while the Meal was weighing, I must also remark that in my going up to the House in the Morning I have some times found the Door of the Day open after the Night and other times the Door of the Meal Store, the latter occurred on last Wednesday Morning, on other occasions the two doors of Dining Hall are open all night, and leave a free passage from Men to Womens Yard, these things has happened more than two three or four times, and one Morning I found

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 Master Key of the Store, in the Door of the Kitchen after remaining there all night, but when I told him of this the other day he could not recollect anything of it but to those and some other I sincerely am willing to prove,

The following are some nights that Mr. John Flower was out until Morning, January 12th & 20th, February 5th, 17th & 19th, March 5th & 17th 1858. There was two or three other nights that Mr Flower gave order for a pass way to be left open through the House in order that he could come in when he wished by taking the Key of the back Gate with him, Now I want ask Mr John Flower if I wished to be dishonest did they not give me good opportunities, I want also ask them how was the House conducted on all those occasions that they were absent and on the days that followed them while they slept the whole day

(Signed, Wm McGeath, Porter)

Ordered the Porters letter to be entered in the Minutes, and that the Commissioners be requested to send their Inspector to investigate those Charges,

Circular No 81 M 59 Dated 31st Ultimo on the subject of Workhouse Dietaries and recommending the Guardians to make certain alterations so as to pay the diets at present

in use,

Ordered the Clerk to Summon a full meeting of the Board to take the matter into consideration, on Tuesday the 26th Instant

Circular N^o 76 M 59 Dated 1st Instant calling on the Clerk for a Return of the Rates Made and any new Rates agreed upon the Union for the Month of March

Letter N^o 83 M 59 Dated 2nd Instant calling on the Clerk to furnish the several Returns showing the progress made in the Collection of the Rate since the 26th February last

Circular N^o 84 M 59 Dated 4th Instant calling on the Clerk for a Classified Return of the Sumatic Inmates of the Workhouse

Letter N^o 7631 Dated 4th Instant approving of the Guardians Resolution increasing the Salary of the Schoolmaster from £20 to £30 per Annum so long as she shall continue to have charge of the Male and Female Schools

Letter N^o 7631 Dated 4th Instant approving of the Guardians Resolution of the 29th ultimo proposing to reduce the Salary of the Tailor to £12 per Annum and of a like reduction in the Salary of the Shoemaker

The Rev^d Rev^d Galvin Roman Catholic Chaplain attended before the Board and complained that an Idiotic Pauper Inmate named Catherine Wheathy, Registered a Roman Catholic was attended to by the Protestant Chaplain and treated as if she were a Protestant.

The following document was read by the Rev^d R Galvin
I the undersigned certify that Catherine Wheathy at present an Idiot in Rutheston Workhouse was born of George Wheathy and Catherine Neary in lawful wedlock and was baptized according to the Rite of the Roman Catholic Church, was brought up in the Roman Catholic faith and received the Sacrament of extreme unction from the Rev^d M Deighan in the sickness caused by the shock that injured her mind. I also certify that the afore-said George Wheathy and Catherine Neary were lawfully married in the Roman Catholic Church on the 11th February 1833 and I certify that the said George frequently received the Holy Eucharist from my hand and received extreme unction and died in the

profession of the Roman Catholic faith, Catherine
Wheatly at present stays lives in the Chapel lane of Arklow
is and always was a Catholic and is terribly shocked
that her poor afflicted Child born and bred a Catholic
should be recognised and treated as a Protestant as
she is told she has been in Rathdown Workhouse

(Signed) James Redmond P.P.
Arklow April 20 1869

The Master was called upon for an explanation and stated that
the girl in question was admitted while he was unwell
and he was always under the impression that she was
a Protestant, and he did not know to the contrary until
a few days back when he found she had been registered
a Roman Catholic.

Ordered to be referred to the Commission for investigation

W. M. J.
Chairman
James Cornford
Solicitor General

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday* the
12th day of *April* 185 *9*
(Signed) *Arthur Webb*
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 5th day of April 185 9
—continued.

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

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

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of
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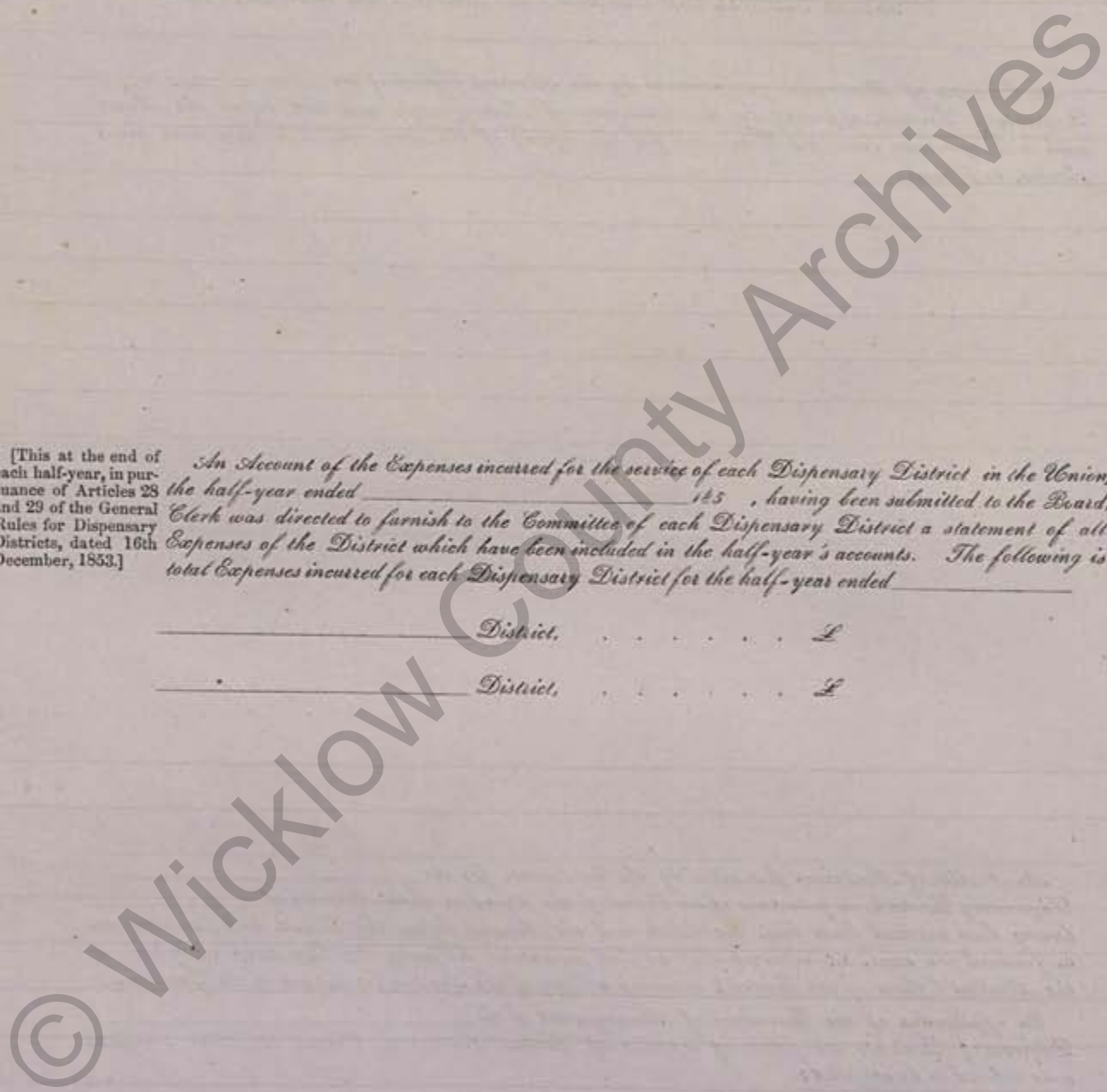
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of _____

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Read Letter from the Poor Law Commission dated 4th Instant N^o 7631 stating that

With reference to a Resolution of the Guardians on the 29th ultimo proposing to reduce the Salary of the Porter of the Arklow Dispensary from £10 to £5 per annum, the sum being request to be informed whether the usual Notice required by Article 13 of the General Regulations was given in this case, The Commission also request to be informed of the grounds for making the proposed reduction

Ordered to be referred to the Arklow Committee for reply

Read the following letter from D. Nicholson

Bell Rock Cottage
124 April 1889

Sir

As I am still confined to bed and likely to be so for Doctor Manning's attendance will terminate on the 10th Instant you will please state to the Committee that I wish his services to be continued for another month from the above period

(Signed) D. J. Nicholson

To the Guardians of the Union of Seely

Resolved that in consequence of the above application that Doctor Nicholson's leave of absence be extended for another month from the 10th Instant

The Guardians approved of the above resolution

(Signed)

Arthur Hawk

Clerk of the Union.

Wm. J. Curran James Connaught
Silvester Barwick

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UNION.

343

Population in 1851, 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £125,929. 19

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

1859

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 8 and under 15 years of age		Children above 8 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 8 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,	750															
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	100															
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	850															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			1	81	49	53	19	22	38	9	29	301	In Work-house Hospital, In Fever Hospital, Total,	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, Total,		
Admitted during the Week,			2	12	2	"	1	"	1	1	5	22				
TOTAL,			1	93	51	53	20	22	39	10	34	323				
Discharged during the Week,			"	11	1	1	1	"	2	1	3	20				
Died,			"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			"	12	1	1	1	"	2	1	3	21				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			1	81	50	52	19	22	37	9	31	302				

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	4	10					Bt. forward						
No. II.	5	17					No. X.						
No. III.	2	13					No. XI.						
No. IV.	7	21					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	18	51					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday

the 12th day of April

1859

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Leut Col. Buley

Other Guardians:

James Finlayson Esq. Wm. S. Bannister

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. 4831 to No. 4843, 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, - - - - - £30 : " : "

Paid during the week, - - - - - £126 : 8 : 4

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £859 : 14 : 5

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Patrick Farrell	Newcastle Upper	"	"	"				1	16	9			
	Newcastle Lower	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Kilcoole	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Aitedore	"	"	"				"	"	"			
William Murphy	Killeshay	"	"	"						3			1 19 9
	Handalough	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Salany	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Brooklough	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Ballycullen	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Oldtown	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Dogher	"	"	"				"	"	3			
Monystown	"	"	"				"	"	7			0 " 10	
Edward Byrne	Nicklas	"	"	"				5	13	"			
	Glencaly	"	"	"				"	15	5			6 8 5
William Douglas	Dunganstown E	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" W	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" S	"	"	"				"	"	"			
Francis Annelley	Emercilly	"	"	"				"	"	5			
	Kelbide	"	"	"				"	"	7			" 1 "
Thomas Fithistle	Arklow	"	"	"				17	4	9			17 4 9
William Longhlin	Bronsbane	"	"	"				"	2	2			
	Ballyathus	"	"	"				"	2	11			
	Broca	"	"	"				"	5	3			" 10 4
William Smith	Rathdrom	15	"	"				28	8	9			
	Knockrath	15	"	"				3	"	10			
	Trooperstown	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Ballinderry	"	"	"				6	1	"			
	Ballinaculsh	"	"	"				"	16	10			
	Ballinacor	"	"	"				2	15	8			
Aughrim	"	"	"	30	"	"	3	10	11			44 14 "	
Totals					30	"	"						70 19 1

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

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

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

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

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

- 200 White Loaves Bread 2 Balls Hayseed.
- 135 Brown do do
- 140 Gallon Buttermilk
- 110 lb Meat
- 36 Sheep Heads
- 200 Gallon Newmilk

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In money,			
In kind,			
Total,	1	3	8

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

		£	s.	d.	
Edward Wright	Clothing	26	6		✓
Samuel Kieffe	Cement	2	16		✓
Perin Scholten	Files &c	8	11	4	✓

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

2. Establishment Account.

In favour of Clerk to pay					
Joseph Christian	Repairs	"	2	6	4
Isaac Flower	Key leads &c	"	12	"	4
Edward Mayly	Sand & Gravel	"	19	8	4
Arthur Wood	Postage	1	16	10	
Simon Smith	Remedy for Amuse Dispy	1	"	"	
Thomas Ferguson	Postage Newbridge Dispy	"	2	6	
		44	13	6	
Samuel Manning	attendance at Newbridge Dispy	6	13	4	

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

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. 93 M 59 Dated 8th Instant
Calling on the Clerk for a Return of the number of Emigrants who have been sent out or assisted to Emigrate by the Board of Guardians from the first of April 1858 to the 31st March 1859

Letter N^o. 8448 Dated 11th Instant with reference to the Charges brought by the Porter against the ^{master} of the Workhouse the Commissioners state that they have instructed their Inspector Crawford to inquire into the matter and report to them thereon.

An application was made by a pauper inmate named Maria Byrne for a suit of clothing to enable her to go to a situation as she has been an inmate for the last 13 years, and has no clothing.

Clothing ordered cost not to exceed 15/-
A similar application was made by a boy named Lawrence McCabe who has been an inmate since his childhood like other

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Trustee Board
Lowry

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday* the
19th day of *April* 185 *9*

(Signed) *A. W. [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 12 day of April 1857
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

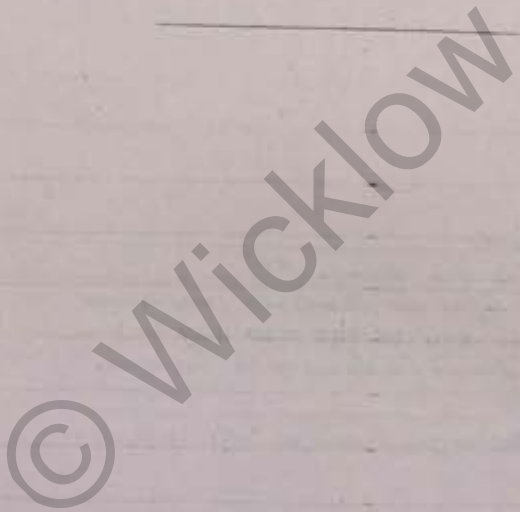
Dispensary District,
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £



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

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

of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 11th Feb. N^o. 8448 stating that

With reference to the Minutes of the 5th Instant in ^{in reply} ~~reference~~ to their letter of the 14th Instant respecting the proposed reduction of the Salary ^{paid} of the Post of the Wicklow Dispensary. The Commissioners request to be informed whether the Notice in reference to the proposed reduction of the Salary was given in accordance with the 15th Article of the general Regulations.

In reply to the above there was no Notice given but the Minutes have a resolution on their Minutes, that at the first Meeting of the New Board in each Year the Salaries are to be revised and fixed for the current Year

J. Parnell Esq
 Silvester Banke
 Edward M. M. M.

(Signed) Arthur Hank

Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1851, 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £125929.19

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

1859

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,	780	281														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,	100	18														
Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	880	299														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			1	81	50	52	19	22	37	9	31	302	In Work-house Hospital, 70 In Fever Hospital, 18 Total, 88	In separate Wards, 2 In Wards with other inmates, 4 Total, 6		
Admitted during the Week,			"	2	"	1	"	"	1	"	1	5				
TOTAL,			1	83	50	53	19	22	38	9	32	307				
Discharged during the Week,			"	2	3	"	"	"	1	"	1	7				
Died,			"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			"	2	4	"	"	"	1	"	1	8				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			1	81	46	53	19	21	38	8	32	299				

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	4	10					Bl. forward						
No. II.	4	12					No. X.						
No. III.	2	3					No. XI.						
No. IV.	7	21					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	17	46					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Parnell Esq. the 19th day of April

1859

Other Guardians: Ralph E. P. Edge & Silvester Powell

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 & 2nd Vic., c. 81.

John Lawler Town of Wicklow Parish of Wicklow
 Bessie Davis *do* *do*

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 48444 to No. 4857, 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. *do* to No. *do*, 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, - - - - - £114 : 11 : 6

Paid during the week, - - - - - £113 : 13 : 4

And that the Balance on the Account *in favour* the Guardians was £760 : 15 : 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Patrick Farrell	Newcastle Upper	"	"	"				1	16	9			
	" Lower	"	"	"									
	Kilcoole	"	"	"									
	Altidow	"	"	"									
William Murphy	Killiskey	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	3	"			1 19 9
	Glandalough	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Galary	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Brockagh	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Ballycullen	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Oldtown	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Cooper	"	"	"				"	"	"			
Edmond Byrne	Honeystown	"	"	"				"	"	7			" 10
	Mickles	"	"	"				5	13	"			
William Douglas	Gaucathy	"	"	"				"	15	5			0 8 5
	Dungastown E	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" W	"	"	"				"	"	"			
Francis Annesley	" S	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Emureilly	"	"	"				"	"	5			
Thomas Rithotte	Kilbride	"	"	"				"	"	7			" 10
	Adlow	"	"	"				"	"	17	4	9	17 4 9
Wm Longfellow	Bronsbane	"	"	"				"	"	2	2		
	Ballyarthur	"	"	"				"	"	2	11		
	Booca	"	"	"				"	"	5	3		" 10 4
William Smith	Rathrum	"	"	"				28	8	9			
	Knackrath	2	13	8				"	7	2			
	Trooperstown	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Ballindry	5	10	4				"	10	8			
	Ballinacash	"	15	6				"	1	9			
	Ballinacor	2	2	7				"	11	1			
	Aughin	3	10	10	14	14	6	"	"	1	29	19	6
Totals,					14	14	6			56	4	7	

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 31 . . 1 s . . 4 ½ d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

£ s. d.
31 . 1 . 4 ½

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . .

31 . 5 . 4 ½

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

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

7 . 10 ½

Average Cost in Infirmary.

2 . 4 ½

Average Cost in Fever Hospital,

3 . 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:

225 Loaves White Bread	5000 2 ^d Nails, 5000 Pavers
120 " Brown do	4 th Turnip
24 Suits of de Potio	1 Gold Comb
140 Gallon Buttermilk	3 Gallon Oil
200 Gallon New Milk	2 Shoe Knives
60 lb. Supt Candles	3 th Turnip Seed
2 Cut Rice	4 th Mangold do
2 Cut White Soap	¼ th Leek, ¼ th Onion,
5 Cut Brown do	1 Barrell Hay Seeds
	150 Bricks, 6 Stang Lutches, 6 Bushhards
	7 th Cement

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 16 day of April: whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In money,			
In kind,	1	2	11
Total,	1	2	11

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

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

Scutcheon

She is to bring under your notice the propriety of having the two gable ends of the Infirmary Cemented in consequence of their admitting the damp as reported on the 11th January 1859.

Ordered the joints of South wall to be Cemented with Portland Cement. To begin to be received for the work this day fortnight

Two Suits of Clothings ordered for Eliza Angley & Catherine Smithson who are going out of the Workhouse as Servants. Cost not to exceed 15/- per Suit

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 8448 Dated 12th Instant in reference to the Complaint made by the Roman Catholic Chaplain of the Workhouse on the 5th Instant to the effect that an Idiot Pauper named Catherine Whately who is registered a Roman Catholic was attended by the Protestant Chaplain and treated as if she were a Protestant. The Commissioners inform the Guardians that they have instructed their Inspector Mr Crawford to inquire as to the circumstances under which the visits of the Protestant Chaplain to Catherine Whately took place, she being it appears Registered a Roman Catholic.

Letter N^o 9245 dated 16th Instant returning the 1st & 2nd pages of the Guardians Minutes of the 12th Instant in order that the Clerk may state thereon whether the Balance of £259.14.5 at a foot of the Treasurers account was in favor or against the Union.

Letter N^o 98459 Dated 18th Instant calling the Clerks attention to the Commissioners Circular letter of the 4th Instant and requesting him to forward without further delay a Return of the Numbers of Lunatics, Idiots and Epileptics in the Workhouse on the 2nd Instant.

A letter was read from Charles Crawford Esq Justice Inspector
 Dated 18th Instant informing the Clerk that he would attend at the
 Workhouse on Tuesday the 26th Instant to inquire into the Charges
 preferred by the Porter against the Master and Matron of the Workhouse
 and also into the Complaint of the Roman Catholic Chaplain
 relative to the Care of Catherine Whentley

The Clerk was directed to advertise for the following Supplies
 Tenders to be received on the 2nd Proximo 200 Tons Coal
 Newmill and Buttermilk for 12 Months from the 6th June next

J. Harty
 Chairman
 St. Vincent's Bank
 St. Vincent's

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday* the
26th day of *April* 185*9*

(Signed) *J. W. [Signature]*

Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68. }
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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Rathfriland
UNION, on Tues day, the 19th day of April 1859
—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 Uxlow
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:

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):

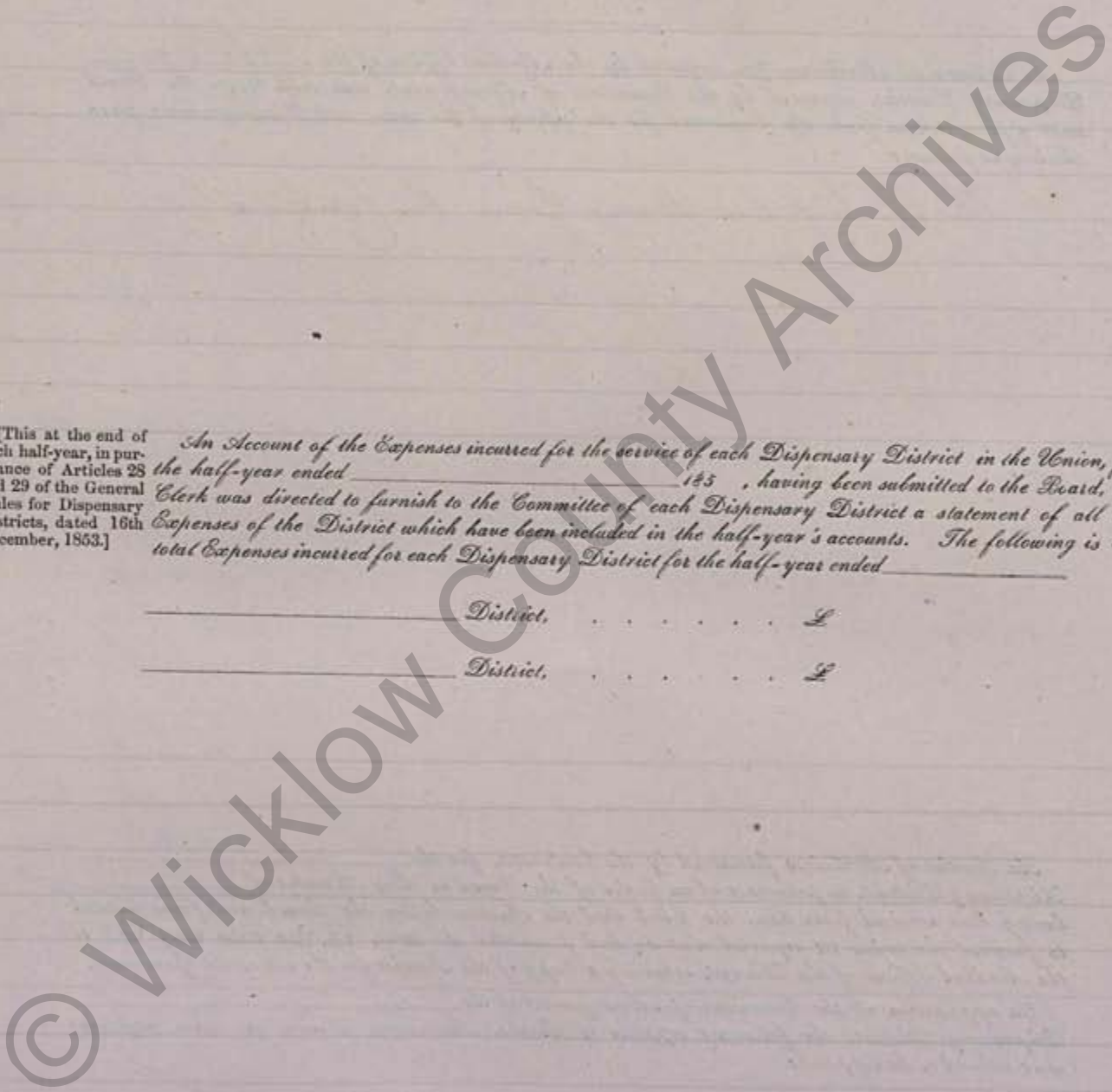
Dispensary District,

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 _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses 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, 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 Mark Lardiff Esq Secretary to the Ushford Dispensary stating that

Committee

9th April 1859

At a meeting of the Ushford Dispensary Committee held this day pursuant to notice from Honors of the Union, the following Members present. Rev^d J. M. Drought, Patrick Gaskin, John Chapman, Martin Hazelt, Joseph Moreton, & Mark Lardiff

The following Officers were appointed for the year.

Charles Tottenham Esq M.P. Chairman

Rev^d J. M. Drought Vice Chairman

Mark Lardiff Esq Hon. Secy

John Perrin Esq Hon. Asst Secy

Rev^d J. M. Drought having taken the Chair the following Resolutions were passed.

- 1st. That the Meetings of the Committee of Management be held in future in Wicklow Dispensary House in place of Ushford at 12 O'clock on the 1st Saturday in each Month.
- 2nd. That the days of attendance of Medical Officers at Wicklow Dispensary be Monday, Thursday, & Saturday in each week from 12 O'clock until 2 O'clock.
- 3rd. That the days of attendance at Ushford Dispensary remain unaltered on Tuesday and Friday

Signed Mark Lardiff
Hon Secy

John Chapman
Chairman
Charles Tottenham
Esq M.P.

(Signed)

Arthur Wood
Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1851, 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £125929-19

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of April 1859

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building as the above state	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,	780	280														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	10														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	880	290														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			1	81	46	53	19	21	38	8	32	299	In Work-house Hospital, } 73 In Fever Hospital, } 10 Total, } 83	In separate Wards, } 2 In Wards with other inmates, } 4 Total, } 6		
Admitted during the Week,			"	3	"	2	1	1	1	"	3	11				
TOTAL,			1	84	46	55	20	22	39	8	35	310				
Discharged during the Week,			1	6	2	4	1	2	2	"	2	20				
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	6	2	4	1	2	2	"	2	20				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			"	78	44	51	19	20	37	8	33	290				

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. 21, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 21, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	4	10					Bl. forward						
No. II.	4	12					No. X.						
No. III.	2	3					No. XI.						
No. IV.	7	21					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	17	46					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 26th day of April 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Sient Col. Baley*
 Other Guardians: *John Parnell Esq. Wm Courtenay Esq. Robert Hudson Esq. Messrs. Michl. Byrne, John Roulle, Silvester Bourke, Joseph Coosten, John Acton, Edward Byrne, James Comerford, William Law Westate Esqs*
Charles S. Crawford Esq. Poor Law Inspector.

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.

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4858 to No. 4866, 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:

That he has advertised for Contracts to Supply 200 Tons of Coal, also for New Milk and Butter milk for One Year from the 1st June Next and for fermenting South side of Infirmary

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, - - - - - £ 15 : 10 : 4

Laid during the week, - - - - - £ 102 : 3 : 8

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £ 674 : 2 : 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	"	"	"				1	16	9			
	" Lower	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Kilcoole	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Altidore	"	"	"				"	"	"			
William Murphy	Killiskey	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	3		1	19	9
	Standalough	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Galaxy	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Brookagh	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Ballycullen	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Oldtown	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Togher	"	"	"				"	"	3			
Moneystown	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	7	"	"	10	
Edward Byrne	Wicklow	"	9	8				5	3	4			
	Glancally	"	"	"	"	9	8	"	15	5	5	18	9
William Douglas	Dunganstown E	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" W	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" S	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"
Francis Amesley	Emercilly	"	"	"				"	"	5			
	Kilbride	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	7	"	1	"
Thomas Ritchie	Wicklow	15	"	8	15	"	8	2	4	1	2	4	1
William Loughlin	Crossbane	"	"	"				2	2				
	Ballyarthur	"	"	"				2	11				
	Boosa	"	"	"	"	"	"	5	3		"	10	4
William Smith	Rathruan	"	"	"				28	8	9			
	Knockrath	"	"	"				"	7	2			
	Trospertown	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Ballinderry	"	"	"				"	10	8			
	Ballinacash	"	"	"				"	1	9			
	Ballinacor	"	"	"				"	11	1			
	Anghrim	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	29	19	6
Totals					15	10	4				40	14	3

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £31 1s. 11d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
	31	-	11 ¹ / ₂
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	31	-	13. 6
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	7	1	11
Average Cost in Infirmary,	2	4	5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital,	1	3	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:

- 220 Loaves, White Bread
- 124 " Brown Do
- 112 lbs Meat
- 30 Sheep's Heads
- 200 Gall, New milk
- 140 £ Butter milk
- 2 Baskets, for Laundry

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, - - - - -	1	1	8
In kind, - - - - -			
Total,			

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

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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:)

No Letters
The Clerk read the Commissioners Circular No 81 M 59 of the 31st ultimo recommending certain alterations to be made in the present Dietary of the Workhouse inmates, a full meeting of the Guardians having been summoned to consider the subject on this day.

The Meeting of the Workhouse laid before the Board the following Scale of Dietary recommended by the Medical Officer in answer to meet the views of the Commissioners

	Breakfast	Dinner	Supper
Class 1	7oz Oatmeal 2oz Rice 1 pint Buttermilk	16oz of Brown Bread with 3 Mags of sweet milk 4 days each week and 1 Quart of hot soup other 5 days	None
2	6oz of Oatmeal 2oz of Rice 1 pint 5 of Butter milk	Same as class 1	None
Diet 1. 3	4oz of Oatmeal 2oz of Rice 1/2 1 pint of New milk	8oz of B ^d Bread 1/2 pint of New milk, and 1 pint of soup in lieu of milk on soup days	4oz B ^d Bread and 1 pint leaves
" 2. 3	8oz of B ^d Bread 1 pint of Tea	8oz of B ^d Bread 1/2 pint of New milk. 1 pint of soup in lieu of milk on soup days	4oz B ^d Bread 1 pint leaves

Class	Breakfast	Dinner	Supper
Sect 3 - 3	5oz of Oatmeal 2oz of Rice 1/2 pint of mixed milk	12oz of Brown Bread 1/2 pint of mixed milk. 1 pint of Soup in lieu of milk on Soup days	None
4	5oz of Oatmeal 2oz of Rice 1/2 pint of mixed milk	12oz of Brown Bread 1/2 pint of mixed milk. 1 pint of Soup in lieu of milk on Soup days	4oz B Bread
5	4oz of Oatmeal 2oz of Rice 1/2 pint of mixed milk	8oz of B Bread 1/2 pint of mixed milk. 1 pint of Soup in lieu of milk on Soup days	4oz B Bread
6	3oz of Oatmeal 1oz of Rice 1/2 pint mixed milk	6oz of B Bread 1/2 pint of mixed milk. 1 pint of Soup in lieu of milk on Soup days	4oz B Bread
Daily attendance	7	8oz of White Bread 1 pint of New Milk	
Extra	7	12oz of White Bread 1 1/2 pint of New Milk	

Hospital Sicks to remain as he are with the exception of Nos 3 & 4 of Infirmary Sicks, which shall be the same as the ~~last~~ ^{last} Hall Sicks Mess 1, 2, 4, 5, 6, and No 2 Sick of Class 3 which shall be No 4 Sick of Infirmary as a part 17 May 59

Proposed by Mr Bourke and seconded by Mr Mike Ryan, Resolved that the scale of Dietary proposed by the Medical Officer and put read be adopted by the Board from the 8th May next
 Passed unanimously

The Clerk was directed to advertise for a Contractor to supply Rice Contractor to be declared on next Board day

Ordered that the clothing of a deceased Hospital Patient named Megan be given to his Mother she having buried him at her own expense

James Comerford J.V.Ch

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Nil, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday* the
3rd day of *May* 185 *9*
(Signed) *Arthur Ubank*
Clerk of the Union.

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Rathdrum
UNION, on Tuesday, the 26 day of April 1859
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District,	£
_____ District,	£

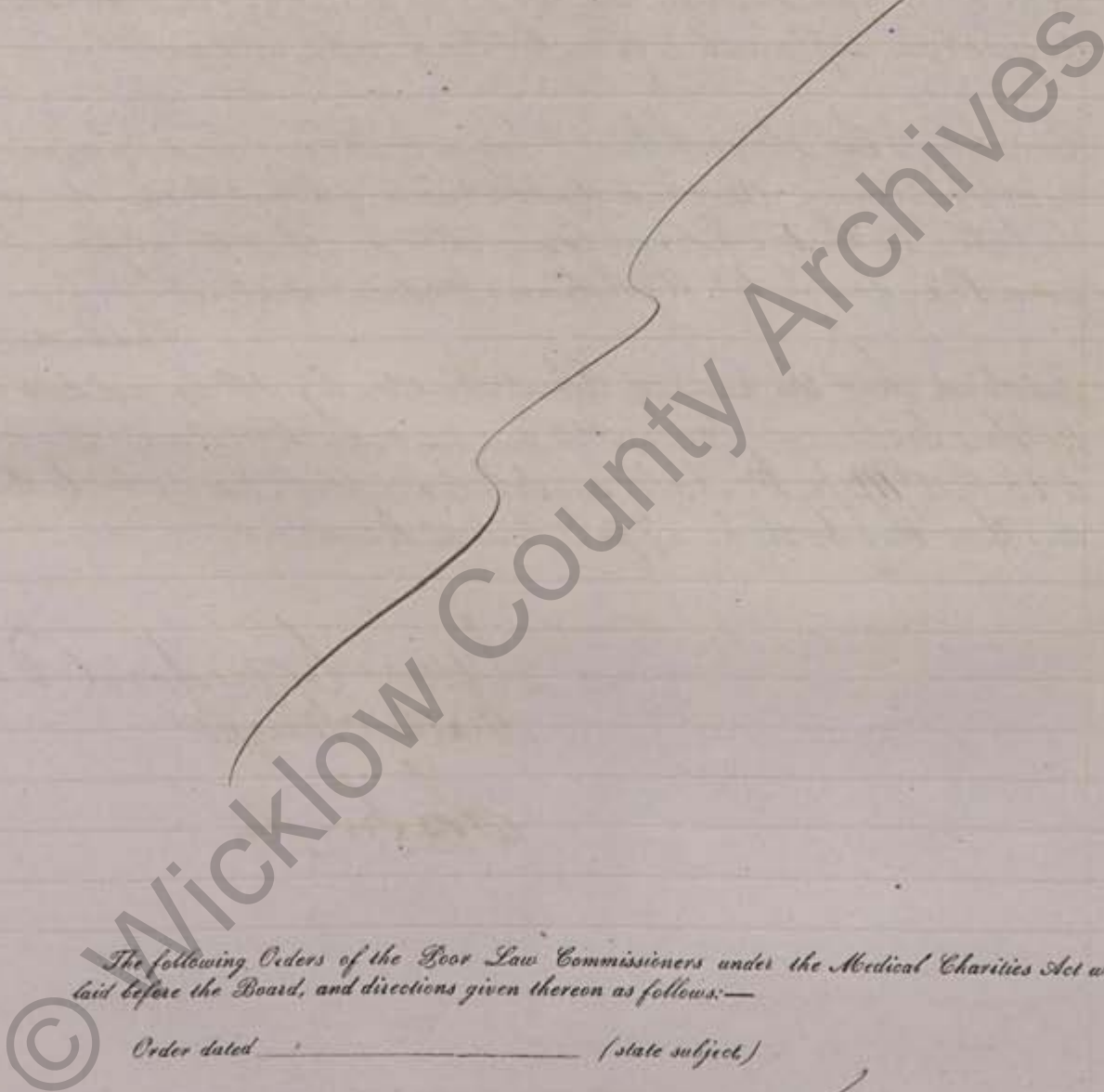
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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 The Poor Law Commissioners dated 25th April N^o 7855
stating that

Acknowledging the receipt of the Clerk's return of Dispensary Committee and pointing out that he has returned 14 names on the Arklow and 18 for the Rathdrum Committee while the number fixed for those Districts are 13 & 17 respectively, and the Commissioners request an explanation from the Clerk on the subject.

In reply to the above letter, Proposed by Mr Comerford and seconded by Mr Courtenay. Resolved that the name of Robert Wickens Esq be taken off the Rathdrum Committee and that we appoint him as a Warden for the Rathdrum Medical District

Resolved that the name of Robert Hudson Esq J.P. be added to the Arklow Dispensary Committee and in order to reduce the number to 13 that Messrs M^r Kelly and John Campbell's names be taken off and that they both be appointed as Wardens

Passed

James Comerford D.V.C.
Matthew Wright
Ss. Griffin

(Signed)

Arthur Hand

Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1851, *47861*

Present Net Annual Value, £*125929.19*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *30th* day of *April*

185*9*

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>780</i>	<i>288</i>														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	<i>100</i>	<i>10</i>														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	<i>880</i>	<i>298</i>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			<i>78</i>	<i>44</i>	<i>51</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>37</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>33</i>		<i>290</i>	In Work-house Hospital, <i>73</i>	In separate Wards, <i>2</i>		
Admitted during the Week,			<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>2</i>					<i>2</i>		<i>10</i>	In Fever Hospital, <i>10</i>	In Wards with other inmates, <i>4</i>		
TOTAL,			<i>81</i>	<i>47</i>	<i>53</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>37</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>35</i>		<i>300</i>	Total, <i>83</i>	Total, <i>6</i>		
Discharged during the Week,					<i>1</i>							<i>1</i>				
Died,					<i>1</i>							<i>1</i>				
Total Discharged and Dead,					<i>1</i>	<i>1</i>						<i>2</i>				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			<i>81</i>	<i>46</i>	<i>52</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>20</i>	<i>37</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>35</i>		<i>298</i>				

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	<i>4</i>	<i>10</i>					Bt. forward						
No. II.	<i>4</i>	<i>14</i>					No. X.						
No. III.	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>					No. XI.						
No. IV.	<i>7</i>	<i>21</i>					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	<i>17</i>	<i>48</i>					TOTAL,						

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

the *3rd* day of *April* May 185*9*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *James Comerford Esq.*
Other Guardians: *Chas. Matthew West Esq.*

Messrs. E. P. Edge & Bourke & Leviston, Matthew Knight, William Shinger, Patrick Jackson, Joseph 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 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

Michael Keogh Ballykilgasper Parish of Ballinacorney
 Mary Hall, Pauper inmate of Rathfriland Workhouse in the
 Parish of Rathfriland

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4867 to No. 4875, 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 Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

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

Baid during the week, - - - - - £ 35 : 9 : 1

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 138 : 13 : 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Patrick Farrell	Newcastle Upper	"	"	"				1	16	9			
	" Lower	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Kilcoole	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Altidore	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Killiskey	"	"	"				"	3	"			1 19 9
William Murphy	Glandalough	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Calary	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Brooklyns	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Ballycullen	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Oldtown	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Togher	"	"	"				"	"	3			
	Moneytown	"	"	"				"	"	7			" 10
Edward Byrne	Micklow	"	"	"				5	3	4			
	Glancahy	"	"	"				"	15	5			5 18 9
William Douglas	Danganstown East	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" West	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" South	"	"	"				"	"	"			
Francis O'Connell	Eunreilly	"	"	"				"	"	5			
	Kelbirds	"	"	"				"	"	7			" 1 "
Thomas Reithelle	Micklow	"	"	"				2	11	1			2 11 1
William Loughlin	Bronsbane	"	"	"						2	2		
	Ballycarthen	"	"	"						2	11		
	Ooveen	"	"	"						5	3		" 10 4
William Smith	Rathoreen	"	"	"						28	8	9	
	Knockrath	"	"	"						"	7	2	
	Trooperstown	"	"	"						"	"	"	
	Ballindery	"	"	"						"	10	8	
	Ballinacash	"	"	"						"	1	9	
	Ballinacor	"	"	"						"	11	1	
	Acryhrain	"	"	"						"	1		29 19 6
Totals													40 14 3

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 31 . 1 s. 11 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£ 31 . 1 . 11 1/2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	31 . 13 . 6
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	1/11
Average Cost in Infirmary.	2/6
Average Cost in Fever Hospital.	3/2

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:

210 loaves White Bread	10th Tea
120 " Brown do	2 Cut Sugar
15 Cut Oatmeal	2 Galls Whiskey
125 Gallons Buttermilk	4 lbs Pepper
200 Gallons New Milk	24 Bottle African port Wine
124 lbs Meat	10 Cut Rice
33 Sheep Heads	Large Tea pot
24 Pints Potatoes	6 Bds Vine 6 Cut Salt
	2 Bread Baskets

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

	£ s. d.
In money,	
In kind,	1 . 2 . 8
Total,	1 . 2 . 8

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

		Clothing Account.		£	s.	d.	
	Brook, P. Belbungh	Meal	12	15	"	✓	
"	Anne Farrell	Milk	6	"	"	✓	
"	John Deacy	fireens	21	14	"	✓	
	Stephen Humphrey	Leather	6	18	6	✓	
	John Farrell	Clothing	3	3	5	✓	
	Do Do	Do	11	"	2	✓	
"	Edward Sherlock	Wheelbarrow	3	15	4	✓	

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

2. Establishment Account.

		Booths	£	s.	d.	
	A. Thomastown		9	6	"	
	W. Smith Collecting Rates	Rathdunn Ed	5	9	11	✓
"	"	Knockrath	1	11	"	✓
"	"	Trooperstown	"	15	7	✓
"	"	Ballindery	"	19	10	✓
"	"	Ballinaclash	1	8	"	✓
"	"	Ballinaacor	1	17	5	✓
"	"	Aughrin	1	11	1	✓
			13	12	3	

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

			£	s.	d.
In favour of Clerk to pay					
Catherine Ryan	Balce Sal	as Schoolmistress	1	13	4
Same, Dutton	Coal	Newcastle Disp	1	1	"
Samuel Warren		Chamber	1	"	2 ✓
Thomas Simpson		Mason work	"	12	6 ✓
William Ryan		Repairs	"	13	" ✓
Joseph Saul		Sand	"	9	4 ✓
Rich Chamney		Advertising	"	12	"
Paul Johnson		Auction fees	1	"	"
Sam Hammers		Advertising	"	8	6 ✓
Paul Farrell		Coffin	"	10	" ✓
John Donahoe	Sweeping Charges	W. M. Disp	"	2	"
John Deary		Oil &c	1	9	10 ✓
John Farrell		Linden	"	6	" ✓

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
Mr Ford		"	1	2 ✓
Chr Williams	Horse hire	"	7	" ✓
		10	7	10

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

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

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

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

Ordered the Master to provide a suit of clothing for a pauper
Inmate named Anne Madden aged 15 yrs who is going out
as a servant for out to exceed 15/-

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 9556 Dated 29th Ultimo with reference to a Report of the Master of the Workhouse on the 19th Ultimo calling the attention of the Guardians to the state of the Gable ends of the Infirmary which admit damp and the Guardians Resolution directing that Tenders be invited for cementing the joints ~~the joints~~ of the Wall with Portland Cement, the Commissioners transmit a Specification for cementing the Walls in question and state that it will be desirable that arrangements should be made by the Guardians for seeing that the Materials are properly gauged, and the Wall prepared for pointing as otherwise the work may not succeed to the full extent anticipated

James Muntagh of Rathfriland was declared the Contractor for cementing the South Gable of Infirmary agreeable to Specification for the sum of £3.12.6 he finding Scaffolding and Workmanship only, also for taking off the damp Mortar of the interior of said Gable, and plastering same for the sum of £2.2.6 the Guardians finding all Materials

Richard W^m Whaley Esq Whately abbey was declared the Contractor for supplying the Workhouse with New Milk from the 6th June next to the 6th June 1860 at 6^d per Gallon,

Mr^r Uunr Farrell of Bonabrougha was declared the Contractor for supplying Buttermilk to the Workhouse from the 6th June next to the 6th June 1860 @ 2^d per Gallon

Mr John Deacy of 108 Bride Street Dublin was declared the Contractor for supplying the following from this date to the 29th September next

No 2 Broken Patna Rice	@ 14 ^d / ₃ per Cwt
Aracan Rice	@ 17 ^d / ₃ "
Best East India Rice	@ 15 ^d / ₆ "

There being only one tender for the supply of Coals and the Guardian thinking that too high in price directed the Clerk to Re-advertise in the Month of June for the usual supply

Wm^m J. [unclear]
Chairman

James Cornford

Arthur Byrne

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185_____
(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 day, the 3rd day of May 1857
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 2nd Instant No 92115 stating that—

With reference to a Minute of the Guardians on the 12th Ultimo respecting the Commission's letter of the 11th Ultimo relating to the proposed reduction of the salary of the Porter of the Arklow Dispensary, the Commission's request to be furnished with a copy of the Resolutions of the Guardians referred to in that Minute and to be informed of the date of the Meeting at which it was adopted by the Guardians.

The following Communication was read by the Clerk with reference to the above subject

Dispensary Committee Room
Arklow 2nd May 1859

Members present

Peter Boland Esq. Chm. Robert Hudson Esq. J. P. Meph. J. Kusson,
J. Beaker, Richard Stutman & Wm. Heath,

Resolved That the Meeting are unanimously of opinion that the Salary to the Porter of our Dispensary be reduced from Ten Pounds to five Pounds, per Annum, as fully sufficient for the duties she has to perform

Signed P. Boland Chm.
W. Heath Secy

Letter N^o 10,358 Dated 2nd Instant with reference to the Guardians resolution of the 26th Ultimo to the effect that the name of Robert Hudson Esq. J. P. be added to the Arklow Dispensary Committee, the Commission presume that Mr Hudson was a duly qualified Ex Officio Guardian of the Union at the time of the formation of the Committee.

In reply to the above Mr Hudson was duly qualified
(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

as an Ex Officio guardian before the formation of the Committee and should have been returned as one of its Members on the day of appointing them.

The following communication was read from the Newbridge Dispensary Committee

Belle Rock Cottage
April 25th 1859

To Rich^d Johnson Esq
Sir

Having been confined to bed with Fever up to the 25th Instant, I feel that I will not be able to resume my duties at Newbridge Dispensary on the 1st next month you will please notify the same to the Committee and have Doctor Manning's services continued for another month

(Signed) J. J. Nicholson

Resolved that in consequence of the above application that Doctor Nicholson leave if absent be further extended for another month from the 1st Instant,

The foregoing Resolution passed this Committee this day

(Signed) Rich^d Johnson
Henry Seely

Newbridge Dispensary 2nd May 1859

Proposed by Mr Leviston and Seconded by Mr Edward Edger

Resolved that in consequence of the inability of Doctor Nicholson to attend to his duties as Medical Officer that the services of Doctor Manning be continued for another month from the 1st Instant

Passed unanimously

A Letter was read from Francis Wakefield Esq of Broomfield House Ashford, requesting the Clerk to forward Doctor Banks Check for Rent of Ashford Dispensary to the Doctor himself. With regard to future proceedings Mr Wakefield notified that he has purchased the Dispensary property from Doctor Banks and in future he requests the guardian to have all checks for Rent made payable to him

Mark Byrnes
Wm Manning
James Tomerford

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Population in 1851, 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £125929.19

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

7th day of *May*

1859

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date	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 13 years of age		Children above 9 and under 9 years of age	Children above 5 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,	780	250														
Temporary Buildings,	✓	✓														
Additional Workhouse,	✓	✓														
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	9														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	880	289														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			81	46	52	19	20	37	8	35	298		In Workhouse Hospital, 69	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 2		
Admitted during the Week,			6	7	3	2	"	"	"	1	19		In Fever Hospital, 9	Total, 49		
TOTAL,			6	88	49	54	19	20	37	8	36	317	Total, 78	Total, 51		
Discharged during the Week,			5	12	3	3	"	"	1	1	3	28				
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
Total Discharged and Dead,			5	12	3	3	"	"	1	1	3	28				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			1	76	46	51	19	20	36	7	33	289				

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 Viet. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Viet. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	4	10					Bl. forward						
No. II.	5	18					No. X.						
No. III.	2	3					No. XI.						
No. IV.	7	21					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	18	52					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Tuesday* the *10th* day of *May* 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

There was no meeting of the Board this day only one guardian being present Mr Edward Pledge

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. _____ 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,

Baid during the week, £ 23 : 18 : 2

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £ 37 : 12 : 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £ 24 : 18 : 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	"	"	"				1	16	9			
	" Lower	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Hilwood	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Altadore	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Killeskey	"	"	"				"	3	"	1	19	9
Wm. Murphy	Glandalough	"	"	"									
	Leahurst	"	"	"									
	Brockagh	"	"	"									
	Ballycullen	"	"	"									
	Oldtown	"	"	"									
	Togher	"	"	"									
	Minerstown	"	"	"									
													10
Edmond Byrne	Wicklow	"	"	"				5	3	4			
	Gauncy	"	"	"				"	15	5	5	18	9
William Dunlop	Dunganstown E	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" W	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" S	"	"	"				"	"	"			
Francis Amesley	Eunoreilly	"	"	"				"	"	5			
	Kilbride	"	"	"				"	"	7	"	1	"
Thomas Bithistle	Ashtown	"	"	"				2	4	1	2	4	1
Wm. Longhin	Crouebauz	"	"	"						2	2		
	Ballyathin	"	"	"						2	1		
	Doona	"	"	"						5	3	"	10 11
William Smith	Rathdunn	23	"	3				5	8	6			
	Moochrath	"	6	8				"	"	6			
	Troopers town	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Ballindery	"	"	"				"	10	8			
	Ballinacash	"	"	5				"	1	4			
	Ballinacor	"	10	9				"	"	4			
	Aughrim	"	"	1	23	18	2	"	"	"	6	1	4
Totals,					23	18	2				11	16	4

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £32 6s. 2d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
	32	6	2
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	-	-	-
	31	4	10
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	-	-	-
	1	11	11
Average Cost in Infirmary.	-	-	-
	2	5	-
Average Cost in Fever Hospital.	-	-	-
	1	3	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 Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature.

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

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - - -			
In kind, - - - - -	1	4	10
Total, - - - - -	1	4	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.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Bt. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. frwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

James Cornford
Mr Bynn

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

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

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

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

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185
(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 _____ 185
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

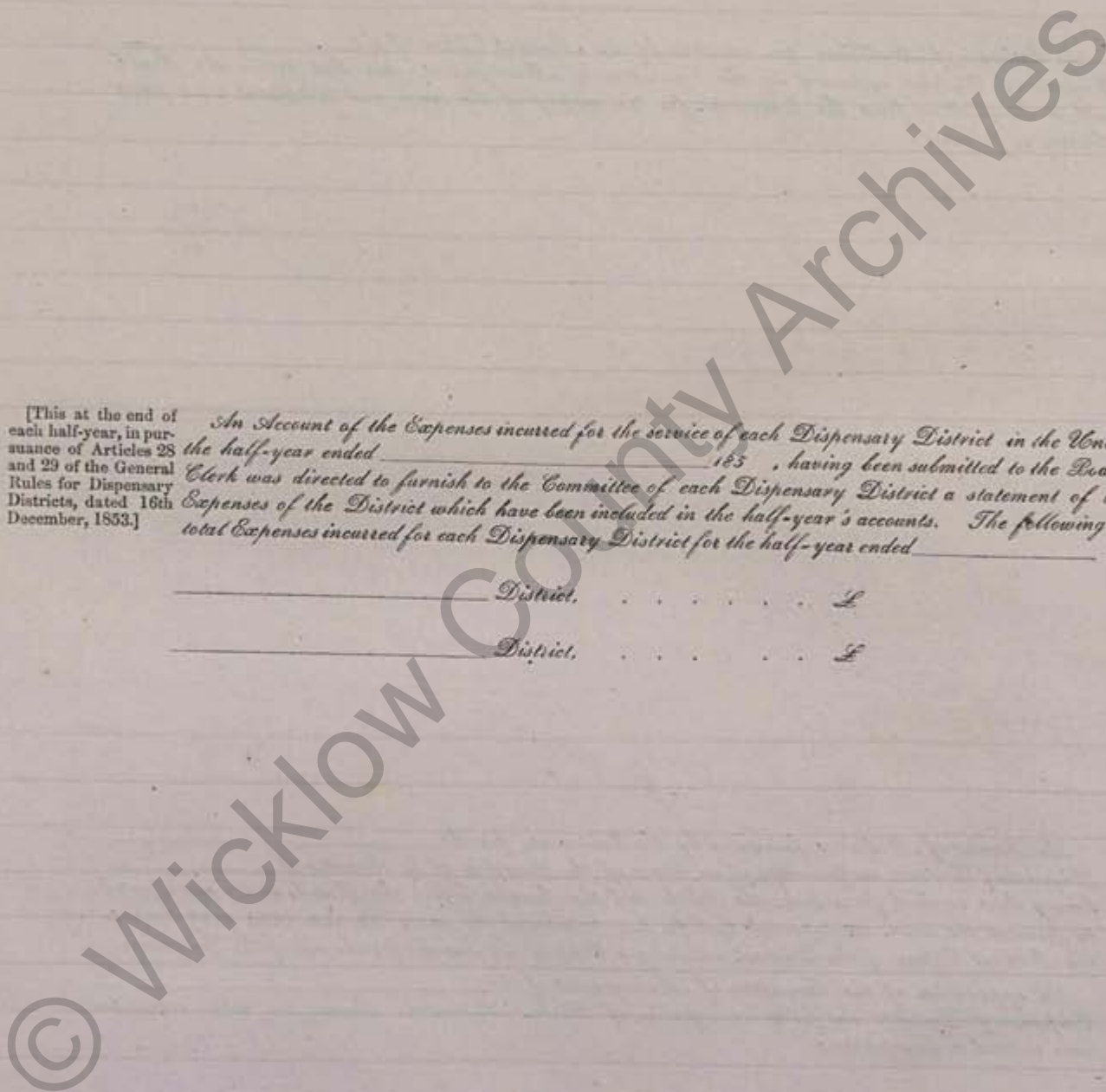
Dispensary District,

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £

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

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

of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
 stating that _____

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(Signed)

 Clerk of the Union.

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UNION.

443

Population in 1851. 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £125929.19

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14 day of May 1859

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 6 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 6 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	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, . . .	750	273														
Temporary Buildings, . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	102	7														
Fever Sheds, . . .																
TOTAL, . . .	880	280														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			1	76	46	51	19	20	36	7	33	289	In Work-house Hospital, 67	In separate Wards, 2		
Admitted during the Week, . . .			1	6	2	"	"	"	"	1	2	12	In Fever Hospital, 7	In Wards with other inmates, 4		
TOTAL, . . .			2	82	48	51	19	20	36	8	35	301	Total, 74	Total, 6		
Discharged during the Week, . . .			1	10	6	"	"	"	"	2	2	21				
Died,			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			1	10	6	"	"	"	"	2	2	21				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			1	72	42	51	19	18	36	8	33	280				

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	4	10					Bl. forward						
No. II.	4	18					No. X.						
No. III.	2	3					No. XI.						
No. IV.	7	21					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	17	52					TOTAL,						

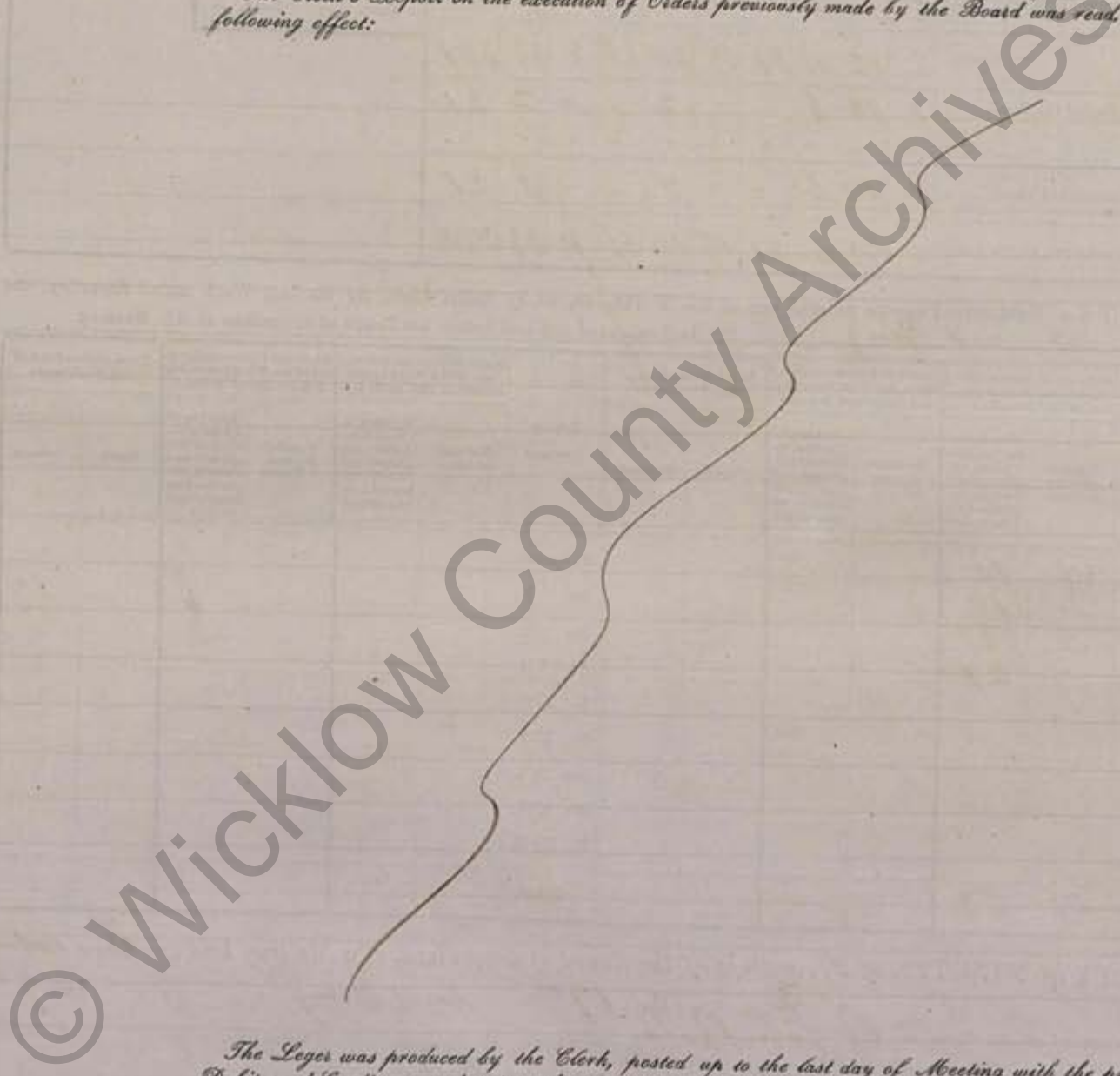
COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 17th day of May 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, St John Baley
 Other Guardians: James Younford Esq
 Messrs Edw^d P Edge, Michl Byrne & Silvester 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. 876 to No. 14909, 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 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, - - - - - £ 0: 0: 0
Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 75: 18: 5

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £549: 0: 14

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 ^N Farrell	Newcastle Upper	"	"	"				1	16	9			
	" Lower	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Kilcoole	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Altidore	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Killistrey	"	"	"				"	5	"	1	19	9
William Murphy	Staudalough	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Galary	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Brockagh	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Ballycullen	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Oldtown	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Togher	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Monystown	"	"	"				"	"	"	7	"	10
Edmund Byrne	Wicklow	"	"	"				5	3	11			
	Glancey	"	"	"				"	15	5	5	18	9
William Douglas	Dungannon E	"	"	"									
	" W	"	"	"									
	" S	"	"	"									
Francis Annesley	Emerally	"	"	"				"	"	5			
	Kilbride	"	"	"				"	"	7	"	1	"
Thomas Dithistle	Arklow	"	"	"				2	11	1	2	11	1
William Laughlin	Brownaun	"	"	"				2	2				
	Ballyarthney	"	"	"				2	11				
	Droghda	"	"	"				5	3		10	11	
William Smith	Rathdrom	"	"	"				5	8	6			
	Knockrath	"	"	"				"	"	6			
	Trooperstown	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Ballindery	"	"	"				"	10	8			
	Ballinacush	"	"	"				"	1	11			
	Ballinacort	"	"	"				"	"	11			
	Aughrim	"	"	"				"	"	"	11	1	11
Totals											16	16	1

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 28 . 11 s. 7 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

£ s. d.
28 11 7 1/2

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was

28 12 4 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

1 11

Average Cost in Infirmary.

2 1/2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital.

3 1/2

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

- 116 lbs Meat
- 30 Sheep's Heads
- 145 Gallons Buttermilk
- 180 Gallons New Milk
- 200 loaves White Bread
- 150 " Brown do

- 110 Gallons Buttermilk
- 200 do New Milk
- 100 lbs Meat
- 33 Sheep's Heads
- 200 loaves White Bread
- 250 do Brown do
- 24 pints Porter

3 Casks Cement.

- 12 Sweeping Brushes, 12 Scouring do
- 1 Tin pot 1 Good Spoon
- 4 Shovels 1 Step Ladder

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - - -			
In kind, - - - - -			
Total.	1	4	6

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.	Mr. Murray	5-0-0			BT. forward				
No. II.	Gr. Tuke	3-0-0			No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. fwd.		8-8-0			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 Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

		£	s.	d.	
John Cowley	Bread	59	3	11	✓
John Deary	Ricote	10	9	4	✓
Mr. McPhail	Booth, &c	29	16	5	

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

2. Establishment Account.

		£	s.	d.	
In favour of Clerk	Baskets	1	3	"	✓
Orwin Preston	Electron Supr	1	19	1	
Returning Officer	Warrant	"	2	6	
James Lipsit		1	3	3	
Clerk Postage		41	7	10	

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

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

gentlemen I have to report that an error occurred in making out the Copy of the New Dietary. The New Tea diet for the Infirmary inmates was ordered to be used (instead of No 4 Diet for Workhouse Hospital). The Medical Officer requests that Diet No 4 for Infirmary be left as it was previous to the change of Diet ordered on the 3rd Instant, as the Soup in the New diet would not suit the Female patients after Confinement

(Signed) J. Flower Master

Approved

Mr. Flower applied for leave of absence for three days
granted

Ordered the Master to provide 4 suits clothing for the following Pauper Inmates, who are going out of the Workhouse to settlements. Catherine Fay, Mary Payne, James Ford, Thomas Husella

The Master was allowed to employ a Carpenter for 6 days for repairs and moving the Laundry drying Rails into the Female Idiot Yard

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 10855 dated 9th Instant approving of the Guardians' Minute of the 3rd Instant accepting a Tender from James Muntagh for plastering and cementing the South Gable of the Workhouse Infirmary.

Letter N^o 10358 Dated 7th Instant approving of the Unaudited Scale of Dietary for the Workhouse Infirmary, as entered in the Guardians' Minutes, on the 26th ultimo

Circular N^o 9568 Dated 16th Instant forwarding the Returning Officer's account of expenses attending the General Election of Guardians in March last amounting to £1. 19. 1 and the Commissioners direct that payment be made to the several parties concerned.

A letter was read from Mr. W. Nolan Esq^r of Wicklow complaining that he had sent in a Tender for the supply of coal, to the Workhouse which was returned to him by the Clerk, with the observation that the coal would want to be re-advantaged next month when he could tender.

The Clerk informed the Board that he did not receive Mr. Nolan's Tender until last week and a Tender should have been received or before

the 3rd instant on which day the merchants decided
 in consequence of their being only one tender for Coals,
 (and they considering that too high in price) that if
 the Contract should be Re-advertized next month
 under those Circumstances, the Clerk returned Mr.
 Nolan his Tender

Edmund
 Clerk
 John P. Wynn
 Chester Bunker

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse conformed was

Nil, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday* the
24th day of *May* 185 *9*
(Signed) *A. Whelan*

Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Rathdown
UNION, on Tues day, the 17th day of May 1859
—continued.

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

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

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

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

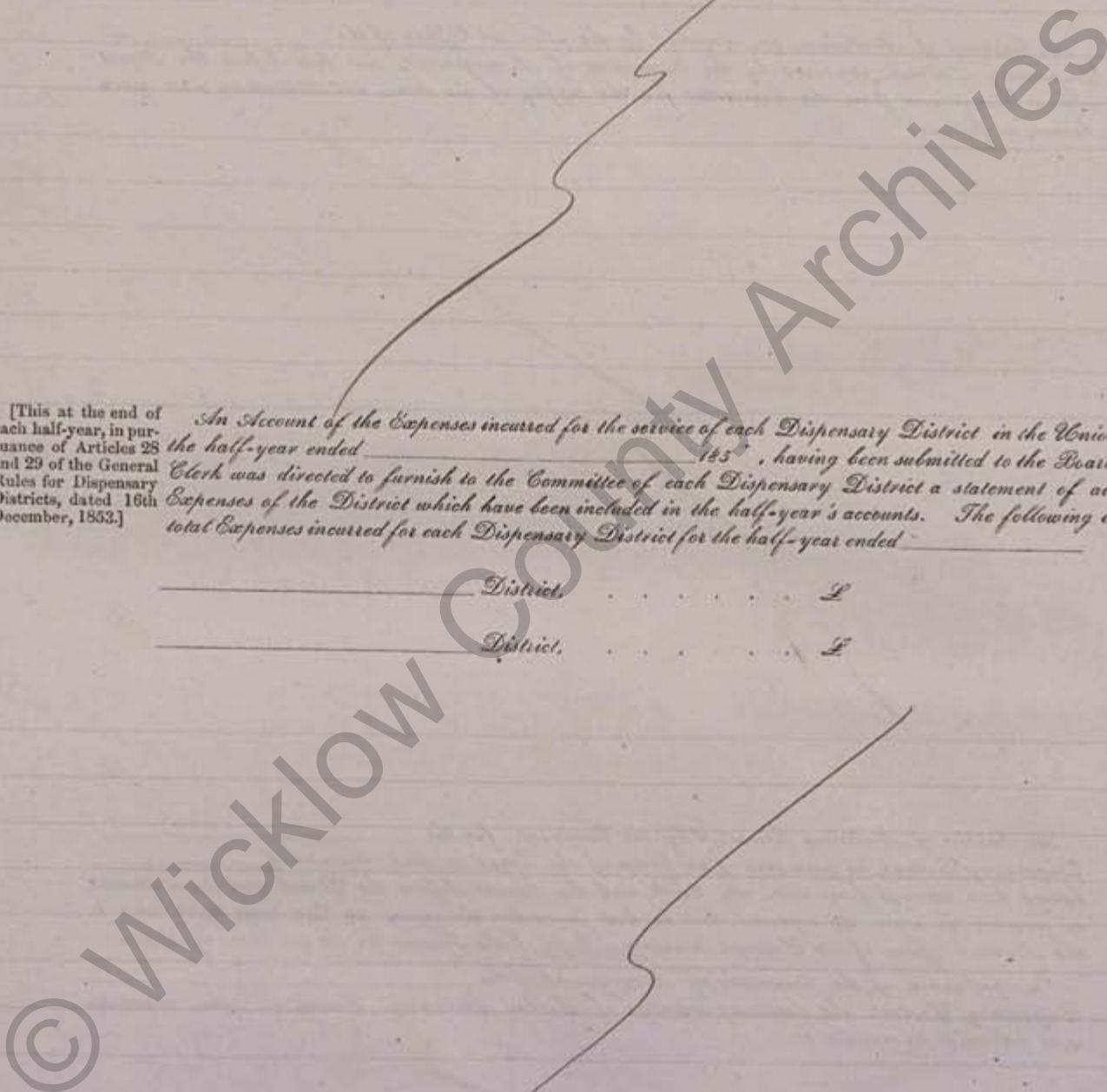
The following Accounts of expenses, (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

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

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

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

of

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)



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

^{Circular}
Read Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 6th Instant N^o 112 M & G
stating that

For forwarding for the information of the Guardians the Copy of a Circular which the Commissioners have addressed to the several Dispensary Committees on the subject of the arrangements for the performance of Vaccination at the present Season

Circular N^o 8235 Dated 6th Instant acquainting the Guardians that the attention of the Poor Law Commissioners has been called to the arrangement at present existing for obtaining Leeches for Dispensary use.

The Commissioners recommend for the consideration of the Board of Guardians the propriety of abstracting for the supply of Leeches whenever practicable with some Apothecary or Druggist residing in the Union from whom they could be procured without much delay, and at such times as they may be required.

^{No order}
Letter N^o 10939 Dated 9th Instant with reference to the proposed reduction of the Salary of the Porter of the Arklow Dispensary, the Commissioners request the Clerk to forward a copy of the Resolution and the date of its adoption by the Board, by which they revise the Salaries of the Officers each year

Myrle
Chairman
Edward Rogers
Silvester Bamber

(Signed)

Arthur Hank

Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1851, 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £125929.19

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of May

1859

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, . . .	780															
Temporary Buildings, . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	103															
Fever Sheds, . . .																
TOTAL, . . .	880															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			1	72	42	57	19	18	36	8	33	280	In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital, Total, . . .	In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, Total, . . .		
Admitted during the Week, . . .			7	9	4	2	"	"	1	"	2	25				
TOTAL, . . .			8	81	46	53	19	18	37	8	35	305				
Discharged during the Week, . . .			5	5	2	1	2	1	"	"	"	16				
Died,			"	"	1	1	"	"	"	"	1	3				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			5	5	3	2	2	1	"	"	1	19				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			3	73	48	57	16	22	31	12	30	286				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 21st day of May 1859 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	5	14					Bt. forward						
No. II.	2	3					No. X.						
No. III.	2	3					No. XI.						
No. IV.	7	18					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	16	38					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 24th day of May 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

There was no meeting of the Board this day only our Guardian (Mr. John Murphy of Broeklash) 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 & 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, - - - - - £ 5 : 1 : 4

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 69 : 5 : "

And that the Balance on the Account in favor the Guardians was £ 484 : 16 : 8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
Patrick Farrell	Newcastle Upper	"	"	"				1	16	9			
	"	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Kilcoole	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Ultimore Killickey	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	3		1	19	9
William Murphy	Glendalough	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Galaxy	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Brockagh	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Ballycullen	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Oldtown	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Togher	"	"	"				"	"	3			
	Monaghan	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	7	"	"	10
Edward Byrne	Micklow	"	"	"				5	3	4			
	Glancey	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	15	5	5	18	9
William Douglas	Dunganstown E	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" W	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" S	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"			
Francis Aunesley	Ennecilly	"	"	"				"	"	5			
	Kilbride	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	7	"	1	
Thomas Birshille	Arklow	"	"	"	"	"	"	2	4	1	3	4	1
William Conplie	Bronsbane	"	"	"				2	2				
	Ballynath	"	"	"				2	1				
	Dooca	"	"	"	"	"	"	5	3		"	"	10 4
William Smith	Rathdinn	"	"	"				5	8	6			
	Knockrath	"	"	"				"	"	6			
	Troopstown	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Bullindery	"	"	"				"	10	8			
	Balknacash	"	"	"				"	1	4			
	Ballinacor	"	"	"				"	"	4			
	Aughrim	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	6	1	4
Totals											16	16	1

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

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

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - - -			
In kind, - - - - -	1	3	7
Total.	1	3	7

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

Handwritten signatures and notes:
 [Signature]
 [Signature]
 [Signature]
 [Signature]

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 Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.					By forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.					No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. frwd.					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 Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

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

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

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

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday* the
31 day of *May* 185 *9*
(Signed) *Arthur Ward*
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185
—continued.

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

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

*No attendance of Guardians
this day*

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

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

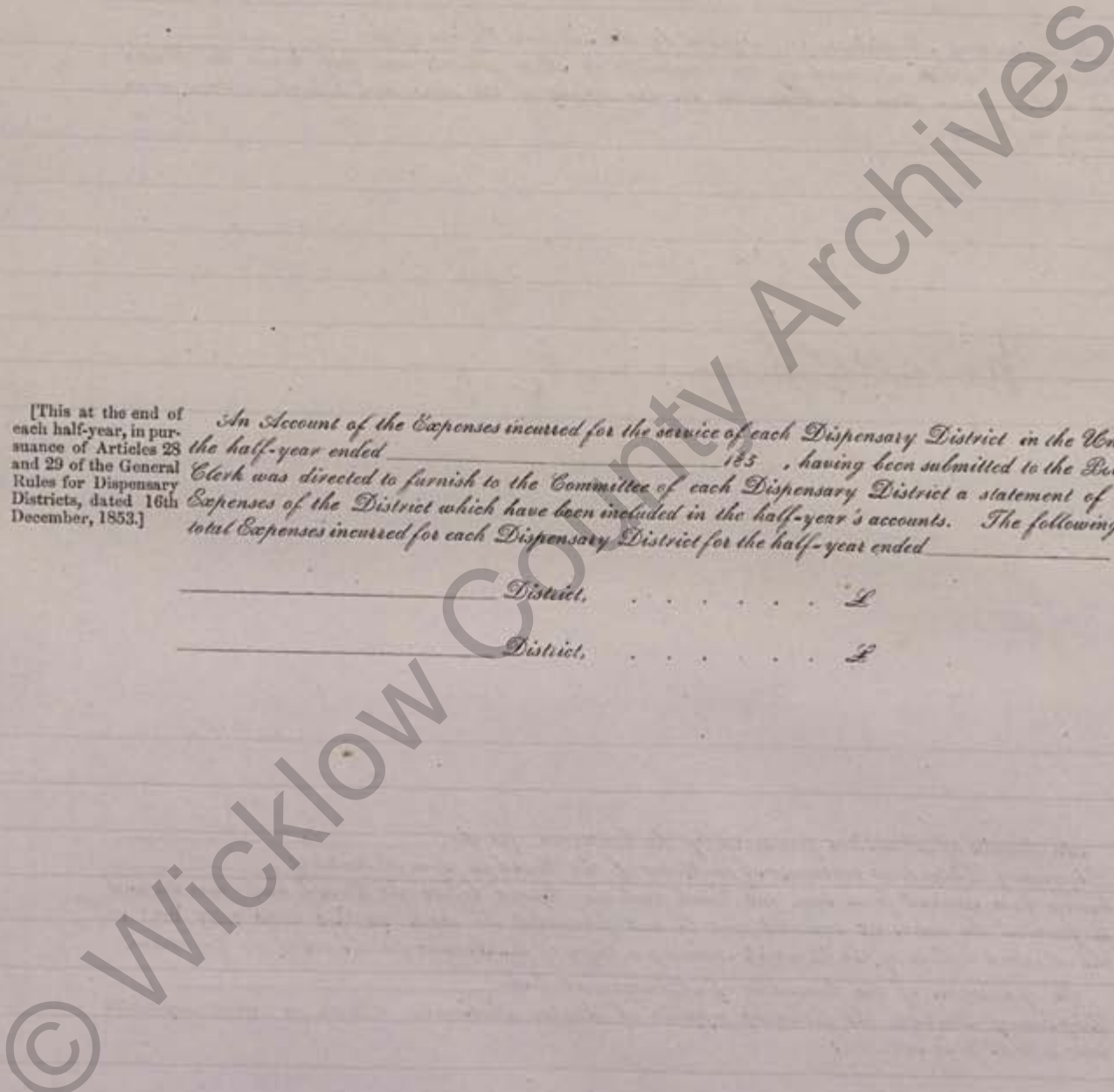
The following Accounts of expenses, (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

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

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

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

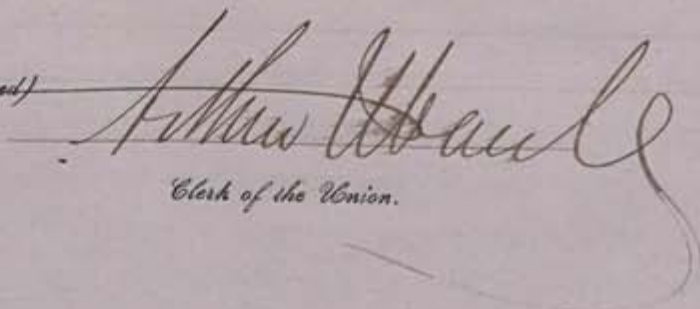
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The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that _____

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(Signed) 
Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1851, 47811

Present Net Annual Value, £125929.19

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of May

1859

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 6 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse,	780	274														
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital	100	6														
Fever Sheds,																
TOTAL,	880	280														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			3	73	48	51	16	22	31	12	30	286	In Work-house Hospital, 67	Inseparate Wards, 2		
Admitted during the Week,			2	2	1	"	"	"	"	"	2	7	In Fever Hospital, 6	In Wards with other Inmates, 4		
TOTAL,			5	75	49	51	16	22	31	12	32	293	Total, 73	Total, 6		
Discharged during the Week,			4	5	1	"	"	"	"	"	3	13				
Died,																
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	5	1	"	"	"	"	"	3	13				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			1	70	48	51	16	22	31	12	29	280				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 28th day of May 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.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 19 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	5	14					Bl. forward						
No. II.	4	9					No. X.						
No. III.	2	3					No. XI.						
No. IV.	6	12					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	17	38					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday

the 31st day of May 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Lieut John Baley*
 Other Guardians: *Charles Matthew West Esq*
Messrs Edw^d P Edge, Joseph Deviston & Herbert 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.

James Graham Fairview Parish of Rathnew or Wicklow
 Mary Wall Kilmacuna Parish of Kildrop
 John Woods Cronbane Parish of Castle Macadaun
 Margaret Louisa Cronbane do do

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4900 to No. 4914, 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, - - - - - £ 4 : - : -

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

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £ 479 : 16 : 8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total					
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.			
Patrick Farrell	Newcastle Upper	"	"	"				1	16	9						
	" Lower	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	Milcoste	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	Altidore Killiskey	"	"	"				"	3	"	1	19	9			
William Murphy	Glandalough	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	Colary	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	Brookagh	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	Ballycullen	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	Oldtown	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	Togher	"	"	"				"	"	3						
	Moneytown	"	"	"				"	"	7			10			
Edward Byrne	Wicklow	"	"	"				5	3	11						
	Glencaly	"	"	"				"	15	5	5	18	9			
William Douglas	Dungaustown E	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	" S	"	"	"				"	"	"						
	" W	"	"	"				"	"	"						
Francis Guinness	Emureilly	"	"	"				"	"	5						
	Kilbride	"	"	"				"	"	7	"	1	"			
Thomas Birrhill	Arklow	"	"	"				2	11	1	2	11	1			
William Loughlin	Corrumbane	"	"	"						2	2					
	Ballyathin	"	"	"						2	11					
	Ovoca	"	"	"				"	"	5	3	10	11			
William Smith	Rathdrum	"	"	"						5	8	6				
	Knockruth	"	"	"						"	"	6				
	Trappinstown	"	"	"						"	"	"				
	Ballindeny	"	"	"						"	10	8				
	Ballinaclesh	"	"	"						"	1	11				
	Ballinacor Aughrim	"	"	"						"	"	11	6	1		
Totals,														16	16	1

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £28 10 s. 5 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	31	11	2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2	1	1/2
Average Cost in Infirmary.	2	1	5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital,	3	1	1/2

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

- | | |
|-------------------------|--------------------------|
| 400 loaves, White Bread | 300 Yards Linsey Woolsey |
| 500 do Brown do | 2 Bread Baskets |
| 196 lbs Meat | 6 White Wash Brushes |
| 63 Sheep. Heads | 28 lbs Blue Black |
| 223 Gall, Buttermilk | |
| 380 Gall, New Milk | |

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - - -			
In kind, - - - - -	1	3	7
Total, - - - - -	1	3	7

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors		RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Check on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.				Article and quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.					Be. forward				
No. II.					No. X.				
No. III.					No. XI.				
No. IV.	P. M. raw	5			No. XII.				
No. V.					No. XIII.				
No. VI.					No. XIV.				
No. VII.					No. XV.				
No. VIII.					No. XVI.				
No. IX.					No. XVII.				
Car. frwd.					TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

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

Sent to
I have to report that Rogius Circus is to perform in
Rathdruim this evening, and that it is set forth in the Bill, that
Workhouse Children will be admitted free. I wish to know if
the School Children may be sent there in charge of the Porter
and Schoolmaster allowed.

There has no stock of clothing taken since for the last
12 months it will be necessary to appoint a day for that
purpose

Stock to be taken at 10 o'clock on the 14th
June

There is a Bell required at the Male side of the Main Building
in consequence of no Officer sleeping there since the Schoolmaster
left. The Bell to communicate with my Bed Room allowed

The Master was directed to provide clothing for the following
Inmates who are going to a situation,

Sarah Kinsella aged 13 yrs John Walsh 14 yrs James Burton 14 yrs
Catharine Byrne, 17 yrs Anne Shank 13 yrs Dorah Fay 13 yrs, Bridget
Petty 10 yrs & Joseph Cooper 17 yrs

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 11282 Dated the 18th Instant informing the Guardians that the Commissioners have received a Report from the Inspector Mr Crawford on the Inquiry recently held by him relative to the Complaint of the Roman Catholic Chaplain of the Workhouse that an Idiotic Pauper Inmate named Catherine Wheatly, who is Registered a Roman Catholic was attended by the Protestant Chaplain and treated as if she were a Protestant.

Mr Crawford informs the Commissioners that Catherine Wheatly is so thoroughly Idiotic as to be totally incapable of receiving the slightest impression on Religious Subjects, but tells the Commissioners Consider that the Master of the Workhouse committed an error in directing an Inmate to attend a particular form of ^{Divine} Worship without consulting the Register as to the Religious denomination of the party.

Letter N^o 11281 Dated 23rd Instant, informing the Guardians that the Commissioners have received the Report of the Inspector Mr Crawford with Evidence taken on the Inquiry recently held by him into the Charges preferred by the Porter of the Workhouse against the Master and Matron of that Establishment as set forth in the Letter addressed by the Porter to the Guardians on the 5th Ultimo

The Commissioners forward the evidence for the information of the Board of Guardians.

As it appears from the Porter's Evidence that he has made false entries in his Book respecting the hours at which the Master returned to the Workhouse on the occasions referred to in the Evidence, well knowing them to be such, the Commissioners consider him unfit to remain any longer in Office. The Case against him is much strengthened by the fact that he appears to have wilfully disobeyed the Order of the Master to weigh out the Pauper Meal and that he has for several Years noticed and kept an entry of facts bearing upon the Master's Mode of discharging his duties which he failed to bring before the Guardians at the proper time. The Commissioners must therefore request the Porter immediate Resignation.

A Letter was read from the Porter resigning his appointment agreeable to the Commissioners' Letter.

Ordered the Clerk to advertise for a person to fill the Office of Porter to the Workhouse, Election to take place on this day fortnight, the Salary to be fixed at £10 per Annum with a Suit of Clothes every second Year and the usual Apartments and Rations.

J. Parnell Ch^m

Wm. Byrne
Geo. H. Byrne

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday* the
7th day of *June* 185 *9*
(Signed) *A. W. A. B.*

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 31st day of May 1859
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District,

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £

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

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

of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)



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

Read Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 21st August 1851
stating that

Informing the Clerk in reply to his Letter of the 13th August relative to the reduction of the Salary of the Porter of the Arklow Dispensary, that the Resolution adopted by the Guardians on the 14th March 1851 does not supersede the provision of the 13th Article of the Dispensary Regulations and it will be necessary to give the Notice required by that Article in reference to the proposed reduction of the Salary of the Porter in question

J. Arnell Ch^m

Thos. Byrne

John P. Poy

(Signed)

A. A. A. A. A.

Clerk of the Union.

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Population in 1851, 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £125929.19

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of June 1859

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,	780															
Temporary Buildings,																
Additional Workhouse,																
Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds,	100															
TOTAL,	880															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return,			1	70	48	51	16	22	31	12	29	280	In Work-house Hospital, 2	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 2		
Admitted during the Week,			2	10	2		2		3	2	3	24	In Fever Hospital, 70			
TOTAL,			3	80	50	51	18	22	34	14	32	304	Total, 75	Total, 6		
Discharged during the Week,			1	6	1		2	1	2		1	14				
Died,			"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	1				
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	6	2	"	2	1	2	"	1	15				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			2	74	48	51	16	21	32	14	31	289				

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	5	14					Bt. forward						
No. II.	4	9					No. X.						
No. III.	2	3					No. XI.						
No. IV.	6	12					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	17	38					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Parrella Esq the 7th day of June 1859

Other Guardians: Charles M West Esq
Messrs. Edw P Edg, Michl Byrne, Edward Byrne & John Rowan

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. 4915 to No. 4954, 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,

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

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £ 407 : 10 : 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	"	"	"				1	16	9			
	Lower	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Kilcoole	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Altidos Killeskey	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	1	19	9
William Murphy	Glandalough	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Kalany	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Brookagh	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Ballycullen	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Oldtown	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Foghu	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Monyastown	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	10	
Edward Ryan	Wicklow	"	"	"				5	3	4			
	Glencuz	"	"	"	"	"	"	15	5		5	18	9
W ^m Douglas	Dungastown E	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" W	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	" S	"	"	"	"	"	"	4	0	"	"	"	"
Francis Amshy	Ennoreilly	"	"	"				"	"	5			
	Kilbride	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	7	1		
Thomas Arthur	Arklow	"	"	"	"	"	"	2	4	1	2	4	1
W ^m Douglas	Brownshau	"	"	"				2	2				
	Ballyarthur	"	"	"				2	1				
	Orvea	"	"	"	"	"	"	5	3		"	10	4
William Smith	Rathdrom	"	"	"				5	8	6			
	Knockrath	"	"	"				"	"	6			
	Trappinstown	"	"	"				"	"	"			
	Callinden	"	"	"				"	10	8			
	Pallinaclosh	"	"	"				"	1	4			
	Pallinacross Anphrain	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	6	1
Totals,											16	16	1

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 39 8 s. 4 3/4 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:

- 200 Loaves, White Bread
- 240 do Brown do
- 36 Pints E & S Porter
- 110 Gallons Buttermilk
- 175 do New milk
- 96 lbs Meat
- 30 Sheep's Heads
- 2 Bottles Cherry Wine

£	s.	d.
39	8	4 3/4
31	10	1 3/4
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7		
2 1/2		
2 1/2		

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - - -			
In kind, - - - - -	1	3	5
Total, - - - - -	1	3	5

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

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

The Master was directed to provide Clothing for the following
Pauper Inmates who are going out of the Workhouse as Servants
Alice Bynn aged 7yrs Catherine Ryan aged 7yrs Mary Reid
aged 7yrs Cost of each Suit not to exceed 16p each,

An order was signed for a New Churn to hold 36 Gallons

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. 12919 Dated the 6th Instant enclosing questions for Answers to be signed by the Clerk and the person who may be appointed to the Office of Porter to the Workhouse

William Crutway Cr.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday* the
14th day of *June* 1859
(Signed) *A. Wain*

Clerk of the Union.

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Rathfriland
UNION, on Tues day, the 7th day of June 1859
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses 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 Doctor L Estampé dated 6th Instant
~~stating that~~

calling the attention of the Board to his account for Vaccination furnished in March last

William Crutway Ch.

(Signed)

Arthur Hbank

Clerk of the Union.

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Rathfriland

UNION.

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Population in 1851, 47861

Present Net Annual Value, £125929 19

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of June 1859

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 3 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Feml.	Males	Feml.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . .	780															
Temporary Buildings, . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	100															
Fever Sheds, . . .																
TOTAL, . . .	880															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			2	74	48	57	16	21	32	14	31	289	In Workhouse Hospital, 163	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 12		
Admitted during the Week, . . .			5	2	1	2	"	"	"	1	2	13	In Fever Hospital, 6	Total, 6		
TOTAL, . . .			7	76	49	53	16	21	32	15	32	302				
Discharged during the Week, . . .			5	11	2	1	8	4	3	2	2	33				
Died,			"	"	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	1				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			5	11	2	2	3	4	3	2	2	34				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			2	65	47	57	13	17	29	13	31	268				

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse		RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	Cases	Persons
No. I.	5	14					Bt. forward						
No. II.	2	3					No. X.						
No. III.	2	3					No. XI.						
No. IV.	6	12					No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward	15	32					TOTAL,						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 11th day of June 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, Mr. Courtney Esq

Other Guardians: Robert Hudson & Charles M. West, Livingston Thompson
 Robert M. Hudson Esq Messrs John Chapman, J. Bourke
 Richd Tukey, John Acton Mat. Wright, Edward Byrne,
 Mat. Hayes Owen Fogarty, Mike Byrne, Edward P. Edge,
 Joseph. Loviston Richard Sherwood

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.

Julia Ryan Brockagh Parish of Derrylossey
Bernard McDonagh Coolahay Parish of Powerscourt

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4957 to No. 4972, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

The Clerk informed the Board that he would be prepared to lay an Estimate for a New Rate before the Board on next Board day

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £ 2 : 11

Baid during the week, £ 7 : 10 : 6

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 393 : 0 : 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	"	"	"				1	16	9					
	" Lower	"	"	"				"	"	"					
	Kilcoole	"	"	"				"	"	"					
	Altidore Killistey	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	3	"	1	19	9		
William Murphy	Glendalough	"	"	"				"	"	"					
	Balany	"	"	"				"	"	"					
	Brookings	"	"	"				"	"	"					
	Ballycullen	"	"	"				"	"	"					
	Oldtown	"	"	"				"	"	"					
	Togher	"	"	"				"	"	3					
	Moneytown	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	7			10		
Edward Byrne	Wicklow	"	"	"				5	3	4					
	Glencaly	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	15	5	5	18	9		
William Douglas	Dunganstown E	"	"	"				"	"	"					
	" W	"	"	"				"	"	"					
	" S	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"					
Francis Amesley	Emerilly	"	"	"				"	"	5					
	Kilbride	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	7			1		
Thomas Purthistle	Artstown	"	"	"	"	"	"	2	4	1	2	4	1		
Wm Longley	Bronobrule	"	"	"						2	2				
	Ballyarthur	"	"	"						2	11				
	Droca	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	5	3	10	4		
William Smith	Rathtrium	"	"	"				5	8	6					
	Knockrath	"	"	"				"	"	6					
	Trospinstown	"	"	"				"	"	"					
	Ballindery	"	"	"						10	8				
	Ballinaclesh	"	"	"						1	4				
	Ballinacor	"	"	"						"	4				
	Aughrim	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"			6	14	
Totals													16	16	1

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £21. 9 s. 11 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

£ s. d.
21 9 11 1/2

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was

31 2 9 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

2 10 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary.

2 5

Average Cost in Fever Hospital.

2 11 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:

- 210 Lb. White Bread
- 15 Cwt Cocoa Fibre
- 240 " Brown do
- 1 Metal Jute
- 24 Pkts. & do. Potatoes
- 1 Water Cask
- 100 lbs Meat
- 30 Sheep. Heads
- 100 Gallons Buttermilk
- 165 " New Milk

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
In money, - - - - -			
In kind, - - - - -		18	8
Total, - - - - -		18	8

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

	£	s.	d.	
<i>John Farrell Clothing</i>	10	9	10	✓
<i>John DeArcy</i>	14	"	9	✓
<i>Rev^d Augustus Brown</i>	3	3	"	✓
<i>Salmon Rice & Co</i>	2	2	"	✓
<i>Thomas Murteen</i>	2	4	5	✓
<i>John Cowley</i>	30	15	"	✓
<i>Rice</i>				
<i>Reble & Co</i>				
<i>Cement</i>				
<i>Smith Work</i>				
<i>Bread</i>				

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

2. Establishment Account.

	£	s.	d.	
<i>James Muntagh Cementing & Plastering</i>	6	1	8	✓
<i>William J Nolan</i>	43	8	3	✓
<i>Doctor Murray July attending Newbridge 2 Mo^s</i>	13	6	8	✓
<i>Doctor L Estamp Vaccination 60 Cases in Arklow</i>	3	"	"	✓

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
<i>In favour of Clerk to pay</i>				
Robert Murray	Conveyances	"	10	3
William Murray	"	"	11	"
George Tate	"	"	7	6
William Bryan	Bell Hook	1	14	6 ✓
Deum Chase	Shaw	1	2	9 ✓
Edmond Sherlock	Repairs	1	8	10 ✓
Daniel Farrell	Coffins	1	5	6 ✓
Isaac Flower	Carriage	"	4	2 ✓
Arthur Hobart	Postage	"	14	1
		<hr/>		
		7	18	7

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

The Master was ordered to provide a suit of clothing for each of the following inmates who are going out of the Workhouse to Situations: Thomas Dym aged 15 yrs Anne Doyle 15 yrs George Bryan 14 yrs Luth Bryan 15 yrs, Mary Bryan 13 yrs, Budget Petty 13 yrs

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 and ordered to be entered in the Minutes,

Rathfriland 14th June 1859

Gentlemen

I beg leave most respectfully to call your attention to the conduct of your Rate Collector William Smith for having as I believe demanded and obtained poor Rate from me illegally as follows. Having resided at one side of the Street he demanded poor Rate which I paid on the 2nd Decemb^r, & having removed to the ^{opposite} other side he demanded more poor Rate that were struck at the same time saying if I would not pay him he would seize before he would leave the place, of course I paid him soon than he exposed, on the 2nd day of June, and I beg leave to say that I consider it a very great wrong done to me as the former Occupier was able to pay said rate if it was demanded, having occupied the House until the 17th March, Smith having stated to me that he being a hard set man he would not distress him for it, and he would take it off the premises no matter who occupied it for two years. I will feel grateful for an investigation at your earliest convenience

I am quite
Yr Obedt
Joseph Christian

No order

The Medical Officer applied for leave of absence
on Friday next Doctor Clark to attend in his place
Leave granted

Proposed by Mr Owen Fogarty and seconded by Mr Edwin P Edge

Resolved that the Clerk shall write to the Union Treasurer
requesting him to allow the guardians to overdraw their
accounts to the amount of £500 pending the making
out of the Books for a new Rate

The Board proceeded to elect a person to fill the Office
of Porter to the Workhouse in the place of William
McGrath resigned

There were two candidates proposed and
seconded John Holt and Patrick Long the Board divided
and John Holt was elected by a large Majority

The following persons were declared the Contractors for the
supply of the articles named for three months from the 23rd Instant
to the 29th September next (Carriage free)

James Dillon 200 Tons "Best second Wigan Coal" at 17/6 per Ton

John Cowley Best White Bread at 6 1/4 p 4 lb loaf

" Brown do @ 5 1/2 do do

" Oatmeal @ £15.10 per Ton

Eliza Byrne " Beef & Mutton @ 7^d per lb
ox heads 2^d each Sheep heads 8^d each

John D. Gray " Black Tea @ 3/4 per lb

" Brown Sugar @ 5^d per lb

" Lump Sugar @ 7^d per lb

" S. S. Port @ 2^d per doz pints

" Black Pepper @ 1/1 per lb

" Lisbon Shell Cocoa @ £1.7.0 per cwt

Messrs. Edward P. Edge and Silvester Bourke, attended at 10 o'clock this morning for the purpose of taking stock of all clothing in the Workhouse and the following list of Articles, Condemned by them was directed to be struck off the Books, by the Board

459 Pairs of Shoes, 101 Jackets, 91 Ties, 81 Trowsers, 48 Caps, 128 1/2 Pair Blankets, 79 Ties, 141 Rugs, 76 1/2 pair Sheets, 168 Shirts, 380 Stockings, 20 Men's Night Caps, 266 Women's Gowns, 390 Peticoats, 269 Shifts, 298 Aprons, 268 Handkerchiefs, 136 Caps, 192 Frocks, 230 Peticoats, 195 Shifts, 413 Bibs, 50 Bonnets

The following report was read from George Henry Hatchell Esqr. Inspector of Lunatic Asylums

Having inspected the Idiots and Epileptics in this Workhouse I am of opinion this unfortunate Class are well cared for, I perceive a great improvement in their sleeping Rooms and am happy to find that a great improvement has taken place in their diet.

I would beg leave to call ^{the} attention of the Gentlemen of the Board to the persons in charge of these people and suggest their being allowed a better class of diet than the Hall or House diet as some compensation for their trouble & responsibility.

(Signed) George Henry Hatchell

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse conformed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

Proposed by Mr. Bourke and Seconded by Edward P. Edge
~~Proposed~~ Resolved that the two Paupers in Charge of the Male
 and Female Idiott and Epileptic Asylums be allowed the following
 Utens daily $\frac{1}{4}$ oz of Tea 1 oz of Sugar and $\frac{1}{2}$ lb Bread on the Recommendation
 of the Medical Officers

Allowed

J. Murphy Chairman
 James Comerford
 Johnstone Bourke

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday* the
21st day of *June* 1859

(Signed) *A. W. ...*

Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Rathfriland
UNION, on Tues day, the 14 day of June 1859
—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.*

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses 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, 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 9th June 1859. N^o 13472 stating that

Informing the Clerk in reply to his letter of the 5th Instant that the Medical Officer of the Arklow Dispensary is entitled to payment for every 20 Cases of Vaccination performed by him successfully upon Residents in his District since the passing of the Vaccination Act 2nd August 1858 if he have complied with the Conditions of the Vaccination Order

The Clerk produced D^r Estanges account for Vaccination which was ordered to be paid

Successful Cases, 60. Two Cases did not Return and one Unsuccessful Case

J. W. [Signature]
 Charles [Signature]
 Charles [Signature]
 James [Signature]

(Signed)

Arthur Abank

Clerk of the Union.

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