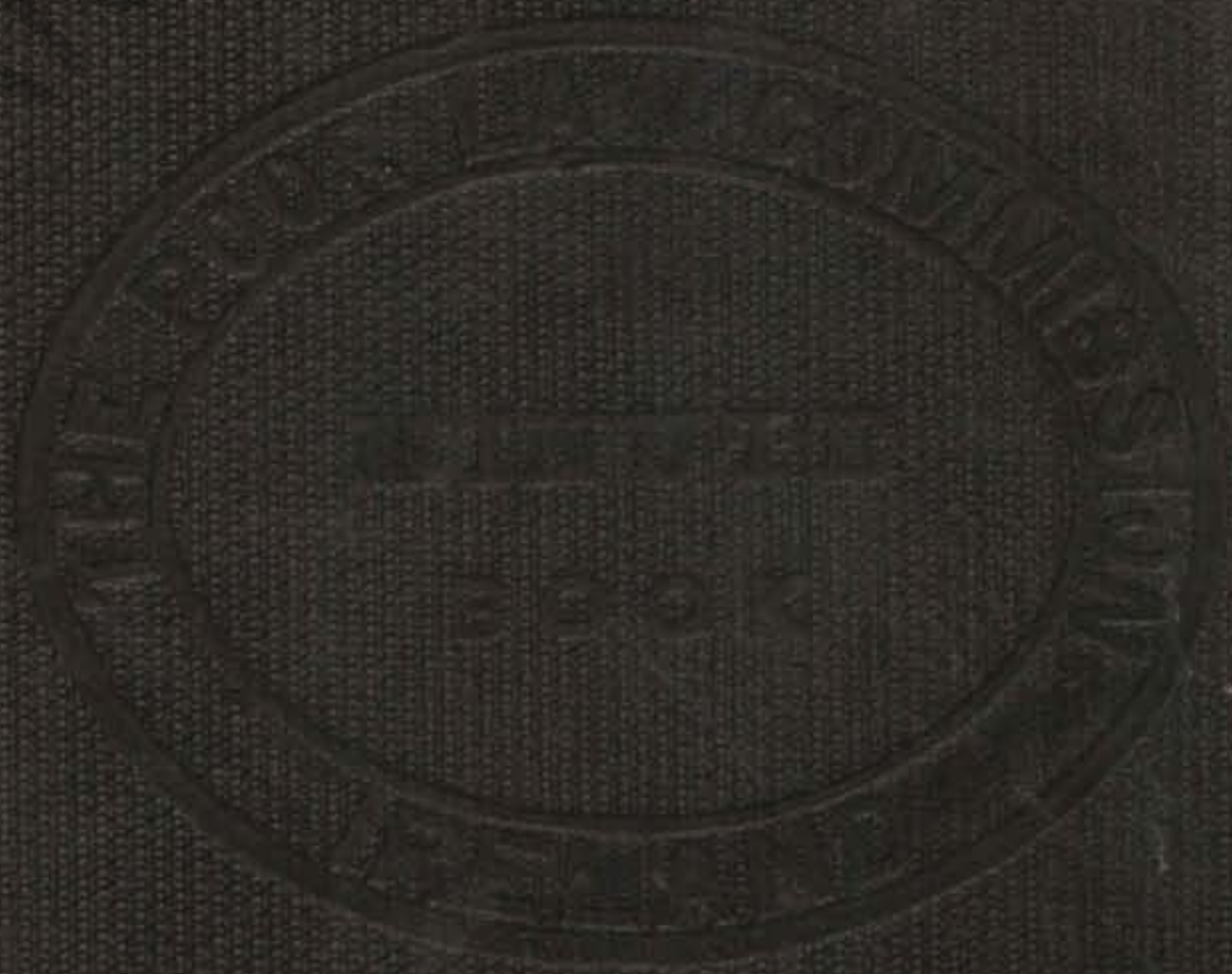


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# MINUTE BOOK

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

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*Order of Poor Law Commissioners.*



**By Authority :**

JOHN FALCONER, PRINTER TO HER MAJESTY'S STATIONERY OFFICE,  
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THE BOOKS AND FORMS REQUIRED BY THE IRISH POOR RELIEF ACTS, AND THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT.

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# RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1861, 43381

Present Net Annual Value, £129188 = 3-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9 day of March 1867

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . .	743	406														
Temporary Buildings, . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . .	80	26														
Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds, . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . .</b>	<b>823</b>	<b>432</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			71	132	29	54	16	18	33	42	31	426	In Work-house Hospital, . . .	66	In separate Wards, . . .	15
Admitted during the Week, . . .			15	10	5	5	-	1	1	1	3	41	In Fever Hospital, . . .	26	In Wards with other Inmates, . . .	3
<b>TOTAL, . . .</b>			<b>86</b>	<b>142</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>59</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>43</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>467</b>	<b>Total, . . .</b>	<b>92</b>	<b>Total, . . .</b>	<b>18</b>
Discharged during the Week, . . .			11	8	4	2	-	1	1	1	2	30				
Died, . . . . .			-	-	2	-	-	1	-	1	1	5				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			11	8	6	2	-	2	1	2	3	35				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			75	134	28	57	16	17	33	41	31	432				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9 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		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family dependent on him or her	
No. I.	45	84	William Manning. 46 - 82
No. II.	54	122	Robert Manning. 51 - 127
No. III.	61	129	George Tuke. 60 - 132
No. IV.	23	43	Peter Moran. 23 - 43
<b>TOTALS,</b>			<b>180 - 384</b>

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 12 day of March 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Mr. John Chapman

Other Guardians:

Mr. Wm Gilbert

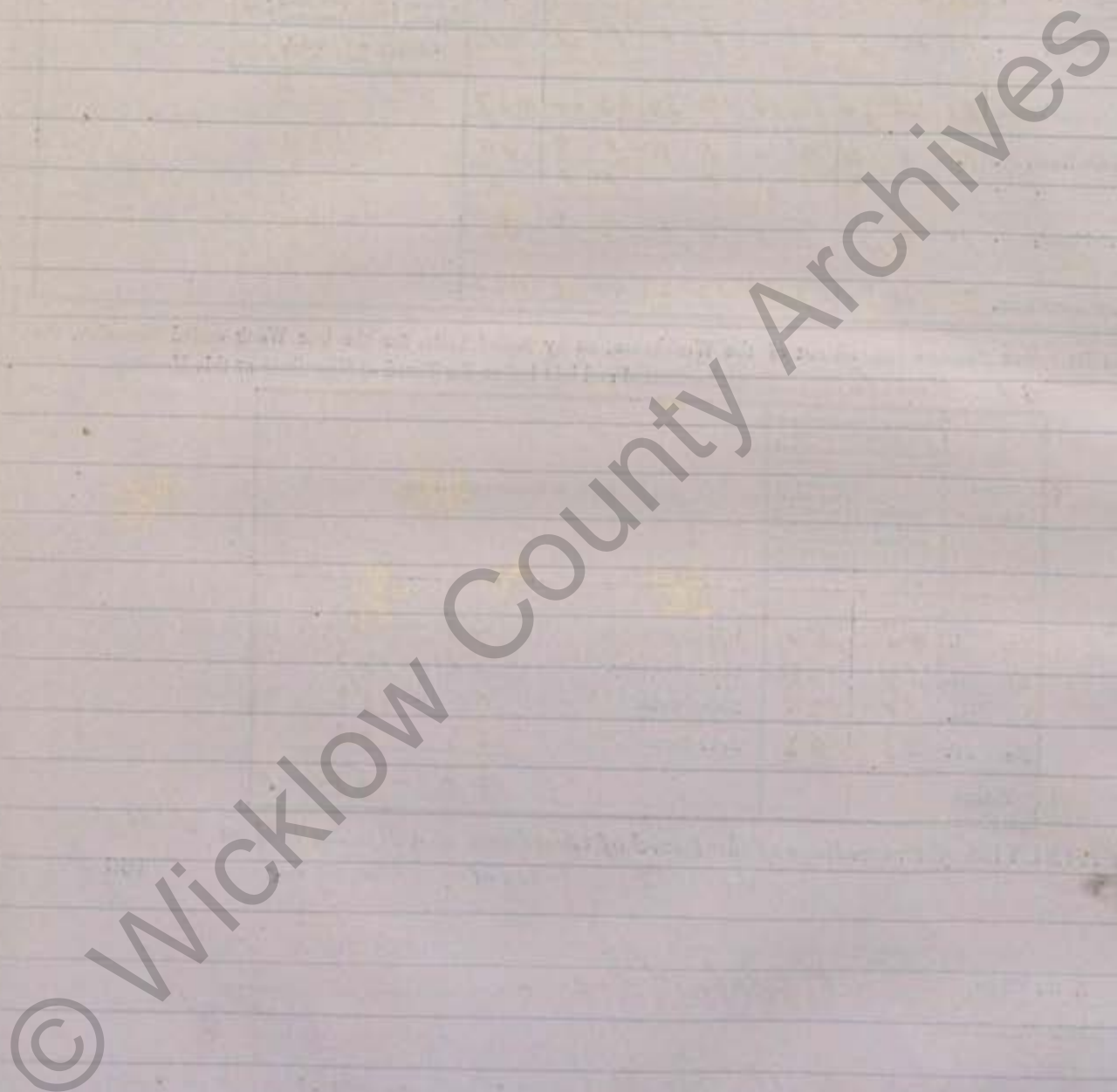
Edw. P. Edge

Joseph Lovistow

James Fogarty

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2140 to No. 2230, 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,	£ 71 . . . .
	£ 39 . 1 . 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor the Guardians was	£ 1278 . 6 . 7
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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,	..	..	..				2	2	2			
	„ Lower,	..	..	..				..	..	..			
	Kilcoole,	..	..	..				..	..	..			
	Altidore,	..	..	..				..	..	..			
	Killiskey.	..	..	..				..	..	..			
WILLIAM MURPHY.	Glendalough,	..	..	..				3	18	2			2 2 2
	Calary,	..	..	..				11	13	6			
	Brockagh,	..	..	..				11	11	5			
	Ballycullan,	..	..	..				7	1	1			
	Oldtown,	..	..	..				18	14	11			
	Togher,	..	..	..				5	7	9			
	Moneystown,	..	..	..				..	..	..			
EDWARD BYRNE.	Wicklow,	22	19	..				205	13	8			61 7 1
	Glanealy,	19	..	..				25	18	11			
THOMAS DOUGLAS.	Dunganstown, East,	..	..	..	41	..	..	..	..	..			231 12 7
	„ West,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..			
	„ South,	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..	..			
FRANCIS ANNESLEY.	Ennereilly,	..	..	..	..	..	..	2	17	6			.. 4
	Kilbride,	..	..	..	..	..	..	0	9	1			
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE.	Arklow,	..	..	..	..	..	..	116	16	11			3 6 7
WILLIAM LOUGHEIN.	Cronebane,	..	..	..	..	..	..	33	18	0			46 16 11
	Ballyarthur,	..	..	..	..	..	..	69	17	6			
	Ovoca,	..	..	..	..	..	..	157	7	10			
WILLIAM SMYTH.	Rathdrum,	9	..	..	..	..	..	102	3	5			255 3 4
	Knockrath,	..	..	..	..	..	..	16	7	10			
	Trooperstown,	..	..	..	..	..	..	7	12	..			
	Ballinderry,	..	..	..	..	..	..	31	9	10			
	Ballinaclash,	10	..	..	..	..	..	30	6	5			
	Ballinacor,	..	..	..	..	..	..	112	6	1			
	Aughrim,	11	..	..	..	..	..	25	14	9			
Totals,				30				956	0	11			956 8 9

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



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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 43 . 19 s. . d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . .	67	15	6
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . . .	2	11	
Average cost in Infirmary, . . . . .	2	15	
Average cost in Fever Hospital, . . . . .	4	3	

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

1500 Loaves Bread	1 Hide Butt
180 Galls Buttermilk	5000 L <sup>d</sup> nails
330 .. Newmilk	4 Bar Ono
6 lb Butter	
200 .. Meat	
48 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 9 day of March whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, . . . . .	20	15	4
In Kind, . . . . .	-	-	-
Total, . . . . .	£ 20	15	4

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Believing Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer
		£ s. d.
No. I.	William Manning,	15
No. II.	Robert Manning,	
No. III.	George Tuke,	
No. IV.	Peter Moran,	10
TOTAL,		25

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Believing Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
Edw Wright			
Dan O'Brien			
O. Strange			
Clothing	48	15	2
Maintenance Deaf Mute	8	10	✓
Sanitary Salary	40	✓	✓

L. A. L.

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

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

Gentlemen

I have to report that a man named Hugh Mooney from the Waterworks was admitted to the Workhouse stating that he had sprained his foot a week previously, but had walked from the Waterworks to the Union, the Medical Officer on examination of him <sup>as he said</sup> to be sent to the able bodied part of the House as he was only scheming, he refused to dress in the Union clothing unless supplied with a suit of flannel which the Medical Officer refused as unnecessary. He applied on yesterday for his discharge when I requested him to wait to attend before the Board to give him an opportunity of preferring any complaint he saw fit, as he considered he was harshly dealt with; This man was before your Board on two occasions lately and refused to leave unless he would be supplied with what clothes he wished;

The person alluded to in the Masters report was brought before the Board, and after having heard what he had to say; He received a reprimand, and was cautioned that he must conform to the Workhouse Rules;

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 Muster applied for leave of absence for 2 days  
Leave granted

Read Letter from Mrs Mary Dymme, widow of the late Bread Contractor, applying for payment of the sum due to her late husband at the time of his death:

Mrs Dymme applied also for the sum due for Bread supplied by her since her husband's death, on his Contract.

The Guardians informed Mrs Dymme that they had applied for instructions to the Poor Law Commissioners and not having as yet received them, cannot take any action in the matter.

The Guardians request that the Commissioners will have the goodness to reply to their letter on

this subject, and in doing so, further to inform them as to the legality of their complying with Mrs Dymes request in regard to the Bread supplied by her since her husbands death. —

John D. Dymes Chairman

Mr. Gilbert  
Silvester Dymes

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the

day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

*Clerk of the Union.*

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the RATHDRUM UNION, on  
Tuesday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186 \_\_\_\_\_, —continued.

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

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

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

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

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

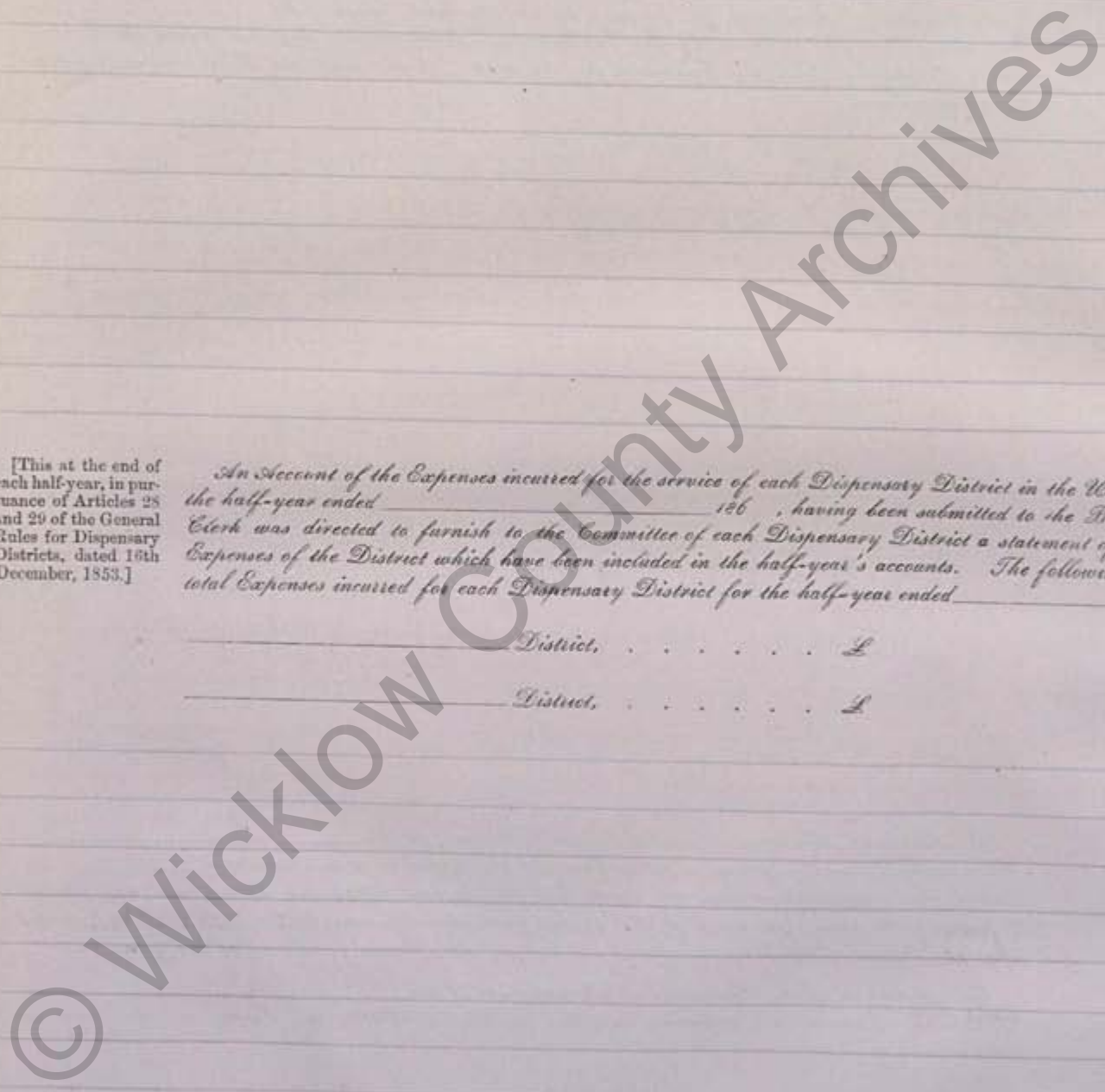
\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District,  
 Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount £

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £

\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £



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

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committee; 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 Commissions dated 11<sup>th</sup> inst

requesting to be informed of the period for which payment is to be made to Dr. Banks for extra duty performed by him during the prevalence of Cholera in his District.

Read Report of proceedings of the Arklow Sanitary Committee at a meeting held on the 11<sup>th</sup> instant - members present -

Hon: W. Proby - Chairman  
 Very Rev. Arch<sup>d</sup>. Redmond, Rev<sup>d</sup>. O. D. Lileando,  
 Dr. Halpin, Messrs Tho. Murray, Lewis Byrne,  
 John Newsome, And<sup>r</sup> Byrne, & Geo. McDonald  
 Mr. Sweeney, Surg. Insp<sup>r</sup>. also attended. -

The Report contained the following Resolutions

Resolved - That a letter having been read from Dr. L'Estrange apologizing for the improper language used by him at the meeting of the Sanitary Committee on the 14 January, the apology be accepted

Resolved - That the Board of Guardians be applied to for £10 to meet expenses

Approved by the Guardians -

John Chapman  
 Chairman

(Signed)

B. Manning

Clerk of the Union.

Read report of the Ashford Dispensary Committee of a meeting held on the 11<sup>th</sup> instant - members present  
Rev<sup>d</sup> John Drought - Chairman -

Mess<sup>rs</sup> Denis Moran, John Hunter, John Woodroffe, Thomas Smith, John Clement, Patrick Byrne, John Chapman and John Acton.

Resolved - That we find that the first case of Cholera arose on the 16<sup>th</sup> of October 1866, and that the last case was dismissed from the Hospital on the 7<sup>th</sup> of January 1867, but there were weeks during which time there were very few cases, and during which time full compensation ought not to be given.

John W. Drought

Ordered that the consideration of the above subject be postponed until next Tuesday <sup>being</sup> a special meeting

John Chapman - Chm  
P. Manning - Secy

Patrick Byrne  
Chairman

Mrs Gilbert  
Secretary



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# RATHDRUM UNION.

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Present Net Annual Value, £130476.14.0

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Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			11	3	-	1	-	-	2	-	-	17				
Died, . . . . .			-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	3				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			11	3	1	2	-	-	2	-	-	20				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			90	140	35	57	18	18	31	43	30	462				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 16 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 Viet. c. 21, s. 1		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	57	106	William Manning.
No. II.	54	144	Robert Manning.
No. III.	62	136	George Tuke.
No. IV.	25	49	Peter Moran.
TOTALS.	198	435	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 19<sup>th</sup> day of March 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair, Andrew Byrne Esq. R.  
Other Guardians:

- Mr. Wm Gilheut
- " John Newson
- " W. Leviston
- " Silas Dunk
- " John Woodroffe

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week,	£ 27. 5. 5
Paid during the week,	£ 227. 3. 6
And that the Balance on the Account in Favour the Guardians was	£ 1078. 8. 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,	"	"	"				2	2	2				
	" Lower,	"	"	"				"	"	"				
	Kilcoole,	"	"	"				"	"	"				
	Altidore,	"	"	"				"	"	"				
	Killiskey,	"	"	"				"	"	"				
							"	"	"			2	2	2
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,	"	"	"				3	18	2				
	Calary,	"	"	"				11	13	6				
	Brockagh,	"	"	"				11	11	8				
	Ballycullan,	"	"	"				7	1	1				
	Oldtown,	"	"	"				18	10	11				
	Togher,	"	"	"				8	7	9				
	Moneystown,	"	"	"				"	"	"				
							"	"	"			61	7	1
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	2	1	"				181	13	8				
	Glancealy,	"	"	"				25	18	11				
							2	1	"			207	12	7
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown, East,	"	"	"				"	"	"				
	" West,	"	"	"				"	"	4				
	" South,	"	"	"				"	"	"				
							"	"	"			"	4	
FRANCIS ANNESLEY,	Eunereilly,	2	17	6				"	"	"				
	Kilbride,	"	7	11				"	1	2				
							3	5	5			"	1	2
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,	"	"	"				146	16	4				
							"	"	"			146	16	4
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,	"	"	"				33	18	"				
	Ballyarthur,	"	"	"				69	17	6				
	Ovoca,	"	"	"				151	7	10				
							"	"	"			255	3	4
WILLIAM SMYTH,	Rathdrum,	"	"	"				102	3	5				
	Knockrath,	"	"	"				16	7	10				
	Trooperstown,	"	"	"				7	12	"				
	Ballinderry,	"	"	"				31	9	10				
	Ballinaclash,	"	"	"				30	6	5				
	Ballinacor,	"	"	"				112	6	1				
	Aughrim,	"	"	"				25	14	9				
							"	"	"			256	0	4
	Totals,						27	5	5			929	3	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 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,

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:

7550 Loaves Bread	500 yds Bengal Stripes
200 lbs Meat	20 suits Clothes
48 Sheep heads	30 pair shoes
180 Galls Buttermilk	1 " leggins for Varr-man
330 " Newmilk	Repairs to Pump
6 lbs Butter	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 16 day of March 1867 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, -	23	=	4	=	4
In Kind, -	-	=	-	=	-
Total, -	£23	=	4	=	4

Credit each Believing Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer	
		£ s. d.	
No. I.	William Manning,		
No. II.	Robert Manning,	10	
No. III.	George Tuke,	15	
No. IV.	Peter Moran,		
TOTAL,		25	

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
Gro: McDonald	Survey Exp <sup>ts</sup>	10	-	-
Manning	Book books	2	2	-
Isaac Flower	Salary	15	-	-

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

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

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

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

Read Circular from Poor Law Commissioners dated 15<sup>th</sup> instant relating to Medicine Contracts and enclosing a form of Contract and Bond to be used in obtaining supplies of Medicines and Medical & Surgical Appliances in future;

Approved

Read Letter from Commissioner of Valuation enclosing Abstract of the Valuation of the several E D's in the Union for the present year;

Read Letter from Guardians of Ennystimon Union, containing the following Resolution

Resolved — That the Chief Secretary for Ireland be requested to take measures to have one half of the Salaries of the Medical Officers and Clerks employed in the Irish Unions, and the entire of the salaries of Schoolmasters and Schoolmistresses de-frayed out of the Imperial Revenue as in England, in accordance with the intentions expressed by the late and present Government, during the last session

Approved

# Contracts

The following persons were declared Contractors for supplying the undermentioned articles to the Workhouse for three months at the prices stated viz:

Eliza Byrne	Best Beef & Mutton	@	8 $\frac{1}{2}$ p lb
"	" Ox heads	@	2/6 each
"	" Sheep heads	@	10 <sup>o</sup> "
Mary Byrne	" White Bread	@	7 $\frac{1}{4}$ p lb
John Forley	" Oatmeal	@	£17.10.0 p 200
John O'Brien	" Tea	@	2/10 per lb
"	" Soft sugar	@	4 <sup>o</sup> "
"	" Lump "	@	5 <sup>o</sup> "
"	" XX Porter	@	1/6 p doz
"	" Cocoa	@	15/6 p cwt
Duttler & Scott	" Port wine	@	34/ p doz
"	" Sherry "	@	32/- "
"	" Whiskey	@	18/- p gal
"	" Brandy	@	22/- "
"	" Gin	@	30/- p doz

Messrs Pa Lorie & Co Bride Street were declared Contractors for supplying the Workhouse and Dispensaries with Medicines and Medical Appliances for one year ending 25 March 1868 at the prices set forth in their Tender.

Mr George Lake R.O. submitted to the Board the names of Mr Wm Johnson and Mr Samuel Johnson of Newbridge as his new Sureties, who were approved by the Guardians.

Robert Anderson  
Chairman

Math. H. Jones

Michl. A. Hudson

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

*Clerk of the Union.*

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the RATHDRUM UNION, on  
Tuesday, the 19<sup>th</sup> day of March 1867, —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 St. Michael's  
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:*

*Resolved to forward same to the Contractor. —*

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

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



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

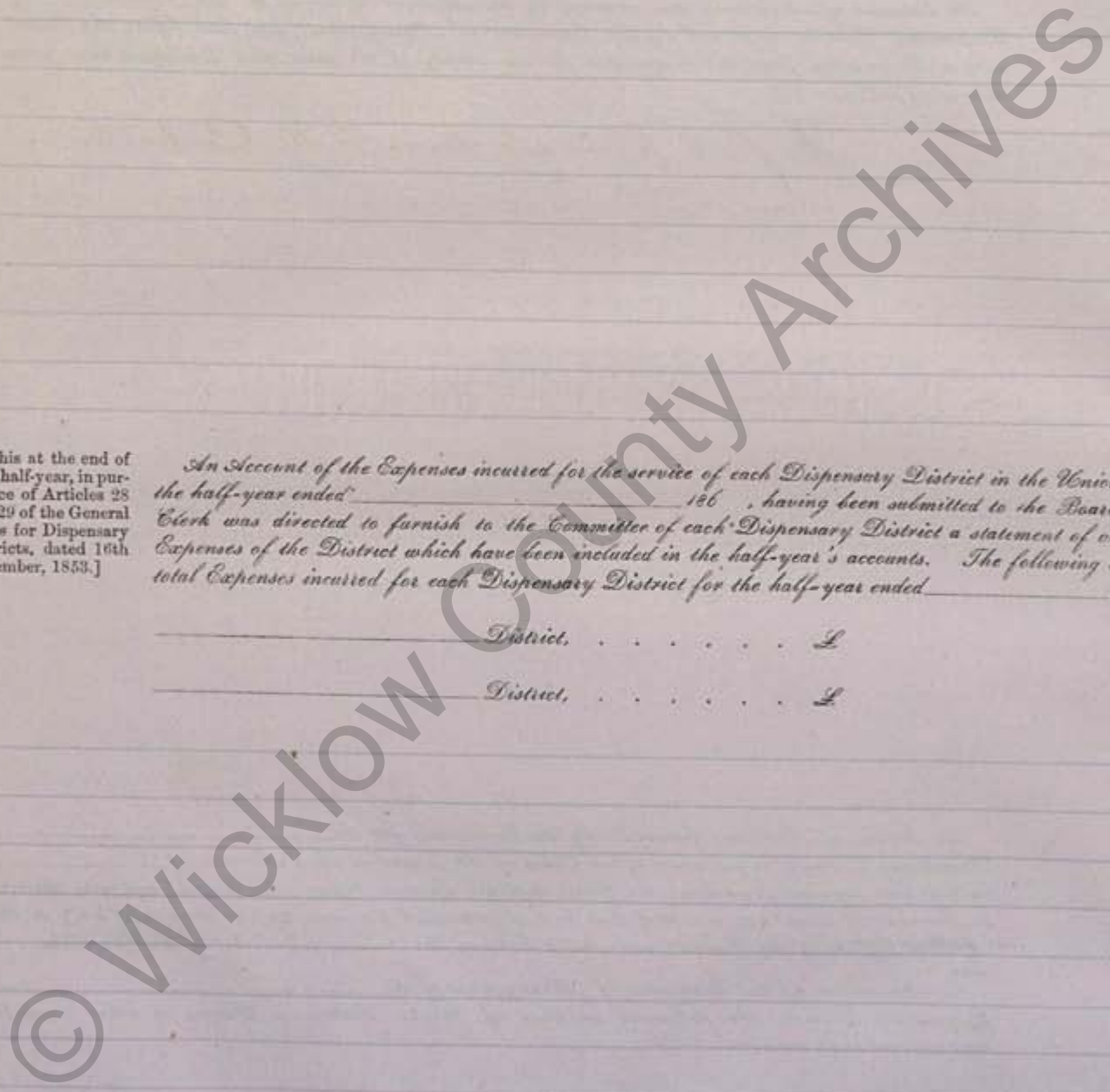
Dispensary District,

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

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £  
 \_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £



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

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

In reference to the remuneration to be made to Dr. Banks for his extra services during the late outbreak of Cholera in his District, the consideration of which was ordered to be brought under the notice of the Board on this day, the following Resolution was passed -

Resolved -

That the Board of Guardians will not under any circumstances decide upon the question of remuneration to Dr. Banks until the Dispensary Committee sends forward a resolution to this Board setting forth the exact sum they deem it right that Dr. Banks shall be paid

(Signed)

J. Manning

Clerk of the Union.

## Ruthdown Dispensary

Read report of the proceedings of the Ruthdown Dispensary Committee at a meeting held on the 12<sup>th</sup> instant, specially summoned to elect a Medical Officer in the room of the late Dr Samuel R S Manning, members present

Andrew W<sup>m</sup> Dwyne Esq<sup>r</sup> J.P. Chm<sup>r</sup>  
 Chas<sup>r</sup> West J.P. Esq<sup>r</sup> Rev<sup>d</sup> H. Gallinith, Rev<sup>d</sup> R. Fulwin,  
 Messrs Gilbert, Fogarty, Edge, Lawrenson, Jones, Snell,  
 Allen, W. Woodburne, J. Woodburne, L<sup>d</sup> Dwyne, M. Dwyne,  
 and Lough<sup>m</sup> Dwyne. —

Proposed by Mr Gilbert and Seconded by Mr Edge

Resolved — That inasmuch as the circumstances under which, on former occasions, the Poor Law Comrs withheld their sanction to the appointment of Dr Manning as Med<sup>l</sup> Off<sup>r</sup> of this Dispensary District; <sup>as he so greatly altered</sup> there being now no railway works <sup>or woodfellings</sup> going on in the Union, and the Varty-water-works being all but completed; And inasmuch as the duty to be performed by the Med<sup>l</sup> Off<sup>r</sup> of the District has so greatly decreased, as is shown by the number of Med<sup>l</sup> Relief Tickets issued during last year as compared with the year 1863 — the number in that year being 1081 and in last year only 320; — We are of opinion that Dr Manning is quite able to discharge satisfactorily the duties of Dispensary and Workhouse Medical Officer, as is amply proved by the fact that he is at present, and has been for more than a month past performing them, without any cause of complaint, and we therefore propose that Dr Manning be elected to fill the office of Medical Officer of Ruthdown Dispensary District.

Proposed by Mr Jones and Seconded by Mr Lewis Dwyne  
 That Dr Michael Strahan be elected to fill the vacant office,

The Chairman took a poll when there appeared

For Dr Manning

Dr W. Dwyne Esq<sup>r</sup> J.P. Chm<sup>r</sup> West. J.P. Rev<sup>d</sup> Henry Gallinith, Messrs Gilbert, Edge, Lawrenson, W. Woodburne, J. Woodburne, Snell

and Allen, - 10 Votes -

For Dr Strahan - Messrs. Galvin, Messrs. Fogarty,  
Jones, Law<sup>ce</sup> Byrne, Miles Byrne and Loughlin Byrne  
- 6 Votes -

Proposed by Mr. Lawrenson and Secured by Mr. J. Woodburne  
Resolved - That this Committee request their  
Chairman - And Mr. Byrne Esq<sup>r</sup> - will wait on  
the Poor Law Commissioners and urge on them the views  
of the Committee in regard to Dr. Murrings appoint-  
ment, and request them to accord their sanction  
thereto -

Approved by the Board of Guardians

And Mr. Byrne Esq<sup>r</sup> -

John Romanning - Secy

Robert Anderson  
Chairman

Matthew Jones

Mich<sup>l</sup>. A. McDowell

(Special.)

RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1861, 43381

Present Net Annual Value, £130776<sup>11</sup>/<sub>10</sub>

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 23 day of March 1867

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 9 and under 15 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	743	459														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds, . . . . .	80	29														
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>823</b>	<b>488</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			90	110	35	57	18	18	31	113	30	462	In Work-house Hospital, 65	In separate Wards, 15		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			19	15	1		1	1	11	11	2	47	In Fever Hospital, 29	In Wards with other inmates, 3		
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>109</b>	<b>155</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>57</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>117</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>509</b>	<b>Total, 94</b>	<b>Total, 18</b>		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			2	7		2	1				2	15				
Died, . . . . .					2	1					2	5				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			2	7	2	3	1				4	20				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			107	148	31	54	18	19	35	113	30	486				

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 19 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	72	158	William Manning. 67 - 129
No. II.	59	170	Robert Manning. 59 - 170
No. III.	63	136	George Take. 63 - 136
No. IV.	27	51	Peter Moran. 27 - 51
TOTALS	216	486	216 = 486

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 26<sup>th</sup> day of March 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair, Robert Hudson Esqre J. P.  
 Other Guardians:  
 Andrew Wm Doyme J P  
 William Gilbert  
 Matthew Jones  
 George Manning  
 Michael A Hudson Esquires

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 223) to No. 2256, 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 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, - - - £229. 9. 10  
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 75. 11. 6  
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor the Guardians was £1227. 19. 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 following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

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

not made up

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

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . .

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

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

Average cost in Infirmary, . . .

Average cost in Fever Hospital, . . .

£ . . .

not made up

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

1600 Loaves Bread	24 Scrubbing Brushes
200 lbs meat	2 Trays do
48 Sheep Heads	1 Large pot
190 Galls Buttermilk	6 Tons Coal
350 " Newmilk	
6 lbs Butter	

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

1. The several Clothing Accounts.

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 23 day of March, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, . . . . .	£ 25 = 12 = 4
In Kind, . . . . .	- - -
Total, . . . . .	£ 25 = 12 = 4

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer
		£ s. d.
No. I.	William Manning,	15
No. II.	Robert Manning,	
No. III.	George Tuke,	
No. IV.	Peter Moran,	
TOTAL,		15

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
Res <sup>d</sup> W Galbraith	7	10	-
" R Galvin	15	-	-
Dr Manning	25	-	-
Pr Manning	20	-	-
Dr	2	10	-
Mary Flower	7	10	-
Jath <sup>re</sup> Byrne	7	10	-
Chas Manley	1	8	-
Ellen Curran	3	15	-
Jane Elliott	5	-	-
S. Tallon	3	-	-
J. Kelly	3	-	-
W Manning	8	15	-
R Manning	8	15	-
George Tuke	8	15	-
Peter Moran	8	15	-
Dr Hatch	22	10	-
" Strange	20	-	-
" Banks	25	-	-
" Kearney	18	15	-
" Shewood	20	-	-
" Hudson	20	-	-
" McEllum	22	10	-
" Manning	14	8	4

			£	s.	d.
Simon Smith	Anamoe	Rent	2	10	-
H. Banks	Ashford	"	5	-	-
Owen Toole	"	"	3	-	-
D. Kirwan	Aughrim	"	3	-	-
H. Ubank	"	"	2	15	-
E. Byrne	Dungton	"	5	-	-
H. Rogers	Newcastle	"	2	-	-

## In favour of flesh to pay

Mary Doyle	Millem	1	5	-
W. Byrne	Ashford	1	-	-
J. Reed	"	1	-	-
Ann White	Aughrim	15	-	-
H. Ubank	"	7	6	-
E. Thompson	Dungton	1	2	6
M. Forester	Newbridge	1	-	-
E. Johnson	Newcastle	15	-	-
Catharine Reeves	Nathdown	1	10	-
		8	15	-

Frank Amsterley	Collecting Rates	8	7	1
Mary Byrne	Bread	186	12	6
John Karanagh	Milk	71	14	9
David Farrell	Coffin	2	7	8

## In favour of flesh to pay

D. Manning	Postage	1	17	9
J. Flower	Expenses	1	12	4
"	Chol: v	5	11	-
H. Manning	Consigne	8	-	-
R. Manning	"	3	-	-
J. Luke	"	13	-	-
L. Fullen	Coffin	8	-	-
J. Byrne	Standing	2	6	-
		5	10	6

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

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

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

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

Read Letter from Poor Law Comm<sup>s</sup> dated 20<sup>th</sup> instant in reference to an inquiry from the Guardians as to the legality of paying the widow of the late Bread Contractor a sum of money due to him at the time of his death without the widow in the first instance taking out Letters of Administration as the representative of her deceased husband.

The Commissioners inform the Guardians that they see no objection to the proposed payment being made to the widow without requiring her to take out Letters of Administration on her giving a good and sufficient indemnity to the Board of Guardians against any claim that might at any future time be made by another party for payment of the amount.

Read Letter from the Workhouse Infirmary Nurse asking for leave of absence for one day and night,

Leave granted

The Master of the Workhouse obtained leave of absence for two days. →

Proposed by Mr. Gilbert and seconded by Mr. Manning  
 Resolved — That inasmuch as on next Tuesday  
 an important public Auction will take place which  
 would interfere with the Convenience of Guardians attending  
 this Board and as on the following Tuesday the Court of  
 Quarter Sessions will be held at Wicklow it is  
 expedient not to have the first special meeting of  
 the new Board till the 15<sup>th</sup> of April next

Approved  
 Robert Hudson  
 Chairman

Mr. Gilbert  
 Chairman

Secretary  
 Robert Beath

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

*Clerk of the Union.*

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the RATHDRUM UNION, on  
Tuesday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186 \_\_\_\_\_,—continued.

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with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given  
thereon as follows:*

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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):

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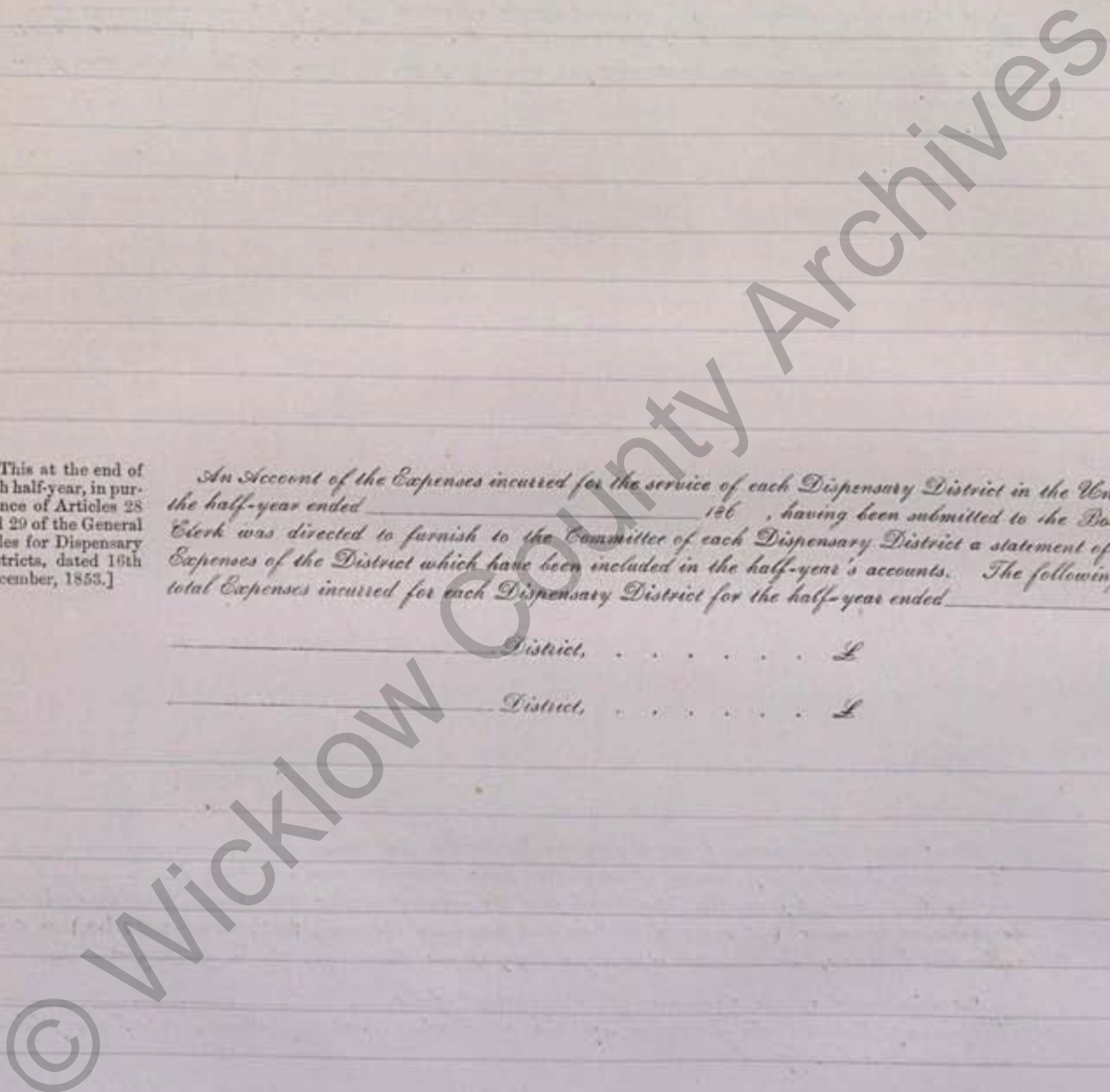
Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount £

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £

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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 \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_  
stating that \_\_\_\_\_

Read report of a special meeting of the Ashford Dispensary Committee held on the 25 Instant

Mr Thomas Troy in the Chair  
Messrs John Woodroffe, Patrick Byrne, John Hunter, John Chapman, and James Byrne

Proposed by Mr John Woodroffe and seconded by Mr Pat<sup>r</sup> Byrne which passed unanimously that Dr Banks get £35 for extra services during the prevalence of Cholera in this District

Thomas Smith. Chm  
Approved by the Board of Guardians  
Robert Hudson  
Chairman

Read report of proceedings of Arklow Dispensary & Sanitary Committee at a meeting held on the 25 Instant, members present

Mr W. Proby - Chairman  
Robert Hudson Esq, Dr Halpin, Messrs The Merrigan and Byrne, Mr A Hudson & Geo. McDonald  
Mr George Lake RD also attended

Resolved - That the sum of £38<sup>2</sup>/<sub>11</sub>, the sum received by the sale of manure be transferred to the Treasurer of the Union to be by him applied to the credit of the Electoral Division of Arklow for sanitary purposes as laid down by the Sanj. Act 1866

Approved - Robert Hudson Chairman  
(Signed)

Wm Gilbert  
Secretary  
Robert Beath

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Clerk of the Union.

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STATISTICS OF THE COUNTY OF WICKLOW

STATE OF THE COUNTY OF WICKLOW IN THE YEAR 1851

Parish	Population in 1851	Population in 1841	Population in 1831	Population in 1821	Population in 1811	Population in 1801	Population in 1791	Population in 1781	Population in 1771	Population in 1761	Population in 1751	Population in 1741	Population in 1731	Population in 1721	Population in 1711	Population in 1701
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# RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1861, 43381

Present Net Annual Value, £130476-14-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30 day of March 1867

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	743	452														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	15														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
TOTAL, . . . . .	823	457														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			107	148	34	54	18	19	35	43	31	489	In Work-house Hospital, 63 In Fever Hospital, 15	In separate Wards, 15 In Wards with other Inmates, 3		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			12	21	7	1	2	6	2	14	1	56	Total, 78	Total, 18		
TOTAL, . . . . .			109	158	39	55	18	23	36	116	31	528				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			28	16	5	2	2	2	1	2		56				
Died, . . . . .					3	2						5				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			28	16	8	4	2	2	1	2		66				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			91	142	31	53	16	21	35	44	34	467				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30 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		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	68	136	William Manning.
No. II.	59	172	Robert Manning.
No. III.	59	132	George Tuke.
No. IV.	29	60	Peter Moran.
TOTALS,	215	500	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 2nd day of April 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair, Wm. Gilbert Esqre

Other Guardians:

Capt. Hon: W. Proby J.P.  
Messrs Robert Heath,  
Silv. Bonak &  
Pat<sup>r</sup> Garkin

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2257 to No. 2360, 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 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, - - - - - £ 1721. 15. 11

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 806. 4. 0

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,	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	2	2	.	.	.
	„ Lower,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Kileoole,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Altidore,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Killiskey,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
					.	.	.				2	2	2
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,	.	.	.	.	.	.	3	18	2	.	.	.
	Calary,	.	.	.	.	.	.	11	13	6	.	.	.
	Brockagh,	.	.	.	.	.	.	11	11	8	.	.	.
	Ballycullan,	.	.	.	.	.	.	4	1	1	.	.	.
	Oldtown,	.	.	.	.	.	.	18	14	11	.	.	.
	Togher,	.	.	.	.	.	.	8	7	9	.	.	.
	Moneystown,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
					.	.	.				61	7	1
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	.	.	.	.	.	.	150	8	6	.	.	.
	Glanealy,	.	.	.	.	.	.	21	17	10	.	.	.
					.	.	.				172	6	14
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown, East,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	„ West,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	11	.	.	.
	„ South,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
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FRANCIS ANNESLEY,	Ennercilly,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
	Kilbride,	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	2	.	.	.
					.	.	.				.	.	12
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,	.	.	.	.	.	.	135	2	7	.	.	.
					.	.	.				135	2	7
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,	.	.	.	.	.	.	114	14	10	.	.	.
	Ballyarthur,	.	.	.	.	.	.	57	3	3	.	.	.
	Ovoen,	.	.	.	.	.	.	142	.	1	.	.	.
					.	.	.				107	8	2
WILLIAM SMYTH,	Rathdrum,	.	.	.	.	.	.	89	13	1	.	.	.
	Knockrath,	.	.	.	.	.	.	14	9	4	.	.	.
	Trooperstown,	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	18	4	.	.	.
	Ballinderry,	.	.	.	.	.	.	26	8	5	.	.	.
	Ballinaclash,	.	.	.	.	.	.	23	15	.	.	.	.
	Ballinacor,	.	.	.	.	.	.	38	5	8	.	.	.
	Aughrim,	.	.	.	.	.	.	22	15	10	.	.	.
					.	.	.				221	5	8
					.	.	.				699	13	6

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

The 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 £ 86 - 10 s. 6 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	86	9	9
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2	11	
Average cost in Infirmary,	2	8	
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	4	3	
The Master's Estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:			

Ordered that the master provide clothes for Byrnes family not to exceed £ 2-0-0

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

	£	s.	d.
For Money, - . . . . .	25	10	4
In Kind, - . . . . .	2	-	-
Total. . . . .	£ 25	10	4

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Believing Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer
		£ s. d.
No. I.	William Manning,	15 —
No. II.	Robert Manning,	15 —
No. III.	George Tuke,	15 —
No. IV.	Peter Moran,	10 —
TOTAL,		55 =

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Believing Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
J. Falconer	Stationery	42	10	5
W. M. Phail	Advertising &	7	10	—
John Duffy	Boats	3	12	6
John Cameron	Advertising	2	10	—
J. Darcy	Greens	23	4	6
A. Fanell	Milk	9	4	6
J. Cowley	Meal	9	19	3
E. Byrne	Meat	37	3	10
J. O'Brien	Greens &	48	8	10
Butler & Scott	Wine &	24	6	—
John Fanell	Clothing	27	13	1
Edw. Wright	"	14	6	—
John Fallon	Shoes	11	10	—
J. Sheehan	Clothes	2	10	—
P. Moore	Leather	10	9	6
E. Boyle	Sweeping	2	9	3
John Byrne	Repairs	2	5	—
John Manning	Sundries	2	8	5
N. Devereux	Oats	3	12	6
H. Edwards	Lime Salt	4	17	8
W. Daniel	Ironmongery	8	9	7
J. Stavanagh	Repairs	11	6	—
D. Banks	Phot. Saly	35	—	—
Geo. McDonald	Sandy Exp	3	12	7

		£	s.	d.
In favour of Clerk to pay				
And: Delton	Timware	1	0	6
Thos. Saul	Beff to	1	14	10
Anne Browne	Hinges to		8	0
Chas. Ellis	Smithwork		8	6
John Doyle	Harness		9	2
Nich. Sutton	Repairs	1	1	8
Edw. Manley	Sand		10	0
John Fanell	Porter		4	0
H. Edwards	Salt		15	4
Jas. Manning	Spirits	1	2	6
Wm. Daniel	Shoe oil		19	6
Thos. Troy	Dung to Bury foul	1	5	0
Jas. Manning	Coffins		15	0
		10	14	0
J. Fanell	Combs to	2	11	8
Leah He	Medicines	15	7	19

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

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

*On the Report of the Master of the Workhouse it was  
Ordered that James Smith chargeable to Wicklow  
Electoral Division be sent to the eye Hospital  
Coff St Dublin, such a course having been  
approved by the guardians of the Division  
recommended*



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):

Read Letter dated 1<sup>st</sup> instant from the Poor Law Commissioners enclosing a copy of a communication which they have received from a pauper inmate of the Workhouse named Hugh Mooney, who states that he is suffering from a sprained ankle and Rheumatic pains, for which he is desirous of receiving some remedy, as also to be supplied with inside flannels, the Commissioners request to be furnished with the Guardians observations on the subject;

In reply to the above letter the Guardians desire to state that the Medical officer of the Workhouse does not consider Mooney to be labouring under anything that would prevent him from working. —

Read a letter from the Workhouse Fever Hospital Nurse asking the Guardians for an increase of salary

Ordered — To be brought under the consideration of the Board on the 16<sup>th</sup> of April being a special meeting

Read a Letter from Jas Matthews Rathfriland offering  
£1 for old cast clothing in the Workhouse -  
Accepted

Read Letter from Mr John H Duke of Arklow proposing  
to supply 30 Tons of best Coals to the Workhouse @  
24/- per Ton -  
Accepted

Ordered - That the following articles of cast clothing be  
taken off the Books, being unfit for further use. -

75 Sheets	52 Trowsers	50 Handkerchiefs
28 Blankets	59 Shirts	92 Gowns
36 Rugs	100 Shoes	127 Petty coats
9 Ticks	312 Stockings	103 Shifts
31 Coats	24 M's caps	117 Aprons
31 Vests		69 W Caps

Proposed by Mr Bunk and seconded by Mr Keath

Resolved - That in the opinion of this  
Board a Bill now before Parliament - entitled "The Petty  
Juries (Ireland) Bill" - which imposes upon Irish Union  
Clerks the duty of preparing Lists of all persons in their  
respective Unions qualified to act as jurors in Ireland, is  
both unjust in principle and oppressive in practice  
inasmuch as it imposes a very onerous duty on a class of  
public officers who have already a very large amount of duty  
to perform without providing any remuneration for such  
newly imposed duties - And we therefore request that our  
County Representatives will use their best efforts in Par-  
liament to effect such a change in the proposed measure  
as will prevent so grievous an injustice being done;  
And we are also of opinion that such remuneration should  
be defrayed out of the Imperial Revenue, as a very large amt<sup>e</sup>  
of the duties performed by Union Clerks is for Imperial purposes -  
Passed unanimously

And J. B. Ryan

Chairman

Patrick Kelly

John Murphy

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186  
(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

*Clerk of the Union.*

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were ordered to be supplied:*



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Dispensary District,

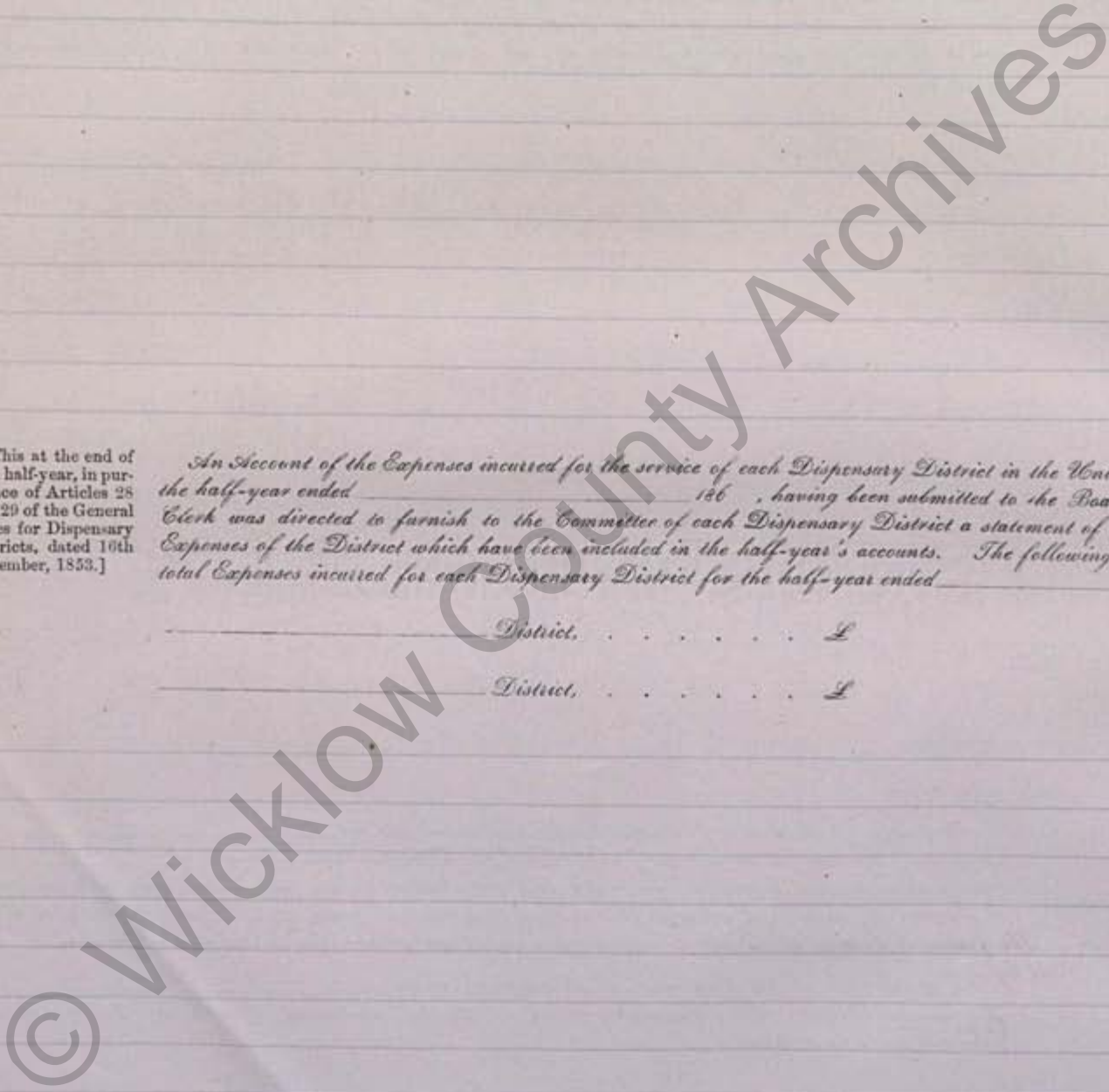
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\_\_\_\_\_ District. . . . . £

\_\_\_\_\_ District. . . . . £



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\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District, No. \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

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

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Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 27<sup>th</sup> Ult.  
stating that

relating to the annual appointment of Dispensary Committees

Read Letter from Poor Law Comm<sup>rs</sup> dated 1<sup>st</sup> instant sanctioning the payment of £35 to Dr. Banks for extra services during the prevalence of Cholera in his District;

Read report of the Arklow San'y Committee on the 1<sup>st</sup> instant members present

Wm. W. Proby, Chairman

Archdeacon Redmond, Rev<sup>d</sup> C. J. Gibbons, Rev<sup>d</sup> J. A. Donovan  
Mr. Thos. Murray, M. A. Hudson, L. Byrne, Dr. Halpin  
& Geo. McDonald, & J. Sweeney, Nuisance Inspectors;

Resolved - That the damage done by the recent floods in Syddalls Lane be repaired,

Resolved - That the Board of Guardians be applied to for £15, for current expenses. —

The Treasurers Accounts were examined and found correct

W. Proby, Chairman

Resolved - That the Board of Guardians are of opinion that as the necessity for departing from the usual mode of paying accounts does not now exist in regard to the town of Arklow, they therefore request that Arklow San'y Comm<sup>rs</sup> will in future furnish their accounts and have them paid in the ordinary course - W. Gilbert Clerk  
(Signed)

R. Manning -

Clerk of the Union.

Anthony L. Byrne  
John Murphy Patrick Kelly

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# RATHDRUM UNION.

41

Population in 1861, 43381

Present Net Annual Value, £130476-14-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 6<sup>th</sup> day of April 1867

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	So. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	743	425														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	14														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>823</b>	<b>459</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			91	112	31	53	16	21	35	14	34	467	In Work-house Hospital, } 5	In separate Wards, } 15		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			10	11	1	1	2	2	3	5	-	35	In Fever Hospital, } 14	In Wards with other Inmates, } 3		
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>101</b>	<b>153</b>	<b>32</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>49</b>	<b>34</b>	<b>502</b>	<b>Total, } 71</b>	<b>Total, } 18</b>		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			19	15	8	1	2	4	2	7	3	61				
Died, . . . . .			-	-	1	1	-	-	-	-	-	2				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			19	15	9	2	2	4	2	7	3	63				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			82	138	23	52	16	19	36	42	31	439				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6<sup>th</sup> 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		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	66	136	William Manning.
No. II.	55	150	Robert Manning.
No. III.	57	192	George Tuks.
No. IV.	30	57	Peter Moran.
TOTALS.	208	465	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 9 day of April 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

There was no Guardian in attendance on this day

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

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

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

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

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

Baid during the week, . . . . . £156 6 7

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £257 8 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £705 2 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,	.	.	.				2	2	2				
	„ Lower,	.	.	.				.	.	.				
	Kilecoole,	.	.	.				.	.	.				
	Altidore,	.	.	.				.	.	.				
	Killiskey,	.	.	.				.	.	.				
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,	3	18	2							2	2	2	
	Calary,	11	13	6										
	Brockagh,	11	11	8										
	Ballycullan,	7	1	1										
	Oldtown,	18	14	11										
	Togher,	8	7	3									6	
	Moneytown,	.	.	.										
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	80	.	.	61	6	7						6	
	Glanealy,	15	.	.				70	8	6				
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown, East,	.	.	.										
	„ West,	.	.	.										
	„ South,	.	.	.										
FRANCIS ANNESLEY,	Ennereilly,	.	.	.									4	
	Kilbride,	.	.	.									12	
THOMAS BIRTHSILE,	Arklow,	.	.	.				135	2	7			12	
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,	.	.	.										
	Ballyarthur,	.	.	.				14	1	10				
	Ovoca,	.	.	.				51	3	3				
WILLIAM SMYTH,	Rathdrum,	.	.	.				42	.	1				
	Knockrath,	.	.	.									107	
	Trooperstown,	.	.	.									82	
	Ballinderry,	.	.	.				89	13	1				
	Ballinaclash,	.	.	.				14	9	14				
	Ballinaeor,	.	.	.				5	18	14				
	Aughrim,	.	.	.				26	8	5				
Totals,								23	15	.			221	
								38	5	8				58
								22	15	10				8
														221
														58
														58
														11

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



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

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

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

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

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was            .            .

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account,

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

Average cost in Infirmary,            .            .            .            .            .

Average cost in Fever Hospital,            .            .            .            .            .

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

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

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

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

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

In Money, -            .            .            .            .            .            £            s.            d.  
 In Kind, -            .            .            .            .            .            .

Total,            .            .            £

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	William Manning,			
No. II.	Robert Manning,			
No. III.	George Tuke,			
No. IV.	Peter Moran,			
TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186  
(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

*Clerk of the Union.*

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the RATHDRUM UNION, on  
Tuesday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186 \_\_\_\_\_,—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District,

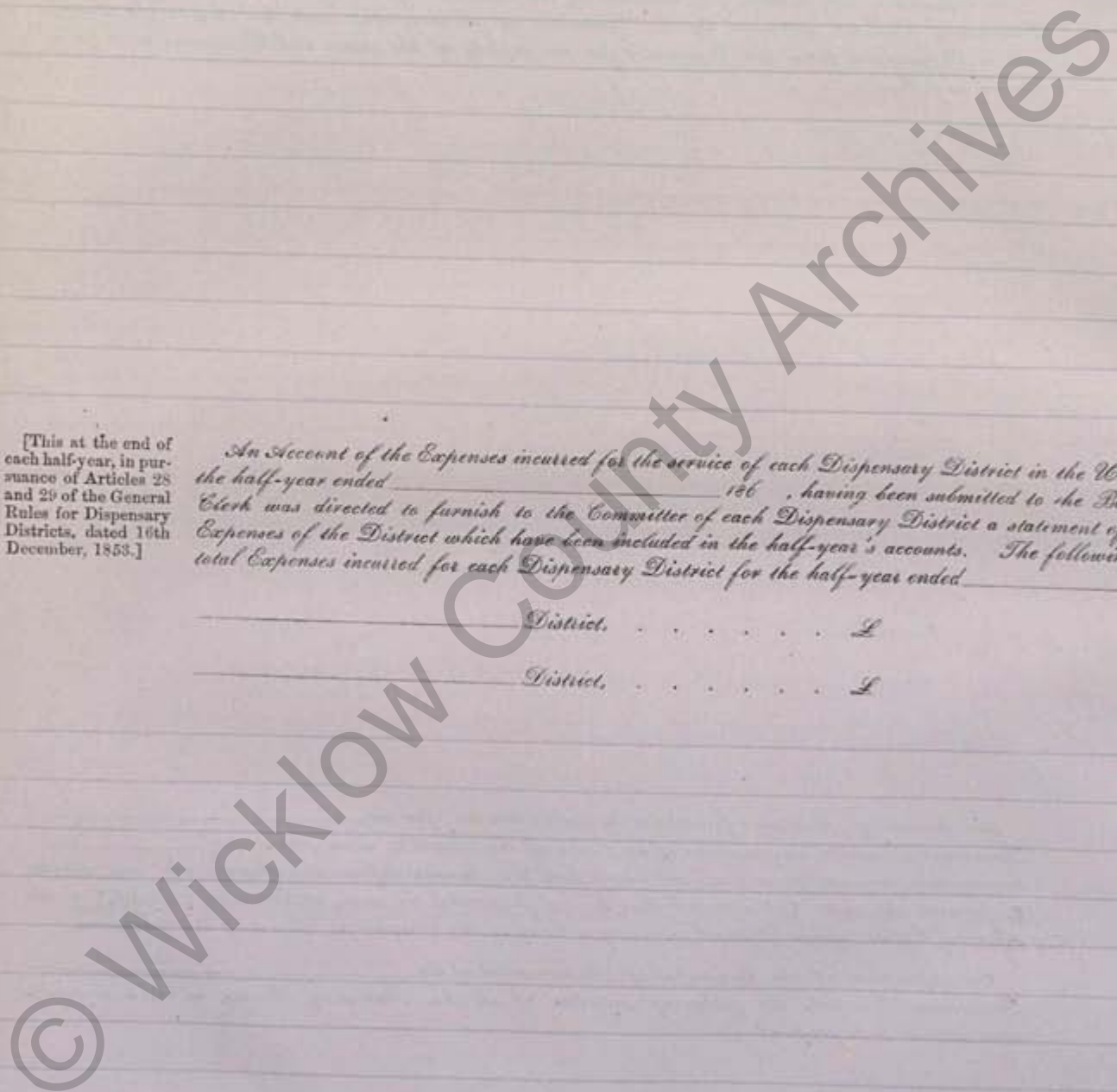
Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount £

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

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

District, . . . . . £

District, . . . . . £



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

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

57

Population in 1861, 43,381

Present Net Annual Value, £ 130,476:14=

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 13 day of April 1867

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	743	412														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .	80	5														
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .																
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>823</b>	<b>417</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			82	138	23	52	16	19	36	42	31	439	In Workhouse Hospital, } 55 In Fever Hospital, } 6 Total, } 61	Inseparate Wards, } 15 In Wards with other inmates, } 3 Total, } 18		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			9	9	3	2	1	3	2	4	4	37				
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>90</b>	<b>147</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>54</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>46</b>	<b>85</b>	<b>476</b>				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			13	17	3	2	8	5	6	6	3	55				
Died, . . . . .			-	-	1	2	-	-	-	-	1	4				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			13	17	4	4	1	5	5	6	4	59				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			78	132	22	50	16	17	33	40	31	417				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 13 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		NAME OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	49	97	William Manning.
No. II.	53	137	Robert Manning.
No. III.	57	122	George Take.
No. IV.	98	48	Peter Moran.
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>187</b>	<b>404</b>	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 16<sup>th</sup> day of April 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair, David J Henry Esq., and afterwards And. Wm Byrnes Esq. Other Guardians:

Cap. Hon. N. P. O'Byrne J.P. Wm Kemmis J.P. & D.L.  
 Wm Courtenay J.P. Wm Magee J.P. Chas M West. J.P. John F Nuttall J.P. Esqes  
 Wm Gilbert, Chas J Leonard, Tho Graydon, Matt. H. Jones, Geo. Manning, Owen Fogarty, Mich. A. Hudson Esqes  
 Doctor Taylor, Messrs Jno Acton, Edw & Edw, Jno Chapman, Jno Fleming, John Foy, John Murrely, Edw Murrely, J. Quakin, S. Donker, Jno Fogarty, Pat. Keely, B. Farner, Jno Woodroffe, Robt Neeth, Jno Fogarty, & Lewis Byrne,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £203: 16: -

Baid during the week, - - - - - £289: 3: 10

And that the Balance on the Account in favor the Guardians was £619: 14: 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle, Upper,	"	"	"				2	2	2					
	" Lower,	"	"	"				"	"	"					
	Kilcoole,	"	"	"				"	"	"					
	Altidore,	"	"	"				"	"	"					
	Killiskey,	"	"	"				"	"	"					
							"	"	"			2	2	2	
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,	"	"	"				"	"	"					
	Calary,	"	"	"				"	"	"					
	Brockagh,	"	"	"				"	"	"					
	Ballycullan,	"	"	"				"	"	"					
	Oldtown,	"	"	"				"	"	"					
	Togher,	"	"	"				"	"	6					
	Moneytown,	"	"	"				"	"	"					
							"	"	"			"	6		
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	13	15	5				56	13	1					
	Glanealy,	11	4	8				1	18	2					
							18	51					58	11	3
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown, East,	"	"	"				"	"	"					
	" West,	"	"	"				"	"	1					
	" South,	"	"	"				"	1	2					
							"	"	"			"	4		
FRANCIS ANNESLEY,	Ennereilly,	"	"	"				"	"	"					
	Kilbride,	"	"	"				"	1	2					
							"	"	"			"	1	2	
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,	69	"	"				66	2	7					
							69	"	"				66	2	7
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,	11	"	"				3	11	10					
	Ballyarthur,	21	"	"				30	3	3					
	Oven,	14	"	"				28	"	1					
							46	"	"				61	8	2
WILLIAM SMYTH,	Rathdrum,	17	"	"				72	13	1					
	Knockrath,	11	"	"				40	9	4					
	Trooperstown,	5	15	11				2	5						
	Ballinderry,	6	15	"				19	13	5					
	Ballinaclash,	10	"	"				13	15	"					
	Ballinacor,	15	"	"				23	5	8					
	Aughrim,	12	"	"				10	15	10					
							70	10	11				150	14	9
							203	16					359	0	11

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 69 <sup>n</sup> 11 s. 3 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . .	69	11	5
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . . .	2	11	
Average cost in Infirmary, . . . . .	2	8	
Average cost in Fever Hospital, . . . . .	4	3	

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

3200 Loaves Bread	300 yds Calico
400 lbs meat	Repairs to Lead Works on
12 " Butter	roof of main Building
700 Galls Newmilk	Hospital, also general
380 " Buttermilk	repairs of pipes
15 cwt Oatmeal	

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 13 day of April whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, . . . . .	21	15	10
In Kind, . . . . .	-	-	-
Total, . . . . .	£ 21	15	10

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	William Manning,	15	—	—
No. II.	Robert Manning,	10	—	—
No. III.	George Tuke,			
No. IV.	Peter Moran,	10	—	—
TOTAL,		35	—	—

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
D. L. Estrange	Registration fees	6	17	✓
" M. Clelland	"	2	8	✓
W. Manning	"	3	16	✓
R. Manning	"	1	8	✓
In favour of Clerk to pay				
R. Manning	Postage	1	7	1
Daniel Fanell	do	1	14	8
William Walsh	Expenses		18	✓
Thomas Allen	Expenses		2	6
		4	23	3
G. M. O'Donnell	Sundry Exp	9	16	11
J. Sweeney	"	2	14	✓
W. Murphy	Sal. Rates	16	15	9
J. Sweeney	Sundry Exp	2	11	✓

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

This being the first meeting of the New Board, D.D. Henry Eyre was requested to take the Chair in order that the Board might proceed to the election of a Chairman, Vice-Chairman, and Deputy-Vice-Chairman for the ensuing year.

On the Motion of Mr Gilbert seconded by Mr Leonard Audren William Byrne Esquire J.P. was unanimously elected Chairman of the Board for the ensuing year.

On the motion of Mr Gilbert seconded by Mr Chapman William Fortenay Eyre J.P. was unanimously elected Vice-Chairman, and

On the motion of Dr Taylor seconded by Mr Gilbert, Dr Comerford Esq was elected Deputy Vice Chairman for the ensuing year.

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

#### Finance Committee

James Comerford, Chas M West, Wm Gilbert, Law<sup>ce</sup> Graydon, Wm Law Dewart, George Manning, Owen Fogarty & D J Henry Esqrs Messrs Edw P Edge, Silas Donk, Pat<sup>ce</sup> Keely and Doctor Taylor;

#### Visiting Committee

Dr Comerford, Chas M West, Wm Gilbert & Geo Manning Esqrs Messrs Edw P Edge, Silas Donk, Edw Murphy, Dr Fogarty John Murphy, Patrick Keely and Doctor Taylor.



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):

Read Circular from Poor Law Commis<sup>rs</sup> dated 1<sup>st</sup> inst. Calling for the monthly Rate Returns;

Read Letter from Poor Law Commis<sup>rs</sup> dated 15<sup>th</sup> inst. in reference to the case of the pauper Hugh Mooney requesting that the Medical Officer may give an explanation in writing in answer to the complaint of Mooney that having a sprained ankle he has received no medical treatment for it and that having been accustomed to wear flannel he was refused flannel underclothing by the Med<sup>l</sup> Officer on his admission to the Workhouse.

The following is Dr. Mannings explanation  
Gentlemen

In reply to the Poor Law Comm<sup>rs</sup> Letter relative to Hugh Mooney why I did not give him flannels I beg to say I did not consider flannel necessary for him he being an ablebodied pauper, relative to his ankle I could not detect any thing the matter with, consequently I could see nothing to prevent him working. - I consider the house clothing as warm without flannel as Mooney's with his flannel -

I am Gentlemen  
 your Obedt Servt  
 Saml. Manning  
 Med. Officer

The following Resolutions were passed by the Guardians  
 Proposed by D. S. Henry Esq. seconded by Dr Taylor  
 Resolved

That the Thanks of this Board be  
 given to Dr Manning as a recognition of his excellent  
 and faithful discharge of the duties of his highly responsible  
 office during the past year -

Passed unanimously

Proposed by Captain the Honorable Wm Proby J.P.  
 seconded by William Kemmis Esquire J.P. & Q.L.  
 Resolved

That the Board of Guardians earnestly  
 request that the Poor Law Commissioners will accord their  
 approval to the appointment of Dr Manning as Medical  
 Officer of Ruthdown Dispensary District, the duties of which  
 office he has been discharging since the 15<sup>th</sup> of January  
 last with the utmost satisfaction to both the Committee  
 of management and the Poor of the District. - The  
 Guardians beg to assure the Commissioners that they  
 would not thus urge them to ratify Dr Manning's  
 appointment if they were not fully convinced of the  
 practicability of uniting the offices of Workhouse and  
 Dispensary Doctor in one person, and of Dr Manning's  
 perfect ability to perform the duties of both offices without  
 prejudice to the interests of the poor of the District; -

From the thoroughly efficient manner in which Dr  
 Manning has filled the office of Workhouse Doctor for a  
 period of 25 years the Guardians have the most entire  
 confidence in regard to the future should the Comm<sup>rs</sup>  
 accede to the Guardians earnest solicitation to confirm  
 Dr Manning's appointment which his long and efficient  
 services fully entitle him to. -

Amendment proposed by Mr Sil<sup>rs</sup> Park and seconded by



The Board gave Collector Payne one month longer, and Collectors Loughlin and Smith one fortnight to bring their Collections to a close, Collector Brith's the premises to close his collection in a week. —

Ordered that the Master shall provide a Tea Breakfast and Dinner of Bacon + Vegetables with rice for the inmates of the Workhouse on Easter Sunday

Ordered that the Master send to Wicklow for the furniture and clothing in the Cholera House, they having been thoroughly disinfected.

The master reported that several of the Windows and Doors of the Workhouse require repairs —

Ordered that advertisements shall be issued for the execution of such repairs to the Windows and doors of the House as upon inspection by the Guardians shall be found to be necessary.

And to Payas Chairman

MacGilbert

W. H. B. J.

The Board proceeded to elect the several Dispensary Committees - as follows viz.

Quarries

1	Chas. Fitzell Esq JP	Castlekevin
2	Francis Smyge Esq JP	Glanmoe
3	George Doath Esq JP	Lara
4	Mr John Murphy Esq	Mullinaveigue
5	" Edw Murphy "	"
6	" J <sup>r</sup> Fleming "	Roundwood
7	" Patrick Keely "	Parkmore
8	" John Twist "	Ballyculleen
9	" Lewis Byrne "	Knockaphrumpa
10	" James Murphy	Mullinaveigue
11	" Mich. Byrne	Moneytown
12	" John Nolan	Ballinastoe
13	" Marnel H Neeth	Baltinanimna
14	" Tho Valentine	Deimund Hill
15	" Chris McDermott	Ballinastoe
16	" Auty Fleming	Baltinanimna
17	" Patrick Murphy	Roundwood
18	" Thomas Fullen	Arasglaw
19	" Mamie Byrne	Knockaphrumpa
20	" Wm Coleman	Jurilund
21	" Wm Murphy	Roundwood

Wardens

Rev. H. Fitzelle	The Glabe
" E. Rowan	Seventhumbes
Mr J. Keenan	
" J. Murphy	
" George Mahon	

Meet 2<sup>nd</sup> Saturday in each month at 12 O'clock

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

Clerk of the Union.

# Arklow

- |    |   |                 |
|----|---|-----------------|
| 1  | Rt. Hon: Earl of Langford JP  | Glenmont Castle |
| 2  | " Lord Proby MP JP  | Dv              |
| 3  | Capt. Hon. W. Proby JP  | Dv              |
| 4  | Henry Hodgson Esq JP  | Ballyrain       |
| 5  | Robert Hudson Esq JP  | Sea Bank        |
| 6  | David Wright Esq MPA JP   | Emma Vale       |
| 7  | Mr John Newson P. L. J.   | Ballynattin     |
| 8  | " M. A. Hudson "  | Thomastown      |
| 9  | " Lewis Byrne "   | Rock bog        |
| 10 | " Andrew Byrne "  | Arklow          |
| 11 | " Richard Steadman  | Coolgunn        |
| 12 | " George Hill   | Coolahullen     |
| 13 | " Thomas Murray   | Cooladungun     |
| +4 |   |                 |
| +5 | Meet 1 <sup>st</sup> + 3 <sup>rd</sup> Thursday in each month at 12 o'clock |                 |

# Ashford

Wardens

Rev. H. Brommings  
" S. Roberts  
" H. Rowley

Rev. M. O'Sullivan  
" J. O'Connell  
" J. Connor

- |    |                            |                       |
|----|----------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1  | Chas Tottenham Esq JP      | Ballycurry            |
| 2  | Robert H. Small Esq JP     | Glennamannon          |
| 3  | Daniel Lidge Esq JP        | Roranna               |
| 4  | Captain Drought JP J.P. Dv | Glencraig Paddyman    |
| 5  | John Edwards Esq JP        | Knaek Robin           |
| 6  | William Magee Esq JP       | Fern Hill             |
| 7  | Mr John Chapman P. L. J.   | Wicklow               |
| 8  | " John Woodroffe "         | Ballygille            |
| 9  | " John Hunter "            | Newwithridge Mr Smith |
| 10 | " John Acton "             | Funerod               |
| 11 | Rev. John Drought          | Glencraig             |
| 12 | James W. DeButts Esq       | Coolnakhilly          |
| 13 | Mr Patrick Gashin P. L. J. | Newtownswell          |
| 14 | " Patrick Byrne            | Coolawinna            |
| 15 | " James Byrne              | Wicklow               |
| 16 | " John P. Hopkins          | Wicklow               |
| 17 | " Thomas Smith             | Wicklow               |
| 18 | " Joshua Roberts           | Louvilla              |
| 19 | " Denis Moraw Gannet Byrne | Ashford Rathmura      |
| 20 | " John Clements JP         | Milltown              |
| 21 | " Thomas Gray              | Wicklow               |

Meets 1<sup>st</sup> Saturday in each month at 12 o'clock

## Anghrim

1	Wm Kemmis Esq JP	Ballinacor
2	Robt Patten Esq JP	Clone
3	Mr Owen Fogarty PLG	Anghrim
4	" J <sup>r</sup> Levinston "	Kilcushel
5	" Silas Donke "	Ballyshane
6	" Pat <sup>r</sup> Carty	Bahana
7	" <del>Joseph Hanamugh</del> <del>And J<sup>r</sup> Hanamugh</del>	Arakane <span style="color: red;">Cappagh</span>
8	" John Fleming	Mucklow
9	" Edward Dwyne	Ballygreene
10	" Tho. Woodburne	Ballinacorney
11	" Pat <sup>r</sup> Carey	Tominevin
12	" J <sup>r</sup> Phelan	Anghrim
13	" Law <sup>r</sup> Dwyne	Threewells
14	" John Doyle	Mugnacade
15	" Law <sup>r</sup> Dwyne	Cromawinna

Meets last Monday in each month at 12 o'clock

## Dungaustown

1	Francis Wright Esq JP	Ballykeane
2	Robert F Ellis Esq JP	Sea Park
<span style="color: red;">Mr E Dwyne</span> 3	Wm Law Beestall Esq PLG	Templeton
4	Mr A. Valentine "	Fullen
5	" B. Fanar "	Linnacstown
6	Thomas Acton Esq	West-acton
7	Henry Shepard Esq	Outlands
<span style="color: red;">Rev Mr Newson</span> 8	Rev William Magee	Dungaustown
9	Wm Hoey Wright Esq	"
10	Mr Andrew Morris	Kilmacred
11	" Martin Winder	Bell Park
12	" John Brennan	Britton
13	" Tho. Richardson	Ballyhering
14	" Wm Stinger PLG	Ballymoyfe
15	" Miles Dwyne	Scrutemagh
<span style="color: red;">Mr Mich<sup>r</sup> Dwyne</span> 16	" <del>Edw Dwyne</del>	Ballymurrin <span style="color: red;">Bellindera</span>
17	" Edw H Keogh	Ballinlar

Meets 1<sup>st</sup> Friday in each month at 12 o'clock

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the RATHDRUM UNION, on  
Tuesday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186 \_\_\_\_\_, —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:

### Newbridge

1	Rt Hon Earl of Wicklow JP	Shelton Abbey
2	Colonel Bayly VL JP	Ballyarthur
3	R <sup>d</sup> Howard Brooke Esq JP	Castle Howard
4	John D Oliver Esq JP	Cherry Mount
5	Wm Chas Hume Esq JP	Polworth
6	Henry Hodgson Esq JP	Ballygraine
7	Wm Conteray Esq JP	Woodmount
8	Edw James Esq M.	Ovoea Lodge
9	Robt Hudson Esq M.	Sea Bank
10	Mr G Manning PLY	Oran Ho
11	" Matt. H. Jones "	Knocknamohill
12	" Robert Heath "	Temple Michael

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:

13	Mr Rich-Johnson PLY	Newbridge
14	" John Fitzsimon	Dallinpark
15	" Wm Saville	Redcross
16	" <del>Wm Roberts</del> M R Duke	Dallinpark
17	" John Ruskell	Ballyrichard
18	" Chris More	Dallinvalley

Meets 1<sup>st</sup> Monday in each month at 12 O'clock



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 £

Newcastle

1	Major Gen Lamingham JP	Mam Kennedy House
2	Colonel Tottenham JP	Woodstock
3	John F Nuttall Esq JP	Tittown
4	Gordon E Tombe Esq JP	Drumley
5	David J Henry Esq PLG	Indder
6	Law Graydon Esq " A Williams	Doomon
7	Thos Graydon Esq "	"
8	Chas J Leonard Esq "	Newcastle
9	Jas R Taylor Esq MA "	Kilmullen
10	Mr John Runkle "	Knockfadda

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

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

District. . . . . £  
 District. . . . . £

11	Jas Scott Esq	Ballygamon
12	Joseph Fullender Esq	Eastwood
13	Thomas Smith Esq	Leamore
14	Mr <del>Matthew</del> Smith " A Sutton	Warble Bank <del>Blackrich</del>
15	" James Kelly	Charlesland
16	" <del>George</del> Evans " L Graydon	Kilpedder <del>Doomon</del>
17	" James Evans	Kilcock
18	" George Saunders	Callushill
19	" James Jones	Newcastle
20	" Samuel Livesley	Ballyphillip
21	" <del>Samuel</del> Edge " L Thompson	Knockfadda

Meets 1<sup>st</sup> + 3<sup>rd</sup> Saturday in each month at 10 o'clock

[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 Committee; namely:—

Dispensary District, No. \_\_\_\_\_ of \_\_\_\_\_

## Rathdrum

1	Andrew Wm Byrne Esq 10	Boney Byrne
2	Chas. M West Esq 10	Mount Aron
3	James Limerford Esq 10 1/2	Rathdrum
4	William Gilbert Esq "	Prospect
5	Mr Edw J Edge "	Knockrath
6	" James Fogarty "	Ballybeg
7	Rev <sup>d</sup> Henry Galbraith	Rathdrum
8	" Rich <sup>d</sup> Galvin	"
9	Mr Law <sup>d</sup> Byrne	Ballinacarrig
10	" Robt Lawrence	Bullinukill
11	" Wm Woodburne	Gangmore
12	" Patrick Jones	Ballindryfe
13	" James Allen	Balleese
14	" Miles Byrne	Bally Dowling
15	" John Woodburne	Bullinderry
16	" Lough <sup>d</sup> Byrne	Ballybeg
17	" Thomas Snell	Ballintombury

Meets 1<sup>st</sup> Tuesday in each month at 2 o'clock

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,)

And W Byrne Chairman

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 Poor Law Commrs dated 4<sup>th</sup> inst.  
~~stating that~~

relating to the Annual appointment of Dispensary Committees and Wardens,

Read Circular from Poor Law Commrs dated 6<sup>th</sup> inst. enclosing new form of Tender and Bond for supply of Medicine which the Commrs recommend to be in future adopted by the Guardians

Read Circular dated 30<sup>th</sup> ult from Poor Law Commissioners relating to Committees under Sanitary Acts,

Read Letter dated 8<sup>th</sup> inst in reference to the decrease in the number of persons vaccinated in the Dungannon District and requesting the Guardians, so soon as they shall have received a list of defaulters in regard to vaccination, which the Commrs have requested the Med<sup>l</sup> Off<sup>r</sup> of the Dungs<sup>on</sup> Disp<sup>y</sup> Dist. to furnish to the Board, to take the requisite steps to enforce a compliance with the provisions of the Compulsory Vac<sup>n</sup> Act.

Read Letter from Poor Law Commrs dated 8<sup>th</sup> inst in reply to a letter received from the Guardians stating that there is no provision in the Med<sup>l</sup> Charities Act disqualifying any Quaker or professing the necessary qualification from being appointed on a dispensary Committee but the Commrs consider that a person who is unable to write his name

(Signed)

*P. Manning*

Clerk of the Union.

ought not to be placed on the Committee inasmuch as tickets issued in the name of such member not being signed by him would not impose any legal obligation on the Medical Officer :->

And to Byrne, Chairman

Mr. Gilbert  
W. H. G.

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STATE OF WICKLOW

Parish	Population in 1851	Population in 1861	Population in 1871	Population in 1881	Population in 1891	Population in 1901	Population in 1911	Population in 1921	Population in 1931	Population in 1941	Population in 1951	Population in 1961	Population in 1971	Population in 1981	Population in 1991	Population in 2001	Population in 2011
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# RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1861, 43 381

Present Net Annual Value, £ 130476 = 14

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 20 day of April 1867

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, . . . . .	743															
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80															
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
TOTAL, . . . . .	823															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .												418	In Workhouse Hospital, . . . . .	In separate Wards, . . . . .		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .												26	In Fever Hospital, . . . . .	In Wards with other Inmates, . . . . .		
TOTAL, . . . . .												444	Total, . . . . .	Total, . . . . .	18	
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .												39				
Died, . . . . .												3				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .												42				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .												402				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20 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		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	52	112	William Manning.
No. II.	53	137	Robert Manning.
No. III.	59	133	George Tuke.
No. IV.	27	46	Peter Moran.
TOTALS.	191	428	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of April 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Andrew W. Doyle Esq*

Other Guardians: *Captain Hon. W. Proby*  
*William Gilbert Esq*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2361 to No. —, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. — to No. —, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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

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

Paid during the week, . . . . . £ 47: 4: ✓

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 610: 8: 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,	"	"	"				2	2	2															
	" Lower,	"	"	"				"	"	"															
	Kilcoole,	"	"	"				"	"	"															
	Altidore,	"	"	"				"	"	"															
	Killiskey,	"	"	"				"	"	"															
													2	2	2										
WILLIAM MURPHY.	Glendalough,	"	"	"				"	"	"															
	Calary,	"	"	"				"	"	"															
	Brockagh,	"	"	"				"	"	"															
	Ballycullan,	"	"	"				"	"	"															
	Oldtown,	"	"	"				"	"	"															
	Togher,	"	"	"				"	"	6															
	Moneystown,	"	"	"				"	"	"															
															6										
EDWARD BYRNE.	Wicklow,	"	"	"				56	13	1															
	Glanealy,	"	"	"				1	18	2															
																58	11	3							
THOMAS DOUGLAS.	Dunganstown, East,	"	"	"				"	"	"															
	" West,	"	"	"				"	"	11															
	" South,	"	"	"				"	"	"															
																		4							
FRANCIS ANNESLEY.	Ennereilly,	"	"	"				"	"	"															
	Kilbride,	"	"	"				"	"	12															
																		12							
THOMAS BIETHISTLE.	Arklow,	"	"	"				66	2	7															
																			66	2	7				
WILLIAM LOUGHES.	Cronebane,	"	"	"				3	4	10															
	Ballyarthur,	"	"	"				30	3	3															
	Ovoca,	"	"	"				28	"	1															
																				61	8	2			
WILLIAM SMYTH.	Rathdrum,	"	"	"				72	13	1															
	Knockrath,	"	"	"				10	9	11															
	Trooperstown,	"	"	"				"	2	5															
	Ballinderry,	"	"	"				19	13	5															
	Ballinaclash,	"	"	"				13	15	"															
	Ballinacor,	"	"	"				23	5	8															
	Anghrim,	"	"	"				10	15	10															
																					150	16	9		
																							339	-	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 following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

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

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

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

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:

1100 Loaves Bread  
200 lbs Meat  
48 Sheep Leads  
190 Galls Buttermilk  
350 " Newmilk  
6lbs 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 20 day of April whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, . . . . .	22	9	10
In Kind, . . . . .	-	-	-

Total, . . . £

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	William Manning,			
No. II.	Robert Manning,			
No. III.	George Tuke,	15		
No. IV.	Peter Moran,			
TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
D. Skatch	Registrations	2	13	6
" Kearney	"		18	-
" Hudson	"	3	10	6
Thos. Carey	Ruam	8	17	-
J. Sweeney	Sandy Exp.	2	12	6

All A. Pyper  
Chairman  
John Acton  
Benjamin Farrar

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

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

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

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

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*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 \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186 \_\_\_\_\_—continued.

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

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

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

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

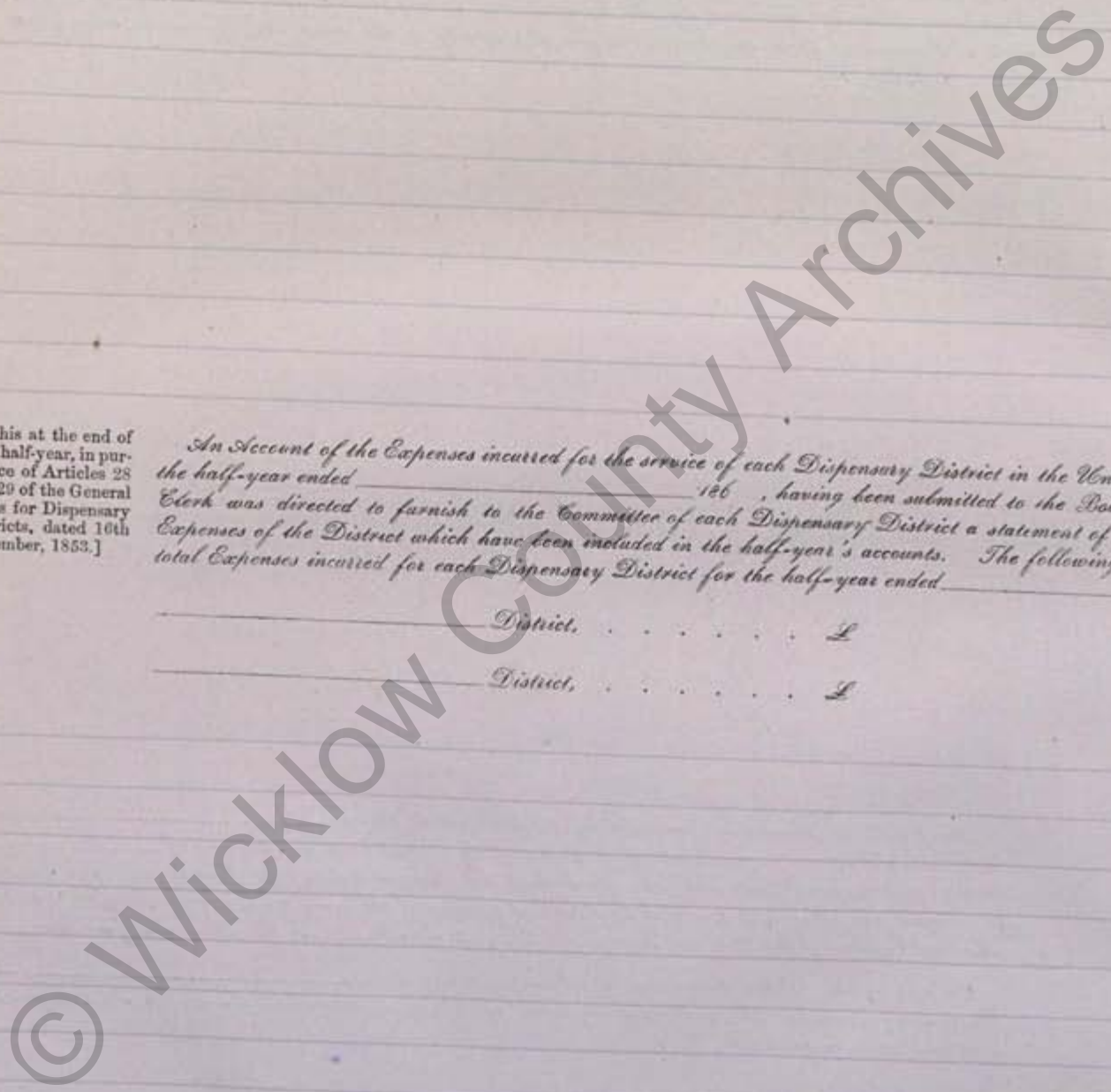
The following Accounts of expenses, (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

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

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

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

_____ District.	£
_____ District.	£



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

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

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Population in 1861, 43 381

Present Net Annual Value, £ 130 47 6 = 14 = 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 27 day of April 1867

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 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, . . . . .	743	390														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .	8	12														
Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>853</b>	<b>402</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			78	130	20	57	14	21	35	42	27	418	In Workhouse Hospital, 69 In Fever Hospital, 12	In separate Wards, 15 In Wards with other inmates, 3		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			9	5	3	1	4	-	3	-	1	26	Total, 81	Total, 18		
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>87</b>	<b>135</b>	<b>23</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>28</b>	<b>444</b>				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			15	7	3	-	1	4	4	5	-	39				
Died, . . . . .					2	1						3				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			15	7	5	1	1	4	4	5	-	42				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			72	128	18	57	17	17	34	37	28	402				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27 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. 51, s. 1		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	52	108	William Manning.
No. II.	51	122	Robert Manning.
No. III.	57	130	George Tuke.
No. IV.	28	48	Peter Moran.
<b>TOTALS</b>	<b>188</b>	<b>408</b>	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 30th day of April 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair, Andrew Wm Byrne Esq  
Other Guardians:

Messrs Wm Gilbert, George Manning, John Acton, Silvester Donk, Robert Heath, Patrick Keely & Daisy - Samar >

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2367 to No. 2506, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, . . . . . £ 30.12.4

Paid during the week, . . . . . £ 213. 1. 10

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £ 427. 19. 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,							2	2	2					
	.. Lower,														
	Kilcoole,														
	Altidore,														
	Killiskey,														
												2	2	2	
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,														
	Calary,														
	Brockagh,														
	Ballycullan,														
	Oldtown,														
	Togher,												6		
	Moneystown,														
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	30	12	4				26	9						
	Glanealy,							1	18	2					
					30	12	4						27	18	11
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown, East,		6	1											
	.. West,		4	1									4		
	.. South,		4	1											
														4	
FRANCIS ANNESLEY,	Ennereilly,														
	Kilbride,								1	2					
														1	2
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,							66	2	7					
													66	2	7
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,							3	4	10					
	Ballyarthur,							30	3	3					
	Ovoea,							28	1						
													61	8	2
WILLIAM SMYTH,	Rathdrum,							72	13	1					
	Knockrath,							10	9	4					
	Trooperstown,								2	5					
	Ballinderry,							19	13	5					
	Ballinaclash,							13	15						
	Ballinacor,							23	5	8					
	Aughrim,							10	15	11					
													150	14	9
	Totals,				30	12	4						300	8	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 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 £ 78 - 10 s. 2 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	85	10	2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	4	-	-
Average cost in Infirmary,	3	-	-
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	4	-	-

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

1600	Loaves	Bread
200	lbs	Meat
48	Sheep's	heads
190	Galls	Buttermilk
350	"	New milk
6	lbs	Butter
10	lb	Soap
1	Suit	clothes
12	Doz	Porter

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several 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 April whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - . . . . .	92	5	4
In Kind, - . . . . .			
Total, - . . . . .	£		

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer
		£ s. d.
No. I.	William Manning,	15
No. II.	Robert Manning,	10
No. III.	George Tuke,	
No. IV.	Peter Moran,	
TOTAL,		

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
John Sweeney,	2	15	2
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£ s. d.

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

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

Gentlemen,

I have to report that I have had Hugh Mooney, a pauper inmate who has been often before your Board of late, committed to Jail for refusing to be set to work on the 24<sup>th</sup> instant. A second charge to be brought against him for insubordination on the 25<sup>th</sup> instant, and for seeking and receiving relief under false pretences, having had on his person \$/10;

Isaac Flower  
Master



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

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

Read Letter from Poor Law Comm<sup>rs</sup> dated 26 inst, sanctioning the proposed increase of £5 per annum in the Salary of Mr Peter Moran R.D.

Read Letter from Poor Law Comm<sup>rs</sup> of same date informing the Guardians that they have instructed their Inspector, Mr Robinson, to enquire into the Complaint made by the pauper Hugh Momey of not having received Medical treatment, and flannel and clothing which he was accustomed to wear.

Read Letter from Mr Robinson, Poor Law Inspector, notifying his intention to hold the above enquiry.

Wm Gilbert  
Chairman  
& Silvester Barwick

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the

day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the RATHDRUM UNION, on  
Tuesday, the 30<sup>th</sup> day of April 1867,—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,  
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thereon as follows:*

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

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



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

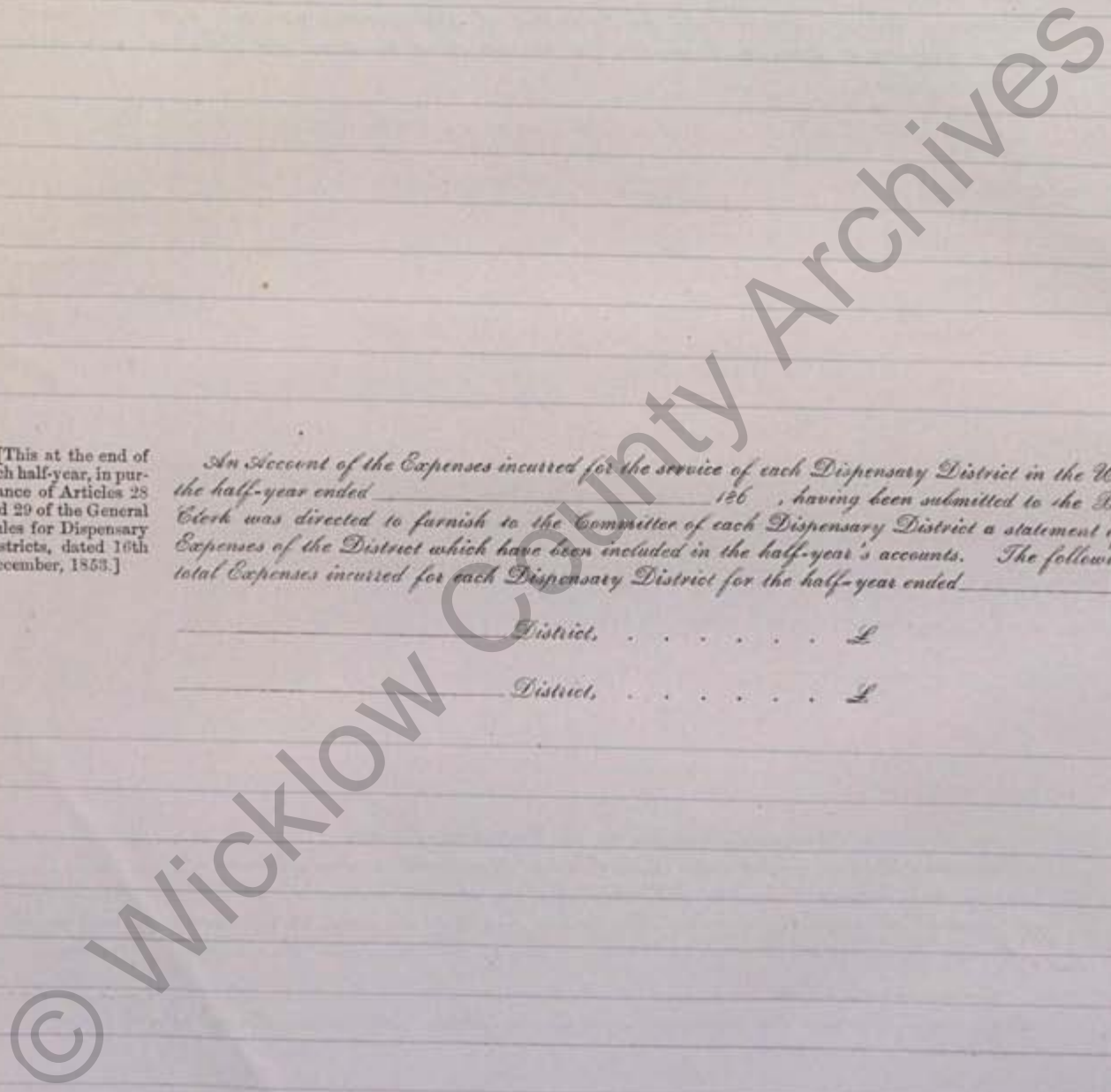
Dispensary District.

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

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £  
 \_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £



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

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committee; 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 Poor Law Commissioners dated 29<sup>th</sup> inst. stating that

enclosing a copy of a letter which they have received from Dr L'Estrange, Medical Officer of Aulrow Dispensary District, relating to a case of Diarrhoea which occurred in a lane in the Town of Aulrow, which is stated to be in a deplorable state of filth and Nuisance; The Commissioners request that the Guardians will take immediate steps to have the nuisance reported by the Medical Officer abated

Ordered - That the Clerk of the Union shall write to the Hon. Cap. Prby on the subject of this communication, who is Chairman of the Aulrow Committee. —

Read Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 26<sup>th</sup> instant, enclosing a copy of a letter which they have received from the Rev<sup>d</sup> Mr Galvin on the subject of the appointment of Dr Manning as Medical Officer of Rathfriland Dispensary Commee, for the Guardians observations —

In reply to the Rev. Mr Galvin's letter the Board passed the following Resolution —

Seconded by Mr Gilbert

Seconded by Mr Heath

Resolved — That the Board of Guardians have heard read with the greatest surprise & indignation the copy of a letter addressed by the Rev<sup>d</sup> Mr

(Signed)

Manning

Clerk of the Union.

Galvin to the Poor Law Commissioners relative to the appointment of Dr Manning as medical officer of Rathcum Dispensary District, in which he descends from the fair and legitimate discussion of the question at issue and indulges in personalities of a slanderous and uncalled-for character, quite unbecoming in fact, and entirely unbecoming in a minister of religion.

With regard to physical infirmity of deafness with which Mr Galvin alleges the late Dr Manning to have been afflicted, it is sufficient to say that no such infirmity existed. — The assertion that he was educated at Rathcum National School, which is made with the evident intention of leading the Commissioners to suppose that Dr Manning was imperfectly educated, is also untrue; The late Dr Manning did some years ago attend for a short time at the Rathcum National School when he was quite a lad, and if that circumstance was sufficient to discredit him to respect, it does not to say the least, reflect much credit on the school of which the Rev Mr Galvin is Patron and manager. Dr Manning's education, which was liberal and expensive, — having cost between £300 and £400 — was conducted at the private school of the Rev Dr Scott, which is known to have been one of the best schools in the vicinity of Dublin. And he obtained his medical degrees with the greatest credit to himself, not having on any single occasion failed to pass an examination. In fact Dr Manning was a remarkably talented and well informed young man.

It is wholly untrue that he did not enjoy the respect of the inhabitants of the District, the fact being that he did so to a remarkable degree for so young a practitioner, and the Rev Mr Galvin himself stated, to a member of the Board of Guardians after Dr Manning's death, that he was greatly esteemed and very much regretted.

With regard to the statement made by the Rev Mr Galvin relative to the young man Williams, who died of Fever in the Workhouse Hospital, and

not, as Mr Galvin would try to insinuate, in consequence of the unskilful treatment of Dr Manning, the Guardians desire to observe that this slander, which Mr Galvin thinks himself justified in uttering under the assumed protection of public report, is one which he would not dare to utter on his own responsibility.

In reference to Mr Galvin's statement that he could not induce persons to take tickets to obtain Medical Relief from Dr Manning the Comrs will know what weight to attach to it when they take into consideration the following facts in addition to Mr Galvin's misstatements - viz - taking a year at the commencement of the term of office of each of the last 3 Med Comrs it will appear that of the number of tickets issued to each, the number issued by Mr Galvin to the late Dr Manning was proportionately greater than to either Dr French or Dr Phipps, - The No issued by Mr Galvin in one year to Dr French 4, Dr Phipps 13, Dr Manning 11,

In order that the Comrs may see clearly who are the parties really anxious for the welfare of the sick poor of the Dist and who are the warring members of the Comrs the Guardians beg to quote the following statistics which show the number of tickets issued by the members of the Committee who support Dr Manning and by those who are opposed to him.

	1863-4	1864-5	1865-6
Supporters	303	421	314
Opponents	34	40	37

The Guardians trust that the Comrs will now have seen the real merits of the case in which the Rev Mr Galvin has gone to such lengths in order to carry his views - the hallowed precincts of the grave itself not being sacred in his eyes - and they hope that as the subject has now been so thoroughly exhausted and no single fact set forth by Dr Manning's supporters controverted, the Comrs will end the Controversy by acceding to the <sup>wishes</sup> request of the large majority of the Board of Guardians & Disfr Comrs, representing the wealth rank respectability and intelligence of the District and Union -

Mr Gilbert  
Chairman  
Silvester Smith  
Benjn Farrer

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And W. Byrne  
Chm  
Dr Manning - etc -

(Special.)

RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1861, 43,381

Present Net Annual Value, £130476.14.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 4<sup>th</sup> day of May 1867

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, . . . . .	743	376														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	19														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>823</b>	<b>395</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			72	128	18	51	17	17	34	37	28	402	In Workhouse Hospital, } 66 In Fever Hospital, } 19 Total, } 83	In separate Wards, } 15 In Wards with other inmates, } 3 Total, } 18		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			25	9	4	1	3	2	3	3	1	51				
<b>TOTAL,</b>			<b>97</b>	<b>137</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>453</b>				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			19	16	4	2	4	2	4	2	3	56				
Died, . . . . .			-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1	2				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			19	16	5	2	4	2	4	2	4	58				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			78	121	17	50	16	17	33	38	25	395				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 4<sup>th</sup> 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		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	49	95	William Manning. 49 - 95
No. II.	45	108	Robert Manning. 45 - 108
No. III.	56	122	George Tuke. 56 - 122
No. IV.	28	45	Peter Moran. 28 - 45
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>370</b>	<b>178 - 370</b>

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 7<sup>th</sup> day of May 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Wm Gilbert Esq*  
 Other Guardians: *Messrs Silver Dumb, Benj<sup>m</sup> Farrar and Lewis Byrne*

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

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £260. 17: 4

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 28: 10: 6

And that the Balance on the Account ~~in~~ for the Guardians was £660: 5: 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,	"	"	"				2	2	2			
	" Lower,	"	"	"									
	Kilcoole,	"	"	"									
	Altidore,	"	"	"									
	Killiskey,	"	"	"									
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,	"	"	"							2	2	2
	Calary,	"	"	"									
	Brockagh,	"	"	"									
	Ballycullan,	"	"	"									
	Oldtown,	"	"	"									
	Togher,	"	"	"								6	
	Moneystown,	"	"	"									
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	"	"	"				26	-	9			
	Glanealy,	"	"	"				1	18	2			
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown, East,	"	"	"									6
	" West,	"	"	"									
	" South,	"	"	"									
FRANCIS ANNESLEY,	Ennereilly,	"	"	"									4
	Kilbride,	"	"	"							1	2	
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,	61	17					4	5	7			
					61	17							4 5 7
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,	3	3	4					1	6			
	Ballyarthur,	29	19	6					3	9			
	Ovoen,	27	8	1					12				
WILLIAM SMYTH,					60	10	11						17 3
	Rathdrum,	66	8	10				6	4	3			
	Knockrath,	5	5	3				5	4	1			
	Trooperstown,								2	5			
	Ballinderry,	19	1	2					12	3			
	Ballinaclash,	13	14	5						7			
	Ballinacor,	23	5	8									
	Anghrim,	10	14	1					1	9			
								138	9	5			12 5 4
	Totals,				260	17	4				47	11	3

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



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

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

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

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

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:

1550 Loaves Bread	1 Hide Butt
170 Galls Buttermilk	1 . . . . . Flip
340 . . . . . Newmilk	5000 heel nails
6 lbs Butter	5000 P <sup>s</sup>
190 . . . . . Meat	5000 Pavers
48 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 4 day of May 67 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, - . . . . .	£	s.	d.
In Kind, - . . . . .	20	= 17	= 10

Total, . . . . . £ 20 = 17 = 10

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.
No. I.	William Manning,	
No. II.	Robert Manning,	
No. III.	George Tuke,	15
No. IV.	Peter Moran,	
TOTAL,		

Credit Treasurers with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
	Bread	133	12	6
Mary Byrne	Meat	50	2	8
Eliza Byrne	Oatmeal	35	17	6
J. Cowley	Straw	6	3	3
D. Chase	Repairs	20	9	-
W <sup>m</sup> Daniel	Buckets	3	-	-
W <sup>m</sup> Turner	Porters clothes	1	-	1
John Farrell	Collecting Rates	23	18	10
Thos Birthington	Registration fees	2	8	-
D <sup>r</sup> Banks	In favour of club to pay coal	2	8	-
J. H. Tuke	Exp <sup>s</sup> Dungton	1	15	-
W J Bestell	Coffin		5	-
W <sup>m</sup> Walsh	Newbridge Soap &c		10	6
J. Tuke	Conveyance		7	-
W <sup>m</sup> Manning	"		10	6
George Tuke	Repairs	1	19	9
Dani <sup>l</sup> Farrell	Expenses		18	-
Isaac Flower	Clothing	1	1	5 <sup>v</sup>
John Sutton	Clothes	1	16	- <sup>v</sup>
Thos Kavanaugh	Drum &c	1	13	1 <sup>v</sup>
John Cowley	Lifins	1	11	10
Daniel Farrell	Jobs		8	- <sup>v</sup>
John Farrell	Coales	1	3	4 <sup>v</sup>
J. Henry Tuke	Clothing	9	7	-
John Farrell		12	15	1

		£	s.	d.
John Farrell		12	16	1
Chas Ellis			10	2 ✓
John Sutton			9	✓
<del>Wm Smith</del>	Job Hall		10	4 ✓
James Mahan			8	-
B Manning			6	-
	Postage	1	4	4
		<u>16</u>	<u>3</u>	<u>11</u>
Miss Byrne	Rent Chas Worswick	6	-	✓
John Sweeney	Sawy Exp	2	12	6
Peter Moran	Sawy Salary	2	5	

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

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

Gentlemen

The Sewers of Infirmary yards  
require repairs -

Ordered to be fixed by the Paupers

The windows Doors &c of the Workhouse require to be  
inspected -

Ordered to be considered at a future time

Wm. Gilbert  
Chm

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):

Read Circular Dated 1<sup>st</sup> instant  
"from Poor Law Commissioners calling for Monthly  
"Rate Return

"Read Letter Dated 6<sup>th</sup> instant from  
"the Commissioners of National Education contain-  
"ing the following extracts from their Inspectors  
"Last report in reference to the Workhouse School

"The instruction in needlework is regularly  
"and successfully managed. All the female  
"pupils partake in it, practising the neater Vari-  
"eties of work, as well as making up clothes for  
"inmates

"Three boys are in the Tailoring class, and  
"in the Shoemakers; This training has led to  
"the employment of the boys outside the Work-  
"house; One taught here in this way has  
"written to Rathfrum within the last few  
"days, is now a master tailor in the States,  
"after having held a Commission in the  
"Federal Army."

The teacher is well qualified conducts  
"the School with great attention to discipline,  
"neatness and order, and with efficiency in

"nearly all points of literary teaching."

"The School affords a sufficiently extensive, and  
 "a useful course of instruction, literary and indus-  
 "trial and in all subjects but arithmetic the  
 "pupils have attained a creditable proficiency. -  
 "In that particular branch the classes below the  
 "third are still backward, while the 3<sup>d</sup> and 4<sup>th</sup>  
 "classes are better prepared than I found pupils  
 "in a like standing at former inspections. - The  
 "teacher now appears to be resolved that arithmetic  
 "shall now longer be an exception to the generally  
 "progressive character of the instruction."

"The School appears to great advantage as  
 "regards regularity and cleanliness, and good  
 "conduct of the pupils who are cheerful and  
 "evidently well cared for."

The plank of the Union submitted to the Board the  
 Estimate for a new Rate which was ordered to lie  
 on the table; <sup>11<sup>th</sup></sup> Tuesday the 4<sup>th</sup> June next on which  
 day a special meeting of the Board is to be sum-  
 moned to take it into consideration; and also to  
 enter into contracts for the usual Quarterly supply  
 of provisions, the <sup>supplies</sup> yearly of Milk and Butter, and  
 also the coal contract; Advertisements for which  
 are to be published.

Wm Gilbert

Chairman

Johnston Barstow

Benjamin Farrar

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186  
(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

*Clerk of the Union.*

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the RATHDRUM UNION, on  
Tuesday, the 7<sup>th</sup> day of May 1867,—continued.

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

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Newcastle  
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:*

*He Clerk to forward same to the Contractor*

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

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

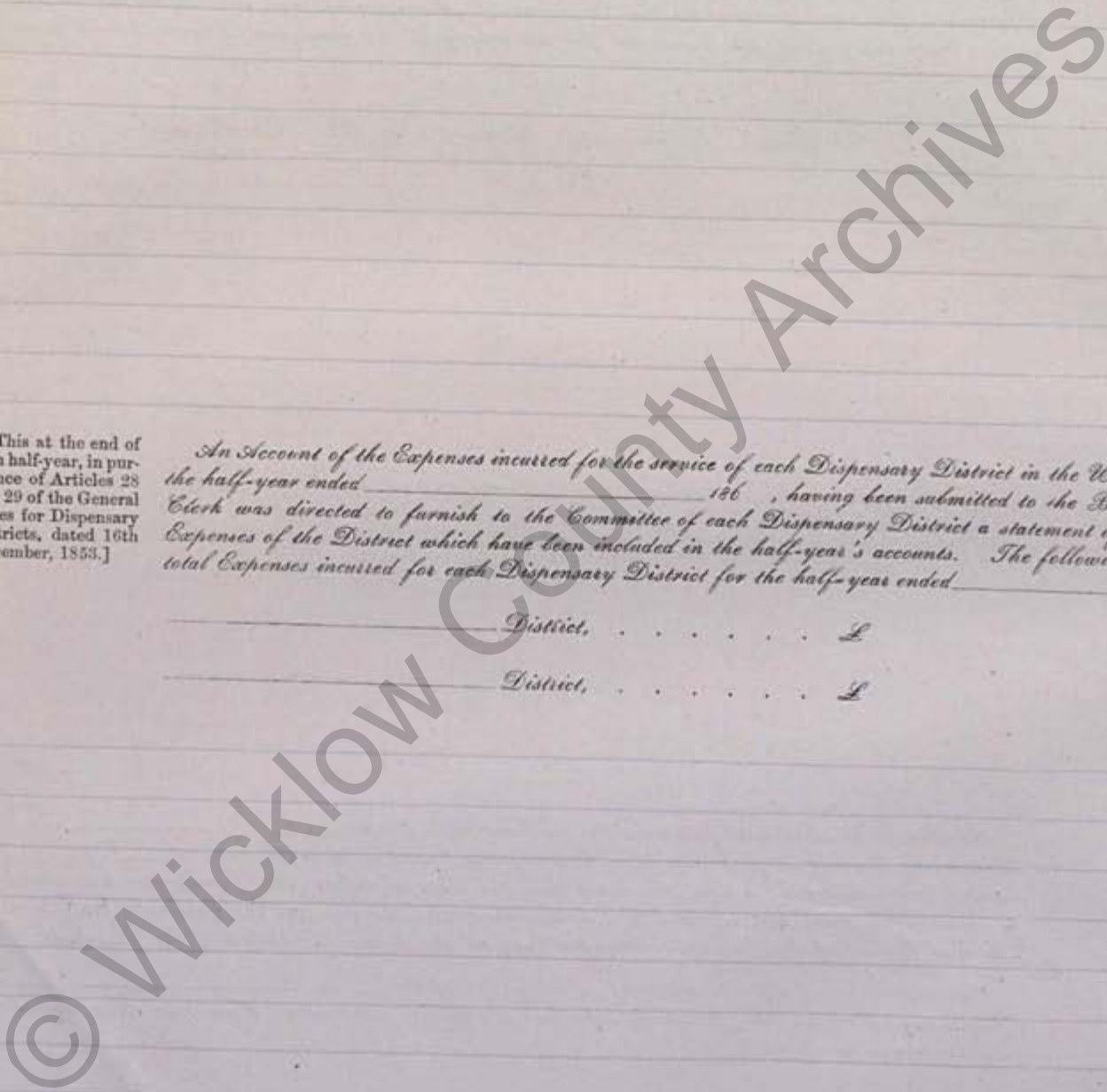
The following Accounts of expenses, (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

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

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £  
\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £



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

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2.) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committee; 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 Poor Law Commissioners dated 6<sup>th</sup> instant stating that

they will address the Guardians at their next meeting on the subject of the appointment of D Manning as medical officer of Rathcrum Dirty District;

Read Letter from Hon. Mr. Proby in reply to a letter from the Board of Guardians relative to the sanitary condition of some of the lanes in the Town of Dublin, stating that having heard of the case of Cianbeon referred to by Dr. Estlin in his Letter to the Poor Law Commissioners the Committee (of which the Hon. Mr. Proby is Chairman) at their weekly meeting on the 29<sup>th</sup> of April made strict enquiries respecting the state of the river lanes, — The houses are, no doubt very bad, crowded and ill ventilated, but it is not, at all events at present, in the power of the Committee to remedy this. — As to filth and Nuisance the Sanitary Inspector and his staff keep them constantly clean. — On the 29<sup>th</sup> the Com<sup>ee</sup> gave directions that some pigs should be expelled and the people notified to whitenash their houses and in their furniture.

The Hon. Mr. Proby further states that although Dr. Estlin is aware that the Nuisance Committee hold their meetings regularly every Monday at 11 o'clock he has made no complaint to them of the sanitary condition of the river lanes and the committee are therefore ignorant of what special Nuisance he refers to

(Signed)

D Manning

Clerk of the Union.

If the Committee are most anxious to do all in their power to improve the sanitary state of the Town, they would ask the Poor Law Commissioners to direct Doctor Estrange to make (in the first instance) any complaint which he may have to the Nuisance Committee who will at once give it their best attention. Such a course would save time in getting the Nuisance removed and also a great deal of unnecessary correspondence. —

Ordered that the Hon. Mr. Proby's letter be entered in the minutes

### Ashford Dispensary

Read the following Resolutions passed at the first meeting of the Ashford Dispensary Committee held on the 4<sup>th</sup> inst.

Resolved that the Rev John W. F. Drought be elected Chairman, James W. DeBullis Esq Vice Chairman, Mr James Payne Esq Secy, and Mr Thomas Smyth Assist: Hon: Secy: for the ensuing year. —

Resolved that the Cholera Hospital house be given up to Miss Payne and that she be paid her Bill for rent — £6 —

John P. Hopkins —

Chairman

Approved by the Board of Guardians

Wm Gilbert — Chrs

Promanning — Clk —

### Newcastle Dispensary

Read the following Resolutions passed at a special meeting of the Newcastle Dispensary Committee on the 8<sup>th</sup> instant.

Resolved — That Major Geo Funningshame be elected Chrs, Col. Tottenham Vice Chrs, and Dr Henry Esq Hon: Secy of the Newcastle Disp. Com<sup>ee</sup> for the year ending 25 March 1868. —



Resolved - That the Committee acknowledge in the warmest manner the very valuable services rendered to the inhabitants of the District by the Hon<sup>ble</sup> Surg<sup>on</sup> David & Henry Esq during the continuance of the Cholera Epidemic -

Resolved - That the sum of £21 be awarded to Doctor McFellane as compensation for his services during the prevalence of Cholera -

Resolved - That the sum of £112.00 be awarded to Mrs Elizabeth Johnson for her services as nurse during the prevalence of Cholera

Lawrence Graydon  
Chairman  
6 May 1867

Approved by the Board of Guardians

Wm Gilbert - Ch<sup>airman</sup>  
Ormannell - Cl<sup>erk</sup>

Wm Gilbert  
Chairman  
Sibson & Bawke  
Benj<sup>n</sup> Harris

(Special.)

# RATHDRUM UNION.

91

Population in 1861, 43387

Present Net Annual Value, £13476-14-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 11 day of May 1867

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	743	368														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	9														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>823</b>	<b>377</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			78	121	17	50	60	17	33	28	25	395	In Work-house Hospital, 30	In separate Wards, 15		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			19	6	5	2	-	2	2	2	2	40	In Fever Hospital, 9	In Wards with other Inmates, 3		
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>97</b>	<b>127</b>	<b>22</b>	<b>52</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>19</b>	<b>35</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>27</b>	<b>435</b>	<b>Total, 79</b>	<b>Total, 18</b>		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			23	13	5	-	2	3	6	3	2	57				
Died, . . . . .			-	-	-	1	-	-	-	-	-	1				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			23	13	5	1	2	3	6	3	2	58				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			74	114	17	57	14	16	29	37	25	377				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 11 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		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	48	93	William Manning.
No. II.	44	105	Robert Manning.
No. III.	56	126	Georges Tuke.
No. IV.	27	43	Peter Moran.
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>175</b>	<b>367</b>	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 14<sup>th</sup> day of May 1867

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PRESENT: In the Chair, William Gilbert Esq  
Other Guardians:

Messrs Silvester Donk & Deij = Fanar ;

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 257 to No. 269, 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,

Said during the week, £ 7 : 3 : 8

And that the Balance on the Account in favor the Guardians was £ 63 : 17 : 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £ 603 : 12 : 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,	•	•	•				2	2	2			
	„ Lower,	•	•	•				•	•	•			
	Kilcoole,	•	•	•				•	•	•			
	Altidore,	•	•	•				•	•	•			
	Killiskey,	•	•	•				•	•	•			
					•	•	•				2	2	2
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,	•	•	•				•	•	•			
	Calary,	•	•	•				•	•	•			
	Brockagh,	•	•	•				•	•	•			
	Ballycullan,	•	•	•				•	•	•			
	Oldtown,	•	•	•				•	•	•			
	Togher,	•	•	•				•	•	6			
	Moneystown,	•	•	•				•	•	•			
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	4	9	5				2	1	4			
	Glanealy,	1	10	•				•	8	2			
					5	19	4				2	1	6
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown, East,	•	•	•				•	•	•			
	„ West,	•	•	•				•	•	4			
	„ South,	•	•	•				•	•	•			
					•	•	•				•	•	4
FRANCIS ANNESLEY,	Emmercilly,	•	•	•				•	•	•			
	Kilbride,	•	•	•				•	1	2			
					•	•	•				•	1	2
THOMAS BIRTHISLE,	Arklow,	•	•	•				4	5	7			
											4	5	7
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,	•	•	•				•	1	6			
	Ballyarthur,	•	•	•				•	3	9			
	Ovoca,	•	•	•				•	1	2			
					•	•	•				•	1	7
WILLIAM SMYTH,	Rathdrum,	•	1	8				5	5	6			
	Knockrath,	•	•	•				5	4	1			
	Trooperstown,	•	2	5				•	•	•			
	Ballinderry,	•	3	1				•	9	2			
	Ballinaclash,	•	•	•				•	•	7			
	Ballinacor,	•	•	•				•	•	•			
	Aughrim,	•	•	•				•	1	9			
					1	4	3				1	1	1
	Totals,				7	3	8				4	0	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 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 £ 45 " 11 s. 6 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	65	15	6
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	3	1	
Average cost in Infirmary,	2	11	3
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	4	8	

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

1400 Loaves Bread	Wages
140 Galls Buttermilk	12 Milk Cans
290 " Newmilk	
7 lbs Butter	
12 Eggs	
240 lbs Meat	
48 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 11 day of May whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - -	20	10	10
In Kind, - - - - -			
Total, - - - - -	£ 20	10	10

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer
		£ s. d.
No. I.	William Manning,	15
No. II.	Robert Manning,	
No. III.	George Tuke,	
No. IV.	Peter Moran,	
TOTAL,		

Credit Treasurers with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
John Sweeney	Stony Exp	2	15	-
Dan O'Brien	Min <sup>tes</sup> M <sup>inte</sup>	5	-	-
Wm Loughlin	Colls & Rates	18	16	11
Wm Smith	Do	26	16	1
<del>So<sup>d</sup> D<sup>o</sup></del>	<del>Do</del>	<del>31</del>	<del>11</del>	<del>8</del>

Expenses of Clerk to year

Wm Smith	Printing Notices	14	-	-
Denis Chase	Do	5	-	-
Thos Smith	Coffin	8	-	-
		1	7	-

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

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

Gentlemen

Having had a severe attack of  
Anorchitis during the months of February & March  
from the effects of which I am still suffering much,  
accompanied by intermittent weakness and general  
prostration, and from which the medical officer told  
me I would not recover until the fine weather,  
Under his advice I therefore respectfully ask for assistance  
for six weeks to enable me to recruit my health,

Order to get a person for six weeks at 10/- weekly

Wm Gilbert  
Chm



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):

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated the 13<sup>th</sup> instant requesting to be furnished with a copy of the Estimate for a New Date as soon as approved by the Guardians.

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated the 13<sup>th</sup> instant forwarding ~~the~~ evidence for the information of the Board of Guardians the evidence taken by Mr. Robinson, Poor Law Inspector, at the enquiry recently held by him into the charges preferred by Hugh Morney against Dr. Manning, Medical Officer of the Workhouse, of his having refused him medical aid on his admission to the workhouse, and also refusing him flannel underclothing.

Ordered - That the consideration of this letter be postponed till the 4<sup>th</sup> of June next, and then brought under the consideration of the special Board.

Read Letter from The Workhouse Infirmary Nurses dated 14<sup>th</sup> instant asking for leave of absence for one week.

to attend to some private business consequent on the marriage of her son,

Leave granted for three days. —

Proposed by Mr Donohue and seconded by Mr James  
Resolved

That the Guardians request that the Poor Law Commissioners will send down to them the original letters written by Hugh Morney complaining of the treatment he received in the Workhouse. —

Wm. Gilbert

Patrick Kelly  
Silvester Bawn

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186  
(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the RATHDRUM UNION, on  
Tuesday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186 \_\_\_\_\_,—continued.

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

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

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

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



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

Dispensary District.

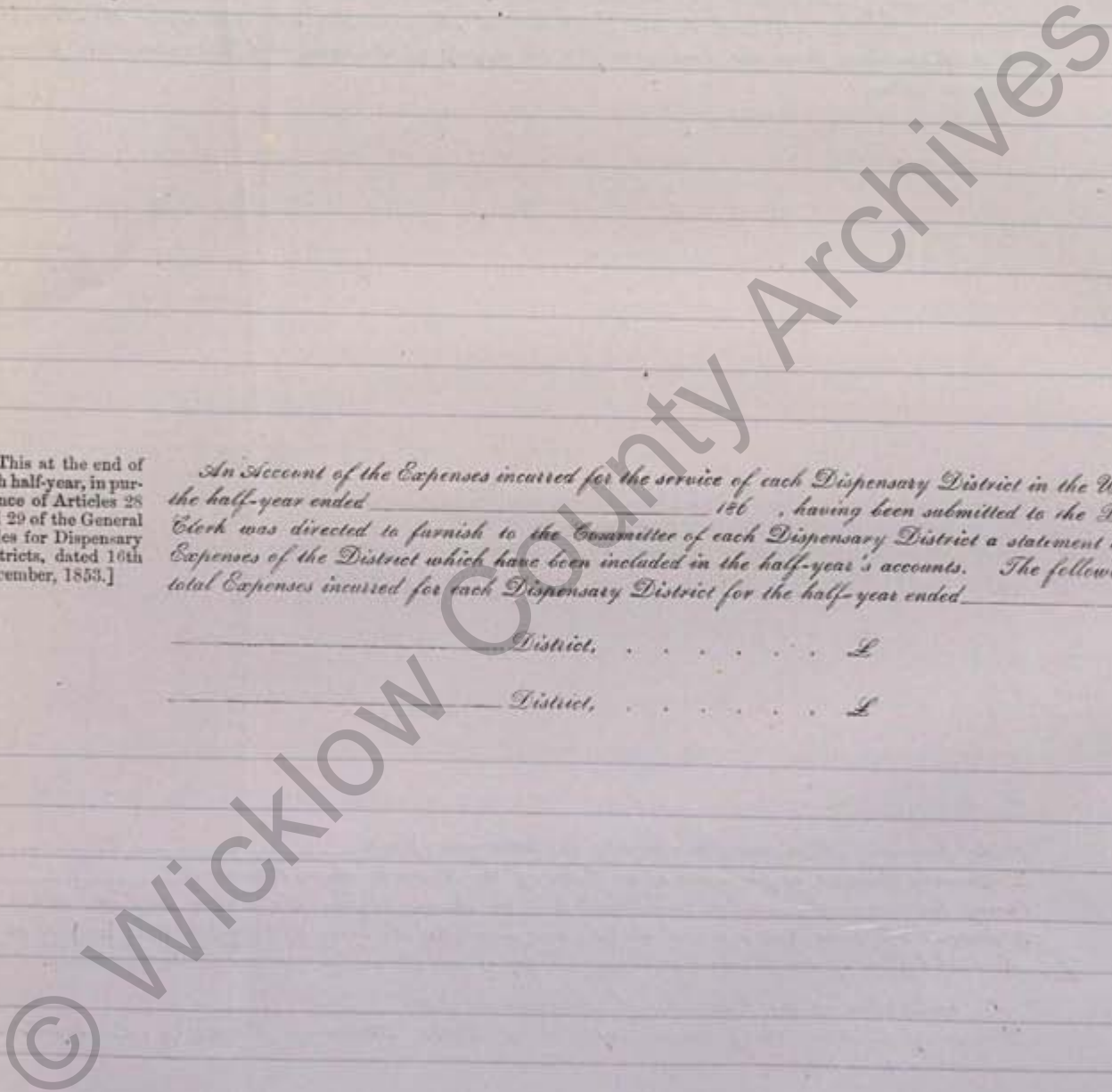
Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount £

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £

\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £



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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1861, 43381

Present Net Annual Value, £130476 = 14/

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 18 day of May 1867

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 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, . . . . .	730	853														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	10														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
TOTAL, . . . . .	820	863														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			71	14	17	51	14	16	29	37	25	377	In Work-house Hospital, } 68 In Fever Hospital, } 10 Total, } 78	Inseparate Wards, } 15 In Wards with other Inmates, } 3 Total, } 18		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			18	6	3		3	1	2	1	2	36				
TOTAL, . . . . .			92	120	20	51	17	17	31	38	27	413				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			17	10	2	1	2	2	6	3	2	48				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"	"				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			17	10	5	1	2	2	6	3	2	48				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			75	110	15	50	15	15	25	35	25	365				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 18 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		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	50	100	William Manning.
No. II.	43	100	Robert Manning.
No. III.	52	115	George Tuke.
No. IV.	27	38	Peter Moran.
TOTALS.	172	353	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 21st day of May 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair, William Gilbert Esq

Other Guardians:

Andrew Wm Byrne Esq & George Manning Esq  
Messrs Silvester Downk and Patrick Keely.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2601 to No. 2637, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 1 to No. 2, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 5:14:11

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £336:12: -

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,							2	2	2							
	" Lower,																
	Kilcoole,																
	Altidore,																
	Killiskey,																
												2	2	2			
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,																
	Calary,																
	Brockagh,																
	Ballycullan,																
	Oldtown,																
	Togher,																
	Moneystown,																
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	5	11	11				15	16	5							
	Glancealy,								8	2							
					5	11	11						16	4	7		
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown, East,																
	" West,									1							
	" South,																
FRANCIS ANNESLEY,	Ennecilly,																
	Kilbride,									1	2						
														1	2		
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,							4	5	7							
															4	5	7
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,									1	6						
	Ballyarthur,									3	9						
	Ovoca,									1	2						
WILLIAM SMYTH,	Rathdrum,																
	Knockrath,								5	5	6						
	Trooperstown,								5	4	1						
	Ballinderry,																
	Ballinaclesh,									9	2						
	Ballinacor,										7						
	Anghrim,									1	7						
														11	1	1	
	Totals,				5	14	11						3	4	12	8	

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

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



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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 92 = 3 s. 10 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was			
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	3		11
Average cost in Infirmary,	2	11	5
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	4	8	

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

1400 Tonnes Drear	Repairs Iron Gate
140 Galls Buttermilk	
290 " Newmilk	
7 lbs Butter	
230 " Meat	
48 Sheeps heads	
6 Eggs	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 18 day of May 1867 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, . . . . .	£				
In Kind, . . . . .	19	16	2		
Total, . . . . .	£	19	16	2	

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Believing Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer
		£ s. d.
No. I.	William Manning,	15
No. II.	Robert Manning,	10
No. III.	George Tuke,	-
No. IV.	Peter Moran,	10
TOTAL,		35

Credit Treasurers with Cheques.

Debit each Believing Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
John Sweeny	2	18	-
Campbell Boyd	5	-	-
Sundry Expenses			
ditto			

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

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

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

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

Rec<sup>d</sup> Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 14<sup>th</sup> instant in reference to the letter of the Chairman of the Ashburton Sanitation Committee relative to the report made by Dr. Estrange relating to the sanitary condition of parts of the Town of Ashburton, The Comm<sup>rs</sup> inform the Guardians that they have communicated with Dr. Estrange requesting him to adopt in future the Course recommended by the Hon<sup>ble</sup> Mr. Proby respecting any future report he may have to make;

Rec<sup>d</sup> Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated the 16<sup>th</sup> instant informing the Guardians that they will pay Dr. Nolan £2.2.0 for his expenses in attending as a witness at the inquiry recently held at the Workhouse by Mr. Robinson Q.C. and requesting the Guardians to have the goodness to pay a similar sum to Dr. Hatch.

In reference to this letter the Guardians desire to state that not having in any way been consulted as to the necessity of holding the enquiry to which the letter refers and not having, either, been asked what

witnesses they thought would be necessary to have examined, they must decline to participate in the expenses incurred by the Commissioners. And they request that the Commissioners will have the goodness to pay Dr. Hatch as well as Dr. Nolan.

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 20<sup>th</sup> instant enclosing for the information of the Board of Guardians the original letters written by Hugh Momey complaining of the treatment he received in the Workhouse of this Union.

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 20 instant calling the attention of the Guardians to the damp state of the Stone Closet of the Register Office in connection with the Workhouse, and requesting that steps may be taken to remove the damp.

Ordered that a large fire shall be burned in the closet which it is believed will absorb all the damp from the walls and leave them perfectly dry.

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated the 20<sup>th</sup> instant requesting to be informed at what rate per diem and for what period it is proposed to pay Dr. McElliott for his extra services during the prevalence of Cholera in Newcastle Dispensary District,

Ordered that the Newcastle Dispensary Committee be applied to for information on the subject.

Read Letter from the Nurse of the Workhouse Infirmary requesting the Guardians to extend her leave till next Friday. Leave granted on condition an extra nurse to be called in if required, the expense to be charged to Nurse Elliott.

Read Letter from Rev<sup>d</sup> Mr. Galvin, R.C. Chaplain of the Workhouse dated 21<sup>st</sup> instant stating that in



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\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186  
(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the RATHDRUM UNION, on  
Tuesday, the 14 day of May 1867, —continued.

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

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

*The Clerk to forward same to the Contractor*

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

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

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

Dispensary District,

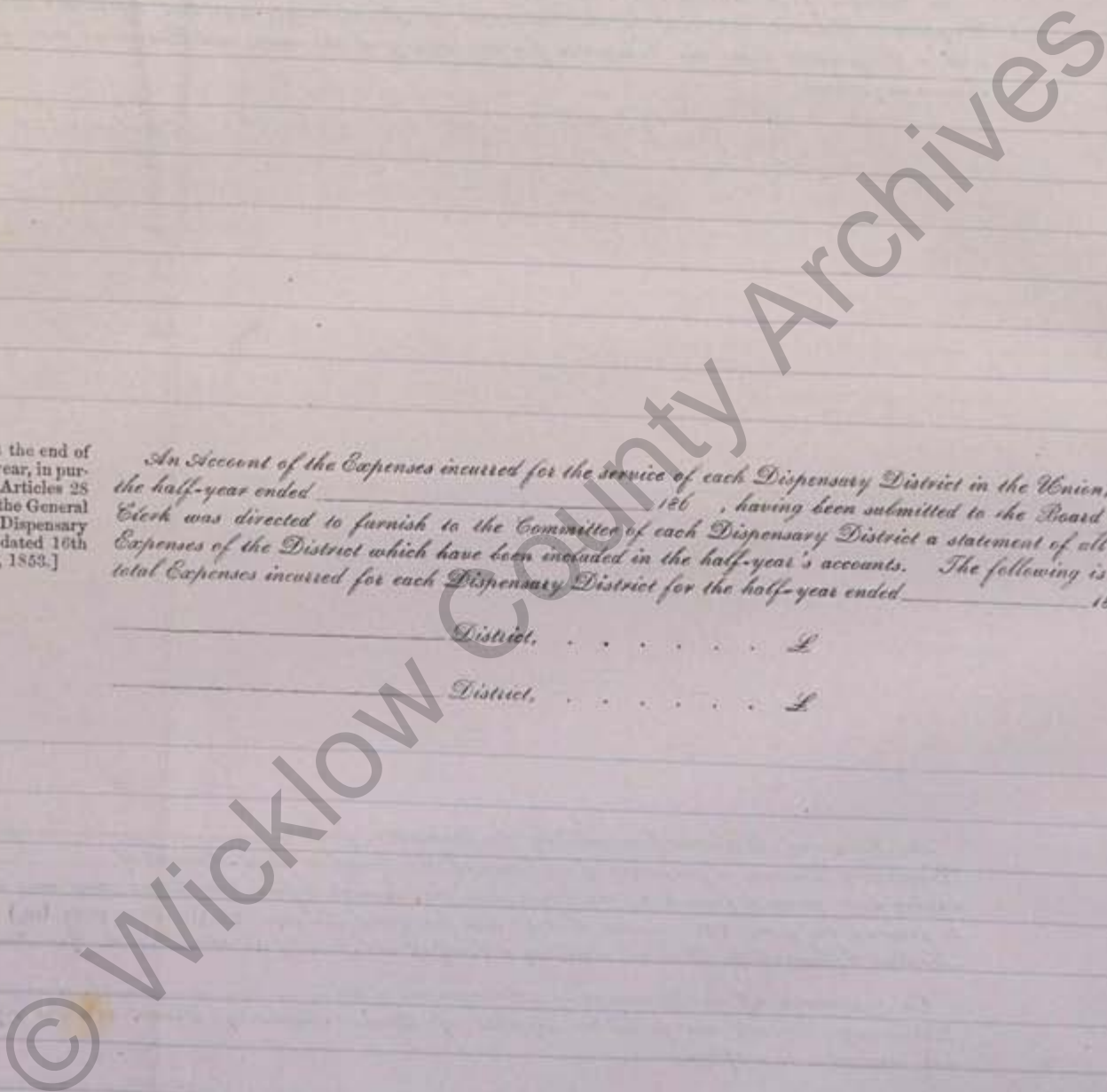
Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount £

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

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

District. . . . . £

District. . . . . £



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

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

Northdown Dispensary

Read the following Resolutions passed at a Special meeting of the Committee of management of the Northdown Dispensary District, on the 7<sup>th</sup> instant members present

Rev<sup>d</sup> H. Gallweith in the Chair  
Wm Gilbert Esq Hon. Sec. Messrs A. Lumsden, Tho. Snell, W. Woodburne, J. Woodburne, + James Allen

Resolved - That Andrew W<sup>m</sup> Joyce Esq, be elected Chairman, J. Lumsden Esq Vice Chairman, and William Gilbert Esq Hon. Secy. of Northdown Dispensary Comm<sup>ee</sup> for the ensuing year

Passed unanimously  
H. Gallweith Chm

The medical officer, D. Manning, called the attention of the Committee to the unsuitableness of the room in which the Dispensary medicines are at present kept, on account of its dampness; all the medicines being more or less injured, so that the medical practitioner can have no confidence in them; and also on account of its being inconvenient to the Poor and in winter exceedingly cold. - He recommended the Committee to remove the Dispensary before next winter -

Resolved - that immediate steps be taken to obtain a more suitable house for a Dispensary

H. Gallweith - Chm -

Approved by the Board of Guardians, Wm Gilbert Esq  
Chm

(Signed)

Wm Gilbert  
Chairm

D Manning

Clerk of the Union.

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# RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1861, 43381

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 25 day of May 1867

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	743	368														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .	80	14														
Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
TOTAL, . . . . .	823	382														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			75	110	15	50	15	15	25	35	25	365	In Work-house Hospital, 62	In separate Wards, 15		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			24	13	7	"	1	"	3	5	43	57	In Fever Hospital, 14	In Wards with other Inmates, 3		
TOTAL, . . . . .			99	123	22	50	16	15	28	40	29	422	Total, 76	Total, 18		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			23	9	2	3	"	"	1	1	1	48				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	"	2	"	"	"	"	"	2				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			23	9	2	3	"	"	1	1	1	40				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			76	114	20	47	16	15	27	39	28	382				

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	No.	I.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
			Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
	No.	I.	57	107	William Manning.
	No.	II.	42	105	Robert Manning.
	No.	III.	50	104	George Tuke.
	No.	IV.	26	34	Peter Moran.
	TOTALS,		169	350	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 28 day of May 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair, *William Gilbert Esq*

Other Guardians: *Messrs Silvester Benck & J.P. Leiviston.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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:

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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, . . . . . £ n n "

Paid during the week, . . . . . £ 278 2 3

And that the Balance on the Account ~~in~~ the Guardians was £ 58 9 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Collected and Lodged			Total			Remaining			Total			
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle, Upper,	"	"	"				2	2	2				
	" Lower,	"	"	"				"	"	"				
	Kilcoole,	"	"	"				"	"	"				
	Altidore,	"	"	"				"	"	"				
	Killiskey,	"	"	"				"	"	"				
											2	2	2	
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,	"	"	"				"	"	"				
	Calary,	"	"	"				"	"	"				
	Brockagh,	"	"	"				"	"	"				
	Ballycullan,	"	"	"				"	"	"				
	Oldtown,	"	"	"				"	"	"				
	Togher,	"	"	"				"	"	6				
	Moneytown,	"	"	"				"	"	"				
													6	
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	"	"	"				15	16	5				
	Glanealy,	"	"	"				"	8	2				
											16	4	7	
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown, East,	"	"	"				"	"	"				
	" West,	"	"	"				"	"	11				
	" South,	"	"	"				"	"	"				
													4	
FRANCIS ANNESLEY,	Ennereilly,	"	"	"				"	"	"				
	Kilbride,	"	"	"				"	1	2				
													1	2
THOMAS BIRTHISLE,	Arklow,	"	"	"				11	5	7				
											11	5	7	
WILLIAM LOUGHLEN,	Cronebane,	"	"	"				"	1	6				
	Ballyarthur,	"	"	"				"	3	9				
	Ovoen,	"	"	"				"	12	"				
													17	3
WILLIAM SMYTH,	Rathdrum,	"	"	"				5	5	6				
	Knockrath,	"	"	"				5	4	1				
	Trooperstown,	"	"	"				"	"	"				
	Ballinderry,	"	"	"				"	9	2				
	Ballinaclash,	"	"	"				"	"	7				
	Ballinacor,	"	"	"				"	"	"				
	Aughrim,	"	"	"				"	1	9				
											11	1	1	
	Totals,				"	"	"				3	11	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 Treasurers and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

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

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

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

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,

£ s. d.

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

In Money, . . . . .	£	s.	d.
In Kind, . . . . .			
Total, . . . . .	£	19	12-10

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer. £ s. d.
No. I.	William Manning,	
No. II.	Robert Manning,	
No. III.	George Tuke,	
No. IV.	Peter Moran,	
TOTAL,		

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

Proposed by Mr Dunker & seconded by Mr Leviston  
Resolved

That in consequence of the lamented death of James Coneyford Esq, - Deputy Vice-Chairman - of this Board, which occurred this morning, as a tribute of respect to his memory no business be transacted to day, and the Board do now adjourn to this day week

passed unanimously  
Mr Gilbert Clerk  
Dormant Clerk

Wm. J. W. W.  
Chairman

Mr Gilbert  
Geo. W. W.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186  
(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

*Clerk of the Union.*

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the RATHDRUM UNION, on  
Tuesday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186 \_\_\_\_\_, —continued.

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

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

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

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



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

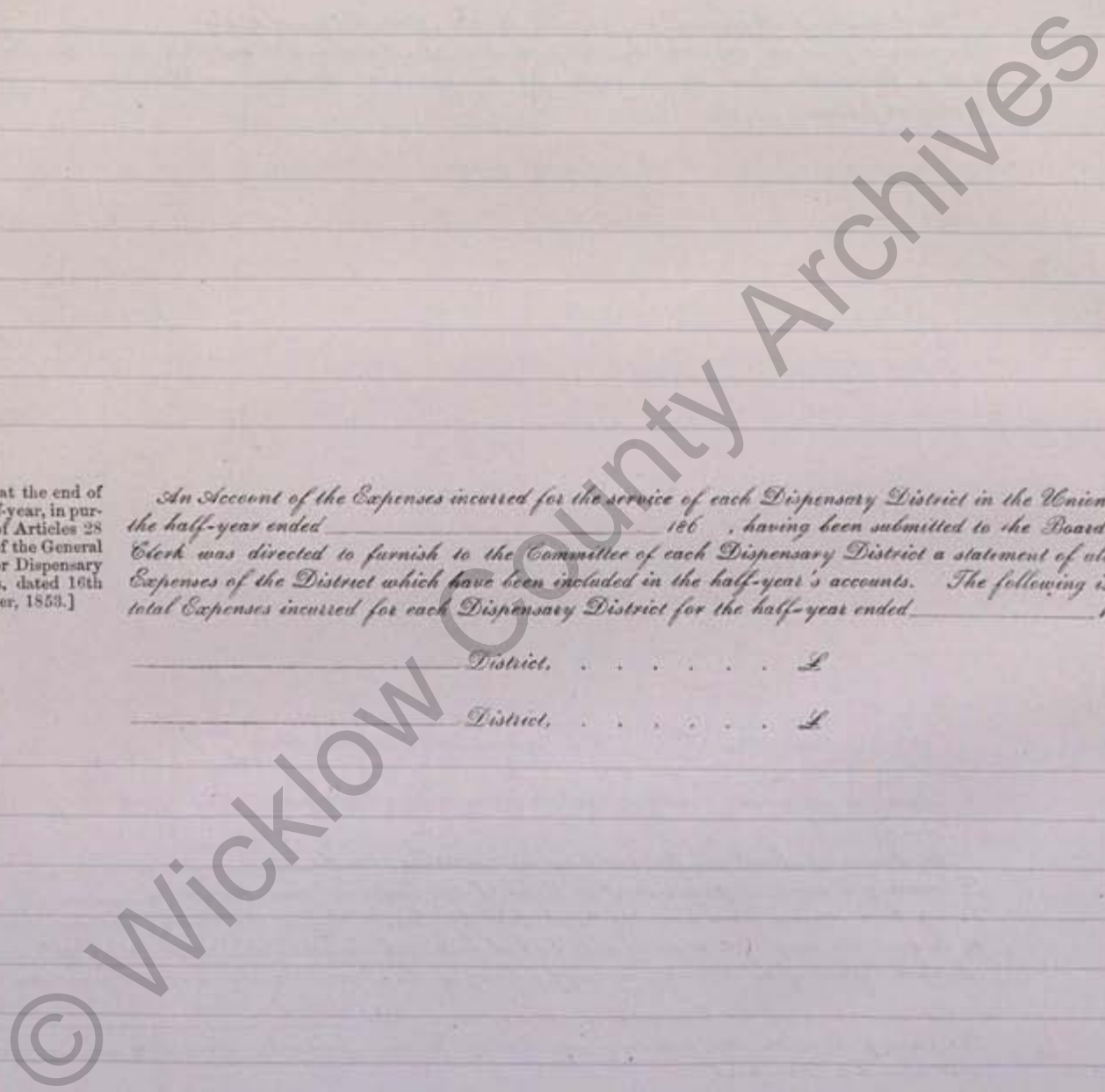
Dispensary District,

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

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £  
\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £



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

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

Population in 1861, 43381

Present Net Annual Value, £130,117/6-11/0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 1 day of June 1867

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, . . . . .	743	361														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	24														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
TOTAL, . . . . .	823	385														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			76	114	20	17	16	15	27	39	28	382	In Work-house Hospital, 57	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 15		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			49	11	3	2	2	"	3	1	1	71	In Fever Hospital, 24	Total, 3		
TOTAL, . . . . .			125	125	22	49	18	15	30	40	29	453	Total, 81	Total, 18		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			38	11	7	2	2	"	2	2	"	64				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	1	3	"	"	"	"	"	4				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			38	11	8	5	2	"	2	2	"	68				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			87	114	14	44	16	15	28	38	29	385				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 1 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		NAMES OF BELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	52	108	William Manning.
No. II.	110	64	Robert Manning.
No. III.	119	106	George Tuke.
No. IV.	27	36	Peter Moran.
TOTALS,	168	314	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 11 day of June 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair, Charles J. Leonard Esq  
Other Guardians:

Mr Howard Brooke, Chas Trizell W<sup>r</sup> Courtenay, Robert Hudson, J.P. W<sup>r</sup> Gilbert, George Manning, Matt<sup>r</sup> A Jones, J Chapman, Mich<sup>r</sup> A Hudson, Esquires, Mess<sup>r</sup> John Hunter, C.P Edge, S Bourke, J Woodrofe, J Leviston, P Healy, Edw. Murphy, John Murphy, P Gaskin, Jas Fleming, B. Farrer John Bourke and A Valentine.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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:

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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, - - - - - £ " " "

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 32 : 17 : 6

And that the Balance on the Account ~~in~~ for the Guardians was £ 25 : 12 : 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,	"	"	"				2	2	2												
	" Lower,	"	"	"				"	"	"												
	Kilcoole,	"	"	"				"	"	"												
	Altidore,	"	"	"				"	"	"												
	Killiskey,	"	"	"				"	"	"												
											2	2	2									
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,	"	"	"				"	"	"												
	Calary,	"	"	"				"	"	"												
	Brockagh,	"	"	"				"	"	"												
	Ballycullan,	"	"	"				"	"	"												
	Oldtown,	"	"	"				"	"	"												
	Togher,	"	"	"				"	"	6												
	Moneystown,	"	"	"				"	"	"												
													6									
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklōw,	"	"	"				15	16	5												
	Glancealy,	"	"	"				"	8	2												
														16	11	7						
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown, East,	"	"	"				"	"	"												
	" West,	"	"	"				"	"	11												
	" South,	"	"	"				"	"	"												
																4						
FRANCIS ANNESLEY,	Ennereilly,	"	"	"				"	"	"												
	Kilbride,	"	"	"				"	1	2												
																12						
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,	"	"	"				11	5	7												
																	11	5	7			
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,	"	"	"				"	1	6												
	Ballyarthur,	"	"	"				"	3	9												
	Ovoen,	"	"	"				"	12													
																			17	3		
WILLIAM SMYTH,	Rathdrum,	"	"	"				5	5	6												
	Knockrath,	"	"	"				5	11	1												
	Trooperstown,	"	"	"				"	"	"												
	Ballinderry,	"	"	"				"	9	2												
	Ballinaclash,	"	"	"				"		7												
	Ballinacor,	"	"	"				"	"	"												
	Aughrim,	"	"	"				"	1	9												
																			11	11		
																				3	11	8
	Totals,																					

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

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



The following 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 £ 64 = 3 s. 8 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	62	17	0
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	3	1	
Average cost in Infirmary,	2	1	5
Average cost in Fever Hospital,			4

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

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 1 day of June 1867 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, . . . . .	£	5	4
In Kind, . . . . .			
			4
Total, . . . . .	£	19	5 = 4

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer
		£ s. d.
No. I.	William Manning,	15
No. II.	Robert Manning,	10
No. III.	George Tuke,	15
No. IV.	Peter Moran,	
TOTAL,		40

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
J. Aweeney	Sawg Exp <sup>s</sup> .	3	9	2
Do	Do	2	18	✓
Denis Chase	Straw	7	10	✓
In favour of Clerk to pay				
William Leeson	Oats	1	16	✓
Isaac Hlower	Repair		7	✓
		2	3	✓
Edward Byrne	Collecting Rates	31	7	7

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

*The Reports of the Muster 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:

Proposed by Mr Manning and seconded by M Edge  
 Resolved — That a vacancy having arisen in the office of Deputy-Vice-Chairman of this Board in consequence of the lamented death of the late James Comford Esq<sup>r</sup>, who for many years filled that office in a manner that gained the approval and esteem of every member of the Board; We now propose that Mr Gilbert, who has been a Guardian from the first establishment of the Board, and whose practical experience eminently qualifies him for the office, be elected Deputy Vice Chairman of the Board

Passed unanimously

Charles J Leonard - Clerk

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):

Read Circular dated 21<sup>st</sup> Ultimo from the Poor Law Commissioners requesting that Relieving Officers may be instructed to make returns of all Eviction Notices served on them;

Read Circular dated 22<sup>nd</sup> Ultimo from the Poor Law Commissioners requesting to be furnished with a copy of the Dietary of the workhouse

Read Letter dated 23<sup>rd</sup> Ultimo from Poor Law Commissioners forwarding for the information of the Guardians a copy of a letter which they have received from the Rev<sup>d</sup> R Galvin denying the truth of the statement made by Hugh Mooney at the recent inquiry held by Mr Robinson P.D., that he gave Mooney three pence to enable him to write to the Commissioners;

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners Dated the 27<sup>th</sup> Ultimo stating that the Board of Guardians are bound to pay Dr Watch the sum of £2.2.0 for his expenses in attending the recent inquiry held by Mr Robinson P.D. inasmuch

as the distance from Dr. Hatch's residence to the Workhouse does not exceed 10 Statute miles; and that should the Guardians still object to doing so, the Comm<sup>rs</sup> will be prepared to issue a sealed order requiring them to make the payment,

Ordered— That inasmuch as the Guardians believe that the distance from Rathdown Workhouse to Dr. Hatch is more than 10 Statute miles they are not entitled to pay Dr. Hatch's expenses;

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 28<sup>th</sup> Ultime (calling for a return of the number of Able-bodied persons who received provisionally Out Door Relief under the 7<sup>th</sup> Sec of 10 Vic. c 31. in each year from 1858 to the present time

The Guardians proceeded to take into consideration the Letter of the Poor Law Commissioners relating to the inquiry lately held at the Workhouse by Mr Robinson P.S. into certain complaints preferred by a pauper named Hugh Mooney against the Medical Officer and Master of the Workhouse; with which the Commissioners transmit the evidence taken at the inquiry; And after having heard the Master's explanation the following Resolution was unanimously passed by the Board.

Proposed by Charles Frizell Esq<sup>r</sup> J.P. and seconded by Matthew Hudson Jones Esq<sup>r</sup>

Resolved That the Board of having taken into their consideration the Letter of the Poor Law Commissioners forwarding for their information the evidence taken by Mr. Robinson P.S. at the inquiry recently held by him into certain charges preferred against him the Medical Officer and Master of the Workhouse, and also the explanation of the Master in response to the charges which refer to himself. And they are unanimously of opinion that the grounds existing are not sufficient for removing the Master from his Office, The Guardians regard the Master's explanation

as sufficiently satisfactory, and from their experience of him for the last 17 years they believe that no more zealous and efficient Workhouse Master could be found; The Guardians have the most entire confidence in Mr. Flowers and they cannot think it would be in any way for the benefit of the Union to dispense with his services; They must therefore decline to call on him for his resignation and they request that the Master's explanation be forwarded with this Resolution. ~

Charles Leonard Chairman

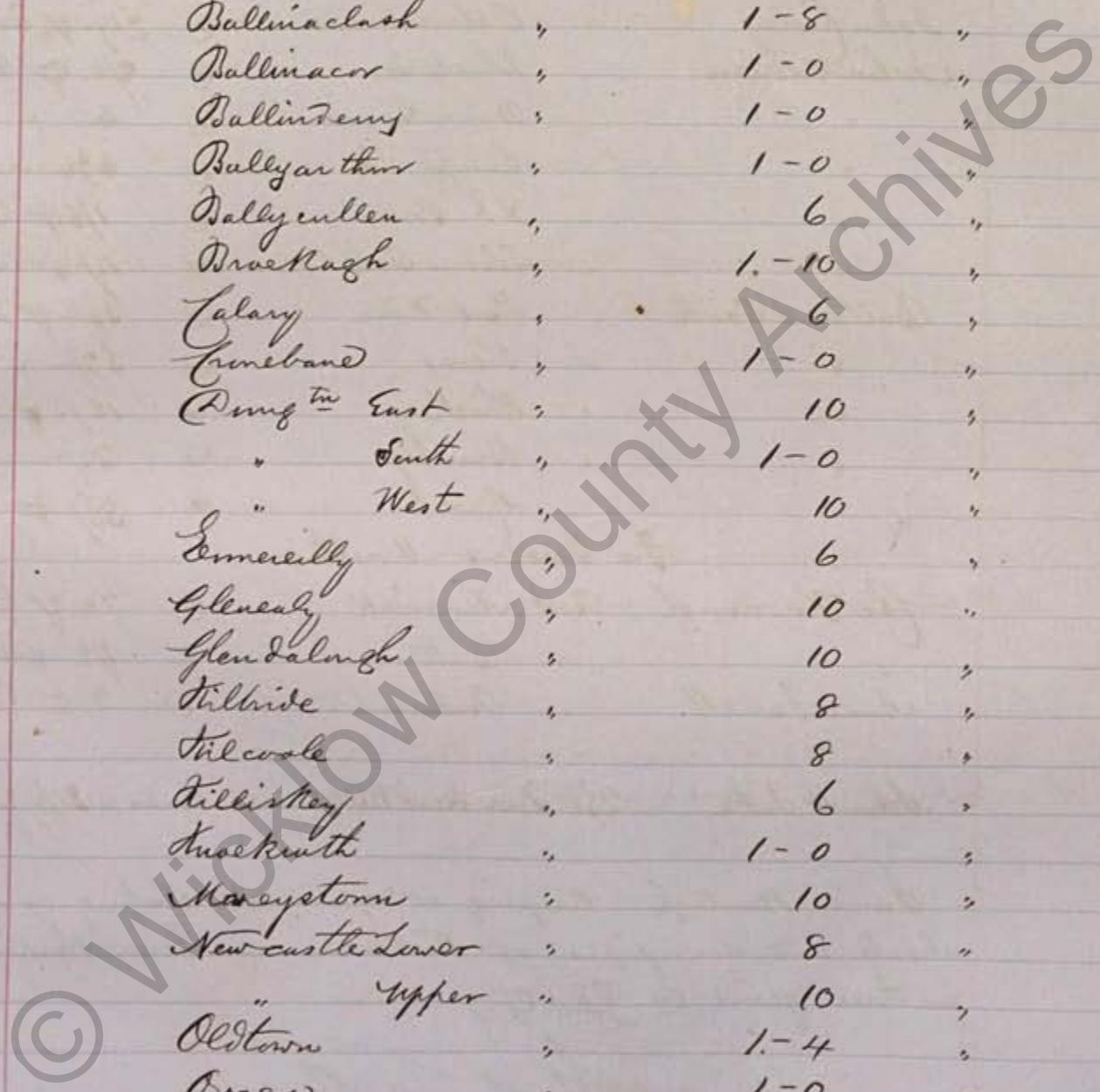
Read Letter from Union Treasurer dated 30 Ultimo in reply to a communication from the Clerk of the Union stating that if the Guardians require to overdraw their account he will consult the Bank Directors as to the time on which they will grant the loan. The usual charge on overdrawn accounts is 6 per cent, but the treasurer thinks that Unions are only charged 5 per cent. deducting same from the interest allowed ~

Order - The Guardians authorize the Clerk write to the treasurer to obtain £500 but they think that 4 per cent would be sufficient interest to charge. ~

Ordered - That the clothes of James Behan who lately died in the Workhouse be given to his sons - And that clothes be provided for Mary Byrne and her three children to enable her to leave the workhouse, cost not to exceed £2, also that a flannel shirt be given to Michael Clancy who is leaving the Workhouse, And also that clothes be provided for William Road who has got a situation out of the Workhouse. ~

The Clerk submitted to the Board his Estimate for New Rates for the current year which the Guardians took into consideration, when the following Rates were agreed to on the respective Electoral Divisions of the Union - viz:

Electoral Division	a Rate of	6 <sup>d</sup> in the £
Altidore		
Arklow	"	2-6
Aughrim	"	1-4
Ballinaclesh	"	1-8
Ballinacorr	"	1-0
Ballinderry	"	1-0
Ballyarthur	"	1-0
Ballycullen	"	6
Brooklough	"	1-10
Calary	"	6
Craneband	"	1-0
Dung <sup>tn</sup> East	"	10
" South	"	1-0
" West	"	10
Emmerville	"	6
Glenealy	"	10
Glen dalough	"	10
Hillside	"	8
Hilcoole	"	8
Killistoy	"	6
Knockree	"	1-0
Mareystown	"	10
New castle Lower	"	8
" Upper	"	10
Oldtown	"	1-4
Oroca	"	1-0
Rathcorrum	"	1-8
Rogher	"	8
Trapperstown	"	6
Wicklow	"	1-4





The following persons were declared Contractors for supplying the Workhouse for the periods stated with the undermentioned articles at the prices specified  
For three months

Eliza Byrne	Best Beef & Mutton	@	7 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb
"	" Ox heads	@	2/6 each
"	" Sheep heads	@	10 "
Mary Payne	" White Bread	@	7 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb 4 lbs
John Forley	" Oatmeal	@	£19. 7 $\frac{1}{2}$ Ton
John O'Brien	" Black Tea	@	9/8 lb
"	" Brown Sugar	@	4 "
"	" Lump Ss	@	4 $\frac{3}{4}$ "
"	" XX Porter	@	1/6 lb Doz
"	" Lisbon Shell Cocoa	@	15/2 cut
Dutler & Scott	" Port Wine	@	34/- lb Doz
"	" Sherry	@	32/- "
"	" Whiskey	@	18/- lb Gal
"	" Brandy	@	22/- "
"	" Gin	@	30/- lb Doz

For Twelve Months

John Kavanagh	Best Newmilk	@	7 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb Gal
"	" Butter	@	1/2 lb
Anne Farrell	" Buttermilk	@	2 lb Gal

John H. Duke 250 Tons Best Whitehaven coals @ 21/9 lb Ton

James Donoghue Keeping in repair all slating eave shoots and downpipes of Workhouse and Fever Hospital for three years @ £5. 0 year. —

Arch. H. Payne  
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday — the

11 day of June 1867

(Signed)

O'Donnell

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 11 day of June 1867.—continued.

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

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

*The Clerk to forward same to contractor*

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

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

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

Dispensary District,

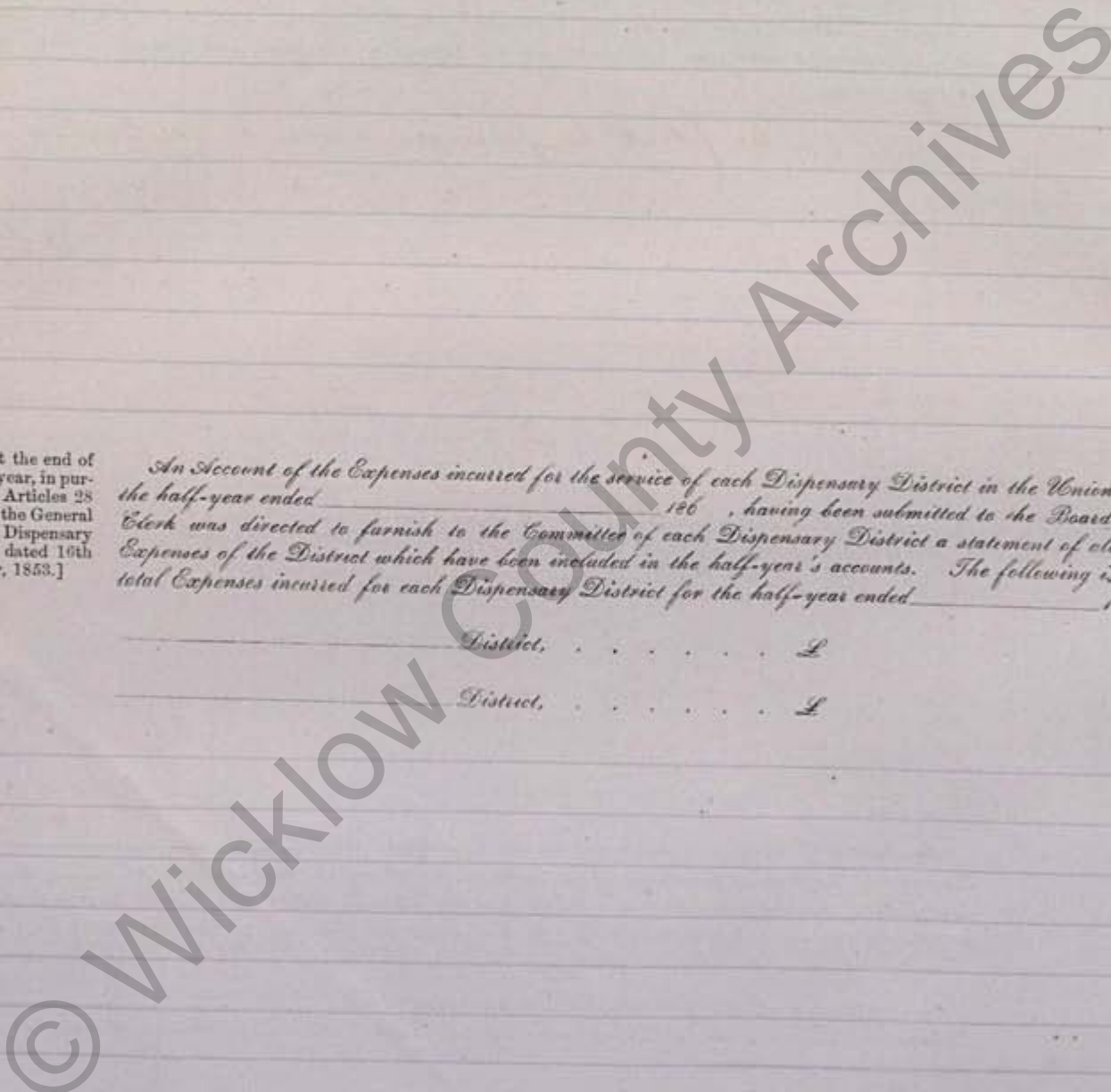
Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount £

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

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

District, . . . . . £

District, . . . . . £



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

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committee; 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 Poor Law Commissioners dated 24<sup>th</sup> Ultimo stating that

relating persons who have not complied with the compulsory Vaccination Act in the Dungu-  
stown Dispensary District and suggesting means by which a compliance with the provisions of the act in question may be secured.

Ordered - That the Commissioners suggestions be acted on.

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated the 28<sup>th</sup> Ultimo, forwarding for the information of the Board of Guardians a copy of a letter which they have received from the Medical Officer of Arklow Dispensary District relative to the sanitary condition of the Town of Arklow,

Ann L. Byrne  
Chairman

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1861, 43381

Present Net Annual Value, £130276-14-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 8 day of June 1867

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 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, . . . . .																
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
TOTAL, . . . . .																
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			87	114	14	44	16	15	28	38	29	355	In Workhouse } Hospital } In Fever } Hospital }	In separate } Wards } In Wards } with other } Inmates }		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			21	11	6	"	"	2	"	2	2	114	Total,	Total,		
TOTAL, . . . . .			108	125	20	114	16	17	28	110	31	1129				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			23	13	6	"	"	2	2	1	6	53				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	3	1	"	"	"	"	"	11				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			23	13	9	1	"	2	2	1	6	57				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			85	112	11	113	16	15	26	39	25	372				

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 21, s. 1		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	51	104	William Manning.
No. II.	43	97	Robert Manning.
No. III.	48	98	George Tuke.
No. IV.	29	40	Peter Moran.
TOTALS	171	339	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 11th day of June 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

There were only two Guardians presents on this day, viz. Messrs Gilbert & Bank

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 26: 3: 3

And that the Balance on the Account ~~of~~ <sup>against</sup> the Guardians was £ ✓: 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,							2	2	2				
	"    Lower,													
	Kilecoole,													
	Altidore,													
	Killiskey,													
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,											2	2	0
	Calary,													
	Brockagh,													
	Ballycullan,													
	Oldtown,													
	Togher,												6	
	Moneystown,													
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,							15	16	5				
	Glanealy,								8	2				
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown, East,													
	"    West,													
	"    South,													
FRANCIS ANNESLEY,	Ennereilly,													4
	Kilbride,									1	2			
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,							11	5	7				12
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,									1	6			
	Ballyarthur,									3	9			
	Ovoca,									12				17
WILLIAM SMYTH,	Rathdrum,							5	5	6				
	Knockrath,							5	4	1				
	Trooperstown,													
	Ballinderry,									9	2			
	Ballinaclash,										7			
	Ballinacor,													
	Aughrim,									1	9			
														11
	<i>Totals,</i>													34
														12
														8

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

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

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

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

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

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,			
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 Believing Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature.

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

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

Credit each Believing Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	William Manning,			
No. II.	Robert Manning,			
No. III.	George Tuke,			
No. IV.	Peter Moran,			
TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186  
(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

*Clerk of the Union.*

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the RATHDRUM UNION, on  
Tuesday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186 \_\_\_\_\_,—continued.

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

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

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

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



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

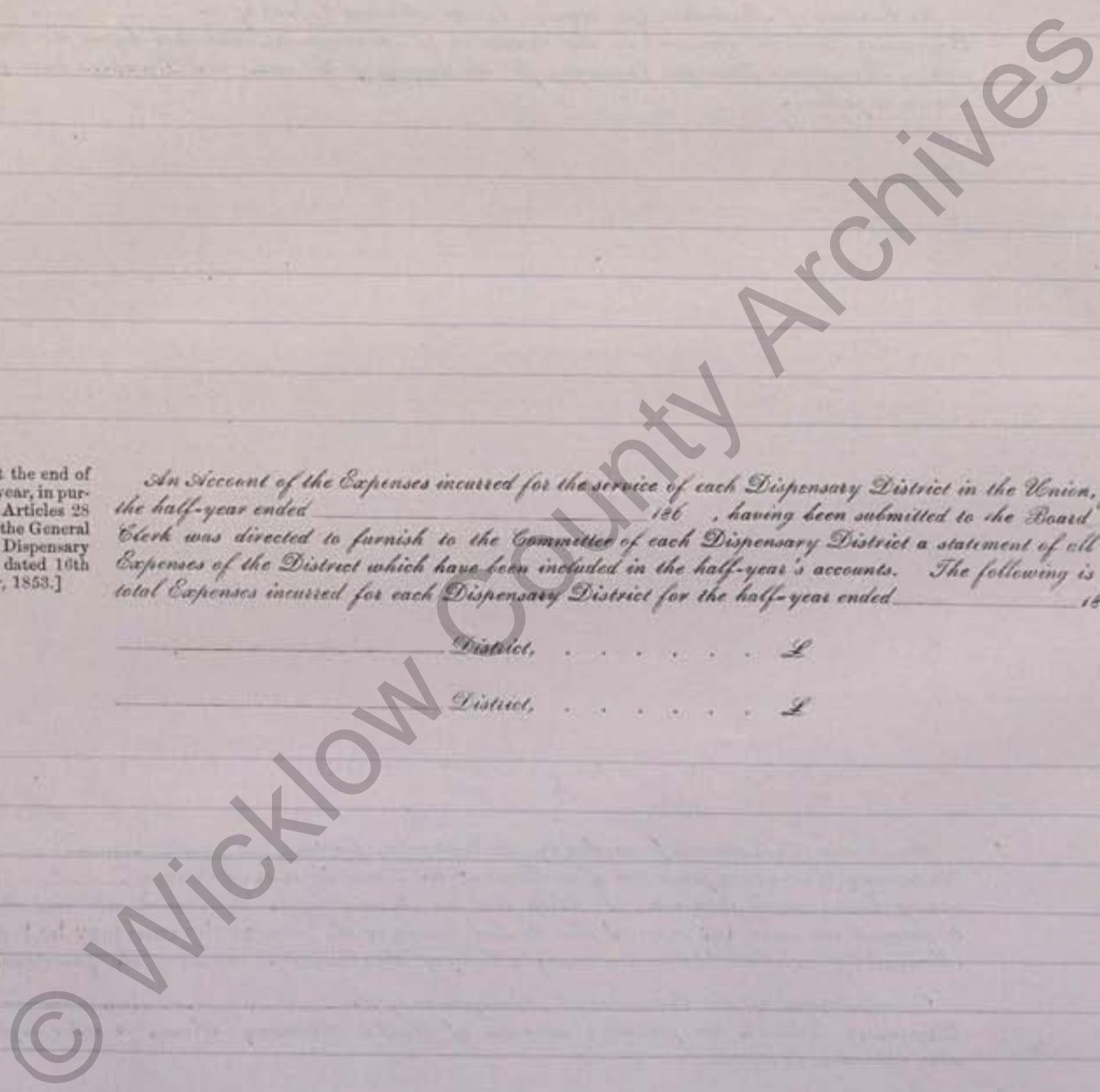
Dispensary District,

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

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £  
 \_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £



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

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

141

Population in 1861 *113381*

Present Net Annual Value, £130476-14-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *15* day of *June* 186*7*

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 9 and under 15 years of age	Children above 2 and under 6 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	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>74339</i>															
Temporary Buildings, . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	<i>80</i>	<i>14</i>														
Fever Sheds, . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . .</b>	<b><i>823353</i></b>															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			<i>85</i>	<i>112</i>	<i>11</i>	<i>43</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>39</i>	<i>25</i>	<i>372</i>	In Work-house Hospital, <i>62</i>	In separate Wards, <i>15</i>		
Admitted during the Week, . . .			<i>16</i>	<i>14</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>1</i>	"	<i>2</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>48</i>	In Fever Hospital, <i>14</i>	In Wards with other inmates, <i>3</i>		
<b>TOTAL,</b>			<b><i>101</i></b>	<b><i>126</i></b>	<b><i>13</i></b>	<b><i>44</i></b>	<b><i>16</i></b>	<b><i>17</i></b>	<b><i>30</i></b>	<b><i>42</i></b>	<b><i>31</i></b>	<b><i>420</i></b>	<b>Total, <i>76</i></b>	<b>Total, <i>18</i></b>		
Discharged during the Week, . . .			<i>24</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>65</i>				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	<i>1</i>	"	"	"	"	"	<i>1</i>	<i>2</i>				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			<i>24</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>7</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>67</i>				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			<i>77</i>	<i>108</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>42</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>27</i>	<i>39</i>	<i>26</i>	<i>353</i>				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *15* 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		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	<i>53</i>	<i>114</i>	William Manning.
No. II.	<i>46</i>	<i>103</i>	Robert Manning.
No. III.	<i>52</i>	<i>110</i>	George Take.
No. IV.	<i>29</i>	<i>40</i>	Peter Moran.
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b><i>180</i></b>	<b><i>367</i></b>	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Tuesday* the *18<sup>th</sup>* day of *June* 186*7*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Andrew W. Byrne Esq*

Other Guardians:

*M<sup>rs</sup> Gilbert & Richard Johnson Esq*  
*Messrs Silver, Downk. & Benjamin Janar*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 119 : 76 : 7

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 119 : 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,	"	"	"				2	2	2																
	" Lower,	"	"	"				"	"	"																
	Kilecoole,	"	"	"				"	"	"																
	Altidore,	"	"	"				"	"	"																
	Killiskey,	"	"	"				"	"	"																
													2	2	2											
WILLIAM MURPHY.	Glendalough,	"	"	"				"	"	"																
	Calary,	"	"	"				"	"	"																
	Brockagh,	"	"	"				"	"	"																
	Ballycullan,	"	"	"				"	"	"																
	Oldtown,	"	"	"				"	"	"																
	Togher,	"	"	"				"	"	6																
	Moneystown,	"	"	"				"	"	"																
															6											
EDWARD BYRNE.	Wicklow,	"	"	"				15	6	5																
	Glanealy,	"	"	"				"	8	2																
																16	4	7								
THOMAS DOUGLAS.	Dunganstown, East,	"	"	"				"	"	"																
	" West,	"	"	"				"	"	6																
	" South,	"	"	"				"	"	"																
																		4								
FRANCIS ANNESLEY.	Ennercilly,	"	"	"				"	"	"																
	Kilbride,	"	"	"				"	1	2																
																		1	2							
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE.	Arklow,	"	"	"				11	5	7																
																			4	5	7					
WILLIAM LOUGHIN.	Cronebane,	"	"	"				"	1	6																
	Ballyarthur,	"	"	"				"	3	9																
	Ovoca,	"	"	"				"	12	"																
																				1	7	3				
WILLIAM SMYTH.	Rathdrum,	"	"	"				5	5	6																
	Knockrath,	"	"	"				5	8	1																
	Trooperstown,	"	"	"				"	"	"																
	Ballinderry,	"	"	"				"	9	2																
	Ballinaclash,	"	"	"				"	"	7																
	Ballinacor,	"	"	"				"	"	"																
	Aughrim,	"	"	"				"	1	9																
																				11	1	1				
																							3	4	12	8

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

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



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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £55 - 1 s. 11 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	60	19	6
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	3		/
Average cost in Infirmary,	3		/ 2
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	4		/ 8

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

For 3 Weeks	
4500 Lanes Bread	24 Chickens
420 Galls Buttermilk	24 Eggs
825 " Newmilk	24 Bonnets
21 lbs Butter	3 Galls Oil
600 " Meat	30 Pair Shoes
144 Sheeps Heads	100 yds Tweed
	100 " Frize
	100 Pint tins
	1 Hoe
Clothes for Eliza Dowdall	5 cut Hay
and Mary McGarry	3 Shelves in Workshop

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 15 day of June whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, . . . . .	20	9	10
In Kind, . . . . .			
Total, . . . . .	£		

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	William Manning,			
No. II.	Robert Manning,			
No. III.	George Tuke,			
No. IV.	Peter Moran,	10		
TOTAL,		10		

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

			£	s.	d.
J F Evans	Miller	Lang Imps	22	14	-
J. Sweeney	"	"	2	18	-
do	"	"	2	8	4
Dan O'Brien	Maintenance	Deaf Mute	5	-	-
Mary Byrne		Bread	126	6	-
A. Belton		Timware	8	12	6
Joseph Saul		Potatoes	2	2	-
In favour of clerk to pay					
B Manning	✓	Postage	1	4	7
H. Farrell	✓	Carpenters	15	-	-
Chr Ellis	✓	Repairs	1	-	-
do	✓	Smithwork	1	4	9
John Doyle	✓	Names	10	6	-
John Byrne	✓	Repairs	5	-	-
Mr Turner	✓	Buckets	1	16	6
Mr Simpson	✓	Repairs	1	4	-
Isaac Flower	✓	"	10	-	-
Mr Byrne	✓	"	4	-	-
Job Hall	✓	Coffins	11	-	-
Mich Mitten	✓	Conveyance	6	-	-
Mich Murray	✓	"	8	-	-
Sam Hall	✓	"	3	6	-
J. Flower	✓	Chicken & Eggs	1	9	-
Bemis Chase	✓	Stew	1	11	6
			13	3	4

		£	s.	d.
		13	3	4
Daniel Farrell ✓	Coffins	1	7	6
B. Manning ✓	Election		13	6
Rev. R. Galvin ✓	Wine		12	✓
John Cowley ✓	Prom Oats &c	1	-	4 <sup>00</sup>
		<u>16</u>	<u>16</u>	<u>8</u>

Isaac Flower

July 15 - -

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

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

Gentlemen

The Dens Windows &c of the Work  
 No order house require a good deal of repairs -  
 Bidget Jagun refuses to have her  
 To be imm- child vaccinated  
 The store is dangerous to the Public in  
 To be consequence of kicking and biting  
 Muzzled No order

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 60 Dated 3<sup>rd</sup> Instant from the Poor Law Com<sup>rs</sup> calling for the usual monthly Rate Return;

Circular Dated 7<sup>th</sup> inst. from Poor Law Com<sup>rs</sup> relating Milk Contractors, who are liable to Penalties for supplying adulterated Milk;

Letter Dated 13<sup>th</sup> inst from Poor Law Com<sup>rs</sup> forwarding for payment the Returning Officers Election act. amounting to 13/6;

Letter Dated 15<sup>th</sup> instant from Poor Law Com<sup>rs</sup> relative to the Resolution passed by the Board of Guardians on the 4<sup>th</sup> inst: in reference to the complaint preferred against the Master of the Workhouse by a pauper inmate named Hugh Mooney;

The Com<sup>rs</sup> state that they are unable to concur with the Guardians in thinking that the Master's explanation is sufficiently satisfactory, but with a view to meeting the wishes of the Guardians the Com<sup>rs</sup> will not object to allow Mr Flower a further trial on the understanding that if he ever again

exhibits neglect of duty of a similar nature to that which transpired, at the recent enquiry it will be necessary to remove him from his office by an Order under their seal;

In reference to the above letter the Chairman drew up the following Resolution which was unanmously adopted by the Board

Resolved - That the Board of Guardians have read with considerable surprise and regret the letter of the Poor Law Comm<sup>rs</sup> with reference to the charges brought by Hugh Noney against their master, Mr Flower, in which the Com<sup>rs</sup> while yielding to the wishes of the Guardians in allowing them to retain Mr Flowers services yet they repeat their dissatisfaction with Mr Flowers conduct during the inclement season of the spring and winter, and express this feeling with a threat that a repetition of the course adopted by the master would be followed by instant dismissal by Sealed Order;

As Mr Flower has incurred this displeasure for obeying the orders of the Chairman of the Board who directed that all applicants for shelter of the Poor House should be admitted and permitted to remain during the continuance of the snow and severe weather which rendered travelling impossible, or at least dangerous to human life, and as the Board unanmously concurred with their Chairman in this order they accept the entire responsibility of this course, and regard the Com<sup>rs</sup> censure as bearing with undue severity on the Master of the Workhouse;

Passed unanmously

Read Letter from Poor Law Com<sup>rs</sup> dated 17<sup>th</sup> instant requesting that the evidence taken by Mr Robinson, P.L.S. at the enquiry recently held by him, may be returned to their office;

Read Letter from Poor Law Com<sup>rs</sup> dated 17<sup>th</sup> instant requesting that the Return called for by their letter of the 28<sup>th</sup> Ultimo may be forwarded to them as speedily as possible.

Read Letter from the Union Treasurer dated 7 inst stating that the Directors of the Bank have sanctioned the Guardians overdrawing their account to the extent of £500, at the rate of 5 per cent on the daily balances,

Read Letter from the Matron of the Workhouse asking leave of absence for a fortnight; The schoolmistress having consented to attend to the matrons duties during that period

Leave granted

Read Letter from the Nurse of the Workhouse Infirmary asking permission for her daughter to stop with her for a fortnight -

Leave granted

Read Letter from the Board of Guardians of Coleraine Union enclosing a copy of a Petition to Parliament in favour of placing County fees on the same basis as Poor Rates,

Adopted

Read Letter from Daniel Lige Eyre requesting to have the following alterations made in the Rate Book for the Electoral Division of Glebeah -

- ✓ 1 - The holding of Francis Foole Upper Ballymannus is added to Mr Clements holding - same townland,
- ✓ 2 - The holding of Peter Byrne Ballymote is added to Arthur Wetherington's holding - same townland;
- ✓ 3 - John Mulhall, Lower Ballymannus, holds one half of Edward Mcmillens holding, same townland;
- ✓ 4 - Mr Vincent Clements <sup>holds</sup> Mr Maddens in Ballymote and Lower Ballymannus;
- ✓ 5 - Mr John Clements jun now holds Mr Arthur Fishers farm,
- ✓ 6 - Janet Murphy holds the house lately occupied by Thos. Coker,

Ordered that the clerk shall make the required alterations;

The clerk produced the New Rate Books, which were signed by the Chairman and two of the Guardians.

Attest Wm Byrne Chairman  
 J. J. Murphy  
 James Fogarty

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186  
(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

*Clerk of the Union.*

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the RATHDRUM UNION, on  
Tuesday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186 \_\_\_\_\_,—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

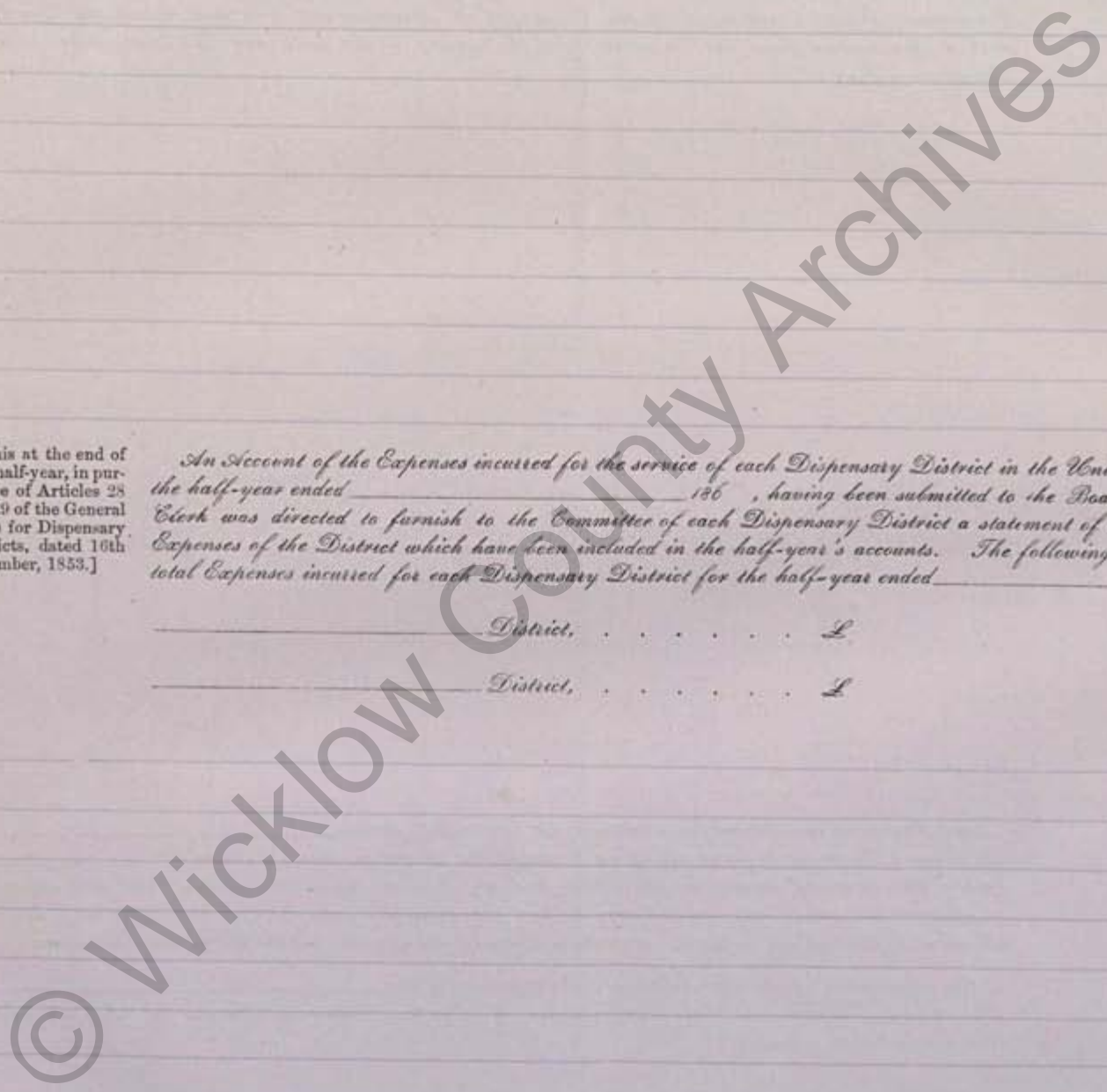
Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount £

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £

\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £



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

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected, and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2, and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committee; 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 Poor Law Commissioners dated 8<sup>th</sup> instant stating that

enclosing for the information of the Guardians a copy of a Letter which they have addressed to the Hon<sup>ble</sup> Secy. of Rathfriland Dispensary Committee sanctioning the appointment of Dr Manning as Medical Officer of the District at a Salary of £75 per annum.

Read Letter from the Poor Law Comm<sup>rs</sup> dated 8<sup>th</sup> inst stating that the Lord Lieutenant has sanctioned the borrowing of a sum of £1628-10-0 for the purpose of providing a New Cemetery at Arklow and fencing and fencing the two old Burial Grounds; The Comm<sup>rs</sup> have given directions for the issue of an Order authorizing the Guardians to levy the cost on the Arklow Electoral Division.

Allen & Byrne Chairman

Wm. J. Fogarty  
James Fogarty

(Signed)

B. Manning

Clerk of the Union.

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# RATHDRUM UNION.

157

Population in 1861, 43 387

Present Net Annual Value, £130476.14.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 22 day of June 1867

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	743	317														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds, . . . . .	80	14														
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>823</b>	<b>331</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			77	108	6	42	13	15	27	39	26	353	In Work-house Hospital, 62 In Fever Hospital, 14 Total, 76	In separate Wards, 15 In Wards with other Inmates, 3 Total, 18		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			25	8	2	"	2	2	2	1	3	45				
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>102</b>	<b>116</b>	<b>8</b>	<b>42</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>29</b>	<b>398</b>				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			34	14	1	1	1	3	3	3	4	64				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	1	"	1	"	"	"	1	3				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			34	14	2	1	2	3	3	3	5	67				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			68	102	6	41	13	14	26	37	24	331				

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 19 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	53	114	William Manning.
No. II.	47	110	Robert Manning.
No. III.	49	103	George Take.
No. IV.	29	43	Peter Moran.
TOTALS.	178	370	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 25<sup>th</sup> day of June 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair, Andrew Wm. Byrne Esq. JP.

Other Guardians:

Messrs Wm. Gilbert & James Fogarty

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2638 to No. 2836 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,

Paid during the week,

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

£ - - - -  
 £ 23 : 12 : 6  
 £ 73 : 9 : 1

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

Name of each Collector	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts	Declarations Collected and Lodged incollectable			Total		Remaining		Total	
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle, Upper,	1	2	8				19	6	
	„ Lower,									
	Kilcoole,									
	Altidore,									
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Killiskey,				1	2	8			
	Glendalough,									19
	Calary,									6
	Brockagh,									
	Ballycullan,									
	Oldtown,									
	Togher,			6						
EDWARD BYRNE,	Moneystown,									
	Wicklow,	15	16	5						
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Glanealy,		8	2						
	Dunganstown, East,				16	4	7			
FRANCIS ANNESLEY,	„ West,			4						
	„ South,						4			
	Ennercelly,									
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Kilbride,		1	2						
	Arklow,	1	5	10				2	19	9
WILLIAM LOUGHIN,					1	5	10			
	Cronebane,		1	6						
	Ballyarthur,		3	9						
WILLIAM SMYTH,	Ovoea,		12							
	Rathdrum,	5	5	6						
WILLIAM SMYTH,	Knockrath,	4	15	10				5	3	
	Trooperstown,									
	Ballinderry,		9	2						
	Ballinaclash,			7						
	Ballinacor,									
	Aughrim,		1	9						
	Totals.				30	8	2			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 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 £ 67 " 18 s. 5 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	57	16	10
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	1
Average cost in Infirmary,		3	2
Average cost in Fever Hospital,		4	8

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

1320 Tonnes Bread	1 Pair Wheels for Piny Carts
15 cwt Oatmeal	36 Pair Slippers
120 gals Buttermilk	150 yds Check
275 " Newmilk	2 yds Tape
7 lbs Prunes	20 Pair mens shoes
230 " Meat	
42 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 22 day of June 67 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, . . . . .	20	10	4
In Kind, . . . . .			
Total, . . . . .	£20	10	4

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer
		£ s. d.
No. I.	William Manning,	15
No. II.	Robert Manning,	10
No. III.	George Tuke,	15
No. IV.	Peter Moran,	
TOTAL,		40

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
Rev <sup>c</sup> St Gallmuth	7	10	-
" R Galvin	15	-	-
Bromanning	25	-	-
Bromanning	20	-	-
Do	2	10	-
Mary Flower	7	10	-
Cath <sup>rs</sup> Byrne	7	10	-
Chas <sup>r</sup> Mundy	3	-	-
Edw <sup>r</sup> Tallon	3	-	-
John Kilfoy	3	-	-
Jane Elliott	5	-	-
Ellen Curran	3	15	-
W <sup>m</sup> Manning	8	15	-
R <sup>m</sup> Manning	8	15	-
George Tuke	8	15	-
Peter Moran	10	-	-
D <sup>r</sup> Hatch	22	10	-
" DeStrange	20	-	-
" Banks	25	-	-
" Kearney	18	15	-
" Sherwood	20	-	-
" Huson	20	-	-
" McFelland	22	10	-
" Manning	18	15	-
Simon Smith	2	10	-
Assessed Rent			

		£	s.	d.
<i>Infurans of Clerk to pay</i>				
May Doyle	Wages	Arklow	1	5 -
Wm Byrne	"	Ashford	1	- -
Sarah Neal	"	"	1	- -
Amie Weeks	"	Avonham	15	-
H. Wbank	"	"	7	6
E Thompson	"	Dungton	1	2 6
M Fenester	"	Kentridge	1	- -
E Johnson	"	Newcastle	15	-
C. Reeves	"	Rathfriland	1	00 -
		<i>Z</i>	8	15 -

Eliza Byrne		Ment	53	- 14
J. Sweeney		Sany Exp	2	6 0
Jas Fogarty	Rent Vacc <sup>m</sup> Depot -	Rathfriland	10	- -
John Farley		Oatmeal	22	- 9

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

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

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

Order relating to the opening of a New Cemetery and fencing and putting in order two old burial grounds at Arklow; and authorizing the levying of a Rate on the Electoral Division of Arklow to defray the expenses of borrowing a sum of £1628-10-0 to execute said works, and also repaying the same with interest thereon;

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):

Read Letter from the Poor Law Comm<sup>rs</sup> dated 24<sup>th</sup> instant in reference to the Guardians Resolution of the 18<sup>th</sup> instant relative to the result of the recent inquiry held at the Workhouse by Mr Robinson:

The Comm<sup>rs</sup> regret the countenance given by the Guardians to the Master's conduct on the occasion from which the complaint arose, and repeat their warning that should a similar occurrence again take place they will remove the Master from his office;

Proposed by Mr Gilbert and seconded by Mr Fogarty  
Resolved.

That the Board of Guardians feel called on to advise the Poor Law Comm<sup>rs</sup> that the Order referred to concerning the reception of applicants for shelter during the heavy snow and for permission for such to remain during its continuance was given at the usual meeting of the Board and with the unanimous approval of the Guardians - and in no case has the Chairman ever interfered except when performing his duties in the Choir;

The Master's illness at the time prevented his having the applicants removed from the Probationary Work immediately, and the accident which suddenly cut off the supply of water occasioned some delay in the usual ablutions; But the Guardians cannot admit that in sustaining an honest and faithful Officer they in any way endanger the well working of the establishment in which they have ever taken so deep an interest;

Read Letter from Poor Law Comm<sup>rs</sup> dated 24 inst: in reference to a report of the Master of the Workhouse relative to the repairing of the Windows and Doors of the Workhouse, and requesting that the Guardians will make the necessary order on the subject.

Order that the Master shall make out a list of the particular repairs which he deems necessary to have done and that on next Board day a committee of the Guardians be appointed to inspect the same and decide upon the nature of the repairs to be executed, and that on their report being received, advertisements be issued inviting parties to tender for said works;

Order that the following arrears of the Old Rate be taken off the Books, being irrecoverable in consequence of having been ascertained on unoccupied houses, and houses occupied by paupers viz:

✓ Newcastle Upper	1 = 2 = 8	✓ Ballyantrum	3 = 9
✓ Toghav	6	✓ Oveca	12 = 0
✓ Wicklow	15 = 16 = 5	✓ Rathfrim	5 = 5 = 6
✓ Glenealy	8 = 2	✓ Knavelrath	4 = 18 = 10
✓ Danganstown West	4	✓ Ballinbegny	9 = 2
✓ Kilbride	1 = 2	✓ Ballinaclesh	7
✓ Kellow	1 = 5 = 10	✓ Hughrim	1 = 9
✓ Cronbane	1 = 6		<u>£ 30 = 8 = 2</u>

Patrick Kelly  
 Amm Dagh  
 Wm Gilbert D. V. C.

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the RATHDRUM UNION, on  
Tuesday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186 \_\_\_\_\_, —continued.

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

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

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

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



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

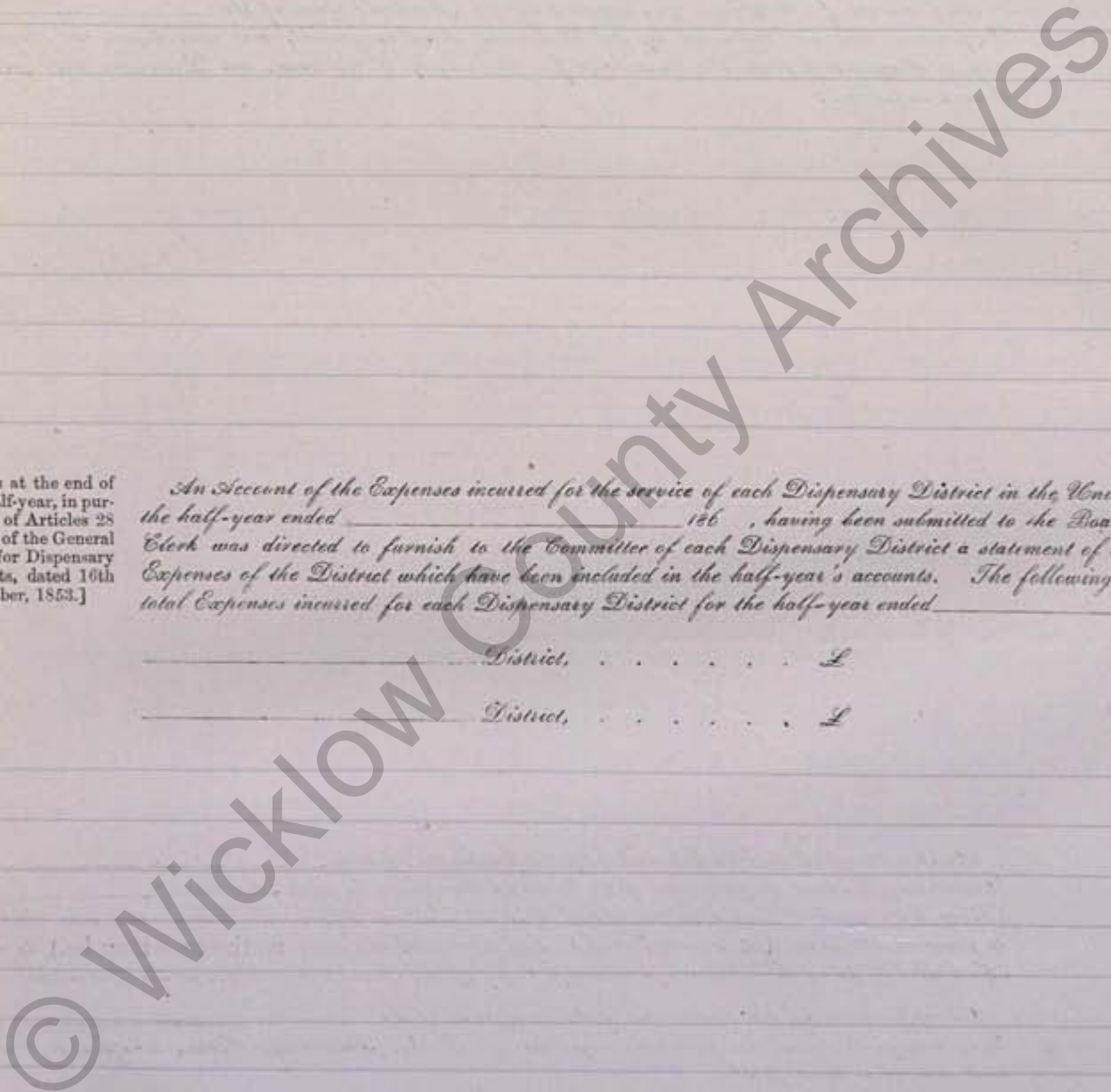
Dispensary District,

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

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

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

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



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

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

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

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

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

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

Recd. Letter from \_\_\_\_\_  
stating that

dated \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Union.

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RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1861, 113381

Present Net Annual Value, £130476-14-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 29 day of June 1867

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 9 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .																
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	742	327														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	20														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
TOTAL, . . . . .		825														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			68	102	6	41	13	14	26	37	24	331	In Workhouse Hospital, 56 In Fever Hospital, 20 Total, 76	In separate Wards, 15 In Wards with other inmates, 3 Total, 18		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			22	18	4	1	1	5	2	5	4	62				
TOTAL, . . . . .			90	120	10	42	14	19	28	42	28	393				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			20	13	2	2	2	2	2	1	1	44				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	"	1	"	"	"	1	"	2				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			20	13	2	3	2	2	2	3	1	46				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			70	107	8	39	12	19	26	39	27	347				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 29 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. 81, s. 1		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	53	114	William Manning.
No. II.	45	104	Robert Manning.
No. III.	50	116	George Take.
No. IV.	29	42	Peter Moran.
TOTALS,	177	376	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 2nd day of July 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair, Wm Gilbert Esq D V C

Other Guardians:

Andrew Wm Dwyer D, Owen Fogarty Esq  
+ Mr Patrick Keely:

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, Interest - £ 6 : ✓ : 4

Baid during the week, - - - - - £ 45 : 8 : 3

And that the Balance on the Account Against the Guardians was £ 429 : 7 : 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 <i>Anems</i>			Total		
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle, Upper,												
	„ Lower,												
	Kilcoole,												
	Altidore,												
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Killiskey,												
	Glendalough,												
	Calary,												
	Brockagh,												
	Ballycullan,												
	Oldtown,												
EDWARD BYRNE,	Togher,												
	Moneystown,												
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Wicklow,												
	Glanealy,												
FRANCIS ANNESLEY,	Dunganstown, East,												
	„ West,												
	„ South,												
THOMAS BIRRHISTLE,	Ennereilly,												
	Kilbride,												
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Arklow,												
	Cronebane,												
	Ballyarthur,												
WILLIAM SMYTH,	Ovoea,												
	Rathdrum,												
	Knockrath,												
	Trooperstown,												
	Ballinderry,												
	Ballinaclash,												
	Ballinacor,												
Aughrim,													
<i>Totals.</i>													

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

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



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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 50 - 13 s. 3 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	57	12	9
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,		3	2
Average cost in Fever Hospital,		4	8

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

1300 Loaves Bread	Plasterer 2 days
230 lbs Meat	
40 Sheep's heads	
270 Galls <sup>of</sup> Buttermilk	
7 lbs Butter	
120 Galls 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 29 day of June — whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - - - - -	20	1	10
In Kind, - - - - -			
Total, - - - - -	£ 20	1	10

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer
		£ s. d.
No. I.	William Manning,	15
No. II.	Robert Manning,	
No. III.	George Tuke,	
No. IV.	Peter Moran,	
TOTAL,		

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Believing Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

John Sweeney  
John O'Brien  
Daniel Farrell

	£	s.	d.
Sundry Exp <sup>ts</sup>	6	10	3
Groceries	114	16	2
Coffins	2	12	-

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

*The Reports of the Muster 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 Dated 1<sup>st</sup> inst. from Poor Law Comrs calling for usual monthly Rate Returns;

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 1<sup>st</sup> instant in reference to the question of payment to Dr Hatch of a sum of £2.2.0 for expenses in attending as a witness at the inquiring recently held at the Workhouse and enclosing Copies of Communications which the Comrs have received from Dr Hatch and Mr Brett, County Surveyor, from which it appears that the distance from Dr Hatch's residence to the Workhouse is under 10 statute miles; the Comrs therefore presume that the Guardians will no longer refuse to pay Dr Hatch's expenses.

Ordered that the Consideration of this letter be referred to the Finance Committee with a request that they will take steps to ascertain the exact distance from the Workhouse to Dr Hatch's Residence.

Recd Circular from Poor Law Comrs dated 27 Ultimo calling for Returns of Rates lodged since the 18<sup>th</sup> of May last

Recd Letter from the medical Officer of the  
Workhouse applying for leave of absence for one day  
Dr Restall having consented to perform his duties  
during his absence,

Leave granted

And in Witness Whereof

Silvester Barrett.

Wm. Gilbert

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186  
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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the RATHDRUM UNION, on  
Tuesday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186 \_\_\_\_\_,—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and  
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Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board,  
with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given  
thereon as follows:*

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

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

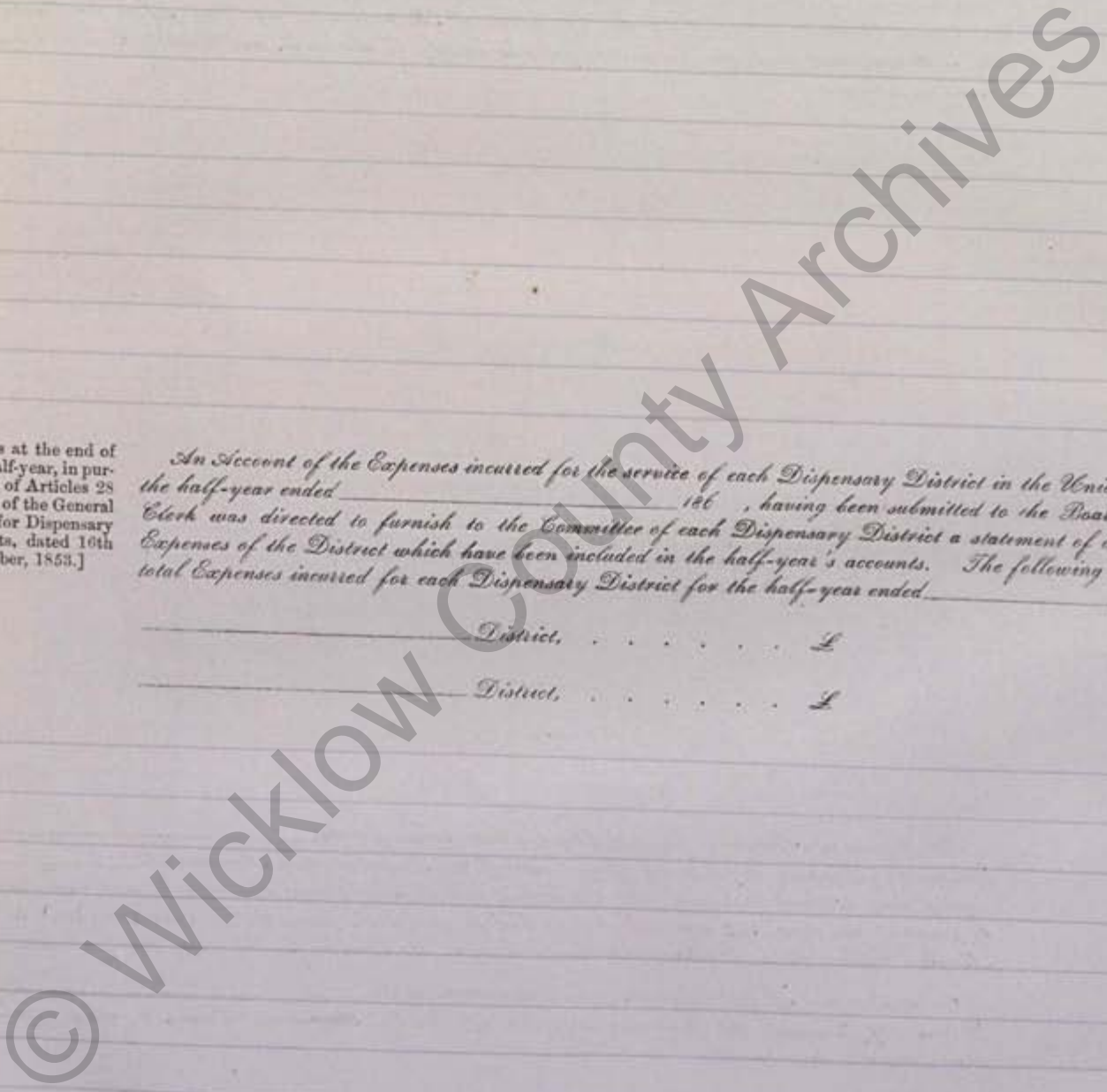
The following Accounts of expenses, (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

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

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £  
\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £



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

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

(Signed)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Union.

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# RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1861, 13381

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 6 day of July 1867

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, . . . . .	743	309														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . . .	80	20														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
TOTAL, . . . . .	823	329														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			70	107	8	39	12	19	26	39	24	31	17	In Work-house Hospital, } 61 In Fever Hospital, } 20 Total, } 81	In separate Wards, } 15 In Wards with other Inmates, } 3 Total, } 18	
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			15	13	11	3	1	11	1	2	5	18				
TOTAL, . . . . .			85	120	12	12	13	23	27	11	32	39				
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			18	19	5	2	3	6	4	1	8	66				
Died, . . . . .																
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			18	19	5	2	3	6	4	1	8	66				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			67	101	7	10	10	17	23	10	24	32				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6 day of July 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		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	54	116	William Manning.
No. II.	46	112	Robert Manning.
No. III.	57	112	George Tuke.
No. IV.	27	36	Peter Moran.
TOTALS,	178	376	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 9th day of July 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

There was no Business on this day only two Guardians — Hon: Mr Proby & Mr Gilbert Edge — being present,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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:

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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, - - - - - £ : :  
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ : :  
 And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £ : :  
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.  
 The Weekly Balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

# Rate made 18<sup>3/16</sup> June 1867

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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	Amount of Collection Lodged		Amount of Rate Collected		Total	
		£	s. d.	£	s. d.	£	s. d.
PATRICK FARRELL,	Newcastle, Upper,	209	12 1	-	19 6	210	11 7
	„ Lower,	243	8 -			243	8 -
	Kilcoole,	227	18 4			227	18 4
	Altidore,	45	5 4			45	5 4
	Killiskey,	93	16 6			93	16 6
			520	- 3	-	19 6	520
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,	54	16 9			54	16 9
	Calary,	28	3 4			28	3 4
	Brockagh,	393	5 5			393	5 5
	Ballycullan,	37	5 2			37	5 2
	Oldtown,	128	17 10			128	17 10
	Togher,	46	9 10			46	9 10
	Moneystown,	43	9 2			43	9 2
			732	7 6	-	-	732
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	936	17 1			936	17 1
	Glanealy,	327	10 -			327	10 -
		1266	7 1	-	-	1266	7 1
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown, East,	257	13 1			257	13 1
	„ West,	189	5 2			189	5 2
	„ South,	265	15 9			265	15 9
		706	14 -	-	-	706	14 -
FRANCIS ANNESLEY,	Ennereilly,	90	16 9			90	16 9
	Kilbride,	183	- 4			183	- 4
		273	17 1			273	17 1
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,	1525	3 9	2	19 9	1528	3 6
		1525	3 9	2	19 9	1528	3 6
WILLIAM LOUGHAN,	Cronebane,	205	11 5			205	11 5
	Ballyarthur,	159	6 -			159	6 -
	Ovoen,	450	17 -			450	17 -
		815	14 5	-	-	815	14 5
WILLIAM SMYTH,	Rathdrum,	577	10 2			577	10 2
	Knockrath,	68	1 3	-	5 3	68	6 6
	Trooperstown,	28	7 3			28	7 3
	Ballinderry,	80	9 3			80	9 3
	Ballinaclash,	186	17 6			186	17 6
	Ballinaeor,	122	15 7			122	15 7
	Aughrim,	155	- 7			155	- 7
		1189	1 1	-	5 3	1189	6 4
Totals,		7327	5 2	4	4 6	7331	9 8

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

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

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

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

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

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

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . .

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

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

Average cost in Infirmary, . . . . .

Average cost in Fever Hospital, . . . . .

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

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

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

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

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

In Money, - . . . . .

In Kind, - . . . . .

Total, . . . . . £

Credit each Believing Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	William Manning,			
No. II.	Robert Manning,			
No. III.	George Tuke,			
No. IV.	Peter Moran,			
TOTAL,				

*Credit Treasurer with Cheques.*

*Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.*

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

£   s.   d.

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

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

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186  
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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the RATHDRUM UNION, on  
Tuesday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186 \_\_\_\_\_, —continued.

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

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

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

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



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

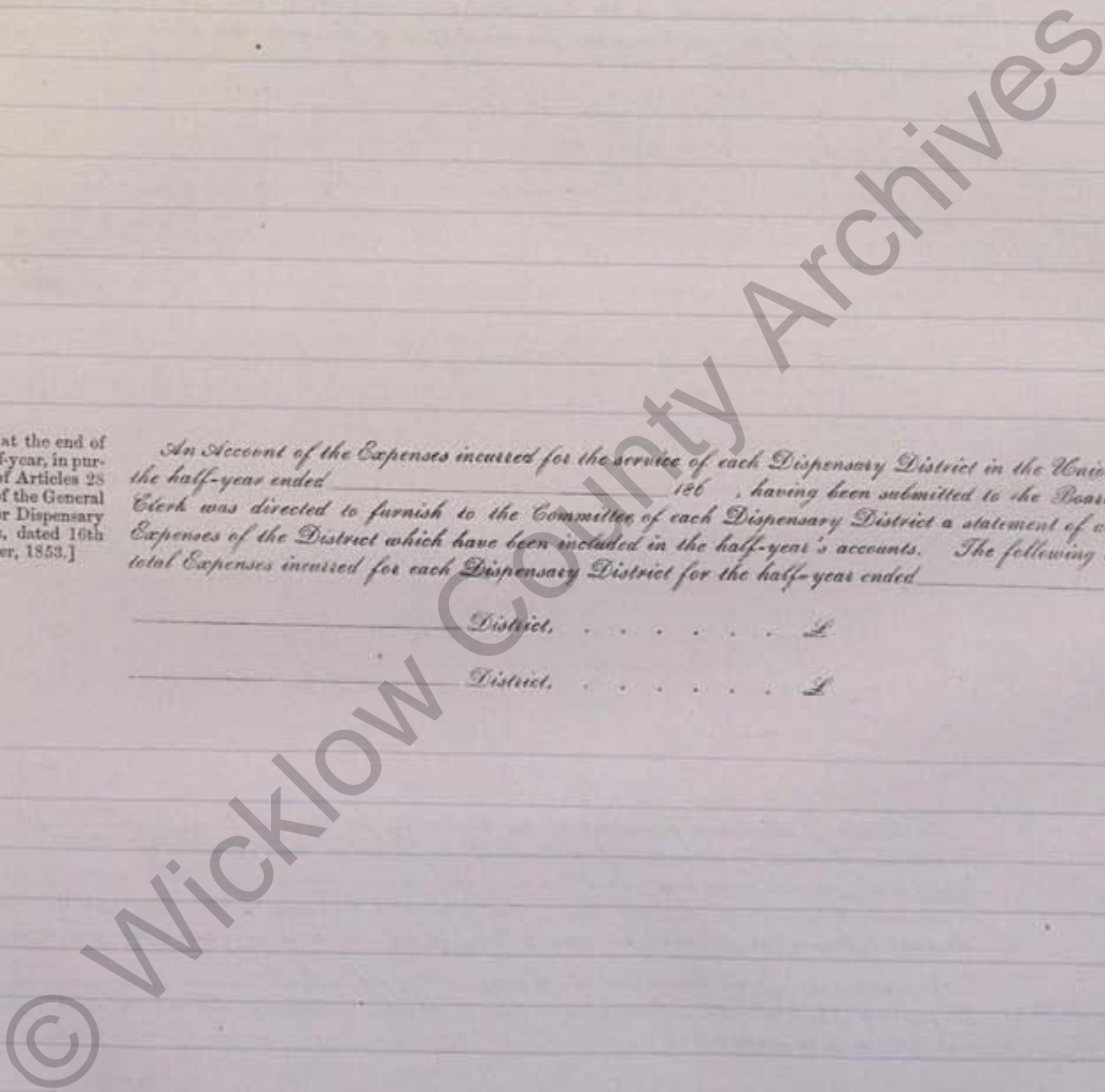
\_\_\_\_\_ Dispensary District,  
Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount £ \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £ \_\_\_\_\_

\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £ \_\_\_\_\_



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

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

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

of \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

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

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# RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1861, 43381

Present Net Annual Value, £130476-14-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 13 day of July 1867

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	743	296														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	14														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
TOTAL, . . . . .	823	310														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			67	100	7	40	10	17	23	10	24	329	In Work-house Hospital, 49	In separate Wards, 15		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			11	13	1			1	1	4	2	1	In Fever Hospital, 14	In Wards with other inmates, 3		
TOTAL, . . . . .			78	114	8	40	11	18	27	42	25	363	Total, 63	Total, 18		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			18	16	3	1	1	1	2	6	3	51				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	2	"	"	"	"	"	"	2				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			18	16	5	1	1	1	2	6	3	53				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			60	98	3	39	10	17	25	36	22	310				

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
No. I.	54	116	William Manning.
No. II.	46	112	Robert Manning.
No. III.	51	112	George Tuke.
No. IV.	27	36	Peter Moran.
TOTALS,	178	376	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 16 day of July 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair, Andrew Mc Dwyne Esq R

Other Guardians:

Messrs Wm Gilbert, Owen Fogarty and Silvester Bank

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2839 to No. 2866, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, . . . . . £ 199 — —

Paid during the week, . . . . . £ 100 10 9

And that the Balance on the Account Against the Guardians was £ 441 1 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 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 £ 56 - 5 s. 6 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	55	10	8
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	1 1/2
Average cost in Infirmary,		3	6
Average cost in Fever Hospital,		4	10

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:

2 weeks	
2400 Loaves Bread	48 Chickens
10 cwt Rice	48 Eggs
12 doz Porter	2 suits Clothes
4 h Int Wine	1 Barrel Oats
2 Galls Whiskey	4 cocks Hay
320 " Newmilk	7 lbs Chancel
14 lbs Butter	1 hide Down Leather
224 Galls Buttermilk	
456 lbs meat	
78 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 12 day of July, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, . . . . .	20	3	4
In Kind, . . . . .			
Total, . . . . .	£20	3	4

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer
		£ s. d.
No. I.	William Manning,	15
No. II.	Robert Manning,	10
No. III.	George Take,	15
No. IV.	Peter Moran,	10
TOTAL,		50

Credit Treasurers with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
N. Strange	Reg <sup>n</sup> Fees	6	1	-
W. Manning	do	3	18	6
R. Manning	do	1	12	-
In favour of Clerk to pay				
B. Manning	Postage	18	6	
J. Sweeney	Sanitary	1	9	-
do	do	1	9	-
Irish Times	Advertg	1	7	-
Isaac Flower	Repairs	8	-	
		5	11	6
Eliza Telford	mtu Blind girl	5	-	-
Isaac Flower	Chickens & Eggs	2	18	10


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

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

Gentlemen

I beg to call your attention to the necessity of some steps being taken with a view to the issue of a New Scaled order fixing the numbers that each Ward to will accommodate; From the present order it would appear that there was accommodation for about 250 paupers more than were in the Work-house last Winter; From my own experience of the very limited accommodation at that time I beg to state that ~~four of the healthy Wards are set down to accommodate but 1144, on further examination it will be found~~ a very serious mistake must exist; as an instance I beg to state that four of the healthy Wards are set down to accommodate 212 paupers while four others of the same ground space are set down to accommodate but 1144; On further examination it will be found that these remarks will apply to other Wards with equal force; Further, cubic space may exist but if there is not ground space in proportion the former is not available, as in the case of the 8 wards

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

reference to but 18 beds can be placed in any one of them.

Ordered to be referred to the Commissioners

I have also to report that at least 30 windows and 10 doors of the Workhouse require repairs, some a good deal and others but trifling; I would suggest the propriety of employing a Carpenter by the day instead of contracting; I should think that one man for about a month would be sufficient to do all in a satisfactory manner, and in cases where the top sashes are bad the  $30^{\text{th}}$  inch lower sashes might be opened instead, which has been adopted in many cases

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):

Recd Letter from Poor Law Commrs dated 5<sup>th</sup> instant requesting to be furnished with a Schedule of the areas of the Old Rate struck off the Rate Books by the Guardians, showing in each case the names of the parties and the amount due, as also the grounds on which the Rate is deemed to be uncollectable;

Recd Letter from Workhouse Infirmary Nurse asking leave for her youngest child to reside with her until she makes arrangements for sending her to school.

Leave granted for one month —

And to Paym

Wm. Pitt  
 Geo. H. Gray

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the

day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the RATHDRUM UNION, on  
Tuesday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186 \_\_\_\_\_, —continued.

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District,

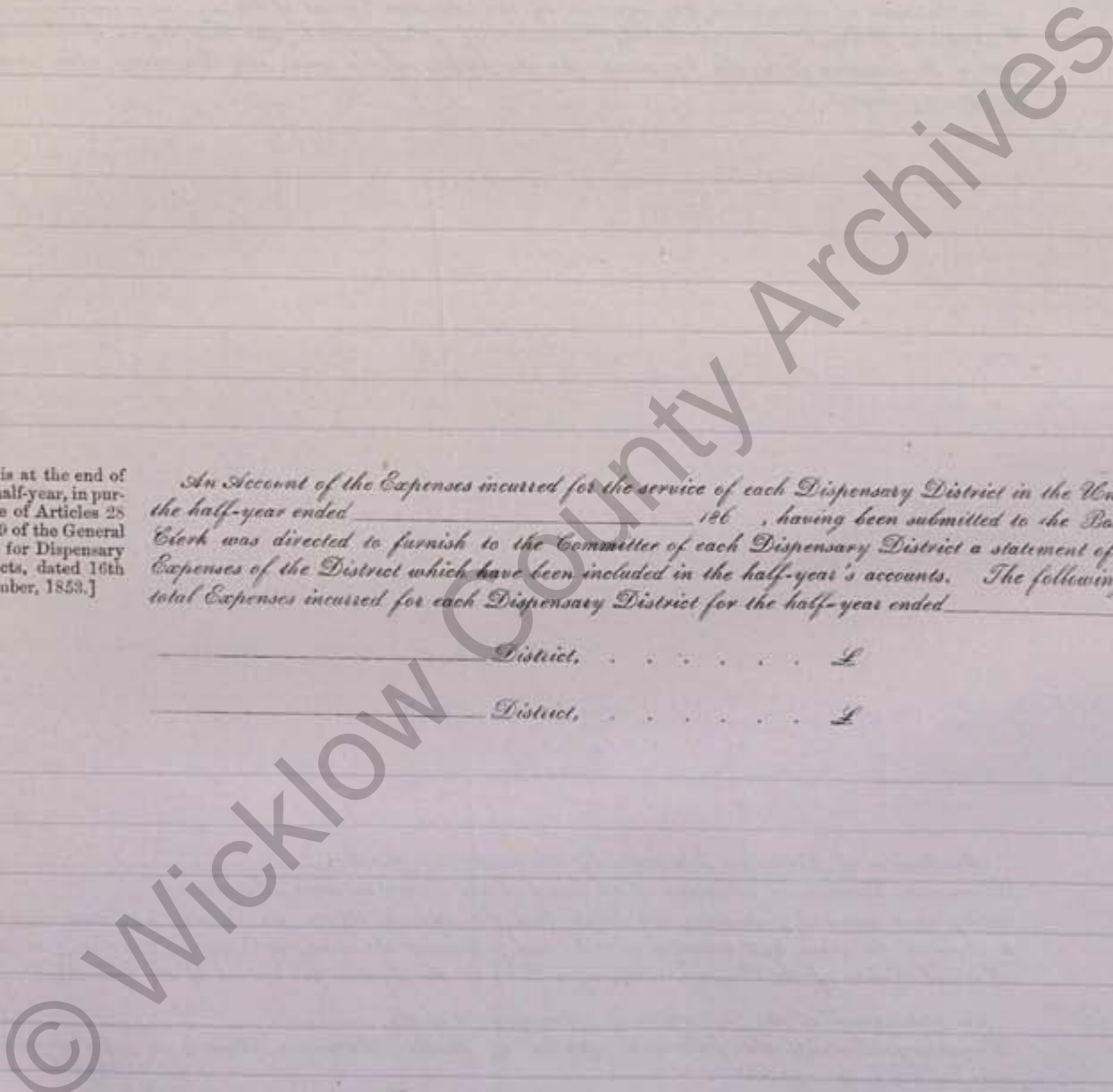
Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount £

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

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

District, . . . . . £

District, . . . . . £



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

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

Dispensary Committee enclosing the following Res<sup>n</sup> passed at a meeting of the Committee held on the 11<sup>th</sup> instant

Resolved — That Dr. Strange's resignation of the accepted office of Medical Officer of Dublin Dispensary District be accepted, and that a special meeting of the Committee be summoned for Thursday the 18<sup>th</sup> of July, 1867 to take into consideration the appointing of a temporary successor to Dr. Strange;

Approved by the Guardians

And Wm Payne Chairman  
P. Manning — Clerk —

And Wm Payne Chm

Wm. Gilbert

Edw. J. Payne

(Signed)

P. Manning

Clerk of the Union.

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# RATHDRUM UNION.

191

Population in 1861, 113381

Present Net Annual Value, £130476-14-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 20 day of July 1867

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each Building	Total No. in each Building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 5 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	743	303														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .	80	19														
Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>823</b>	<b>322</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			60	98	3	39	10	17	25	36	22	310	In Workhouse Hospital, 148	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 15		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			20	8	14	2	3	4	6	4	3	64	In Fever Hospital, 19	Total, 3		
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>80</b>	<b>106</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>21</b>	<b>31</b>	<b>40</b>	<b>25</b>	<b>374</b>	<b>Total, 67</b>	<b>Total, 18</b>		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			17	13	2	2	2	1	7	3	3	50				
Died, . . . . .						1					1	2				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			17	13	2	3	2	1	7	3	4	52				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			63	93	15	38	11	20	24	37	21	322				

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	No.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		NAME OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
		Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
I.	55	115	William Manning.	
II.	46	108	Robert Manning.	
III.	52	117	George Tuke.	
IV.	27	36	Peter Moran.	
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>180</b>	<b>376</b>		

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 23 day of July 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair, Andrew M. Dwyer Esq

Other Guardians: Messrs. M. Gilbert & Wm. Dwyer

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2867 to No. 3474, 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, - - - £523 · 10 : 0

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 39 : 2 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 483 : 16 : 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,	"	"	"				210	11	7			
	" Lower,	118	"	"				111	8	"			
	Kilcoole,	"	"	"				227	18	4			
	Altidore,	"	"	"				145	5	4			
	Killiskey,	36	"	"				57	16	6			
					84	"	"				682	19	9
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,	"	"	"				52	16	9			
	Calary,	"	"	"				28	3	4			
	Brockagh,	252	"	"				115	5	5			
	Ballycullan,	17	"	"				20	5	2			
	Oldtown,	"	"	"				121	17	10			
	Togher,	"	"	"				46	9	10			
	Moneystown,	"	"	"				113	9	2			
					269	"	"				1428	7	1
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	"	"	"				936	7	1			
	Glancealy,	"	"	"				327	10	"			
											1264	7	1
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown, East,	12	5	"				210	18	1			
	" West,	9	"	"				113	10	2			
	" South,	30	5	"				228	15	9			
					51	10	"				583	4	"
FRANCIS ANNESLEY,	Ennereilly,	"	"	"				90	16	9			
	Kilbride,	"	"	"				115	"	11			
											235	17	1
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,	80	"	"				1148	3	6			
					80	"	"				1148	3	6
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,	"	"	"				205	11	5			
	Ballyarthur,	"	"	"				159	6	"			
	Ovoea,	"	"	"				150	17	"			
											815	14	5
WILLIAM SMYTH,	Rathdrum,	39	"	"				508	10	2			
	Knockrath,	"	"	"				68	6	6			
	Trooperstown,	"	"	"				28	7	3			
	Ballinderry,	"	"	"				80	9	3			
	Ballinaclash,	"	"	"				186	17	6			
	Ballinacor,	"	"	"				122	15	7			
	Aughrim,	"	"	"				155	"	7			
					39	"	"				1150	6	4
											6608	19	8
	Totals,				523	10	"				6608	19	8

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 42 - 18 s. v d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	57	5	4
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	3	1	
Average cost in Infirmary,	3	6	
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	4	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:

120 c Loaves Bread	6 Dyz. Poter
110 Gall. Renthemilk	10 Cart Rice
260 " Newmilk	3 " Sugar
7 lbs Poter	
240 " Meat	Assistant for 2 weeks
36 Sheep Lents	

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - . . . . .	20	3	10
In Kind, - . . . . .			
Total, - . . . . .	£ 20	3	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, cheques on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer
		£ s. d.
No. I.	William Manning,	15
No. II.	Robert Manning,	
No. III.	George Tuke,	
No. IV.	Peter Moran,	
TOTAL,		15

Credit Treasurers with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
John Harrington	Newmill	157	8	1
Joe Crowley	Outment	26	14	2
J. Flower	Daily Assistant	3	-	-
In favor of Clerk to pay				
Dr. Strahan	Medical fee	1	1	-
Mr. Sweeney	Sans Expenses	1	4	2
		2	5	2
Dr. Hatch	Expenses Mined	2	2	-

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£ s. d.

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

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

Gentlemen

Books 313  
Comd' 315

I Comd'ed and called the House on Friday last, a mistake of two existed which I have corrected and will have changed for during the time omitted; Approved

At the recommendation of the Medical Officer I respectfully ask permission for leave of absence for two weeks for the benefit of my health, a like application I have not made for 5 years and would not do so now only that I am still suffering from the effects of the severe attack under which I laboured during the past winter; The present time is the most convenient for my absence; The Master and other Officers will attend to the ordinary business of the House and the Books I will leave due up to the day  
Leave granted.



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

Sealed order dated 22 instant directing payment of £ 2-2-0 to be made to Mr. Hatch for expenses as witnessed in the inquiry held by Mr. Robinson into the charges preferred by Hugh Mowery against the Medical Officer and Master of the Workhouse.

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):

Dear Letter from Poor Law Commrs dated 17<sup>th</sup> inst. in reference to certain anomalies of Poor Rates ordered to be struck off the Books by the Guardians a schedule of which has been furnished to the Commrs; The Commrs inform the Guardians that the poverty of an occupier does not form a ground for declaring the Rate irrecoverable as the liability attaches as much to the tenement as to the party rated, and they point out the Guardians power in remitting Rates;

In reply the Guardians desire to inform the Commrs that in the instances in which the Rates have been remitted on account of the poverty of the parties rated, the premises on which the Rates were assessed are cabins on the Commons of Southwark occupied by squatters who are freeholders in the sense that they do not pay any rent and are not therefore likely to remove from these dwellings, some of which are little better than hovels. The Guardians consequently do not think it expedient to encumber the Rate Books with these Rates

which are certain never to be recovered; moreover it has been the practice for many years to remit these rates and the Guardians do not see any reason to depart from this established usage on this occasion more than on former ones;

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 22<sup>nd</sup> instant enclosing Sealed Order directing payment of a sum of £ 2-2-0 to Dr Hatch for expenses as Witness in the enquiry recently held at the Workhouse by Captain Robinson;

Ordered to be paid

Read Circular from Poor Law Com<sup>rs</sup> dated 18<sup>th</sup> in reference to the liability of houses furnished but not occupied to be rated to the Poor Rates.

Read Letter dated 16<sup>th</sup> instant from the Board of Guardians of Flogheen Union enclosing a copy of a Resolution passed by them in reference to a sum of £59,300. included in the Civil Service Estimate for the year 1867-8 for the purpose of defraying part of the Expenses under Medical Charities; and objecting to the manner in which the Poor Law Com<sup>rs</sup> propose to distribute this sum;

Ordered that this subject shall be brought under the consideration of the special meeting of the Guardians on the 30<sup>th</sup> inst;

Read a claim from Mr Wm Smith of Clonmannon, to be rated for a farm on Clonmannon valued at £ 15-15-0 formerly occupied by Mr Peter Doyle

Ordered that Mr Smiths request be complied with.

Read a communication from Dr Mahan of Rathfriland requesting payment of a fee of £ 1-1-0

for attending on a midwifery case to which he was called by the Relieving Officer

Ordered that £1.1.0 be paid to Dr. Strahan as his professional services were required and Dr. Strahan was employed by the Relieving Officer in consequence of Dr. Manning being engaged in a dangerous midwifery case at Hallinacree which he could not with safety abandon;

And to Byrne  
Chairman

Mr. Gilbert

Patrick Keef

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186  
(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the RATHDRUM UNION, on  
Tuesday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186 \_\_\_\_\_, —continued.

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

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

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

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



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

Dispensary District,

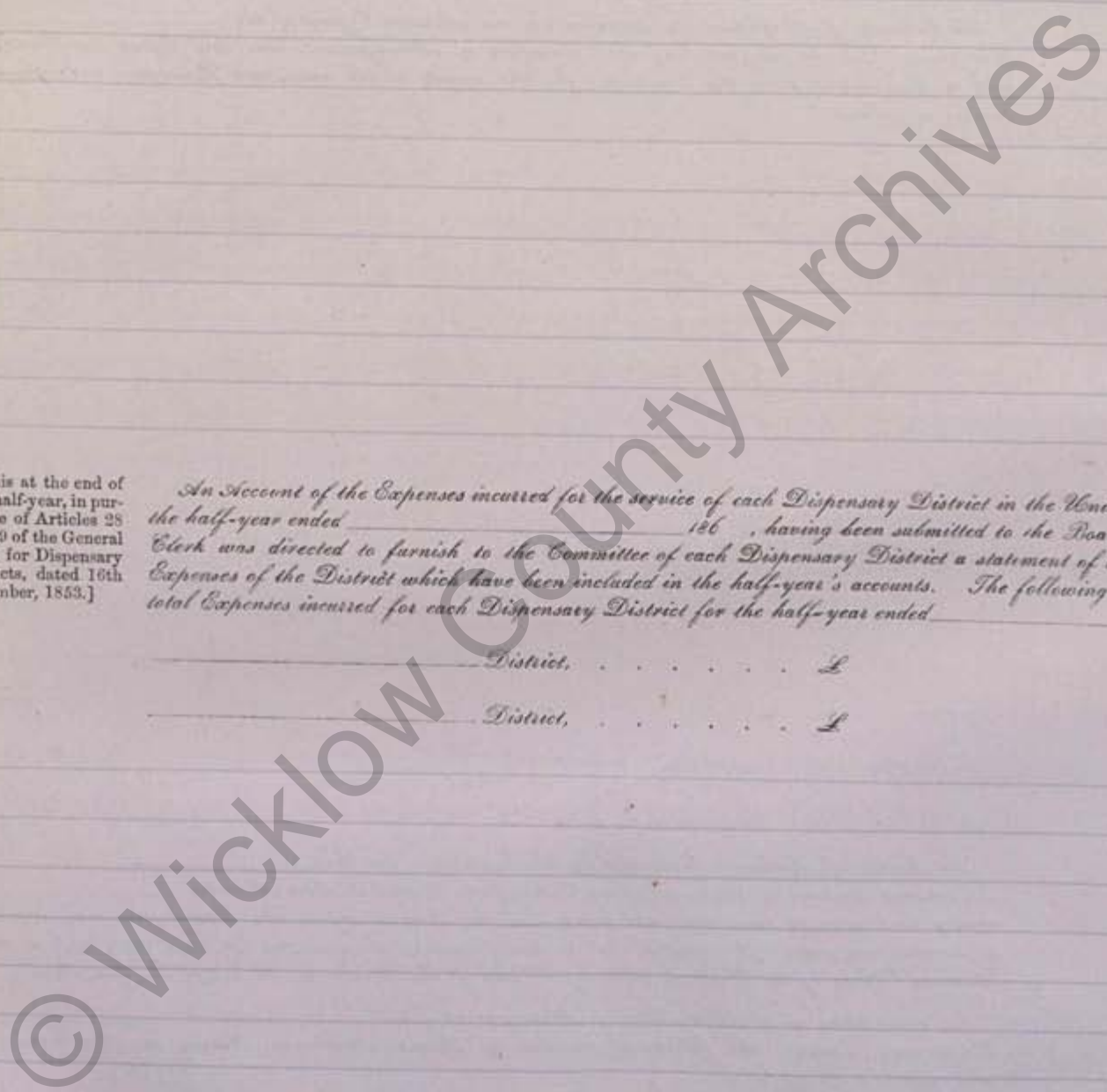
Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount £

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

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

District, . . . . . £

District, . . . . . £



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

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

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

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

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

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

Local Letter from \_\_\_\_\_  
stating that

dated \_\_\_\_\_

(Signed)

\_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Union.

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# RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1861, 43351

Present Net Annual Value, £130476. 14s = 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 27 day of July 1867

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, . . . . .																
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .	743	286														
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	19														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>823</b>	<b>305</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			63	93	15	38	11	20	24	37	21	322	In Work-house Hospital, 53	In separate Wards, 15		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			19	15	2	1	1	-	6	4	5	53	In Fever Hospital, 19	In Wards with other inmates, 3		
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>823</b>	<b>108</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>39</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>30</b>	<b>41</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>375</b>			<b>Total, 72</b>	<b>Total, 18</b>		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			26	15		1	2	3	7	6	6	66				
Died, . . . . .					4											
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			26	15	4	1	2	3	7	6	6	70				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			56	93	13	38	10	17	23	35	20	305				

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	53	113	William Manning.
No. II.	46	108	Robert Manning.
No. III.	50	107	George Tuke.
No. IV.	28	37	Peter Moran.
TOTALS,	177	365	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 30<sup>th</sup> day of July 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair Andrew Wm Byrne Esq 1 P

Other Guardians:

Hon. Capt. Proby 1 P  
 Wm Gilbert & George Manning Esqs  
 Messrs Silver Bank, Benj<sup>r</sup> Farrar,  
 John Woodroffe, James Fleming and  
 Lewis Byrne

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £293. 16. -

Paid during the week, - - - - - £257. 10. 3

And that the Balance on the Accounts in favor of the Guardians was £ 86. 2. 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,	"	"	"				210	11	7			
	" Lower,	"	"	"				141	8	"			
	Kilcoole,	"	"	"				227	18	4			
	Altidore,	"	"	"				115	5	4			
	Killiskey,	"	"	"				57	16	6			
					"	"	"				682	19	9
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,	"	"	"				52	16	9			
	Calary,	"	"	"				28	3	4			
	Brockagh,	"	"	"				115	5	5			
	Ballycullan,	"	"	"				20	5	2			
	Oldtown,	"	"	"				121	17	10			
	Togher,	"	"	"				116	9	10			
	Moneystown,	"	"	"				113	9	2			
					"	"	"				428	7	6
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	59	"	"				877	17	1			
	Glanealy,	"	"	"				327	10	"			
					59	"	"				1205	7	1
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown, East,	26	15	"				184	3	1			
	" West,	"	"	"				113	10	2			
	" South,	"	"	"				228	15	9			
					26	15	"				556	9	"
FRANCIS ANNESLEY,	Ennercilly,	13	"	"				77	16	9			
	Kilbride,	17	"	"				128	"	4			
					30	"	"				205	17	1
THOMAS BIRTHSTLE,	Arklow,	43	1	"				1105	2	6			
					43	1	"				1405	2	6
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,	100	"	"				105	11	5			
	Ballyarthur,	"	"	"				159	6	"			
	Ovoen,	"	"	"				115	0	7			
					100	"	"				715	14	5
WILLIAM SMYTH,	Rathdrum,	7	"	"				501	10	2			
	Knockrath,	"	"	"				68	6	6			
	Trooperstown,	3	"	"				25	7	3			
	Ballinderry,	"	"	"				80	9	3			
	Ballinaclesh,	25	"	"				161	17	6			
	Ballinacor,	"	"	"				122	15	1			
	Aughrim,	"	"	"				138	"	7			
					35	"	"				1115	6	4
Totals,								295	16	"	6453	8	

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

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



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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 60 " 9 s. 6 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	55	10	11
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	3	1	
Average cost in Infirmary,	3	6	
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	4	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:

1200 Loaves Bread	4 Dzs Port Wine
210 lbs meat	2 Galls Whiskey
36 Sheep heads	50 Bricke - Hance -
110 Galls Buttermilk	50 do - Fire -
260 " Newmilk	
7 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 27 day of July 67 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, -	19	19	4
In Kind, -			
Total,	£ 19	19	4

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer
		£ s. d.
No. I.	William Manning,	15 -
No. II.	Robert Manning,	10 -
No. III.	George Tuke,	15 -
No. IV.	Peter Moran,	
TOTAL,		40 -

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
Dr. Hatch	Registration fees	3	17	6
" McClelland	do	2	9	.
" Kemney	do	1	5	6
" McClelland	Vaccination fees	4	13	-
" L. Estrange	do	5	4	3
Eliza Dymond	Meat	65	13	10 ✓
Thos. Kavanagh	Clothes	2	12	6 ✓
John Sweeney	Arklew Sany Es <sup>r</sup>	1	12	7
In favour of Clerk to pay				
W. Manning	Conveyance		13	6
A. Manning	"		5	-
G. Tuke	"	1	3	2
J. Flower	Chickens &c		7	11 ✓
A. Cooper	Repairs		13	4 ✓
Thos. Douglas	Printing Notices		10	-
George Tuke	Falics, Newbridge		3	4
J. Flower	Repairs		7	6 ✓
		4	3	9

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

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

Gentlemen - They to ask leave for four  
additional days.

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 Letters

The subject of the Resolution of the Board of Guardians of the Cloheen Union having been brought under consideration the following Resolution was unanimously passed

Proposed by Hon. Cap. Puley & Seconded by W. Gilbert Esq  
Resolved

That the Board of Guardians have learned with considerable surprise the mode in which the Poor Law Commissioners propose to deal with the greater part of a sum of £59,300 set apart in the Civil Service Estimate for the purpose of contributing to the expenses of the Unions of Ireland in carrying out the obligations of the Medical Charities Acts, but which the Commissioners in their Report propose to devote almost entirely to the relief of the Union in the west of Ireland.

That this Board entirely concurs in the Resolution of the Cloheen Board of Guardians in objecting to this course; That the Guardians have a right to protect against the proposal of the Commissioners to divert the sum granted by the Government

from the original object; and that the Union of Rathfriland has a just claim to a fair proportion of such fund in consequence of the severe pressure upon the Rates from the great poverty in the various towns particularly Arklow which latter town has been lately visited by Cholera; and the expenses consequent upon this visitation has been borne by the Union at large;

The Board proceeded to consider Tenders for the repair-  
ing of the Windows and doors of the Workhouse,  
James Fleming of Rathfriland was declared the  
contractor for executing the work agreeable to a  
specification drawn out by the Master, for a  
sum of £35, The work to be completed in  
three months;

Agreeable to Notice the Guardians entered into  
a discussion of the question of the expediency  
of assisting to emigrate any able bodied pauper  
inmates of the Workhouse who may be willing  
to avail themselves of the assistance of the Board,  
The Master of the Workhouse produced a  
list of 57 persons whose names he submitted  
to the consideration of the Guardians all of whom  
are desirous of emigrating to Canada,

Ordered that the Master of the Workhouse shall  
take steps to carry into effect the intentions of  
the Guardians and the wishes of the persons  
whose names appear on his list, in regard to  
such of these persons as may be eligible as  
emigrants.

And to Messrs Chairman

John Gilbert  
Edward Bayne

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day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the RATHDRUM UNION, on  
Tuesday, the *Tuesday* day of *20 July* 1867.—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 Officers of the *Newbridge*  
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board,  
with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given  
thereon as follows:

The Clerk to forward same to the Contractor

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

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

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

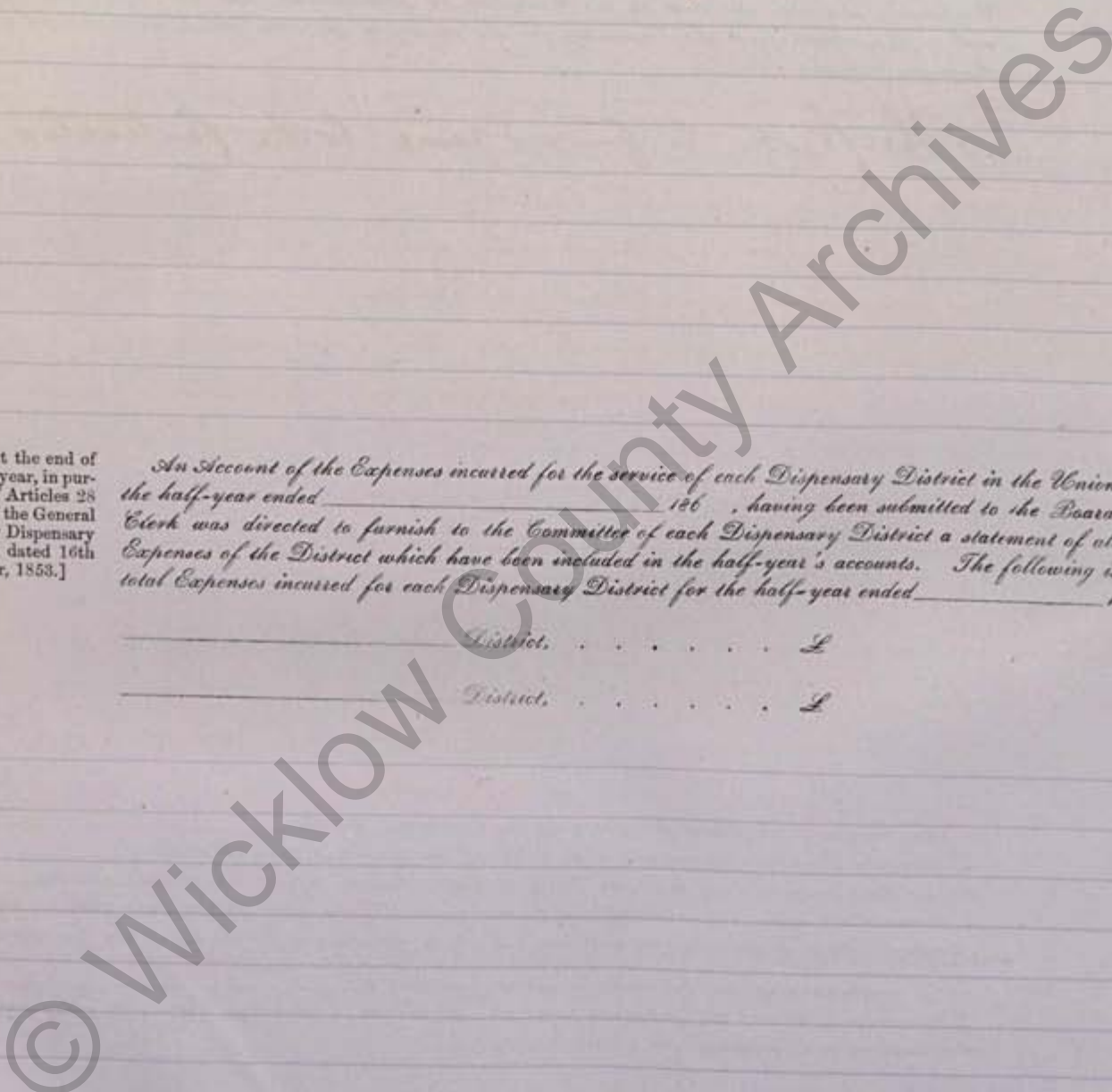
Dispensary District.

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

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_ District. . . . . £  
\_\_\_\_\_ District. . . . . £



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

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

In reference to the proposed New Cemetery at Arklow the following Resolution was passed by the Board

Proposed by Mr. Gilbert & Seconded by Mr. Bank  
Resolved

That Mr. Stanley be directed to prepare the Lease for the Burial ground at Arklow as he proposes and that the cost of Poynes new Lease be charged to the expenses of said Burial ground;

That Mr. Brett be directed to prepare plans for the Lodge &c to be made out to the satisfaction of the Dispensary Board at Arklow and the Clergy of both denominations.

That Mr. Brett be requested to undertake the carrying out of said work, the plans and estimates to be submitted to the Burial Board at Rathpurn before commencing same.

Passed unanimously

And T. Poynes  
Chairman

Wm. Gilbert  
Edw. T. Poynes

(Signed)

P. Manning

Clerk of the Union.

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# RATHDRUM UNION.

211

Population in 1861, 43381

Present Net Annual Value, £130475-14

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 3 day of August 1867

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . .	74	289														
Temporary Buildings, . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	14														
Fever Sheds, . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . .</b>	<b>823</b>	<b>303</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			56	93	13	38	10	17	23	35	20	305	In Workhouse Hospital, } 51	In separate Wards, } 18		
Admitted during the Week, . . .			18	13	1	1	3	2	5	6	4	53	In Fever Hospital, } 14	In Wards with other inmates, } 3		
													Total, } 65	Total, } 18		
<b>TOTAL,</b>			74	106	14	39	13	19	28	41	24	358				
Discharged during the Week, . . .			17	14	6	1		1	3	4	5	57				
Died, . . . . .			2			1	1					4				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			19	14	6	2	1	1	3	4	5	55				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			55	92	8	37	12	18	25	37	19	303				

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS	
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her		
No. I.	54	113	William Manning.	54 - 113
No. II.	47	110	Robert Manning.	47 - 110
No. III.	49	102	George Tuke.	49 - 102
No. IV.	31	49	Peter Moran.	28 38
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>181</b>	<b>374</b>		<b>178 - 363</b>

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 6th day of August 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

There was no Board on this day only two Guardians - Messrs Gilbert & Edge - being in attendance

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ 159. 0 : 0

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 68. 5 : 10

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 176. 16 : 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,	"	"	"				210	11	7			
	" Lower,	73	"	"				68	8				
	Kilcoole,	19	"	"				208	18	4			
	Altidore,	"	"	"				115	5	11			
	Killiskey,	"	"	"				57	16	6			
					92	"	"				590	19	9
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,	"	"	"				52	16	9			
	Calary,	"	"	"				28	3	14			
	Brockagh,	"	"	"				115	5	5			
	Ballyeullan,	"	"	"				20	5	2			
	Oldtown,	"	"	"				121	17	10			
	Togher,	"	"	"				116	9	10			
	Moneystown,	"	"	"				113	9	2			
											428	7	6
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	"	"	"				877	17	1			
	Glanealy,	28	"	"				299	10				
					28	"	"				1177	7	1
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown, East,	"	"	"				184	3	1			
	" West,	"	"	"				143	10	2			
	" South,	39	"	"				189	15	9			
					39	"	"				517	9	"
FRANCIS ANNESLEY,	Ennereilly,	"	"	"				77	16	9			
	Kilbride,	"	"	"				128		14			
											205	17	1
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,	"	"	"				1405	2	6			
											1405	2	6
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronchane,	"	"	"				105	11	5			
	Ballyarthur,	"	"	"				159	6				
	Ovoea,	"	"	"				450	17				
											715	14	5
WILLIAM SMYTH,	Rathdrum,	"	"	"				501	10	2			
	Knockrath,	"	"	"				68	6	6			
	Trooperstown,	"	"	"				25	7	3			
	Ballinderry,	"	"	"				80	9	3			
	Ballinaclash,	"	"	"				161	17	6			
	Ballinacor,	"	"	"				122	15	1			
	Aughrim,	"	"	"				153		7			
											1115	6	4
	Totals,				159	"	"				6156	3	8

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	William Manning,			
No. II.	Robert Manning,			
No. III.	George Tuke,			
No. IV.	Peter Moran,			
TOTAL,				

*Credit Treasurer with Cheques.*

*Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.*

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

£      s.      d.

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£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the

day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

*Clerk of the Union.*

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the RATHDRUM UNION, on  
Tuesday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186 \_\_\_\_\_.—continued.

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

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

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

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



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

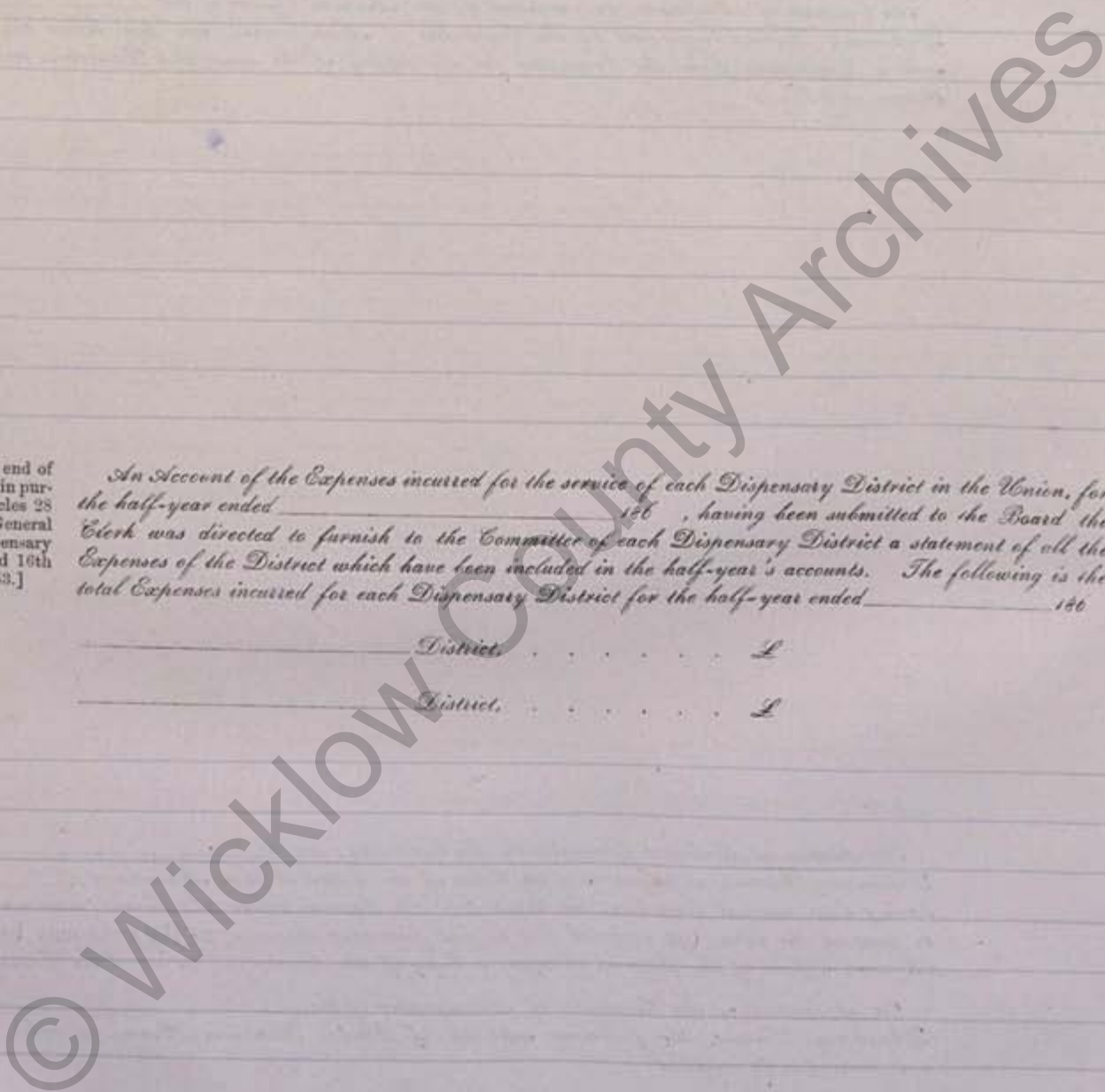
Dispensary District,

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

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

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

221

Population in 1861, 43381

Present Net Annual Value, £130476-14-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10 day of August 1867

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	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date	
Workhouse, . . .	74	3288													
Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, . . .	80	18													
Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds, . . .															
TOTAL, . . .	82	3306													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . .			55	92	8	37	12	18	25	37	19	303	In Work-house Hospital, 49 In Fever Hospital, 18 Total, 67	In separate Wards, 15 In Wards with other inmates, 3 Total, 18	
Admitted during the Week, . . .			17	14	3	-	1	5	4	6	3	53			
TOTAL, . . .			72	106	11	37	13	23	29	43	22	356			
Discharged during the Week, . . .			9	16	6	-	2	5	4	4	4	50			
Died, . . . . .			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-			
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			9	16	6	-	2	5	4	4	4	50			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			63	90	5	37	11	18	25	39	18	306			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10 day of August authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouses under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	54	114	William Manning.
No. II.	48	112	Robert Manning.
No. III.	47	96	George Tuke.
No. IV.	26	37	Peter Moran.
TOTALS,	175	359	175 - 359

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 13th day of August 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair, Andrew Wm Byrne Esq JP

Other Guardians:

Messrs Wm Gilbert & Edw. P. Edge

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1 to No. 1, 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, £ 79: - : -

And that the Balance on the Account in favor the Guardians was £ 75: 15: 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £ 180: - : 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,	"	"	"				210	11	7			
	" Lower,	"	"	"				68	8	"			
	Kilcoole,	"	"	"				208	18	4			
	Altidore,	"	"	"				145	5	4			
	Killiskey,	"	"	"				57	16	6			
					"	"	"				590	19	9
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,	17	"	"				35	16	9			
	Calary,	5	"	"				23	3	4			
	Brockagh,	"	"	"				115	5	5			
	Ballycullan,	"	"	"				20	5	2			
	Oldtown,	16	"	"				105	17	10			
	Togher,	"	"	"				146	9	10			
	Moneytown,	"	"	"				143	9	2			
					38	"	"				390	7	6
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	"	"	"				877	17	1			
	Glanealy,	"	"	"				299	10	"			
					"	"	"				1177	7	1
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown, East,	13	"	"				171	3	1			
	" West,	8	"	"				135	10	2			
	" South,	20	"	"				169	15	9			
					41	"	"				476	9	"
FRANCIS ANNESLEY,	Ennereilly,	"	"	"				77	16	9			
	Kilbride,	"	"	"				128	"	4			
					"	"	"				205	17	1
THOMAS BIRTHSILE,	Arklow,	"	"	"				1405	2	6			
					"	"	"				1405	2	6
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,	"	"	"				105	11	5			
	Ballyarthur,	"	"	"				159	6	"			
	Ovoca,	"	"	"				1450	17	"			
					"	"	"				715	14	5
WILLIAM SMYTH,	Rathdrum,	"	"	"				501	10	2			
	Knockrath,	"	"	"				68	6	6			
	Trooperstown,	"	"	"				25	7	3			
	Ballinderry,	"	"	"				80	9	3			
	Ballinaelash,	"	"	"				161	17	6			
	Ballinacor,	"	"	"				122	15	1			
	Aughrim,	"	"	"				155	"	7			
					"	"	"				1115	6	4
	Totals,							79	"	"	6077	3	8

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

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



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

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

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

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

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

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 10 day of Aug whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, - . . . . .	£	s.	d.
In Kind, - . . . . .	19	9	4
	=	=	=
Total, . . . . .	£ 19	9	4

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.
No. I.	William Manning,	15 -
No. II.	Robert Manning,	
No. III.	George Tuke,	
No. IV.	Peter Moran,	10 -
TOTAL,		

Credit Treasurers with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
Dr Banks	Reg Fees	3	11	-
do Hudson	do	2	14	-
Mr Matthews	Chickens ✓	2	5	-
Mary Byrne	Bread ✓	137	8	3
John Cusley	Outmeal ✓	16	12	6
John Fanell	Clothing ✓	79	17	5
William Fox	do ✓	17	11	9
Edw Tallon	Shoes ✓	14	-	6
In favour of Clerk to pay				
Chas. Ellis	Repairs ✓	17	4	
Dan Tunell	do ✓	1	1	
do	Coffins	1	11	4
Mr Matthews	Chickens ✓	12	-	
Mr Sweeney	Lang Exp	1	9	-
		5	10	8
Dr L'Estrange	Salary	5	5	-
do Manning	Vaccination	5	13	9
In favour of Clerk to pay				
John Sweeney	Lang Exp	1	4	2
Wm Manning	Conveyance	6	-	
Job Skell	Coffin	7	-	
Mat Rowen	do	7	-	
		2	4	2

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

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

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

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

Read Letter No 18750 Dated 31<sup>st</sup> Ultimo from Poor Law Commissioners enclosing copy of Returns on which the present Workhouse accommodation Order was based from which it appears that the Medical Officer of the Workhouse certified in reference to every ward that he was of opinion the numbers were reasonable and proper in each case.

The Commissioners think it advisable that the Report of the Master of the Workhouse on the subject should be referred to the Medical Officer with a request that he will furnish his observations thereon

Ordered that this subject be postponed till the masters return

Read Circular from Poor Law Commrs dated 1<sup>st</sup> inst calling for monthly Rate Returns

Read Letter from Poor Law Commrs dated 6 inst in reference to the proposal of the Guardians to assist certain inmates of the Workhouse to Emigrate

Ordered that this subject be also postponed till the masters return

Read circular from Poor Law Commissioners dated 8<sup>th</sup> instant calling on the Clerk of the Union for a Return of the No. of persons who received relief in the Union during the Quarter ending 31<sup>st</sup> March last, and also the cost of Out Door Relief during same period;

Read Letter dated 30 Ultimo from the Public Works Loan Comm<sup>rs</sup> containing the following Opinions of their Counsel in reference to the proposal to borrow a sum of £ 1528 10 0 to form a New Cemetery at Ashbur.

" A copy should be furnished of the requisition under Sec 14 of the Act upon which the Clerk of the Union called the meeting of the Board held on the 23<sup>rd</sup> October 1866;  
 " A copy should also be furnished of the Order of the Poor Law Commissioners under Sec 32 directing how the rates are to be apportioned assessed and levied;  
 Edw. P. Wolstenholme

The Guardians request that the Commissioners will have the goodness to issue the order in question as soon as possible and forward to them two copies of same, in order to expedite the required loan;

Read letter from Commissioners of National Education dated 8<sup>th</sup> instant forwarding for the information of the Board of Guardians the following extracts from the report of a visit paid to the Washhouse School on the 10 Ultimo by the Inspector of the District;

"The teachers acquirements are competent, and her method of conducting the School regular, and, as regards instruction, efficient in most the subjects which she teaches."

"The general proficiency in arithmetic is not quite satisfactory, the pupils not receiving adequate instruction in that subject at the earlier stages of their course, it is all the more difficult for the teacher to bring the senior classes up to the expected standard of attainment

In other subjects the answering was of a creditable character, the discipline, good order and neatness maintained in the school are much to be commended;

Claims to be rated were received from the undermentioned persons, in respect to the following holdings;

		£	s	d
✓	Alexander W. Ellis - Kilpoule - up Lr + Hill,	597	0	0
✓	William Longford - Ballinakill	93	10	0
✓	William Franklin - Rathernun	14	5	0
✓	Richard Sutton - Rathernun	13	0	0
✓	Hollam Gibson - Corballis up	12	5	0
✓	James Flannigan - Ballyquilebeg	52	10	0
✓	John Collins - Wicklow	12	10	0
✓	Peter Boland - Arklow	27	0	0
✓	Hugh Mullery - Ballycorry Lr	27	15	0
✓	William A. Keegan - Ballyduff N	36	15	0
	John Kearns - Arklow	20	0	0
✓	John Brazil - Ballycorry up	37	15	0
✓	John Tackberry - Ballinabunagee	52	0	0
✓	Daniel Hall - Arklow	12	0	0
✓	Thomas Nicholson - Yurlands	8	10	0

Ordered - That the Clerk shall make the required changes in the Rate Books

Ordered - That a Carpenter be employed to repair the shed leading to the Masters kitchen, the roof of which is out of order;

And to Myself  
 Chairman  
 W. Gilbert  
 Sec. Griffin

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186  
(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the RATHDRUM UNION, on  
Tuesday, the 13 day of August 1867,—continued.

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

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

*The clerk to forward same to the Contractor*

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

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

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

Dispensary District,

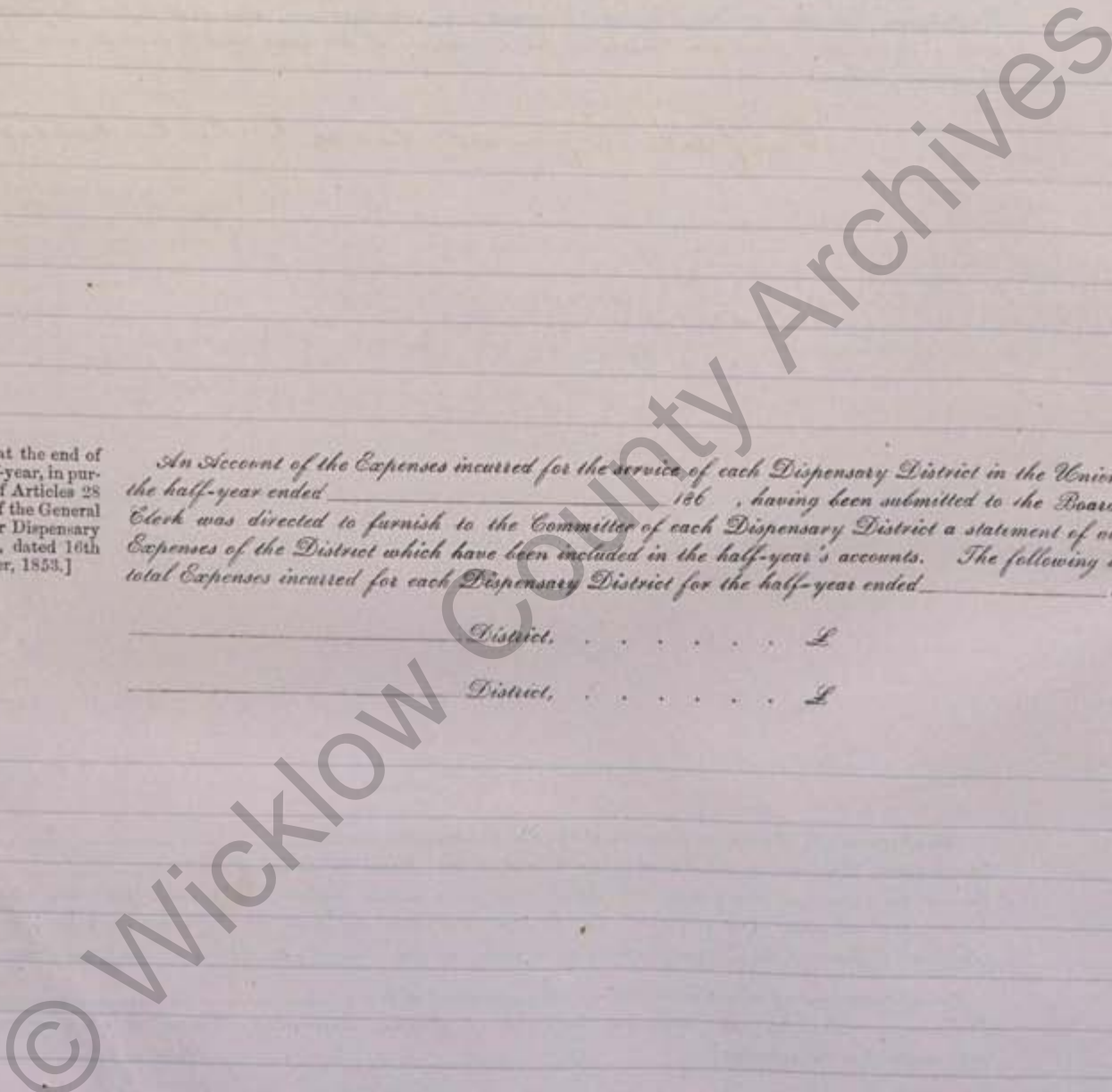
Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount £

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

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

District, . . . . . £

District, . . . . . £



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

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

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

of \_\_\_\_\_

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

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

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

Recd Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 30<sup>th</sup> Ultimo  
stating that

Approving of the temporary appointment of D. Halpin as Medical Officer of Arklow Dispensary District at £2.10.0 per week to include car hire;

Recd Circular from Poor Law Commissioners dated the 1<sup>st</sup> instant informing the Guardians that the Comrs expect to be able shortly after the close of the present half year to lodge with the Union Treasurer the proportion of the sum voted by Parliament for Medical and Educational purposes, to which the Guardians of this Union are entitled, the vote in question being distributable on the same principle as the vote for the same purposes in England.

Recd Circular from Poor Law Commissioners dated 9<sup>th</sup> instant forwarding a Form in which is to be made a statement of the Expenses for Medical and Educational purposes for the half year ending 29 September next, such statement when properly certified to be transmitted to the Comms to aid them in distributing the Parliamentary Vote in aid of Medical and Educational Expenses;

Recd Letter from Michael A Hudson Esq Henry Secy of Arklow Dispensary Committee dated 1<sup>st</sup> instant enclosing the following Resolution passed by the Com<sup>rs</sup> on that day at a special meeting

Resolved

That inasmuch as a resolution was  
(Signed)

P. Manning

Clerk of the Union.

proposed and passed at the last meeting of this  
 Committee to the effect — "That a Medical Officer  
 for the Dispensary District of Arpley should be  
 advertised for and elected on Thursday, the 8<sup>th</sup> inst,  
 and that such Medical Officer should be required to  
 give a guarantee that he would not accept the  
 office of Surgeon to the Fever Hospital whenever it  
 might become vacant" — and inasmuch as the two  
 offices have never yet been separated, and such a  
 change would be likely to meet with much opposition  
 from many of the Governors of the Fever Hospital  
 and also from many of our own body, and con-  
 sidering the importance of the question and the  
 great change it was calculated to make a special  
 notice of such resolution ought to have been previously  
 served on every member of the Dispensary Board.  
 We now protest against such resolutions requiring  
 the Medical Officer to give a guarantee not to accept  
 the office of Surgeon to the Fever Hospital, and  
 call upon the Secretary to postpone such meeting  
 for the election of Medical Officer until it be de-  
 finitely determined whether the two offices shall  
 be united or not;

A. N. M. Byrne

J. M. Gilbert

C. Drifflin



(2 pages)

Population (1850)

STATE of

<p>1850</p> <p>1860</p> <p>1870</p> <p>1880</p> <p>1890</p> <p>1900</p> <p>1910</p> <p>1920</p> <p>1930</p> <p>1940</p> <p>1950</p> <p>1960</p> <p>1970</p> <p>1980</p> <p>1990</p> <p>2000</p>	<p>Population</p> <p>Male</p> <p>Female</p> <p>Total</p>
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(Special.)

RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1861, 43381

Present Net Annual Value, £ 130476-14-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17 day of August 1867

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS	
			Males	Fem.	Males	Fem.	Boys	Girls					Number in Hospital on the above date	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date		
Workhouse, . . . . .	743	280														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	25														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
TOTAL, . . . . .	823	305														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			63	90	5	37	11	18	25	39	18	306	In Work-house Hospital, 44	In separate Wards, 15		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			27	14	4	1	2	4	2	2	2	58	In Fever Hospital, 25	In Wards with other inmates, 3		
TOTAL, . . . . .			90	104	9	38	13	22	27	41	20	364	Total, 69	Total, 18		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			29	15	3	2	-	1	5	3	1	59				
Died, . . . . .			-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-	-				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			29	15	3	2	-	1	5	3	1	59				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			61	89	6	36	13	21	22	38	19	305				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17 day of August authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 21, s. 1		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	54	117	William Manning.
No. II.	50	118	Robert Manning.
No. III.	47	96	George Take.
No. IV.	26	37	Peter Moran.
TOTALS,	177	368	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 20 day of August 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair, Andrew Wm Byrne Esqre JP  
 Other Guardians: Messrs Wm Gilbert & Joseph Leviston

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

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ 526 - - -

Baid during the week, - - - - - £ 149 : 8 : 8

And that the Balance on the Account ~~of~~ the Guardians was £ 556 : 12 : 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,	"	"	"				210	11	7			
	" Lower,	"	"	"				68	8				
	Kilcoole,	"	"	"				208	18	4			
	Altidore,	"	"	"				45	5	4			
	Killiskey,	"	"	"				57	16	6			
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,	"	"	"				35	16	9			
	Calary,	"	"	"				23	3	4			
	Brockagh,	"	"	"				115	5	5			
	Ballycullan,	"	"	"				20	5	2			
	Oldtown,	"	"	"				105	17	10			
	Togher,	"	"	"				46	9	10			
	Moneystown,	"	"	"				18	9	2			
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	"	"	"				877	17	1			
	Glanealy,	24	"	"				27	5	0			
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown, East,	60	"	"				111	3	1			
	" West,	"	"	"				135	10	2			
	" South,	24	"	"				145	15	9			
FRANCIS ANNESLEY,	Ennereilly,	9	"	"				68	16	9			
	Kilbride,	30	"	"				39	"	"			
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,	65	"	"				134	0	6			
								65	"	"			
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,	10	"	"				95	11	5			
	Ballyarthur,	"	"	"				159	6				
	Ovoea,	258	"	"				192	17				
WILLIAM SMYTH,	Rathdrum,	33	"	"				116	10	2			
	Knockrath,	"	"	"				68	6	6			
	Trooperstown,	"	"	"				28	7	3			
	Ballinderry,	"	"	"				80	9	3			
	Ballinaclash,	"	"	"				161	17	6			
	Ballinacor,	"	"	"				122	15	7			
	Aughrim,	13	"	"				112		7			
Totals,							576						

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

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

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

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

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

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

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

	£	s.	d.
In Money, - . . . . .	19	12	4
In Kind, - . . . . .	-	-	-
Total, . . . . .	£ 19	12	4

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	William Manning,			
No. II.	Robert Manning,			
No. III.	George Tuke,			
No. IV.	Peter Moran,			
TOTAL,				

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

John Sweeney

Sand Exp.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 19 instant enclosing two copies of sealed Order of 22<sup>nd</sup> June last directing the manner in which the Rates intended to provide for the repayment of the loan proposed to be obtained for providing a cemetery at Curtins shall be apportioned assessed and levied; a copy of which has already been forwarded to the guardians and acknowledged in their minutes of the 25 June last.

Wm. Gillett  
Chairman

Patrick Kelly  
James Flinn

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\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the RATHDRUM UNION, on  
Tuesday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186 \_\_\_\_\_,—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,

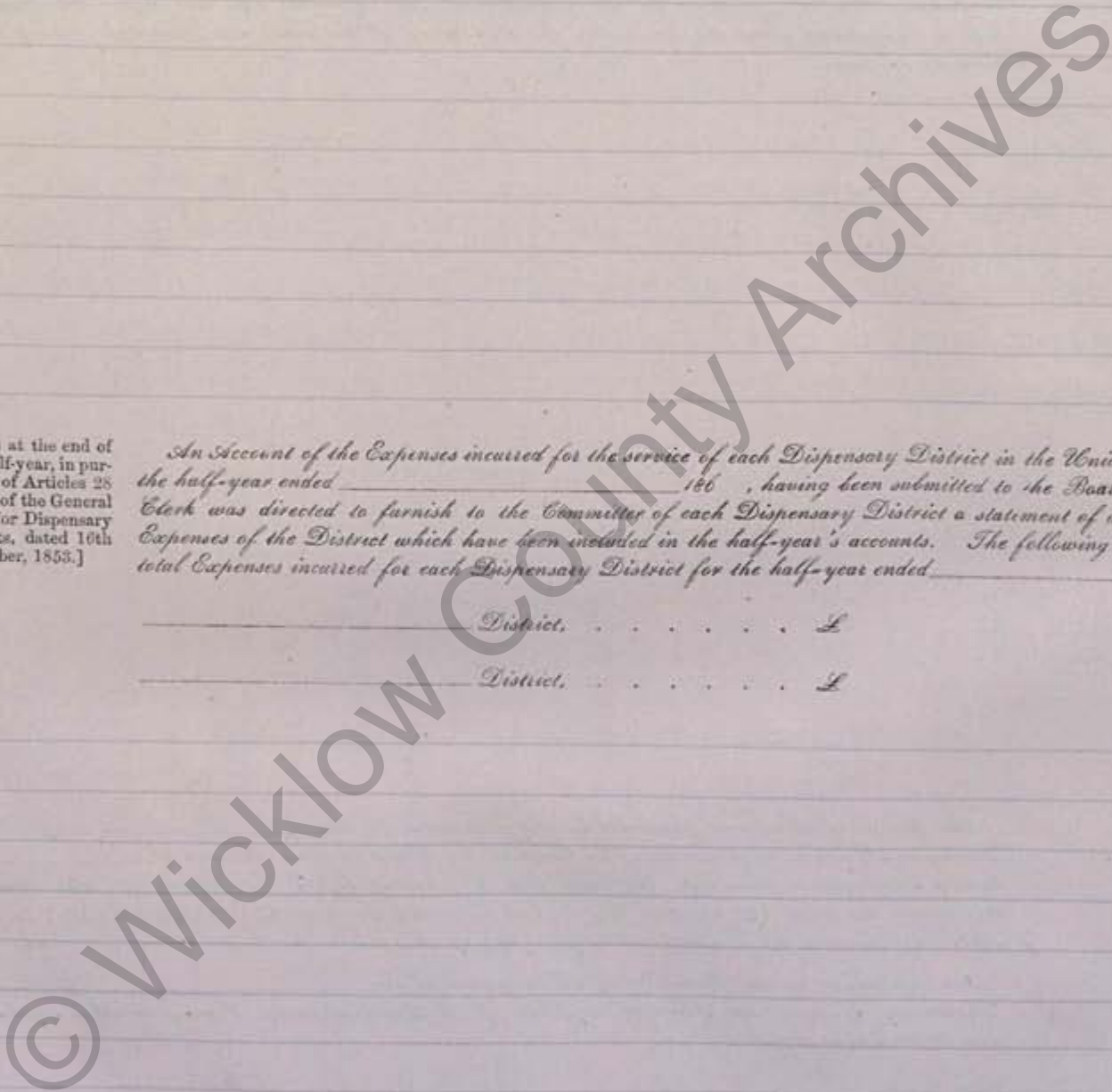
Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount £ \_\_\_\_\_

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 10th December, 1853.]

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

District. . . . . £

District. . . . . £



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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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\_\_\_\_\_  
Clerk of the Union.

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# RATHDRUM UNION.

240

Population in 1861, 43381

Present Net Annual Value, £130476-14-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24 day of August 1867

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, . . . . .	743	279														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds, . . . . .	88	25														
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>823</b>	<b>294</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			61	89	636	13	21	22	38	19	305		In Work-house Hospital, 47	In separate Wards, 15		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			10	5	4	2	"	"	2	1	2	26	In Fever Hospital, 25	In Wards with other inmates, 3		
									24	19	21		Total, 72	Total, 18		
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			71	94	10	38	13	21	34	20	331					
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			18	7	3	1	"	"	3	1	2	35				
Died, . . . . .			1	"	1	"	"	"	"	"	"	2				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			19	7	4	1	"	"	3	1	2	37				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			52	87	637	13	18	23	37	21	294					

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24 day of August authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	53	113	William Manning.
No. II.	54	134	Robert Manning.
No. III.	45	89	George Tuke.
No. IV.	26	37	Peter Moran.
TOTALS,	178	373	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 27th day of August 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Wm Gilbert Esq

Other Guardians:

Messrs P. Keely and J. Fleming

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3075 to No. 3352, both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No.      to No.     , inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.  
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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

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

Paid during the week. £ 1 . . .

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* of the Guardians was £ 346 . 8 . 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman. £ 210 . 3 . 10

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,	"	"	"				210	11	7			
	" Lower,	"	"	"				68	5	-			
	Kilecole,	"	"	"				205	18	4			
	Altidore,	"	"	"				45	5	4			
	Killiskey,	"	"	"				57	16	6			
WILLIAM MURPHY.	Glendalough,	"	"	"				35	16	9			59019 9
	Calary,	"	"	"				23	3	4			
	Brockagh,	"	"	"				115	5	5			
	Ballycullan,	"	"	"				20	5	2			
	Oldtown,	"	"	"				105	17	10			
	Togher,	"	"	"				46	9	10			
	Moneystown,	"	"	"				143	9	2			
EDWARD BYRNE.	Wicklow,	"	"	"				877	17	1			390 7 6
	Glancealy,	"	"	"				275	10	-			
THOMAS DOUGLAS.	Dunganstown, East,	"	"	"				111	3	1			1153 7 1
	" West,	"	"	"				135	10	2			
	" South,	"	"	"				145	15	9			
FRANCIS ANNESLEY.	Ennereilly,	"	"	"				68	16	9			392 9 -
	Kilbride,	"	"	"				98	-	4			
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE.	Arklow,	"	"	"				1340	2	6			166 17 1
													1340 2 6
WILLIAM LOUGHAN.	Cronebane,	"	"	"				95	11	5			
	Ballyarthur,	"	"	"				159	6	-			
	Ovocn,	"	"	"				192	17	-			
WILLIAM SMYTH.	Rathdrum,	"	"	"				468	10	2			1147 14 5
	Knockrath,	"	"	"				68	6	6			
	Trooperstown,	"	"	"				25	7	3			
	Ballinderry,	"	"	"				80	9	3			
	Ballinaclesh,	"	"	"				161	17	6			
	Ballinacor,	"	"	"				122	15	7			
	Aughrim,	"	"	"				142	-	7			
													1069 6 4
	Totals,												5585 3 8

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

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



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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 43 . 0 s. 4 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . .	52	3	11
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . . .	3	0	2
Average cost in Infirmary, . . . . .	3	7	7
Average cost in Fever Hospital, . . . . .	4	6	6

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

4000 Loaves Bread	4 small Tables for Fever Hos.:
20 cwt Outmeal	
320 Galls Buttermilk	
980 " Newmilk	
28 lbs Butter	
800 " Meat	
144 Sheep heads	
2 cwt Sugar	
10 lbs Pepper	
12 Ouz Fat	

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 14 day of July 67 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, . . . . .	£	19	s.	16	d.	10
In Kind, . . . . .						
Total, . . . . .	£	19	s.	16	d.	10

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Believing Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer
		£ s. d.
No. I.	William Manning,	15
No. II.	Robert Manning,	10
No. III.	George Tuke,	15
No. IV.	Peter Moran,	-
TOTAL,		40

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Believing Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

	£	s.	d.
Infusion of flesh to pay			
Pat <sup>r</sup> Farrell			
Wm Murphy			
Edw Byrne			
Frans Amesley			
Wm Sughlin			
Thos Birthington			
Wm Smith			
John Sweeney			
Printing Notices	14		✓
do	10		✓
do	10		✓
do	10		✓
do	10		✓
do	10		✓
do	14		✓
Sawing Exp <sup>ts</sup>	1	9	✓
	5	7	✓



The Reports of Medical Officer <sup>was</sup> read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

Gentlemen

With reference to the Letter of the Poor Law Commissioners on the subject of the Limitation Order they to state the cubic spaces and numbers for each Ward were originated fixed and entered at the Poor Law Commission Office and I acquiesced in the arrangement in deference to the Commissioners and their medical staff, knowing the extensive practical experience they have in these matters.

I am Gentlemen

Yours Obedt Servt

Samuel Manning  
Med. Offr

The Reports of the Master <sup>was</sup> read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

Gentlemen

With reference to the Certificate signed by me and enclosed with the Limitation Order, I beg to state that it has no reference whatever to the Cubic space for each pauper or the numbers the Wards were fixed to accommodate; I measured each ward and ascertained the cubic space as directed by the printed instructions and certify same to be correct.

John Flower  
Master

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

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

Read the following letter from the Workhouse Infirmary Nurse

August 27<sup>th</sup>

Gentlemen

As I am in daily expectation of being called to Dublin on most urgent business may I beg you will have the kindness to grant me a weeks leave during which time I will leave a trustworthy person (Mrs Whitworth) to keep my place till my return, by granting me this favour you will much oblige  
Gentlemen

Your Obedt Servant  
Jane Elliott

Leave granted

~~Leave granted~~ Ordered that the Clerk shall summon a special meeting of the Board for the 17 proximo to enter into the usual Quarterly Provision Contracts and the yearly Contracts for Clothing, Necessaries &c

And Wm Payne

Chairman  
Fitzroy Macaulay  
Patrick Keay

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
\_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186  
(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

*Clerk of the Union.*

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the RATHDRUM UNION, on  
Tuesday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186 \_\_\_\_\_—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

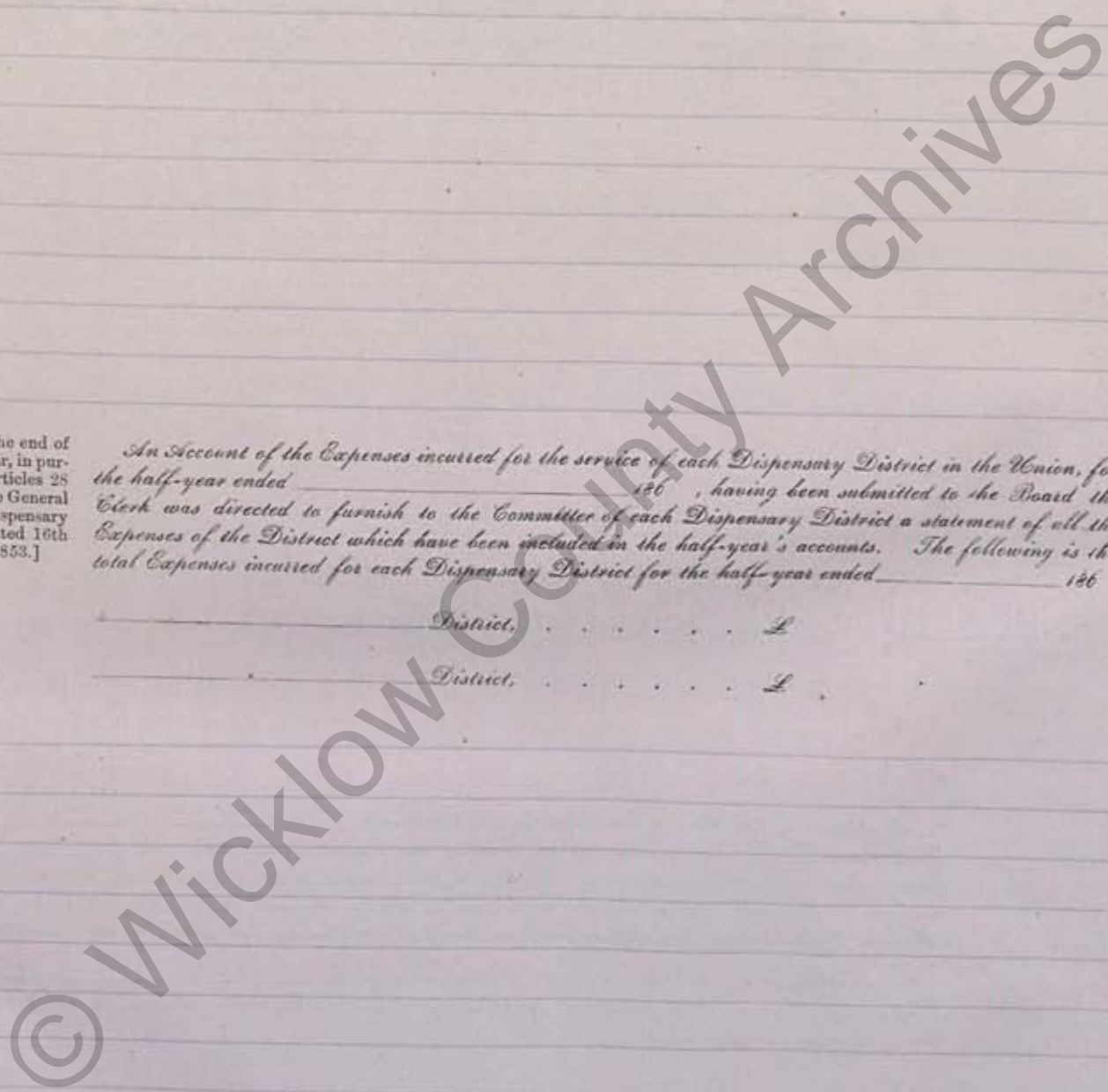
Dispensary District,

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

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_ District. . . . . £ \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ District. . . . . £ \_\_\_\_\_



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

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

*(Signed)*

*Clerk of the Union.*

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Population in 1990

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Population in 1990

Population in 1980

Population in 1970

Population in 1960

Population in 1950

Population in 1940

Population in 1930

Population in 1920

Population in 1910

Population in 1900

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# RATHDRUM UNION.

250

Population in 1861, 1,338

Present Net Annual Value, £130476.14.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 31<sup>st</sup> day of August 1867

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, . . . . .	745	72														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .																
Permanent Fever Hospital	80	26														
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>823</b>	<b>298</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			52	87	6	37	13	18	23	37	21	294	In Workhouse Hospital, 41	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 78		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			14	8	7				1	1	3	34	In Fever Hospital, 26	Total, 3		
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>66</b>	<b>95</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>13</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>38</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>328</b>	<b>Total, 67</b>	<b>Total, 18</b>		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			14	6	3				1	2	1	27				
Died, . . . . .					1		1		0		1	3				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			14	6	4		1		1	2	2	30				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			52	89	9	37	12	18	23	35	23	298				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 31 day of August authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		NAME OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	53	113	William Manning.
No. II.	56	142	Robert Manning.
No. III.	44	88	George Tuke.
No. IV.	25	35	Peter Moran.
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>178</b>	<b>378</b>	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of September 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair.

Other Guardians:

There was no Quorum on this day, only two Guardians - Andrew Wm Byrne JP and Wm Gilbert Esqes - being present

And Wm Byrne  
Chairman  
Silvester Moran  
Patrick Bay

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £288 - - - ✓

Baid during the week, - - - - - £33 - 2 - 10

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £455 - 17 - 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,	32	..	..				178	11	7			
	„ Lower,	..	..	..				68	8	..			
	Kilcoole,	6	..	..				202	18	4			
	Altidore,	14	..	..				31	5	4			
	Killiskey,	20	..	..				57	16	6			
					72	..	..				578	19	9
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,	..	..	..				35	16	9			
	Calary,	..	..	..				23	3	4			
	Brockagh,	24	..	..				91	5	5			
	Ballycullan,	..	..	..				20	5	2			
	Oldtown,	..	..	..				105	17	10			
	Togher,	4	..	..				42	9	10			
	Moneystown,	..	..	..				43	9	2			
					28	..	..				362	7	6
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	..	..	..				877	17	1			
	Glanealy,	..	..	..				275	10	..			
											1153	7	1
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown, East,	..	..	..				111	3	1			
	„ West,	..	..	..				135	10	2			
	„ South,	..	..	..				145	15	9			
											392	9	..
FRANCIS ANNESLEY,	Ennercilly,	..	..	..				68	16	9			
	Kilbride,	..	..	..				98	..	4			
											166	17	1
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,	185	..	..				1152	2	6			
					188	..	..				1153	2	6
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,	..	..	..				95	11	5			
	Ballyarthur,	..	..	..				159	6	..			
	Ovoen,	..	..	..				192	17	..			
											447	14	5
WILLIAM SMYTH,	Rathdrum,	..	..	..				468	10	2			
	Knockrath,	..	..	..				68	6	6			
	Trooperstown,	..	..	..				25	7	3			
	Ballinderry,	..	..	..				80	9	3			
	Ballinaclash,	..	..	..				161	17	6			
	Ballinacor,	..	..	..				122	15	1			
	Aughrim,	..	..	..				142	..	7			
											1069	6	4
	Totals,				288	..	..				5263	3	8

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

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

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

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

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

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

£    s.    d.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . . .

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

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

Average cost in Infirmary, . . . . .

Average cost in Fever Hospital, . . . . .

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

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

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

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

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

In Money, - . . . . . £    s.    d.  
In Kind, - . . . . .

Total, . . . . . £

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Relieving Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer		
		£	s.	d.
No. I.	William Manning,			
No. II.	Robert Manning,			
No. III.	George Tuke,			
No. IV.	Peter Moran,			
TOTAL,				

*Credit Treasurer with Cheques.*

*Debit each Relieving Officer with Cheques and Orders.*

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

£      s.      d.

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£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the  
day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186  
(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

*Clerk of the Union.*

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the RATHDRUM UNION, on  
Tuesday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186 \_\_\_\_\_,—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,

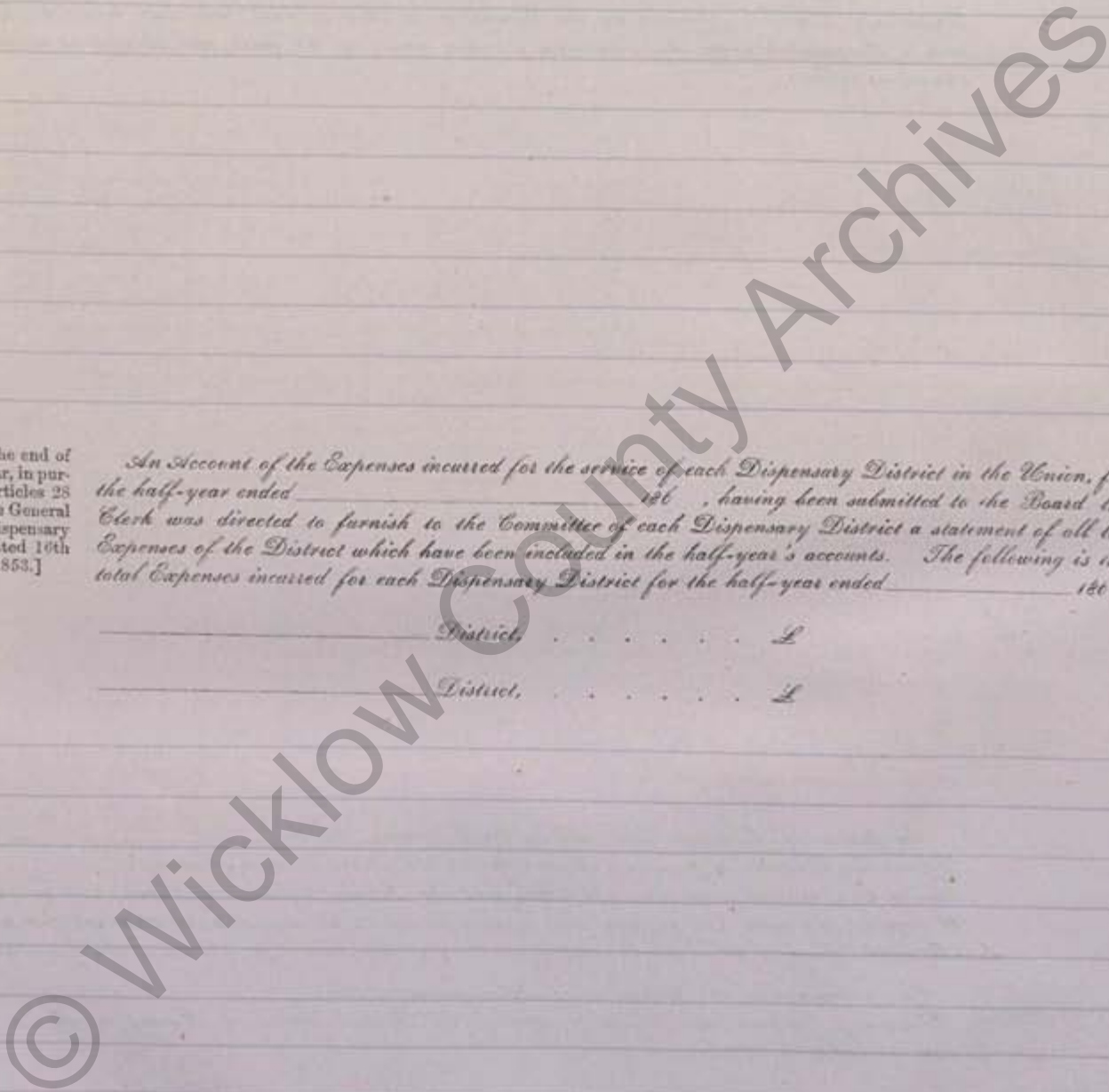
Account of No. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 10th December, 1853.]

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

260

Population in 1861, 43381

Present Net Annual Value, £130476-14-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 7<sup>th</sup> day of Sept 1867

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, . . . . .	743	282														
Temporary Buildings, . . . . .																
Additional Workhouse, . . . . .	80	15														
Permanent Fever Hospital																
Fever Sheds, . . . . .																
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>	<b>823</b>	<b>297</b>														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . . .			59	89	9	37	12	18	23	35	23	298	In Workhouse Hospital, 129	In separate Wards, 15		
Admitted during the Week, . . . . .			14	10	3	"	"	"	3	1	1	32	In Fever Hospital, 15	Inmate, 3		
<b>TOTAL, . . . . .</b>			<b>66</b>	<b>99</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>37</b>	<b>12</b>	<b>18</b>	<b>26</b>	<b>36</b>	<b>24</b>	<b>330</b>	<b>Total, 54</b>	<b>Total, 18</b>		
Discharged during the Week, . . . . .			13	10	4	1	"	"	1	2	1	30				
Died, . . . . .			"	"	3	"	"	"	"	"	"	3				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . . . .			13	10	4	1	"	"	1	2	1	33				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . . .			53	89	8	36	12	17	24	35	23	297				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 7<sup>th</sup> day of Sept authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

RELIEF DISTRICT	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1		NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS
	Number of cases relieved	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her	
No. I.	52	109	William Manning.
No. II.	55	136	Robert Manning.
No. III.	47	102	George Tuke.
No. IV.	25	35	Peter Moran.
<b>TOTALS,</b>	<b>179</b>	<b>382</b>	

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 10<sup>th</sup> day of September 1867

PRESENT: In the Chair, Andrew Wm Byrne Esq D

Other Guardians:

Messrs Silvester Bunk & Patrick Keely's

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3353 to No. 3385, 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 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, . . . . . £ 30 ✓ -

Baid during the week, . . . . . £ 20 7 ✓ -

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* of the Guardians was £ 465 10 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,	..	..	..				175	11	7			
	„ Lower,	..	..	..				68	8	..			
	Kilcoole,	..	..	..				202	18	4			
	Altidore,	..	..	..				31	5	4			
	Killiskey,	..	..	..				37	16	6			
WILLIAM MURPHY,	Glendalough,	..	..	..				35	16	9			
	Calary,	..	..	..				23	3	4			
	Brockagh,	..	..	..				91	5	5			
	Ballycullan,	..	..	..				20	5	2			
	Oldtown,	..	..	..				105	17	10			
	Togher,	..	..	..				12	9	10			
	Moneystown,	..	..	..				43	9	2			
EDWARD BYRNE,	Wicklow,	..	..	..				577	17	1			
	Glanealy,	..	..	..				275	10	..			
THOMAS DOUGLAS,	Dunganstown, East,	..	..	..				111	3	1			
	„ West,	..	..	..				135	0	2			
	„ South,	..	..	..				145	15	9			
FRANCIS ANNESLEY,	Ennecilly,	11	..	..				57	16	9			
	Kilbride,	19	..	..				79	..	4			
THOMAS BIRTHISTLE,	Arklow,	..	..	..				1152	2	6			
WILLIAM LOUGHLIN,	Cronebane,	..	..	..				95	11	5			
	Ballyarthur,	..	..	..				159	6	..			
	Ovoca,	..	..	..				192	17	..			
WILLIAM SMYTH,	Rathdrum,	..	..	..				468	10	2			
	Knockrath,	..	..	..				68	6	6			
	Trooperstown,	..	..	..				25	7	3			
	Ballinderry,	..	..	..				80	9	3			
	Ballinaclash,	..	..	..				161	17	6			
	Ballinacor,	..	..	..				122	15	1			
	Aughrim,	..	..	..				142	..	7			
Totals,								30					

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

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



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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 45 - 6 s. 3 d.

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	45	16	0
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account,			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	1
Average cost in Infirmary,		3	10
Average cost in Fever Hospital,			11
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:			7

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 viewed up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 31 day of *August* whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, - - - - -	£	20	5	4
In Kind, - - - - -				

Total, . . . £ 20 - 5 - 4

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

RELIEF DISTRICT	Name of Believing Officer	By Cheque on Treasurer
		£ s. d.
No. I.	William Manning,	15
No. II.	Robert Manning,	10
No. III.	George Tuke,	
No. IV.	Peter Moran,	10
TOTAL,		35

Credit Treasurer with Cheques.

Debit each Believing Officer with Cheques and Orders.

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

		£	s.	d.
Anne Farrell	Milk ✓ 22	5	10	
John Foley	Meal ✓ 7	7	3	
Jas. Mathews	Chickens ✓ 2	19	4	
Mary Byrne	Bread ✓ 70	6	3	
Eliza Byrne	Meat ✓ 47	3	8	
Dennis Chase	Straw ✓ 5		10	
Dan O'Brien	maint <sup>ce</sup> & Dew mite	7	10	✓
In favour of Clerk to pay				
B Manning	Postage	1	8	✓
Isaac Flower	Repairs ✓	1	14	✓
Wm Manning	fareyance		5	✓
Jas Manning	Coffins	1		✓
Thos Farrell	coffin		5	✓
Do	"	1	11	4
Do	Carpenter ✓	1	9	3
Chas Ellis	Repairs ✓	11	6	
Wm Jordan	Cabbages ✓	7	8	
Isaac Flower	eggs ✓	14	10	
Jas Sweeney	Sun Exp. ✓	1	9	
Do	Do	1	9	✓
		12	5	2

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

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

Gentlemen

I have to report that the Contractor for repairing the Windows &c has taken no steps to carry out his contract;

Ordered that the Contractor be called on to commence his work without further delay

The Horse is in an unsound state and will not be fit for the Winters work, He is also dangerous having fallen under the team, and is in the habit of Kicking;

Ordered that this subject be brought under the notice of the Special Board on next Tuesday;

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<sup>o</sup> 100 Dated 2<sup>nd</sup> inst, from the Poor Law Comm<sup>rs</sup> calling for the usual Monthly Rate Return;

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 22136 Dated 2<sup>nd</sup> inst, from the Poor Law Commissioners declining to sanction the proposal of the Guardians to defray the cost of the Emigration of certain of the inmates of the Workhouse to Canada,

Circular N<sup>o</sup> 102 Dated 5<sup>th</sup> inst from the Poor Law Commissioners enclosing for the information of the Guardians <sup>copy</sup> of the "Workshop Regulation Act", 30 & 31 Vic C 146;

Letter N<sup>o</sup> 22320 Dated 6<sup>th</sup> inst from the Poor Law Comm<sup>rs</sup> calling the Guardians attention to the irregular character of the attendance of the Poor Rate Collectors for the examination of their Accounts with a view to the Guardians requiring in future a more regular attendance of the Collectors.

Ordered that the Clerk be directed to write to the Collectors requiring them to attend regularly for the examination of their accounts.

The Clerk of the Union submitted to the Board the Ledger and Abstracts of the Union Accounts for half year ended 25<sup>th</sup> March last, as audited by R. Simms Esq. P.L.A. on the 2<sup>nd</sup> & 3<sup>rd</sup> instant; The Abstracts were signed by the Chairman;

Wm. Gilbert  
Chairman

Thomas Pugh

*[Signature]*

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on \_\_\_\_\_ the

day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186

(Signed) \_\_\_\_\_

*Clerk of the Union.*

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the RATHDRUM UNION, on  
Tuesday, the \_\_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_ 186 \_\_\_\_\_, —continued.

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

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

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

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

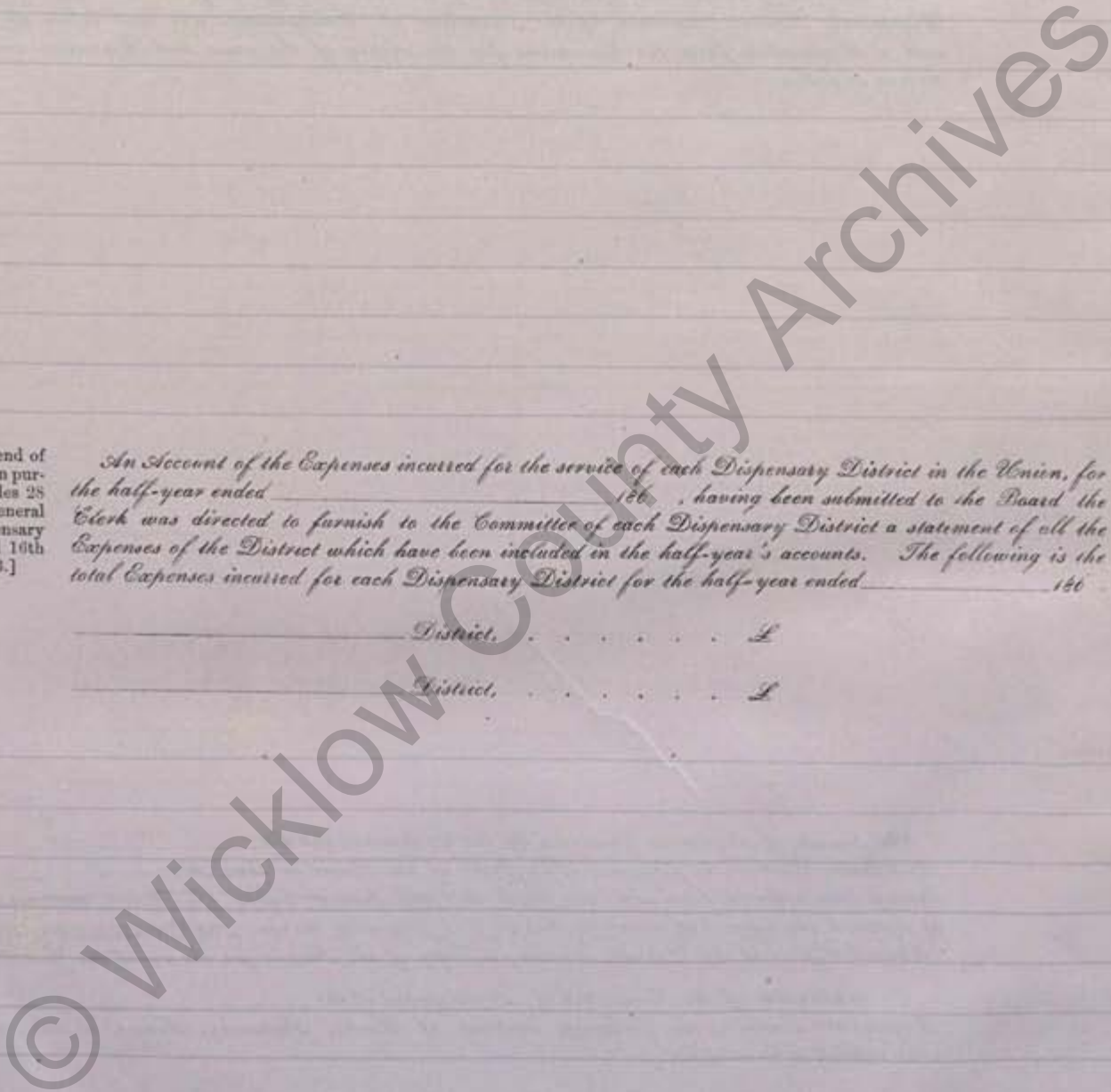
The following Accounts of expenses, (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be,) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

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

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

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

\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £ \_\_\_\_\_  
\_\_\_\_\_ District, . . . . . £ \_\_\_\_\_



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

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

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

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

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

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

Recd Letter from Augustine Digby Curran dated 9<sup>th</sup> instant stating that

the Committee have appointed Margt Weeks caretaker of the Dispensary in the room of her late mother who died on the 21<sup>st</sup> of August 1867

Approved at the rate of wages given to the former  
 nurse - "viz £3- per annum"

Thomas Pugh

Wm. Pugh

Wm. Pugh  
Chairman

(Signed)

P. Manning

Clerk of the Union.