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MINUTE BOOK

OF THE

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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.

Order of Poor Law Commissioners.



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RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1861, 43,381

Present Net Annual Value, £125,539:17:0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26 day of August 1865

| 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 5 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 | 243 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 823 | 245 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 15 | 44 | 36 | 74 | 6 | 8 | 26 | 16 | 25 | 250 | In Work-house Hospital, } 27 | In separate Wards, } 0 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 5 | 7 | - | 1 | 1 | - | - | 5 | 6 | 22 | In Fever Hospital, } 2 | In Wards with other inmates, } 10 | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 20 | 51 | 36 | 75 | 7 | 8 | 26 | 15 | 31 | 272 | Total, 29 | Total, 10 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 2 | 10 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 26 | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 2 | 10 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 27 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 18 | 41 | 33 | 72 | 6 | 7 | 24 | 16 | 28 | 245 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26 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. | 33 | 82 | William Manning. |
| No. II. | 30 | 63 | Robert Manning. |
| No. III. | 48 | 95 | George Take. |
| No. IV. | 13 | 26 | Peter Moran. |
| TOTAL, | 124 | 266 | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 29th day of August 1865

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

There was no Bond on this day only one guardian - Mr. W. Gilbert - 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 Leger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.
 The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ 6 : 13 : 6
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 79 : 13 : 6
 And that the Balance on the Account in Favour the Guardians was £ 632 : 13 : 11
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Weekly Balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

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

| Name of each Collector | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts | Collected and Lodged | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | | |
|------------------------|---|----------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|-----------|----|----|-------|----|-----|---|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | |
| PATRICK FARRELL, | Newcastle Upper, | | | | | | | 1 | 19 | - | | | | |
| | „ Lower, | | | | | | | | 2 | 8 | | | | |
| | Kilcoole, | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Altidore, | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Killiskey, | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 2 | 18 | 2 | 18 | | |
| WILLIAM MURPHY, | Glendalough, | | | | | | | | | 4 | | | | |
| | Calary, | | | | | | | | | 9 | | | | |
| | Brockagh, | | | | | | | | 1 | 8 | | | | |
| | Ballycullan, | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Oldtown, | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Togher, | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Moneystown, | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 2 | 9 | | 2 | 9 | |
| EDWARD BYRNE, | Wicklow, | | | | | | | 15 | 13 | 1 | | | | |
| | Glanealy, | | | | | | | | 10 | - | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 16 | 3 | 1 | 16 | 3 | 1 | |
| THOMAS DOUGLAS, | Dunganstown, East, | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | „ West, | | | | | | | | 1 | 10 | | | | |
| | „ South, | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 1 | 10 | | 1 | 10 | |
| FRANCIS ANNESLEY, | Ennereilly, | | | | | | | | | 16 | 8 | | | |
| | Kilbride, | | | | | | | | | 16 | 8 | | 16 | 8 |
| THOMAS BIRTHSTLE, | Arklow, | | | | | | | | 1 | 15 | 3 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 1 | 15 | 3 | 1 | 15 | 3 |
| WILLIAM LOUGHLIN, | Cronebane, | | | | | | | | | 11 | | | | |
| | Ballyarthur, | | | | | | | | | 5 | 11 | | | |
| | Ovoen, | | | | | | | | | 4 | 2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 11 | - | | 11 | - |
| WILLIAM SMITH, | Rathdrum, | | | | | | | | 2 | 19 | 3 | | | |
| | Knockrath, | | | | | | | | 1 | 10 | 8 | | | |
| | Trooperstown, | | | | | | | | - | - | | | | |
| | Ballinderry, | | | | | | | | | 10 | 2 | | | |
| | Ballinaclash, | | | | | | | | | 1 | 5 | | | |
| | Ballinaeor, | | | | | | | | | - | 4 | | | |
| | Aughrim, | | | | | | | | | 1 | 6 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 5 | 34 | 5 | 34 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Totals, | | | | | | | | | | | 26 | 137 | |

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 £ 35 = 12 s. 2 d.

| | £ | s. | d. |
|--|----|----|----|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account, | | | |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | 34 | 8 | 0 |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account, | | | |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | 2 | 5 | |
| Average cost in Infirmary, | 2 | 10 | |
| Average cost in Fever Hospital, | 4 | 1 | |

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

| | | | |
|---------------------|----|----|---|
| In Money, - - - - - | 13 | 11 | 2 |
| In Kind, - - - - - | - | 1 | - |
| Total. - - - - - | 13 | 12 | 2 |

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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
(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.

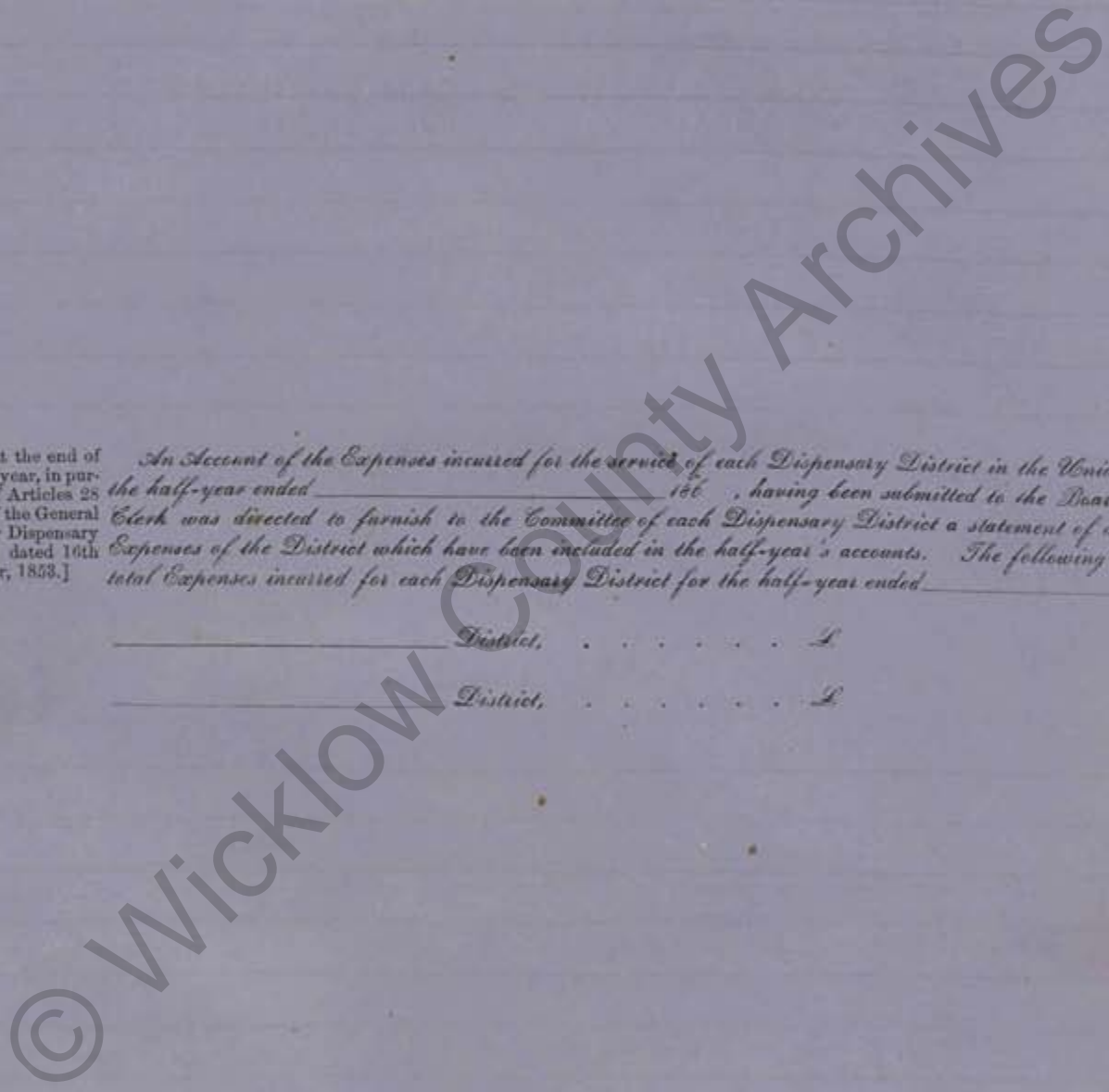
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the services of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 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. £



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

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

Orders dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Recd. Letter from _____
stating that

dated _____

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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1861, 43 381

Present Net Annual Value, £125539-17-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 2nd day of September 1865

| 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 | 235 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 823 | 238 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 18 | 41 | 33 | 72 | 6 | 7 | 24 | 16 | 28 | 245 | In Workhouse Hospital, 22 | In separate Wards, 9 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 1 | 10 | 5 | - | 1 | 2 | 5 | 3 | 2 | 29 | In Fever Hospital, 3 | In Wards with other inmates, 10 | | |
| TOTAL | | | 19 | 51 | 38 | 72 | 7 | 9 | 29 | 19 | 30 | 274 | Total, 25 | Total, 19 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 3 | 11 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 5 | 3 | 36 | | | | |
| Died, | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 3 | 11 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 6 | 5 | 3 | 36 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 16 | 36 | 40 | 36 | 5 | 7 | 23 | 14 | 27 | 238 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2nd day of September authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 21, s. 1 | | NAME OF RELIEVING OFFICERS |
|-----------------|--|--|----------------------------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | |
| No. I. | 33 | 82 | William Manning. |
| No. II. | 30 | 83 | Robert Manning. |
| No. III. | 45 | 84 | George Take. |
| No. IV. | 14 | 38 | Peter Moran. |
| TOTALS | 122 | 277 | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 5th day of September 1865

PRESIDENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

There was no Board on this day, only two Guardians, Messrs Edge & Keely, being in attendance

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

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

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

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

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

Laid during the week, - - - - - £ 37 : 10 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £ 595 : 3 : 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

| Name of each Collector | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts | Collected and Lodged | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | | |
|------------------------|--|-------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|-----------|----|----|-------|----|----|---|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | |
| PATRICK FARRELL, | Newcastle Upper, | | | | | | | 1 | 19 | ✓ | | | | |
| | ... Lower, | | | | | | | | 2 | 8 | | | | |
| | Kilcoole, | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Altidore, | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Killiskey, | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 2 | 1 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 8 |
| WILLIAM MURPHY, | Glendalough, | | | | | | | | | 4 | | | | |
| | Calary, | | | | | | | | | 9 | | | | |
| | Brockagh, | | | | | | | | 1 | 8 | | | | |
| | Ballycullan, | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Oldtown, | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| | Moneystown, | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| EDWARD BYRNE, | Wicklow, | | | | | | | 15 | 13 | 1 | | | | |
| | Glanealy, | | | | | | | | 10 | ✓ | | | | |
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| THOMAS DOUGLAS, | Dunganstown, East, | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | .. West, | | | | | | | | 1 | 10 | | | | |
| | .. South, | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 1 | 10 | | 1 | 10 | |
| FRANCIS ANNESLEY, | Ennercilly, | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Kilbride, | | | | | | | | 16 | 8 | | | | |
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| THOMAS BIRTHISTLE, | Arklow, | | | | | | | | 1 | 15 | 3 | | | |
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| WILLIAM LOUGHLIN, | Cronebane, | | | | | | | | | 11 | | | | |
| | Ballyarthur, | | | | | | | | 5 | 11 | | | | |
| | Ovoea, | | | | | | | | 4 | 2 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 11 | ✓ | | 11 | ✓ | |
| WILLIAM SMITH, | Rathdrum, | | | | | | | | 2 | 19 | 3 | | | |
| | Knockrath, | | | | | | | | 1 | 10 | 8 | | | |
| | Trooperstown, | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Ballinderry, | | | | | | | | | 10 | 2 | | | |
| | Ballinaclash, | | | | | | | | | 1 | 5 | | | |
| | Ballinacor, | | | | | | | | | | 4 | | | |
| | Aughrim, | | | | | | | | | 1 | 6 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 5 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 3 | 4 |
| | Totals, | | | | | | | | | | | 26 | 15 | 7 |

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 32 - 7 s. 6 d.

| | £ | s. | d. |
|--|----|----|----|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account, | | | |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | 34 | 8 | 5 |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account, | | | |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | 2 | 5 | |
| Average cost in Infirmary, | 2 | 11 | |
| Average cost in Fever Hospital, | 4 | 1 | |

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:

James Comerford D.V.C.

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

| | | | |
|-----------------------|----|---|---|
| In Money, - | 13 | 0 | 8 |
| In Kind, - | | | |
| Total, - | 13 | 0 | 8 |

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

James Comerford D.V.C.

Peter Keeshy
Geo. Manning

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 sent 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:*

35.

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):

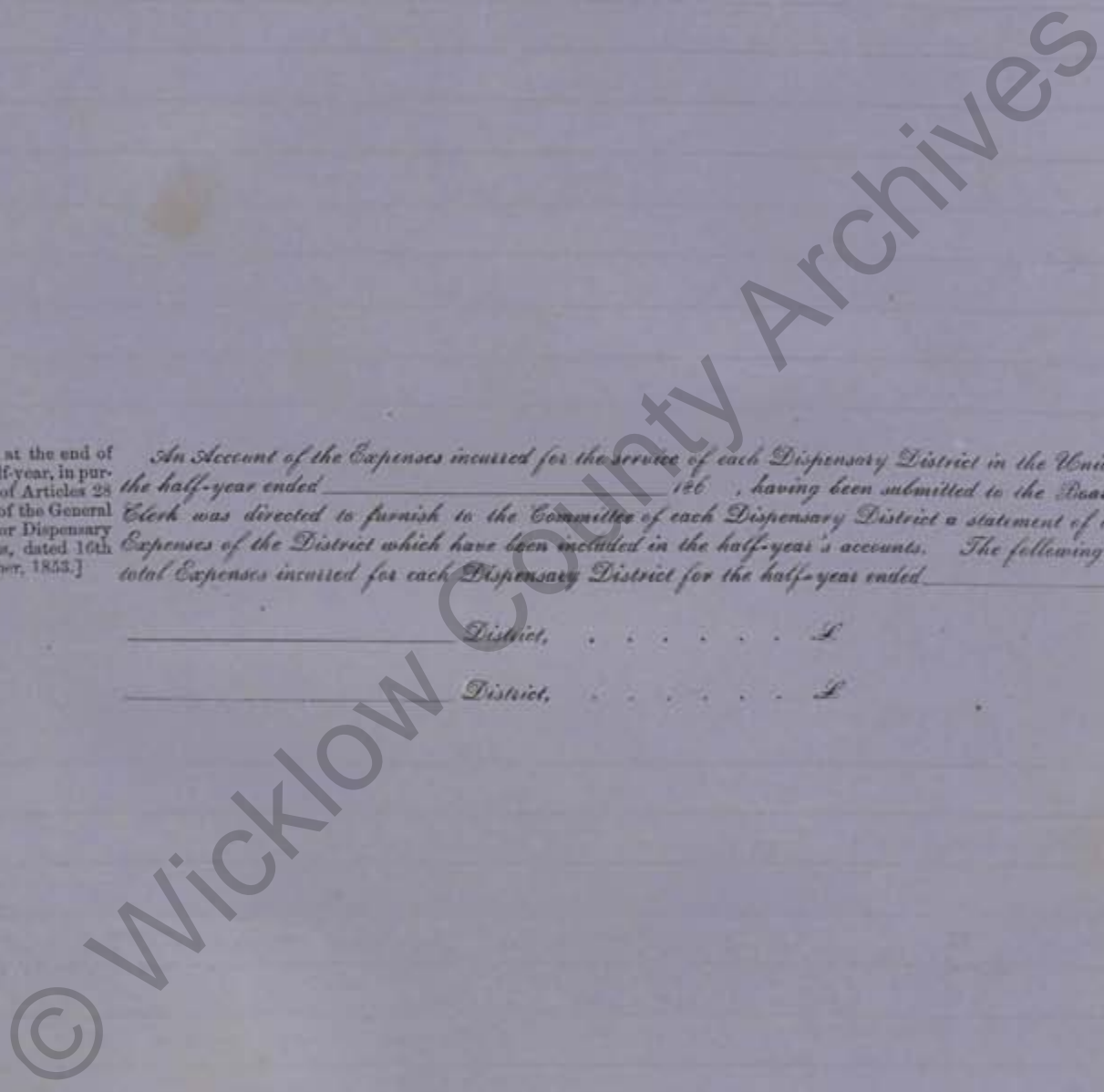
Dispensary District.

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.)



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

Read Letter from _____
stating that

dated _____

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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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(Special.)

RATHDRUM UNION. 40

Population in 1861, 43 381

Present Net Annual Value, £125, 539-17

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of September 1865

| Various 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 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, | 74 | 3253 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | | 823 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 16 | 40 | 36 | 70 | 5 | 7 | 23 | 14 | 27 | 238 | In Work-house Hospital, 22 | In separate Wards, 9 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 3 | 11 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 27 | In Fever Hospital, 3 | In Wards with other inmates, 10 | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 19 | 51 | 38 | 71 | 7 | 8 | 25 | 16 | 30 | 265 | Total, 25 | Total, 19 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | - | 4 | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | 2 | 7 | | | | |
| Died, | | | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | 2 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | - | 4 | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | 3 | 9 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 15 | 50 | 37 | 71 | 7 | 8 | 25 | 16 | 27 | 256 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9th day of September authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 | | NAME OF RELIEVING OFFICERS |
|-----------------|--|--|----------------------------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | |
| No. I. | 33 | 82 | William Manning. |
| No. II. | 30 | 83 | Robert Manning. |
| No. III. | 45 | 84 | George Tuke. |
| No. IV. | 13 | 26 | Peter Moran. |
| TOTALS, | 121 | 275 | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 12th day of September 1865

PRESENT: In the Chair, James Comerford Esq

Other Guardians: Sient: Col. Bogley, Messrs George Manning, Silvester Bourke and Patrick Keely;

The Warehouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4574 to No. 625 both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 35 : 13 : 10

And that the Balance on the Account in Favour of the Guardians was £ 59 : 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, | | | | | | | 1 | 19 | - | | | |
| | „ Lower, | | | | | | | | 2 | 8 | | | |
| | Kilcoole, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Altidore, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Killiskey, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 2 | 18 | | 2 | 18 | |
| WILLIAM MURPHY, | Glendalough, | | | | | | | | 4 | | | | |
| | Calary, | | | | | | | | 9 | | | | |
| | Brockagh, | | | | | | | 1 | 8 | | | | |
| | Ballycullan, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Oldtown, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Togher, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Moneystown, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 2 | 9 | | 2 | 9 | |
| EDWARD BYRNE, | Wicklow, | | | | | | | 15 | 13 | 1 | | | |
| | Glanealy, | | | | | | | | 10 | - | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 16 | 3 | 1 | 16 | 3 | 1 |
| THOMAS DOUGLAS, | Dunganstown, East, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | „ West, | | | | | | | | 1 | 10 | | | |
| | „ South, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 1 | 10 | | 1 | 10 | |
| FRANCIS ANNESLEY, | Ennereilly, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Kilbride, | | | | | | | | 16 | 8 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 16 | 8 | | 16 | 8 | |
| THOMAS BIRTHISTLE, | Arklow, | | | | | | | | 1 | 15 | 3 | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 1 | 15 | 3 | 1 | 15 |
| WILLIAM LOUGHLIN, | Cronebane, | | | | | | | | - | 11 | | | |
| | Ballyarthur, | | | | | | | | 5 | 11 | | | |
| | Ovoea, | | | | | | | | 4 | 2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 11 | - | | 11 | - | |
| WILLIAM SMITH, | Rathdrum, | | | | | | | | 2 | 19 | 3 | | |
| | Knockrath, | | | | | | | | 1 | 10 | 8 | | |
| | Trooperstown, | | | | | | | | - | - | | | |
| | Ballinderry, | | | | | | | | 10 | 2 | | | |
| | Ballinaclash, | | | | | | | | 1 | 5 | | | |
| | Ballinaeor, | | | | | | | | - | 4 | | | |
| | Aughrim, | | | | | | | | 1 | 6 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 5 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 3 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | <i>Totals.</i> | | | | | | | | | | 26 | 15 | 7 |

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

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

The 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 £ 27 = 5 s. 4 d.

| | £ | s. | d. |
|---|----|------|----|
| <i>Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,</i> | | | |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | 36 | = 1 | 7 |
| <i>Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,</i> | | | |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | 2 | / 5 | |
| Average cost in Infirmary, | 2 | / 11 | |
| Average cost in Fever Hospital, | 4 | / | |

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

| <i>For 3 weeks</i> | |
|----------------------|--------------------------|
| 2,600 White Flour | 4 Galls Chloride of Lime |
| 10 cwt Oatmeal | 1 cwt soft Soap |
| 280 Galls Buttermilk | 40 lbs Tea |
| 480 " Newmilk | 4 cwt Sugar |
| 18 lbs Butter | 1 Ladlock |
| 360 " Meat | 1 Desk lock |
| 99 sheep heads | 3 days Carpenterwork |
| | 1 Beer - |

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 9th day of September whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

| | £ | s. | d. |
|---------------------|----|-----|-----|
| In Money, - - - - - | 13 | = 0 | = 8 |
| In Kind, - - - - - | - | - | - |
| Total, - - - - - | 13 | = 0 | = 8 |

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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:

| | | | | |
|--------------------------|------------------------------|----|----|----|
| Denis Phare | Straw | 3 | 13 | 4 |
| John Lowley | Oatmeal | 12 | 9 | 5 |
| Stephen Murphy | Leather | 2 | 4 | 4 |
| Chas. Kavanagh | Hay | 5 | 3 | 1 |
| Thos Byrne | Bread | 52 | 14 | 2 |
| Isaac Flower | Chickens &c | 2 | 6 | 6 |
| Dunmummond & Son | Seeds | 2 | 2 | 6 |
| In favor of debts to pay | | | | |
| Aubant & | Postage | 1 | 17 | 3 |
| George Tuke | Conveyance | | 13 | 0 |
| Pierce Byrne | Coffin | | 7 | 0 |
| Isaac Flower | Repairs | | 18 | 5 |
| Andrew Belton | Tinware | 1 | 1 | 6 |
| Thomas Saul | Sundries | 1 | 3 | 4 |
| Joseph Saul | Oats | | 14 | 6 |
| Don Farrell | Carpenterwork | 1 | 19 | 0 |
| Wm Turner | Cooperage | 1 | 8 | 0 |
| James Simpson | Masonwork | 1 | 0 | 0 |
| John Quinn | Printing Notices | | 3 | 0 |
| Edw. Nowlan | Rent Vacc ⁿ Depot | | 12 | 0 |
| William Saul | " | | 7 | 6 |
| James Brady | " | | 1 | 5 |
| Richard Sharp | Cleaning Cloaks | 1 | 5 | 0 |
| | | | 14 | 14 |
| | | | 6 | |

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L *s.* *d.*

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

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

Gentlemen

The sewers in the male and female Probationary wards are out of order, and owing to their bad construction I would suggest of stone glazed pipes instead,

Approved

I respectfully ask your permission for leave of absence for self and Matron from Thursday to Saturday next.

Leave granted

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

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

Circular No. 102 M 65 Dated the 1st Instant from the Poor Law Commissioners Calling on the Clerk for a Return of the Rates made and any New Rates agreed upon in the Union during the month of August.

Letter No. 15,743 Dated the 4th Inst. from the Poor Law Commissioners relative to the child John Powell in whose case the Guardians requested instructions from the Com-
 In reference thereto the Commissioners

request to be informed by what means the child was brought from Bray to Wicklow.

In reply to this letter the child was brought by the Bray Constabulary with the mother to Wicklow, and left by them in charge of the Constabulary at the latter place, who sent for Mr Manning the Relieving Officer and informed him that the child was required admission to the Gaol with the mother in consequence of being over age, Mr Manning forwarded it to the Workhouse next day;

The following letter from the Clerk of the Union was read

12 Sept 65

Gentlemen

In consequence of the delicacy of my health I beg leave most respectfully to ask further leave of absence for one fortnight, my assistant Mr. B. Manning will take charge of the business during my absence

I am Gentlemen

Your obedient Servant

Arthur Grant

Clerk of the Union

Leave granted

And in Reply C^o
James Comerford
M^g Clerk

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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 *Tues* - day of *12* *Sept* 1865, -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 Antwerp & Ashford
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.

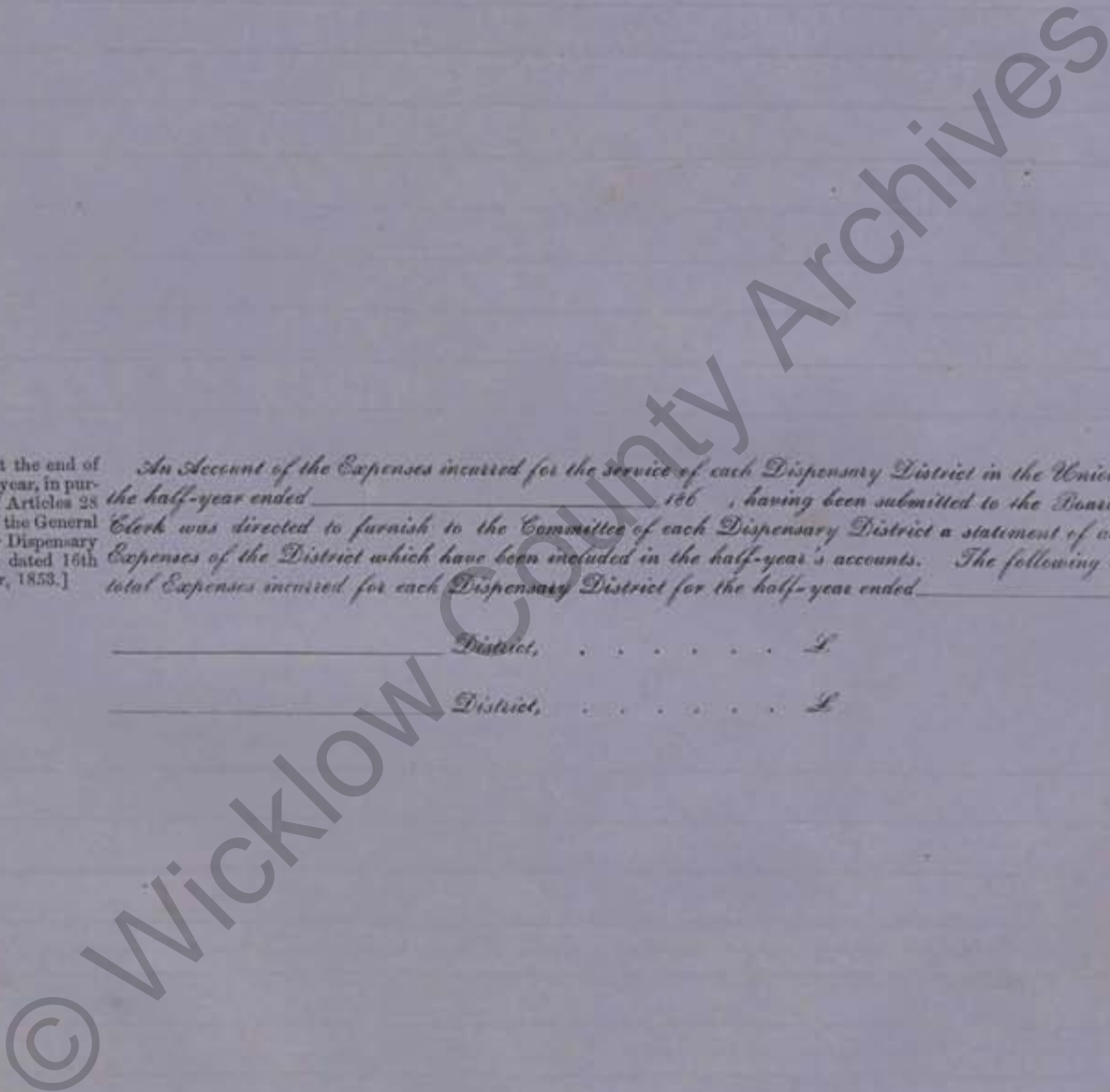
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 23 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 Commissioners dated 6th Instant ~~stating that~~

requesting the Clerk of the Union in future to enter all matters relating to Nuisance Removal and Disease prevention upon the Medical Charities Sheet ~~Section~~ of the Minutes and not in the Ordinary portion;

Read Circular No 100 Dated the 23rd Ultimo relative to the Guardians powers under the Nuisance Removal and Disease prevention Acts, and calling the attention of the Board to the Commissioners Circular of the 19th of October 1852 - 1852 - on the same subject, with a view to proper steps being taken to prevent disease, as far as possible

Read a Notice from two of the Rathfrim Constabulary calling the attention of Board to the filthy state of certain houses in the lower street of Rathfrim and requesting that steps may be taken to abate the nuisances referred to

Pat William Manning the Relieving Officer reported to the Board that in accordance with the orders which he received on the 22nd Ultimo he inspected the premises referred to in the previous Notice served by the Constabulary at Rathfrim and found the nuisance so far abated that he did not feel he would be justified in prosecuting the parties, and that he also visited the houses of the parties named in the present Notice upon
(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

whom he served notice that if the nuisance were not removed he would prosecute them before the Magistrates at Petty Sessions :

Ordered that the relieving officer shall again visit the several premises alluded to in both Notices and if he shall find that the nuisances are not removed to summon such of the parties as shall not have complied with the Notices served on them ;

Read the following letter from Charles Fitzell Esq^r J.P.

To The Chairman of the Board of Poor Law Guardians
Rathfriland

Sir - Herewith I send a copy of a Resolution passed by the Sanitary Dispensary Committee relative to a charge of neglect against Dr. Hatch, made by Mr. Keely P.L.G. on the 5th of August, also a Minute passed by the same Committee on the 2nd September relative to a claim made by Dr. Freeman -

Your obed^t serv^t
Charles Fitzell

- 1 - Proposed by Julius Murphy and seconded by Thos. Valentine that the Committee are satisfied with Dr. Hatch's explanation to the charge made by Mr. Keely of neglect of duty in delaying his attendance on Bridget Dempsey on the 28th June last. (5 August)
- 2 - Dr. Freeman appeared before the Committee and preferred a claim of one pound for attendance on Bridget Dempsey of Parkmore on the 28th June 1865 in the absence of Dr. Hatch the Dispensary physician the case being one of parturition (2nd Sept.)

Ordered that the clerk shall inform the Committee that this Resolution is informal the Committee not having requested the Board to pay Dr. Freeman

Read letter from the Medical officer of Newbridge Dispensary District recommending to the consideration of the Board the case of a man residing in his District with a view to the Board ordering him an elastic stocking, and a high piece.

Ordered that an elastic stocking and a high piece be purchased from Messrs Farmin for the man Patrick Fortune the cost of same to be charged to Newbridge Dispensary District

Read letter from the Clerk of the Balrothery Union enclosing copies of certain Resolutions passed by the Board of Guardians of that Union respecting Union Rating, the payment of half the Medical Salaries, out of Education Loans, the Consolidated fund and also relating to the Cattle Plague and to the Nuisance Removal and Disease prevention Acts, and requesting the Guardians of this Union to favour them with their views on these subjects, and to name some member of their body to accompany the Deputation which it is proposed should wait on Sir Robert Peel on the several subjects.

Ordered that the communication in question shall be brought under the consideration of the Guardians on their next special meeting on the 26th instant.

Apd. Geo. Byrne. Clerk
James Comerford
H. Gilbert

(Special.)

RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1861, 43381

Present Net Annual Value, £ 125,539-17-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of Sept 1865

| 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 9 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 | 249 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital, | 80 | 14 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total, | 823 | 263 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 15 | 50 | 37 | 71 | 7 | 8 | 25 | 16 | 27 | 256 | In Work-house Hospital, 24 | In separate Wards, 5 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 5 | 6 | 2 | - | 3 | 2 | 4 | 3 | - | 25 | In Fever Hospital, 14 | In Wards with other inmates, 10 | | |
| Total, | | | 20 | 56 | 39 | 71 | 10 | 10 | 29 | 19 | 27 | 281 | Total, 38 | Total, 19 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 4 | 5 | 2 | - | - | - | 2 | 2 | 2 | 17 | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | 1 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 4 | 5 | 3 | - | - | - | 2 | 2 | 2 | 18 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 16 | 51 | 36 | 71 | 10 | 10 | 27 | 17 | 25 | 263 | | | | |

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

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Number of cases relieved | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 19 Vict. c. 21, s. 1 | | NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS |
|-----------------|--------------------------|--|--|-----------------------------|
| | | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | | |
| No. I. | 36 | 88 | | William Manning. |
| No. II. | 28 | 78 | | Robert Manning. |
| No. III. | 45 | 84 | | George Take. |
| No. IV. | 13 | 26 | | Peter Moran. |
| TOTALS. | 122 | 276 | | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 19th day of September 1865

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

There was no Guardian in attendance on this day.

And the Signing Chairman
James Comerford
Thomas Puydoun

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 3 : 0 : 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £ 556 : 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, | | | | | | | 1 | 19 | - | | | |
| | .. Lower, | | | | | | | | 2 | 8 | | | |
| | Kilcoole, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Altidore, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Killiskey, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 2 | 1 | 8 | 2 | 1 | 8 |
| WILLIAM MURPHY, | Glendalough, | | | | | | | | - | 4 | | | |
| | Calary, | | | | | | | | | 9 | | | |
| | Brockagh, | | | | | | | 1 | 8 | | | | |
| | Ballycullan, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Oldtown, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Togher, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Moneystown, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 2 | 9 | | 2 | 9 | |
| EDWARD BYRNE, | Wicklow, | | | | | | | 15 | 13 | 1 | | | |
| | Glanealy, | | | | | | | | 10 | - | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 16 | 3 | 1 | 16 | 3 | 1 |
| THOMAS DOUGLAS, | Dunganstown, East, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | .. West, | | | | | | | | 1 | 10 | | | |
| | .. South, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 1 | 10 | | 1 | 10 | |
| FRANCIS ANNESLEY, | Ennereilly, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Kilbride, | | | | | | | | 16 | 8 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 16 | 8 | | 16 | 8 | |
| THOMAS BIRCHISTLE, | Arklow, | | | | | | | 1 | 15 | 3 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 1 | 15 | 3 | 1 | 15 | 3 |
| WILLIAM LOUGHLIN, | Cronebane, | | | | | | | | - | 11 | | | |
| | Ballyarthur, | | | | | | | | 5 | 11 | | | |
| | Ovoca, | | | | | | | | 4 | 2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 11 | - | | 11 | - | |
| WILLIAM SMITH, | Rathdrum, | | | | | | | 2 | 19 | 3 | | | |
| | Knockrath, | | | | | | | 1 | 10 | 8 | | | |
| | Trooperstown, | | | | | | | | - | - | | | |
| | Ballinderry, | | | | | | | | 10 | 2 | | | |
| | Ballinaclash, | | | | | | | | 1 | 5 | | | |
| | Ballinaeor, | | | | | | | | - | 4 | | | |
| | Aughrim, | | | | | | | | 1 | 6 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 5 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 3 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Totals. | | | | | | | | | | 26 | 15 | 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 £ 33 - 16 s. 8 d.

| | £ | s. | d. |
|---|----|----|----|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account, | | | |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | 35 | 1 | 9 |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account, | | | |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | 2 | 5 | |
| Average cost in Infirmary, | 2 | 10 | |
| 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: | | | |

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

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

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

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

| | | | |
|-----------------------|----|---|---|
| In Money, - | 13 | 0 | 8 |
| In Kind, - | - | - | - |
| Total, - | 13 | 0 | 8 |

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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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l s d

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

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

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

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

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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 Officers 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):

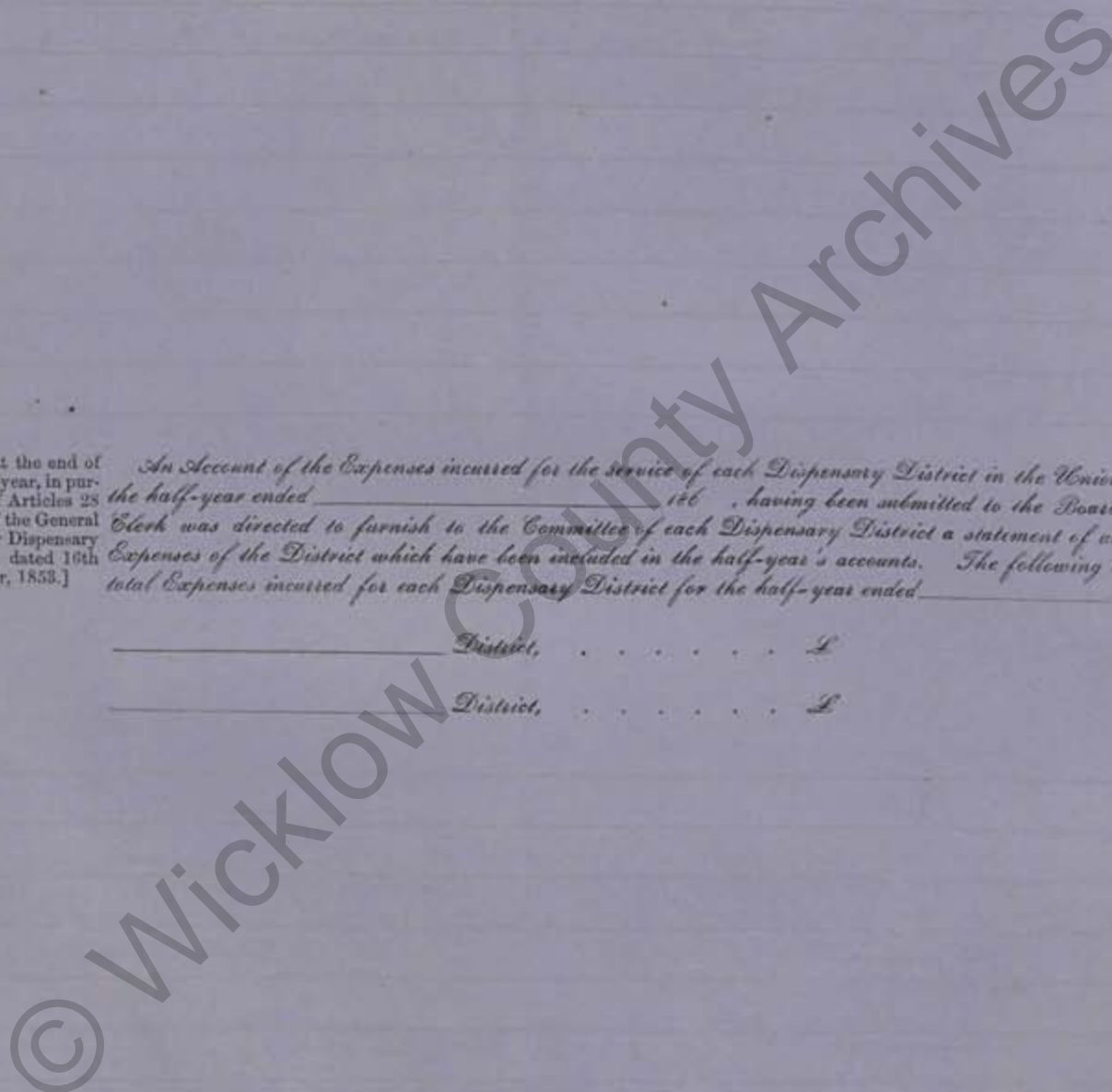
Dispensary District,

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, No. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Recd Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that _____

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Clerk of the Union.

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RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1861, 43381

Present Net Annual Value, £125539-17-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of Sept 1865

| 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 | RETURNS 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 | 245 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | 32 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 823 | 267 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 16 | 51 | 36 | 71 | 10 | 10 | 27 | 17 | 25 | 263 | In Workhouse Hospital, 21 | In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 9 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 5 | 6 | 2 | - | 1 | 2 | - | 3 | 2 | 21 | In Fever Hospital, 22 | Total, 10 | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 21 | 57 | 38 | 71 | 11 | 12 | 27 | 20 | 27 | 284 | Total, 43 | Total, 19 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 1 | 2 | 3 | 3 | - | - | 1 | 3 | 1 | 14 | | | | |
| Died, | | | - | - | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | 3 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 1 | 2 | 5 | 3 | - | - | 1 | 3 | 2 | 17 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 20 | 55 | 33 | 68 | 11 | 12 | 26 | 17 | 25 | 267 | | | | |

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

| RELIEF DISTRICT | No. | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 19 Vict. c. 21, s. 1 | | NAME OF RELIEVING OFFICER |
|-----------------|-----|--|--|---------------------------|
| | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | |
| I. | 39 | 92 | William Manning. | |
| II. | 28 | 78 | Robert Manning. | |
| III. | 46 | 85 | George Toke. | |
| IV. | 13 | 26 | Peter Moran. | |
| TOTALS, | 126 | 281 | | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 26th day of September 1865

PRESENT: In the Chair, Andrew Wm. Byrne Esq^r & James Comerford Esq^r

Other Guardians: Colonel Bayly, R. Howard Brooke, John D. Oliver, Wm Courtenay, Robert Hudson, Chas. W. West J.P., J. R. Taylor M.D., Tho Graydon, George Manning & Wm Gilbert Esq^r Messrs Robt Heath, J Chapman, A. Valentine, J. Acton, Ed Byrne, S. Bourke, J Jackson, J Woodroffe, J Fleming, J Romk, D. Jordan & Owen Fogarty & Wm Law Bestall Esq^r Capt Drayton & J Henry Esq^r Edw Murphy

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4626 to No. — both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ 2 : 2 : 5

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 48 : 6 : 11

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £ 58 : 3 : 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

| Name of each Collector | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts | Collected and Lodged | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | |
|------------------------|--|-------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|-----------|----|----|-------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| PATRICK FARRELL, | Newcastle Upper, | | | | | | | 1 | 19 | - | | | |
| | „ Lower, | | | | | | | | 2 | 8 | | | |
| | Kilcoole, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Altidore, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Killiskey, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 2 | 18 | | 2 | 18 | |
| WILLIAM MURPHY, | Glendalough, | | | | | | | | 4 | | | | |
| | Calary, | | | | | | | | 9 | | | | |
| | Brockagh, | | | | | | | 1 | 6 | | | | |
| | Ballycullan, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Oldtown, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Togher, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Moneytown, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 2 | 9 | | 2 | 9 | |
| EDWARD BYRNE, | Wicklow, | | | | | | | 15 | 13 | 1 | | | |
| | Glanealy, | | | | | | | | 10 | - | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 16 | 3 | 1 | 16 | 3 | 1 |
| THOMAS DOUGLAS, | Dunganstown, East, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | „ West, | | | | | | | 1 | 10 | | | | |
| | „ South, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 1 | 10 | | 1 | 10 | |
| FRANCIS ANNESLEY, | Ennercilly, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Kilbride, | | | | | | | 16 | 8 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 16 | 8 | | 16 | 8 | |
| THOMAS BIRTHISTLE, | Arklow, | | | | | | | 1 | 15 | 3 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 1 | 15 | 3 | 1 | 15 | 3 |
| WILLIAM LOUGHLIN, | Cronebane, | | | | | | | - | 11 | | | | |
| | Ballyarthur, | | | | | | | 5 | 11 | | | | |
| | Ovoea, | | | | | | | 4 | 2 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 11 | - | | 11 | - | |
| WILLIAM SMITH, | Rathdrum, | | | | | | | 2 | 19 | 3 | | | |
| | Knoekrath, | | | | | | | 1 | 10 | 8 | | | |
| | Trooperstown, | | | | | | | - | - | | | | |
| | Ballinderry, | | | | | | | 10 | 2 | | | | |
| | Ballinaclash, | | | | | | | 1 | 5 | | | | |
| | Ballinaeor, | | | | | | | - | 4 | | | | |
| | Aughrim, | | | | | | | 1 | 6 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | 5 | 3 | 4 | 5 | 3 | 4 | |
| | Totals. | | | | | | | | | | 26 | 15 | 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 £ 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 - 2/5

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 8/10

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:

| | | |
|----------------------|----|---------------------------|
| 2 Weeks | 12 | Barf Brooms |
| 2000 White Loaves | 12 | Handles |
| 10 cwt Oatmeal | 1 | Lamp |
| 292 lbs Meat | 6 | Shovel handles |
| 66 sheep heads | 10 | Galls Chloride of lime |
| 200 Galls Buttermilk | 10 | lbs Mustard |
| 400 " Newmilk | | Delph 6/- |
| 12 lbs Butter | 1 | Water Pot |
| | 4 | Banels Oats |
| | | Plumber to repair pipes |
| | | Spring Van to be repaired |

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

| | | | | | | |
|---------------------|---|----|---|---|---|---|
| In Money, - - - - - | £ | 13 | = | 7 | = | 8 |
| In Kind, - - - - - | | - | | - | | - |
| Total, - - - - - | | 13 | = | 7 | = | 8 |

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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 | E s. d. |
|-----------------|---------------------------|------------------------|---------|
| No. I. | William Manning, - - - - | ✓ | |
| No. II. | Robert Manning, - - - - | 10 ✓ | |
| No. III. | George Tuke, - - - - | 15 ✓ | |
| 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 Treasurer, and signed, namely:

| | | £ | s. | d. |
|----------------------------------|------------|----|----|----|
| Rev ^y Henry Galbraith | 1/4 Salary | 7 | 10 | 0 |
| " R ^d Galvin | " | 15 | 0 | 0 |
| to their Bank | " | 25 | 0 | 0 |
| Do | " | 2 | 10 | 0 |
| Dr Manning | " | 25 | 0 | 0 |
| Isaac Flower | " | 15 | 0 | 0 |
| Mary Flower | " | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| Cath ^{ne} Byrne | " | 7 | 10 | 0 |
| Thos Byrne | " | 2 | 10 | 0 |
| Ellen Furber | " | 3 | 15 | 0 |
| Bridget Nolan | " | 3 | 15 | 0 |
| Edw ^d Fallon | " | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| John Kilfoy | " | 3 | 0 | 0 |
| W ^m Manning | " | 8 | 15 | 0 |
| Robert Manning | " | 8 | 15 | 0 |
| George Tuke | " | 8 | 15 | 0 |
| Peter Moran | " | 8 | 15 | 0 |
| Dr Banks | " | 25 | 0 | 0 |
| " McFelland | " | 22 | 10 | 0 |
| " Hatch | " | 22 | 10 | 0 |
| " Sherwood | " | 20 | 0 | 0 |
| " S ^r Estrange | " | 20 | 0 | 0 |
| " Hudson | " | 20 | 0 | 0 |
| " Phipps | " | 18 | 15 | 0 |
| " Kearney | " | 18 | 15 | 0 |

| In favor of Clerk to pay | | | £ | s. | d. |
|---------------------------|-----------|---|---|----|----|
| Cath ^{rs} Reeves | to Salary | Wathburn | 1 | 10 | = |
| Mary Doyle | " | Arklow | 1 | 5 | = |
| Eliza Thompson | " | Dung ^{on} Newcastle | 1 | 2 | 6 |
| Mary Forester | " | Newbridge | 1 | 0 | = |
| Sarah Reid | " | Askefod | 1 | 0 | = |
| Wm Byrne | " | Do | 1 | 0 | = |
| Eliza Johnson | " | Newcastle | | 15 | = |
| Ellen Graham | " | Askefod | | 15 | = |
| Henry Bank | " | Do | | 7 | 6 |
| | | | 8 | 15 | = |

| | | | | | |
|------------------------|------|--------------------|---|----|---|
| Simon Smith | Rent | Amamoe Dispy | 2 | 10 | = |
| Henry Banks | " | Askefod | 5 | 0 | = |
| Edw ^d Byrne | " | Dung ^{on} | 5 | 0 | = |
| John Stewart | " | Askefod | 3 | 0 | = |
| Owen Toole | " | Askefod | 3 | 0 | = |
| Henry Bank | " | Askefod | 2 | 15 | = |
| Henry Rogers | " | Newcastle | 2 | 0 | = |

| | | | | |
|--------------|-------------|---|----|---|
| John Cameron | Advertising | 2 | 12 | = |
|--------------|-------------|---|----|---|

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

A supply of male clothing and shoes is required, say 40 mens + 20 Boys suits, 50 pair Mens shoes, 100 Womens and 80 childrens -

Ordered to be advertised for

It will be necessary to appoint a Committee to take stock on Friday the 29th Instant the close of the half year.

The following Guardians were appointed to form a Committee for the above purpose, Messrs T. Valentine, O Keely, Edw Edge, & J. Leviston;

I have been instructed by some members of the Board that James Simpson late on Hospital Card who was prosecuted for the cost of his maintenance and a Decree issued has left some property in the Country after him which will cover the amount of the process.

Order - The Decree to be executed

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

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

Letter No 16806, Dated the 14th Inst:
 from the Poor Law Commissioners relative to the case of a woman named Catherine Norin and her three children who had been removed from the Parish of St George Hanover Square, London and forwarded to Fenchurch Union at which latter place she had not arrived at the date of their letter, the Commissioners request to be informed if the Woman in question had made application for admission in the Workhouse of this Union;

The Guardians proceeded to consider and decide as to what Insurance office they should insure the Workhouse in, and the amount of the new Policy; and after a lengthened discussion the Board unanimously agreed to insure the Workhouse buildings & goods for £10,000, in the Liverpool & London and Globe Insurance office the terms offered by that Company being more advantageous than those offered by any other Co.

The following is a Schedule of the Insurance

| | Buildings | Funds | Total |
|---------------------|--------------|--------------|---------------|
| 1 Entrance Building | £ 700 - | £ 300 - | 1000 |
| 2 main Building | 2500 - | 800 - | 3300 |
| 3 Chapel Range | 1700 - | 300 - | 2000 |
| 4 Infirmary | 1500 - | 300 - | 1800 |
| 5 Fever Hospital | 1500 - | 300 - | 1800 |
| 6 Stables | 100 - | - | 100 |
| | <u>8,000</u> | <u>2,000</u> | <u>10,000</u> |

Rate per Cent $2\frac{1}{2}$ Annual premium £ 10-76-8

Agreeable to the Circular calling the Special Meeting on this day the question of Union Rating was brought before the Board with a view to obtaining the opinion of the Guardians as to whether a Petition ought to be presented to Parliament in favour of Union Rating in preference to the present system,

after the question had been fully discussed the Chairman took a division when there appeared in favour of Union Rating 14 votes, in favour of Divisional Rating 11 votes, some of the Guardians did not vote

The Clerk submitted to the Board the New Rate Books made up and Vouched by him; and also a list of the irrecoverable arrears of the old rate taken from the Collectors arrears sheets; as follows, viz

| | | | |
|--------------|----------|------------------|---------------|
| Athlow | £ - 15-2 | Glencady | 10-0 |
| Anghrim | 1-6 | Glendalough | 4 |
| Ballinacush | 1-5 | Kilbride | 16-8 |
| Ballinacor | 4 | Strookroth | 1-6-1 |
| Ballinlenny | 10-2 | Newcastle L. | 2-8 |
| Ballygarthor | 5-11 | " W ^r | 7-19-0 |
| Brookagh | 1-8 | Oroca | 4-2 |
| Calany | 9 | Rathdown | 2-16-9 |
| Crembane | 11 | Wicklow | 15-13-1 |
| Dungannon W. | 1-10 | | <u>25-8-5</u> |

Prepared by Mr. Gilbert and seconded by Mr. Bourk —

Resolved — that the above amounts of irrecoverable ~~amounts~~ Poor Rates be taken off the Books the same being uncollectable on account of the premises on which the several sums were assessed being vacant or only occupied by paupers, as on the Commons of Rathnew, who have no effects upon which to levy a Distress —

Passed

The Rate Books were duly signed by the Chairman and two Guardians, as were also the collectors Warrants, the following are the Rates on the several Divisions in the Union,

| | | | | |
|--------------|-----|----------|-----------------|-------------|
| Althore | 5-2 | in the E | Glencely | 10 in the E |
| Arklow | 1-5 | " | Glendalough | 8 " |
| Aughrim | 1-1 | " | Hillside | 7 " |
| Ballinaclesh | 1-6 | " | Hilcaule | 9 " |
| Ballinacor | 1-1 | " | Jullickey | 7 " |
| Ballinbegny | 5 | " | Knockrath | 6 " |
| Ballyarithon | 1-1 | " | Menapstown | 8 " |
| Ballycullen | 7 | " | Newcastle Lower | 9 " |
| Brockagh | 1-4 | " | " Upper | 9 " |
| Calary | 10 | " | Alotown | 1-0 " |
| Cronebane | 2-0 | " | Oraca | 1-0 " |
| Dungannon E | 10 | " | Rathnew | 1-6 " |
| " S | 1-2 | " | Togher | 8 " |
| " W | 1-2 | " | Trapertown | 8 " |
| Innerlillys | 1-3 | " | Wicklow | 1-0 " |

The Guardians proceeded to examine Tenders for the supply of Provisions to the Workhouse for three months ending the 25th of December 1865. — The Chairman, Andrew Byrne Esq^r, having vacated the chair which was taken by the Deputy Vice Chairman James Comerford Esq^r —

The following persons were declared the Contractors for the articles named at the parcels specified: *Viz*:

Provisions for 3 Months

| | | | |
|----------------|----------------------|---|-----------------------|
| Eliza Byrne | Best Beef Mutton | @ | 8 ² p lb |
| " | " Oz heads | @ | 2/6 each |
| " | " sheep heads | @ | 10 " |
| Thomas Byrne | " White Bread | @ | 5 ⁴ p 4 lb |
| John Darcy | " Polack Tea | @ | 2/3 p lb |
| " | " Brown Sugar | @ | 4 ² " |
| " | " Lump " | @ | 5 " |
| " | " Lisbon shell Cocoa | @ | 20/- p cut |
| " | " XX Porter | @ | 1/6 p doz |
| Butler & Scott | " Port wine | @ | 27/- |
| " | " Sherry " | @ | 26/- |
| " | " Brandy | @ | 20/- p gal |
| " | " Whiskey | @ | 18/- |
| John Conley | " Oatmeal | @ | £14 p Ton |

Necessaries to 12 Months

| | | | |
|--------------|------------------|---|---------------------|
| John O'Brien | Best Patent Rice | @ | 14/6 p cut |
| John Darcy | " Starch | @ | 3 ⁰ p lb |
| " | " Paste | @ | 8 ⁰ " |
| " | " Washing Soda | @ | 7/11 p cut |
| " | " Crown Soap | @ | 25/- |
| " | " Mould candles | @ | 6 ² p lb |
| " | " Dipt do | @ | 6 " |

Clothing to 12 Months

| | | | |
|--------------|-------------------|---|------------------------|
| John Farrell | Lincee | @ | 2/1 p yd |
| " | Frieze - narrow - | @ | 2/2 " |
| " | Flannel | @ | 1/5 " |
| " | Blay calico | @ | 10 ⁰ " |
| " | Twilled do | @ | 1/11 " |
| " | Scotch Caps | @ | 1/3 each |
| " | Worsted | @ | 2/6 p lb |
| " | Thread | @ | 2/8 " |
| " | Broad Tape | @ | 5 ⁰ p doz |
| " | Narrow " | @ | 4 ⁰ " |
| " | Studs | @ | 10 ⁰ p doz |
| " | Needles sewing | @ | 11 ⁰ p 100 |
| " | Smoothing Needles | @ | 6 ⁰ p lb |
| " | Pins | @ | 4 ⁰ p sheet |

| | | | | |
|------------------------|----------------------|---|---------|-----------|
| John Fanell | Rack combs | @ | 1/6 | per doz |
| " | Fine do | @ | 2/8 | " |
| Edward Wright | Lindsay Hoolsey | @ | 1/3 | per yard |
| " | Shambray | @ | 11 3/4 | " |
| " | Rings | @ | 2/11 | each |
| " | Blankets | @ | 13/- | " |
| " | Play linen | @ | 9 1/2 | per yard |
| " | Mending Calico | @ | 7 1/2 | " |
| Richard Neill & Co | White linen | @ | 11 1/4 | " |
| " | Shrouding | @ | 3 3/4 | " |
| William Fox | Check | @ | 1/1 | " |
| " | Bed ticken | @ | 1/1 | " |
| " | Damset | @ | 1/6 | " |
| Patrick Moore | Putt Leather | @ | 1/1 | per lb |
| " | Strip " | @ | 1/5 1/2 | " |
| " | Stamp | @ | 1/4 1/2 | " |
| " | Russian Hairs | @ | 1/7/- | " |
| " | And blades & handles | @ | 5/- | per gross |
| Andrew Pelton | Zinc Chambers | @ | 1/- | each |
| " | Tin house buckets | @ | 2/- | " |
| " | Coal boxes | @ | 2/- | " |
| " | Quart Tins | @ | 2/9 | per doz |
| " | Pint " | @ | 2/3 | " |
| " | Tin Scoops | @ | 1/- | each |
| " | Stucco Tins | @ | 6 | " |
| " | Tin Cans | @ | 1/- | per gal. |
| " | Spoons | @ | 9 | per gross |
| M ^{rs} Daniel | Shoe oil | @ | 6/6 | per gal |
| " | Whitewash Brushes | @ | 2/5 | each |
| " | Sweeping do | @ | 2/5 | " |
| " | Scrubbing do | @ | 2/- | " |
| " | Boaf Brooms | @ | 1/4 | " |
| " | Limers | @ | 2/4 | " |
| " | Black Seats Large | @ | 1/- | " |
| " | Do small | @ | 3 | " |

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

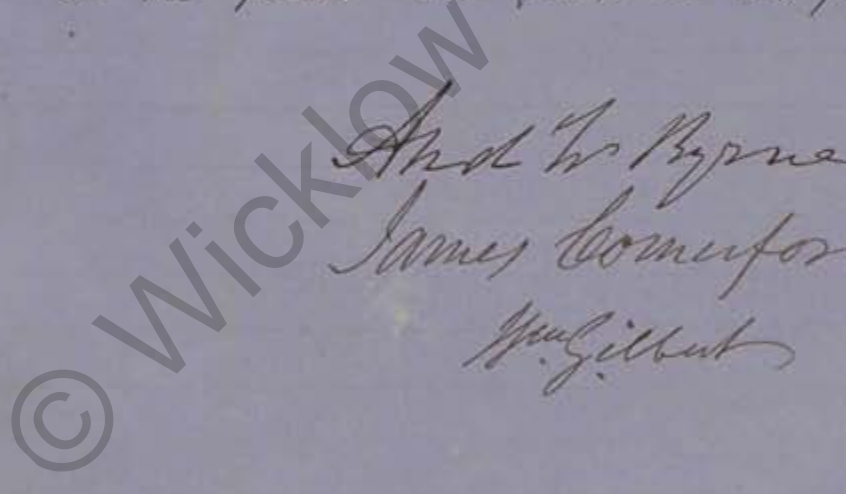
(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union

| | | | | |
|-----------------|-----------------------------|---|---------|--------------|
| Mr Jordan | Nails - Keel | @ | 2/2 | of 1,000 |
| " | " Sowers | @ | 1/5 | " |
| " | " Fack | @ | 1/1 | " |
| " | House Nails, 4 ^d | @ | 1/6 | " |
| " | Carpenters 6 ^d | @ | 2/4 | " |
| " | " 8 ^d | @ | 3/- | " |
| " | " 10 ^d | @ | 4/- | " |
| " | " 12 ^d | @ | 4/6 | " |
| " | " 20 ^d | @ | 7/6 | " |
| " | " 2/- | @ | 8/6 | " |
| " | " 2/6 | @ | 10/6 | " |
| " | " 5/- | @ | 20/- | " |
| Mr Turner | Wooden buckets | @ | 1/9 | each |
| Dennis Chase | Straw - water - | @ | 3/- | per cut |
| William Giffney | Coffins | @ | 5/- | each |
| Edward Boyle | Sweeping Chimneys | @ | £4-18-6 | for the year |

Mr John Faulkner of Sackville Street, Dublin, was declared the contractor for supplying Books forms Stationary &c for one year ending 29th Sep^r 1866 at the prices set forth in his printed Catalogue;

And W^m Byrne
James Comerford
J^{no} Gilbert



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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 26th day of September 1865,—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

_____ Dispensary District.

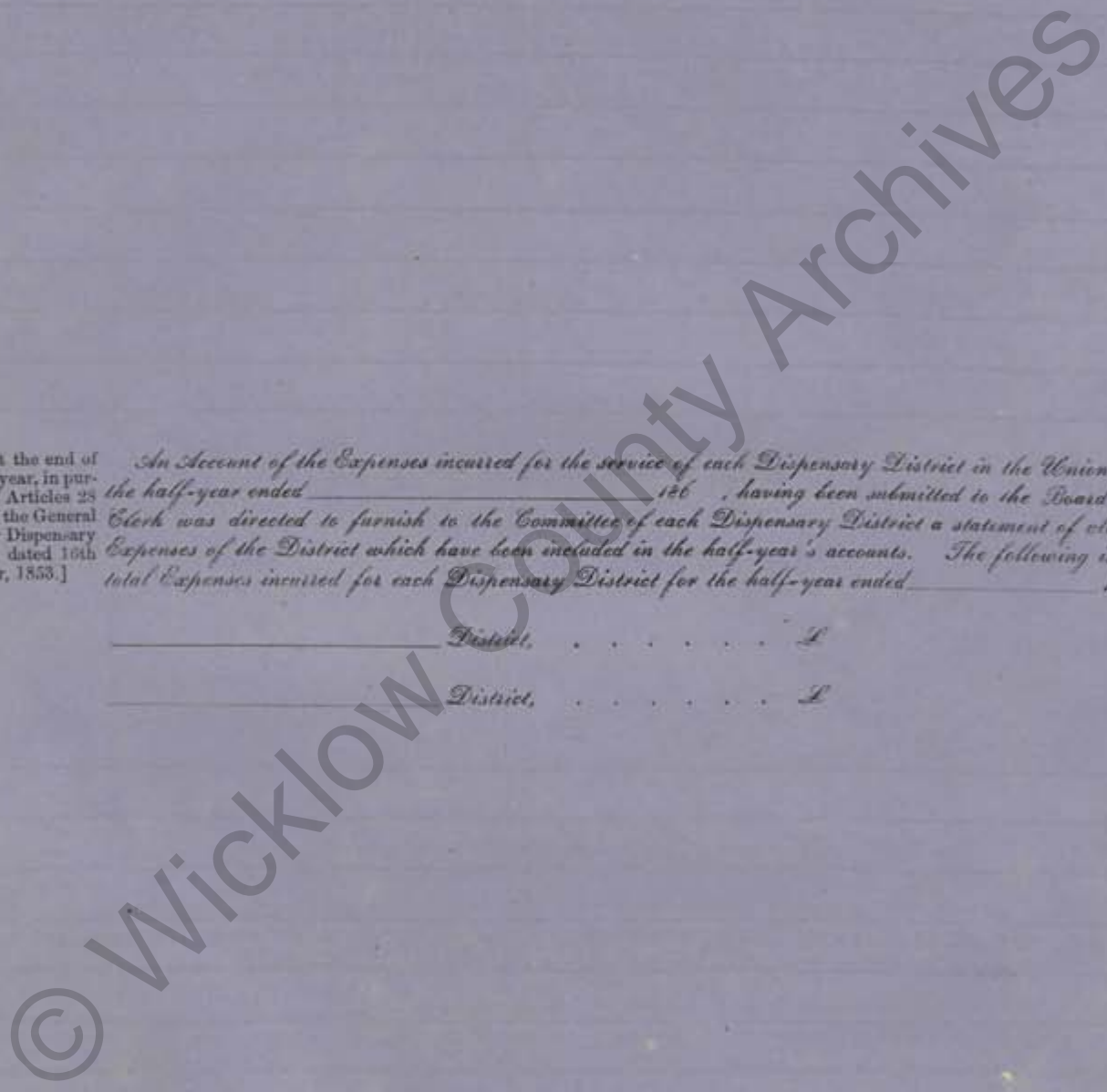
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 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 Comrs dated 18th Instant

requesting to be furnished with the particulars of the case of the woman Bridget Dempsey relative to whom a charge of neglect of duty was preferred by Mr Stealy P.L.C. against Doctor Hatch Med Officer of Annamul Dispensary District, and also requesting to be informed if the services of Dr Freeman in the case in question were obtained through the P.C.

Ordered that a copy of his letter be furnished to the Annamul Dispensary Committee with a request that the Board of Guardians may be supplied with the explanation required by the Commissioners.

Read Letter from Michael Hudson Esq & Secy of the Arklow Dispensary Committee reporting the illness of Dr Strange Med Officer of Arklow Disp Dist: and informing the Guardians that the Committee had appointed Dr Halpin to take charge of the District during Dr Stranges illness at a remuneration of £50 per annum and car hire.

Read Letter which was received by Larimerford Esq Secy of Rathsmun Disp Committee from Dr Phipps intimating his intention of resigning his appointment in a month.

A requisition was served on Mr Comerford requesting him to call a special meeting of the Committee to take Dr Phipps's letter into consideration

(Signed)

W. Webb

Clerk of the Union.

And for Payne
James Comerford
Wm Gilbert

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RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1861. 43 381

Present Net Annual Value, £125,539-17-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30 day of Sept 1865

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each building | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | Total | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | | |
|---|---|--|-------------|------|--|------|--|-------|---|---|------------------------------|-------|---|--|--------------|----|----|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | | |
| Workhouse, | 743 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Beds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 823 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 20 | 55 | 33 | 68 | 11 | 12 | 26 | 17 | 25 | 267 | In Work-house Hospital, In Fever Hospital, Total, | In separate Wards, In Wards with other Inmates, Total, | 9 | 10 | 19 |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 7 | 8 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 4 | 25 | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 27 | 63 | 33 | 69 | 11 | 13 | 28 | 19 | 292 | | | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 7 | | | | | | |
| Died, | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 2 | 2 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 8 | | | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 25 | 61 | 32 | 68 | 10 | 13 | 28 | 19 | 286 | | | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30 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. 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. | 41 | 98 | William Manning. |
| No. II. | 28 | 78 | Robert Manning. |
| No. III. | 45 | 89 | George Take. |
| No. IV. | 14 | 27 | Peter Moran. |
| TOTALS, | 128 | 292 | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 30 day of October 1865

PRESENT: In the Chair, Andrew Byrne Esq

Other Guardians: James Conarty Esq, Wm Gilbert Esq and Mr. Edw. P. Doyle;

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4626 to No. 4700 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. 7, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ 28 : 13 : 6

Laid during the week, - - - - - £ 79 : 18 : 4

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £ 456 : 18 : 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 | Amounts Collected Lodged Struck off | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | | |
|------------------------|--|--|----|----|-------|----|----|-----------|----|----|-------|----|----|---|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | |
| PATRICK FARRELL, | Newcastle Upper, | 1 | 19 | - | | | | | | | | | | |
| | .. Lower, | | 2 | 8 | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Kilcoole, | - | - | - | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Altidore, | - | - | - | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Killiskey, | - | - | - | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 2 | 18 | - | 2 | 18 | - | | | | | | | |
| WILLIAM MURPHY, | Glendalough, | - | 4 | - | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Calary, | - | 9 | - | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Brockagh, | 1 | 8 | - | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Ballycullan, | - | - | - | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Oldtown, | - | - | - | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Togher, | - | - | - | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Moneystown, | - | - | - | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 2 | 9 | - | 2 | 9 | - | | | | | | | |
| EDWARD BYRNE, | Wicklow, | 15 | 13 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Glanealy, | 1 | 0 | - | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 16 | 3 | 1 | 16 | 3 | 1 | | | | | | | |
| THOMAS DOUGLAS, | Dunganstown, East, | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | .. West, | 1 | 10 | - | | | | | | | | | | |
| | .. South, | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 1 | 10 | - | 1 | 10 | - | | | | | | | |
| FRANCIS ANNESLEY, | Ennereilly, | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Kilbride, | 1 | 6 | 8 | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 1 | 6 | 8 | 1 | 6 | 8 | | | | | | | |
| THOMAS BIRTHISTLE, | Arklow, | 1 | 5 | 2 | | | | 1 | - | 1 | | | | |
| | | 1 | 5 | 2 | 1 | 5 | 2 | 1 | - | 1 | 1 | - | 1 | |
| WILLIAM LOUGHLIN, | Cronebane, | - | 11 | - | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Ballyarthur, | 5 | 11 | - | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Ovoea, | 4 | 2 | - | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 4 | 11 | - | 4 | 11 | - | | | | | | | |
| WILLIAM SMITH, | Rathdrum, | 2 | 16 | 9 | | | | 2 | 6 | | | | | |
| | Knockrath, | 1 | 6 | 1 | | | | 4 | 7 | | | | | |
| | Trooperstown, | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Ballinderry, | 1 | 0 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Ballinaclash, | 1 | 5 | - | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Ballinacor, | | 4 | - | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Aughrim, | 1 | 6 | - | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 4 | 16 | 3 | 4 | 16 | 3 | 7 | 1 | | | 9 | 1 | |
| | | | | | 25 | 8 | 5 | | | | | 1 | 7 | 2 |

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

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

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

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

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

£ s. d.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

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

Average cost in Infirmary,

Average cost in Fever Hospital,

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

| | |
|------------------------------|--------------------|
| 950 Loaves White Bread | 20 cwt Soap |
| 130 lbs Meat | 1 chest Lead |
| 33 Sheep heads | 4 cwt Sugar |
| 190 Gallons Newmilk | 7 lbs Pepper |
| 6 lbs Butter | 6 Dug Potatoes |
| | 2 cwt Cocoa |
| | 2 lbs Tobacco |
| 1 Hide Runt Leather | 1 Box Monks |
| 1 " Hips " | 10 lbs Mustard |
| 6 lbs Hemp | 1 Box Altar Bread |
| 14 Grog and Plates & Shovels | 1 Dug Bush handles |
| Repairs to Harness | 30 Amies Pins |

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 Sept 1865 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

| | | | | | |
|-----------------------|----|---|----|---|---|
| In Money, - | 13 | = | 12 | = | 2 |
| In Kind, - | - | = | - | = | - |
| Total, - | 13 | = | 12 | = | 2 |

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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. |
|----------------|---------------------|-----|----|----|
| Butler & Scott | Wine &c | 25 | 10 | 5 |
| Elyza Byrne | Meat | 54 | 4 | 8 |
| Chas. Kavanagh | Newmilk | 98 | 17 | 4 |
| Aunt Farrell | Buttermilk | 10 | 6 | 8 |
| Thomas Byrne | Bread | 39 | 14 | 3 |
| John Farley | Oatmeal | 9 | 7 | 6 |
| John O'Brien | groceries | 45 | 1 | 7 |
| Patrick Fox | Coals | 107 | 16 | 2 |
| Dennis Phare | throw | 3 | 13 | 8 |
| Wm Daniel | Books | 8 | 2 | 4 |
| James Byrne | Repairs | 2 | 5 | 0 |
| James Mearns | Plastering | 4 | 4 | 0 |
| Pagetti Ho | Chloride of lime &c | 2 | 10 | 0 |
| Edward Boyle | Sweeping Chimneys | 2 | 9 | 3 |
| Richard Sutton | Painting | 11 | 6 | 1 |
| Ed Manning | Boards &c | 2 | 14 | 1 |
| H Edwards | Lime &c | 5 | 12 | 10 |
| Wm Giffney | caffins | 3 | 6 | 0 |
| Chas Savender | Pipes | 2 | 1 | 0 |
| Doctor Hatch | Vaccination | 6 | 1 | 0 |
| Wm McPhail | advertising | 8 | 0 | 0 |
| John Falconer | Painting &c | 2 | 16 | 8 |
| do | Books &c | 35 | 7 | 11 |
| Joseph Farrell | Insurance | 10 | 16 | 8 |

In favor of Clerk to pay

| | | | |
|--------------------------|--------------------|----|------|
| John Fanell | Cocoa + Porter ✓ | 4 | 11 |
| Isaac Flower | Chickens ✓ | 1 | 13 = |
| St Edwards | Salt | 12 | 3 |
| Ja ^s Manning | Ann roof ✓ | 1 | 6 8 |
| John Fanell | Ironie se ✓ | 11 | 7 |
| Wm Daniel | Oil ✓ | 19 | 6 |
| Edw Tallin | Shoes ✓ | 1 | 4 0 |
| Anne Browne | Delph ✓ | 5 | 8 |
| John Roach | Nails ✓ | 1 | 2 |
| Wm Turner | Carpentage ✓ | 15 | 4 |
| And ^r Bellin | Sinners ✓ | 1 | 7 6 |
| John Doyle | Haines ✓ | 6 | 3 |
| Ja ^s Matthews | Delph ✓ | 6 | 8 |
| Dan Fanell | Carpentwork ✓ | 6 | 0 |
| Wm Bryan | Repairs ✓ | 4 | 10 |
| Ja ^s Doyle | Smithwork ✓ | 1 | 5 6 |
| Wm Manning | Penyances ✓ | 10 | 6 |
| Salmon Rice & Co | Plaster of Paris ✓ | 9 | 0 |
| Albank | Janial ✓ | 4 | 9 |
| | | 12 | 15 1 |

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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

Messrs Seviston & Steady attended on Friday the 29th Ultimo at the Workhouse for the purpose of taking stock, when the following articles of clothing were condemned

| | | | | | |
|------------------|----|-------------|-----|---------------|----|
| Mens Coats | 27 | Boys, Coats | 11 | Womens | |
| " Vests | 11 | " Vests | 6 | Gowns | 58 |
| " Trowsers | 22 | " Trowsers | 7 | Pettycoats | 69 |
| " Caps | 13 | " Shirts | 0 | Shifts | 55 |
| " Shirts | 33 | Shirts | 53 | Aprons | 66 |
| " Neckties | 18 | Blankets | 38 | Caps | 17 |
| " Flannel shirts | 6 | Ticks | 6 | Handkerchiefs | 40 |
| " " Drawers | 2 | Rugs | 45 | Childrens | |
| | | Shoes | 133 | Tracks | 4 |
| | | | | Pettycoats | 19 |
| | | | | Shifts | 57 |
| | | | | Boots | 59 |

Ordered that the above articles of
Coat Clothing be taken off the Books

I lodged in the Bank at Wicklow to the Credit
of the Union £28-13-6 for the half year ending
29th Sep-1865;

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 119 Dated the 2 Instant
Calling on the Clerk for a Return of the Rates made and any New Rates agreed upon in the Union during the month of September

Resolution No 117 Dated 29th Ultimo
transmitting to the Clerk Forms for the annual Return of Union officers and Guardians for the ensuing year;

Letter No 16 976, Dated the 29 Ultimo
relative to the case of the child John Powell in which the Commissioners state that they concur with the Guardians that the proper course would have been for the Constabulary to have applied to have the child admitted to the Rathdown Workhouse in which Union it became destitute, which doubtless would have been done had the Constabulary been aware at the time that the child would not be received into the Gaol with its mother, There is however no provision in the Irish Poor Relief acts which would enable the Guardians to remove the child to another Union.

An offer was accepted from James Mathews
who proposed to give £ 1-10-0 for the old cast
clothing condemned by the guardians on the 29th
Ultimo;

James Comerford M.Ch

Patrick Keely
Robert Deane

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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 2nd day of Oct 1865,—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):

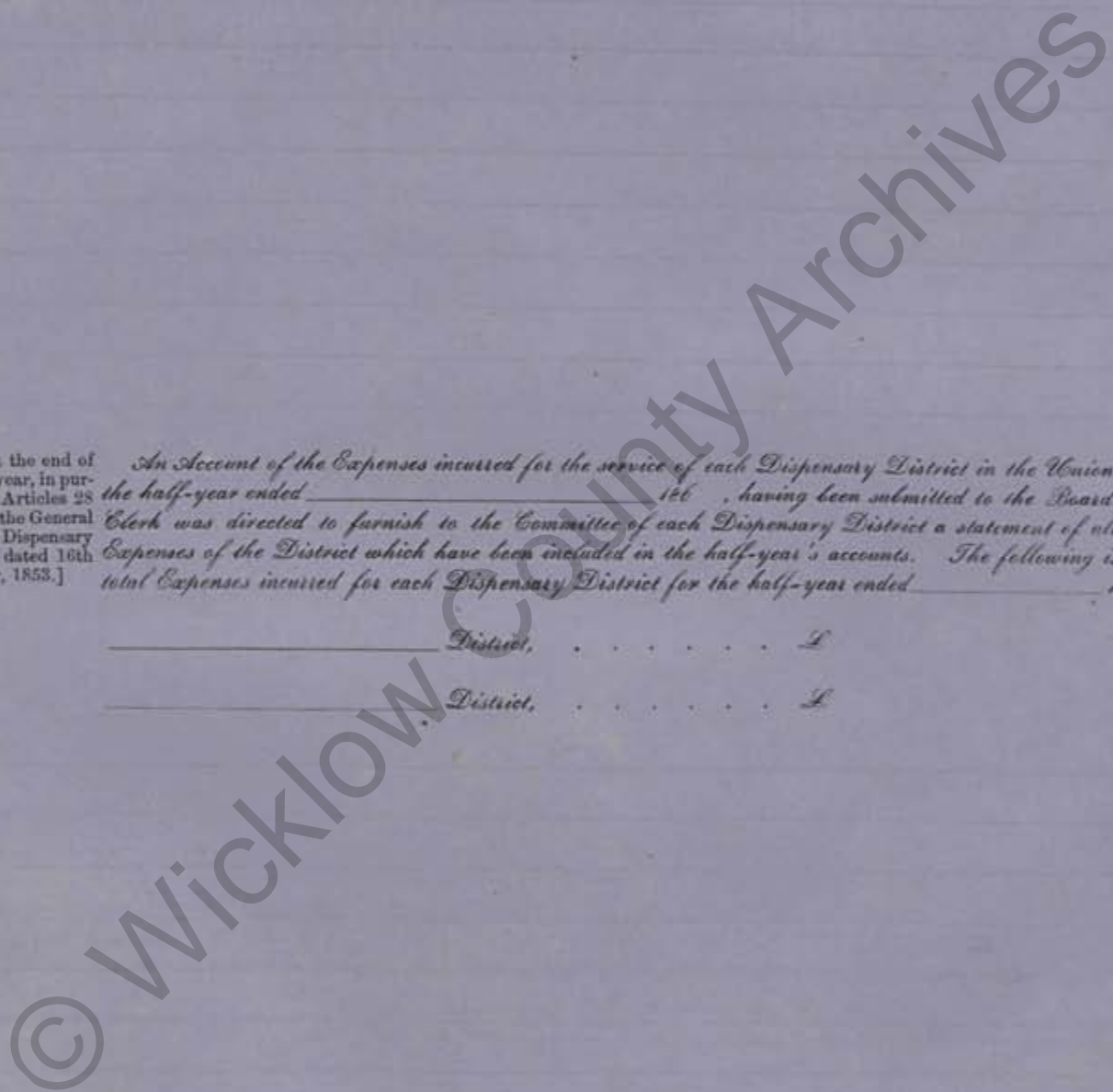
Dispensary District.

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

Recd Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 2^d Inst:
 stating that

Transmitting a list of Queries to be answered and signed respecting the substitute of the Medical Officer of the Arklow Dist^d Dist:

Went to forward same to the Hon Secy

With reference to the resignation of Dr Phelan Medical Officer of the Rathdown District a meeting of the Committee of Management has been summoned by Mr Comerford Esq Hon Secy, to take the matter into consideration on Monday next the 9th Inst

James Comerford Esq

Patrick Keely
 Robert Heath

(Signed)

Arthur Whelan

Clerk of the Union



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RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1861, 43381

Present Net Annual Value, £125,539.17

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 7th day of Oct 1865

| 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 | | 743260 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | | 8024 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | 823284 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 25 | 61 | 32 | 68 | 10 | 13 | 28 | 19 | 28 | 284 | In Workhouse Hospital, 29 | In separate Wards, 9 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 3 | 6 | 2 | " | 1 | " | " | " | " | 12 | In Fever Hospital, 26 | In Wards with other inmates, 40 | | |
| TOTAL | | | 28 | 67 | 34 | 68 | 11 | 13 | 28 | 19 | 282 | 53 | 49 | | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 2 | 5 | " | " | 1 | 1 | " | " | 2 | 11 | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | 1 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 2 | 5 | 1 | " | 1 | 1 | " | " | 2 | 12 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 26 | 62 | 33 | 68 | 10 | 12 | 28 | 19 | 26 | 284 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 7 day of Oct 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 | | SERIES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS |
|-----------------|--|--|------------------------------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | |
| No. I. | 40 | 95 | William Manning. |
| No. II. | 28 | 78 | Robert Manning. |
| No. III. | 46 | 93 | George Tuke. |
| No. IV. | 15 | 28 | Peter Moran. |
| TOTALS, | 129 | 294 | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 10th day of October 1865

PRESENT: In the Chair, James Comerford Esq
Other Guardians: Messrs Robert Heath & Patrick Realy

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4701 to No. 4714 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, - - - - - £31 : 15 : 4

Paid during the week, - - - - - £386 : 8 : 9

And that the Balance on the Account ~~in~~ ⁱⁿ favour the Guardians was £132 : 4 : 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 | New Rates Collected and Lodged | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | |
|------------------------|---|--------------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|-----------|----|----|-------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| PATRICK FARRELL, | Newcastle Upper, | 188 | 17 | .. | | | | 188 | 17 | .. | | | |
| | „ Lower, | 273 | 12 | 6 | | | | 273 | 12 | 6 | | | |
| | Kilcoole, | 255 | 16 | 10 | | | | 255 | 16 | 10 | | | |
| | Altidore, | 52 | 13 | 7 | | | | 52 | 13 | 7 | | | |
| | Killiskey, | 108 | 11 | 2 | | | | 108 | 11 | 2 | | | |
| | | 879 | 11 | 1 | | | | 879 | 11 | 1 | 879 | 11 | 1 |
| WILLIAM MURPHY, | Glendalough, | 43 | 17 | 5 | | | | 43 | 17 | 5 | | | |
| | Calary, | 47 | 2 | 6 | | | | 47 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | Brockagh, | 282 | 7 | 8 | | | | 282 | 7 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballycullan, | 43 | 9 | 8 | | | | 43 | 9 | 8 | | | |
| | Oldtown, | 96 | 9 | 6 | | | | 96 | 9 | 6 | | | |
| | Togher, | 46 | 3 | 2 | | | | 46 | 3 | 2 | | | |
| | Moncystown, | 34 | 15 | .. | | | | 34 | 15 | .. | | | |
| | | 594 | 4 | 11 | | | | 594 | 4 | 11 | 594 | 4 | 11 |
| EDWARD BYRNE, | Wicklow, | 194 | 8 | 2 | | | | 194 | 8 | 2 | | | |
| | Glanealy, | 327 | 11 | 8 | | | | 327 | 11 | 8 | | | |
| | | 1021 | 19 | 10 | | | | 1021 | 19 | 10 | 1021 | 19 | 10 |
| THOMAS DOUGLAS, | Dunganstown, East, | 251 | 13 | 8 | | | | 251 | 13 | 8 | | | |
| | „ West, | 265 | 9 | 6 | 22 | 10 | | 242 | 19 | 6 | | | |
| | „ South, | 309 | 17 | .. | 9 | 5 | | 300 | 12 | .. | | | |
| | | 827 | 0 | 2 | 31 | 15 | | 795 | 5 | 2 | 795 | 5 | 2 |
| FRANCIS ANNESLEY, | Ennereilly, | 227 | .. | 11 | | | | 227 | .. | 11 | | | |
| | Kilbride, | 159 | 17 | 6 | | | | 159 | 17 | 6 | | | |
| | | 386 | 18 | 5 | | | | 386 | 18 | 5 | 386 | 18 | 5 |
| THOMAS BIRTHISTLE, | Arklow, | 858 | 17 | 8 | | | | 858 | 17 | 8 | 858 | 17 | 8 |
| | | 858 | 17 | 8 | | | | 858 | 17 | 8 | 858 | 17 | 8 |
| WILLIAM LOUGHLIN, | Cronebane, | 310 | 19 | 8 | | | | 310 | 19 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballyarthur, | 172 | 7 | 5 | | | | 172 | 7 | 5 | | | |
| | Ovoea, | 325 | 12 | 6 | | | | 325 | 12 | 6 | | | |
| | | 808 | 19 | 7 | | | | 808 | 19 | 7 | 808 | 19 | 7 |
| WILLIAM SMITH, | Rathdrum, | 491 | 6 | 6 | | | | 491 | 6 | 6 | | | |
| | Knockrath, | 34 | 6 | 9 | | | | 34 | 6 | 9 | | | |
| | Trooperstown, | 37 | 10 | 2 | | | | 37 | 10 | 2 | | | |
| | Ballinderry, | 33 | 8 | 8 | | | | 33 | 8 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballinacash, | 168 | 2 | 6 | | | | 168 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | Ballinaeor, | 133 | 1 | .. | | | | 133 | 1 | .. | | | |
| | Aughrim, | 124 | 12 | 8 | | | | 124 | 12 | 8 | | | |
| | | 1022 | 8 | 3 | | | | 1022 | 8 | 3 | 1022 | 8 | 3 |
| | Totals, | 1399 | 19 | 11 | 31 | 15 | | 1367 | 6 | 11 | 1368 | 4 | 11 |

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's Districts, 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 Account.~~
3. ~~The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.~~

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 15 14 s. 4 d.

| | | | |
|--|------|----|----|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account, | £ | s. | d. |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | 15 | 14 | 4 |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account, | 35 | 14 | 6 |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | 2/5 | | |
| Average cost in Infirmary, | 2/11 | | |
| Average cost in Fever Hospital, | 4/4 | | |

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:

- | | |
|------------------------|------------------------------|
| 950 loaves Bread | 10000 Feet Nails |
| 100 Gall, Buttermilk | 10000 2 ^d . Nails |
| 200 Gall, New Milk | 5000 Pavior |
| 6 th Butter | |
| 140 th Meat | |
| 33 Sheep Heads | |
| 24 Scrubbing Brushes | |
| 12 Badts Trovies | |
| 6 White wash Brushes | |

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.
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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, - - - - - | 13 | 12 | 10 |
| Total, - - - - - | 13 | 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:

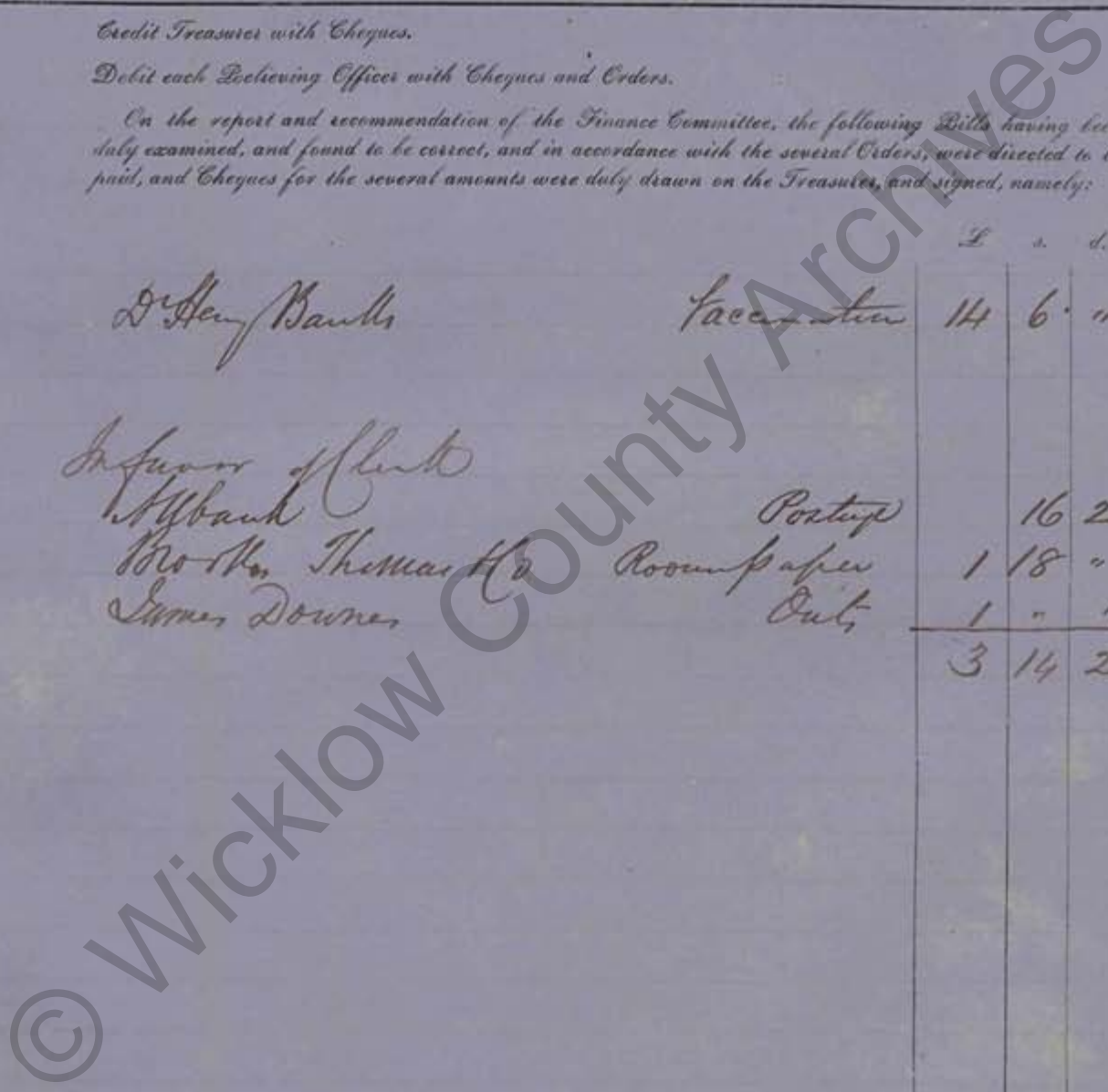
| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d. |
|-----------------|---------------------------|-----------------------------------|
| No. I. | William Manning, - - - - | 15. 0. 0 |
| No. II. | Robert Manning, - - - - | |
| No. III. | George Tuke, - - - - | |
| No. IV. | Peter Moran, - - - - | |
| TOTAL, | | 15. 0. 0 |

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 Treasurers, and signed, namely:

| | | £ | s. | d. |
|-----------------|-------------|----|----|----|
| D. H. Banks | Facer-stone | 14 | 6 | " |
| Infantry Office | | | | |
| Albany | Postage | | 16 | 2 |
| Bro. Mr. Thomas | Room paper | 1 | 18 | " |
| James Downes | Outs | 1 | " | " |
| | | 3 | 14 | 2 |



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

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

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

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

Circular N^o 121 Miscellaneous
 Dated 2nd Instant Calling on the Clerk for a Return
 shewing the Number of Male Occupiers Rated at the
 following amounts £20 and less than £30 £30 and less
 than £40 £40 & upwards

Wm. Gilbert

Chairman

Geo. Manning

Silvester Bacock

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the

day of _____ 186

(Signed) _____

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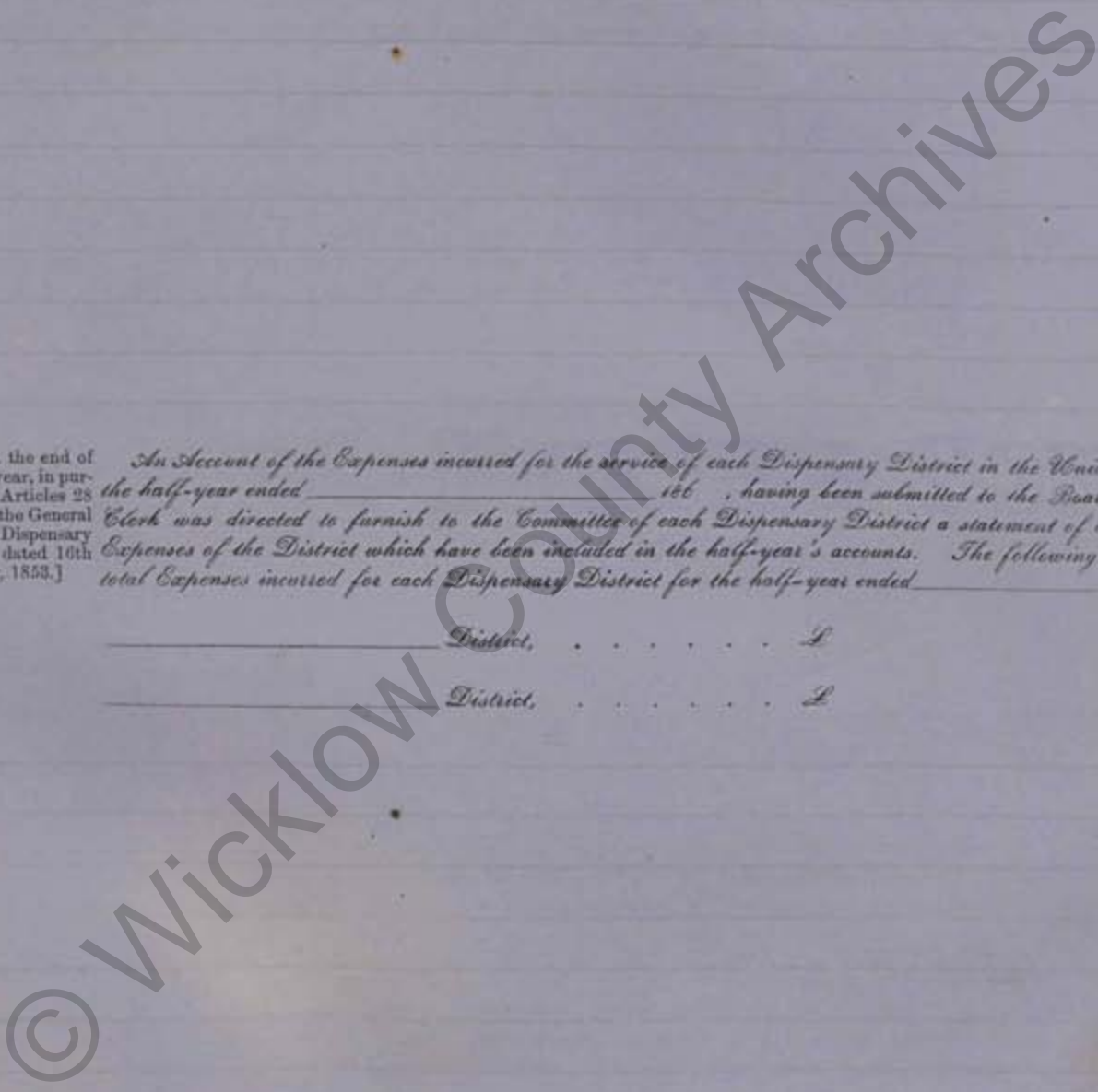
Dispensary District,

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):

Second Letter from the Quarantine Disposal Committee as follows stating that

Quarantine 7th Dec 1865

1
Gentle

With reference to a communication from the Board of Guardians of the Rathfarnham Union dated 29th September 1865 enclosing a Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners ~~dated 29th Sept 1865~~ enclosing a letter from the Poor Law Commissioners to the Board dated 18th September 1865 in which they request the particulars of the Complaint of Mr Keely for neglect of duty preferred against Dr Hatch the Medical Officer. I beg to state that Mr Keely a Guardian and Member of the Committee complained that having sent a Ticket to Dr Hatch on the 28th June 1865 to attend a woman of the name of Bridget Dempsey in her Confinement at 40 O'Clock at M, and which he understood reached Dr Hatch at 6 O'Clock at M and that the said Dr Hatch only attend the said woman at about 11 O'Clock at M on that day. The Committee asked Dr Hatch for an explanation, which was that immediately after the departure of Mr Keely's Messenger a man named Doyle called to say that his two Brothers were dying of Scarlatina and that Dr Hatch having been already attending them on a visiting Ticket thought it his duty to go there first, especially as their residence was nearer to him and partly on the way towards Bridget Dempsey's. The Committee also having had before them the evidence of William Doyle the father of the two Patients "since dead", Consider Dr Hatch justified in the Course which he adopted in postponing the Case of Bridget Dempsey to that of the Doyle's who were

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

in imminent danger of death,
With reference to the second question asked by the Committee
as to whether Dr Freeman's services were obtained through
the Relieving Officer, I have to state that they were
not so obtained but by means of the aforesaid Mr Keely,
P.L.O. of that Division who considered the case an urgent
one

I am Gentl

Yours V^{ly}

(Signed) Thomas Tallentire

Henry Keely

To
The Board of Guardians
Rathfriland Union

Copy of Minutes of proceedings of the Rathfriland Dispensary Committee
October 9th 1865

At a meeting of the Committee of Management of Rathfriland Dispensary
convened by requisition of two Members Messrs Gilbert and Edw^d Edge held
at the Dispensary this day to take into consideration a letter of Doctor Phipps
addressed to the Secretary respecting an appointment as Medical Officer
of the District
Members present Rev A Galbraith in the Chair
Rev W Galvin P.O. Messrs M^r Gilbert, Edw^d Edge, James Allen, Shuller Byrne
William Woodbyrne, Thomas Keely, Patrick Jones, Miles Byrne, Douglas Byrne
Robert Lawson Lawrence Byrne, Charles McWest Esq James Conroy Esq.

The following letter was read from Dr Phipps

Rathfriland 11th Sept 1865

My Dear Mr Conroy

I beg to give notice of my intention to
resign the appointment of Medical Officer to the Rathfriland Dispensary
District in the course of the ensuing month and remain

Yours most truly

(Signed) Conroy Esq Henry Keely

(Signed) Robert B Phipps

Proposed by the Revd Rich^d Galvin and seconded by William Gilbert Esq
Resolved that Doctor Phipps has given us any great satisfaction
by the manner in which he has discharged his duties as Medical Officer
of this District and that we have received his resignation with regret
Passed unanimously

The Committee proceeded to elect a Temporary Medical Officer
to perform the duties until a permanent appointment is
made. Proposed by Mr Gilbert and seconded by Mr Edge That
Doctor Samuel Manning Senior be appointed Medical Officer

"Pro tem" of the Rathfriland Dispensary at the rate of £75 per Annum,
Proposed by Mr Loughlin Byrne and seconded by Mr. Patrick Jones,
That Doctor Michael Sheridan be appointed Medical Officer
"Pro tem" of Rathfriland Dispensary at the usual Salary
Voting as under

For Dr Samuel Manning Mr. W. Gilbert Esq. Messrs Edward P. Esq. James Allen
William Woodbyrne, John Woodbyrne, Thomas Hull, Robert Lawrence
7 Votes

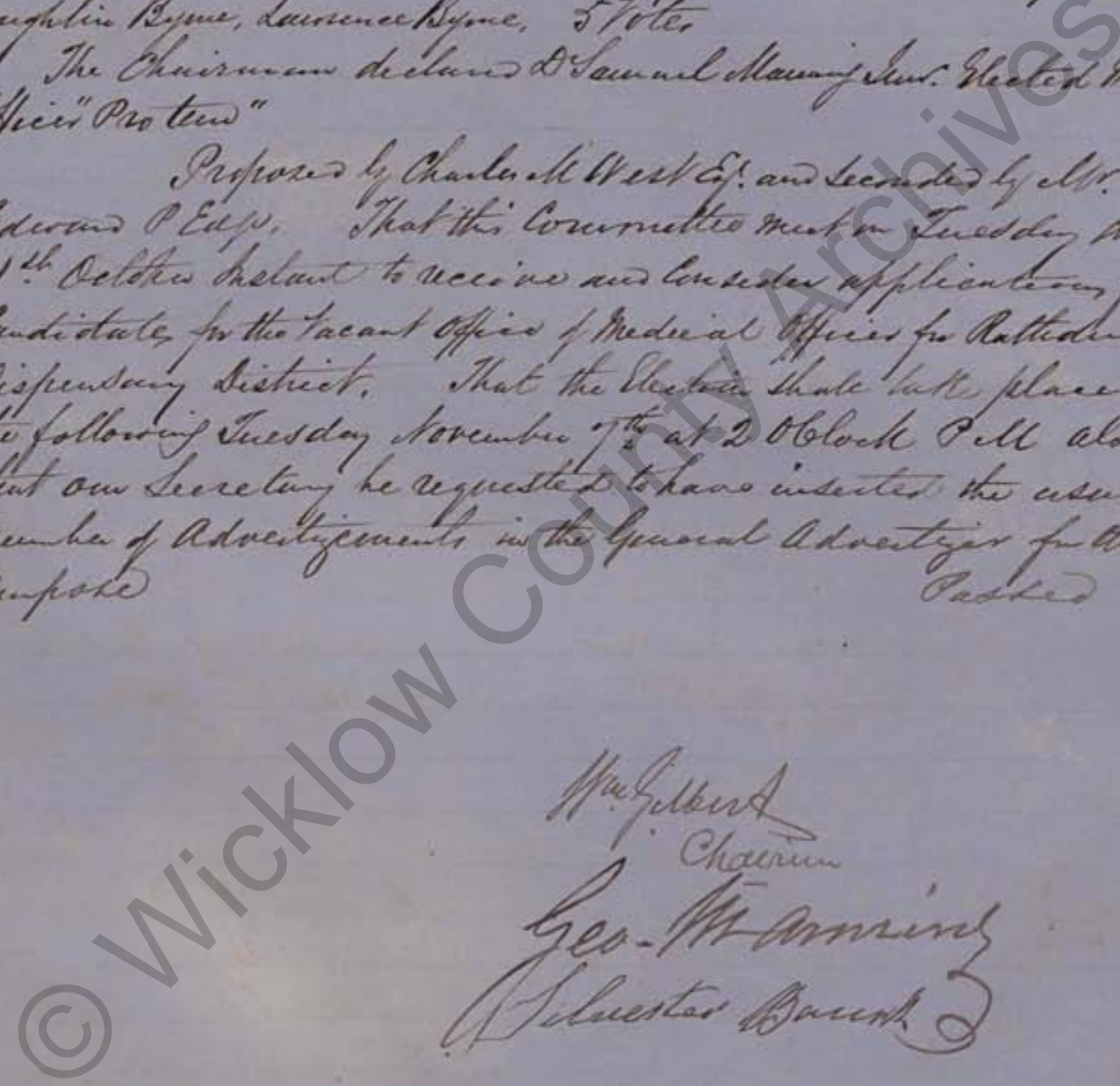
For Dr Sheridan Rev. R. Galvin Messrs Pat Jones, Miles, Byrne
Loughlin Byrne, Lawrence Byrne, 5 Votes

The Chairman declared Dr Samuel Manning Esq. Elected Medical
Officer "Pro tem"

Proposed by Charles H. West Esq. and seconded by Mr.
Edward P. Esq. That this Committee meet on Tuesday the
31st October instant to receive and consider applications from
Candidates for the vacant Office of Medical Officer for Rathfriland
Dispensary District. That the Election shall take place on
the following Tuesday November 7th at 2 O'Clock P.M. also
that our Secretary be requested to have inserted the usual
Number of Advertisements in the General Advertiser for the
purpose
Passed

Wm Gilbert
Chairman

Geo. W. Manning
Secretary



(Special.)

RATHDRUM UNION.

140

Population in 1861, 43381

Present Net Annual Value, £125,539-17-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of October 1865

| 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 8 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 | 44 | 3264 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | 80 | 27 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | 823 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 26 | 62 | 33 | 68 | 10 | 12 | 28 | 19 | 26 | 284 | In Work-house Hospital, 29 | In separate Wards, 9 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 4 | 10 | 1 | - | 1 | 1 | 1 | 6 | 6 | 30 | In Fever Hospital, 27 | In Wards with other inmates, 10 | | |
| TOTAL | | | 30 | 72 | 34 | 68 | 11 | 13 | 29 | 25 | 32 | 314 | Total, 56 | Total, 19 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 5 | 9 | - | - | 1 | - | 1 | 4 | 1 | 21 | | | | |
| Died, | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | 2 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 5 | 9 | - | - | 1 | - | 1 | 4 | 3 | 23 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 25 | 63 | 34 | 68 | 10 | 13 | 28 | 21 | 29 | 291 | | | | |

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

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 18 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. | 39 | 95 | William Manning. |
| No. II. | 28 | 78 | Robert Manning. |
| No. III. | 45 | 87 | George Take. |
| No. IV. | 15 | 28 | Peter Moran. |
| TOTALS | 127 | 288 | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 17th day of October 1865

PRESENT: In the Chair,

William Gilbert Esq

Other Guardians:

Jas. Comerford & George Manning Esqrs and Mr Silvester Bowk

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4715 to No. 4800 both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 1 to No. 100, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £20 : 4 : 4

Baid during the week, - - - - - £276 : 5 : 4

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £124 : 0 : 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.

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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 | Collected and Lodged | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | |
|------------------------|---|----------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|-----------|------|----|-------|------|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| PATRICK FARRELL, | Newcastle Upper, | - | - | - | | | | 188 | 17 | " | | | |
| | .. Lower, | 9 | 12 | 9 | | | | 263 | 19 | 9 | | | |
| | Kilcoole, | - | - | - | | | | 255 | 16 | 10 | | | |
| | Altidore, | - | - | - | | | | 52 | 13 | 7 | | | |
| | Killiskey, | 10 | 7 | 3 | | | | 98 | 3 | 11 | | | |
| | | | 20 | - | - | 20 | - | - | 539 | 11 | 1 | 859 | 11 |
| WILLIAM MURPHY, | Glendalough, | - | - | - | | | | 43 | 17 | 5 | | | |
| | Calary, | - | - | - | | | | 47 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | Broekagh, | - | - | - | | | | 282 | 7 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballycullan, | - | - | - | | | | 43 | 9 | 8 | | | |
| | Oldtown, | - | - | - | | | | 96 | 9 | 6 | | | |
| | Togher, | - | - | - | | | | 46 | 3 | 2 | | | |
| | Moneystown, | - | - | - | | | | 34 | 15 | - | | | |
| | | - | - | - | - | - | - | 594 | 4 | 11 | 594 | 4 | 11 |
| EDWARD BYRNE, | Wicklow, | - | - | - | | | | 694 | 8 | 2 | | | |
| | Glanealy, | - | - | - | | | | 327 | 11 | 8 | | | |
| | | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1021 | 19 | 10 | 1021 | 19 | 10 |
| THOMAS DOUGLAS, | Dunganstown. East, | - | - | - | | | | 251 | 13 | 8 | | | |
| | .. West, | - | - | - | | | | 242 | 19 | 6 | | | |
| | .. South, | - | - | - | | | | 300 | 12 | 0 | | | |
| | | - | - | - | - | - | - | 795 | 5 | 2 | 795 | 5 | 2 |
| FRANCIS ANNESLEY, | Ennereilly, | - | - | - | | | | 1227 | - | 11 | | | |
| | Kilbride, | - | - | - | | | | 159 | 17 | 6 | | | |
| | | - | - | - | - | - | - | 386 | 18 | 5 | 386 | 18 | 5 |
| THOMAS BIRTHISTLE, | Arklow, | - | - | - | | | | 858 | 17 | 8 | | | |
| | | - | - | - | - | - | - | 858 | 17 | 8 | 858 | 17 | 8 |
| WILLIAM LOUGHLIN, | Cronebane, | - | - | - | | | | 210 | 19 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballyarthur, | - | - | - | | | | 172 | 7 | 5 | | | |
| | Ovoca, | - | - | - | | | | 325 | 12 | 6 | | | |
| | | - | - | - | - | - | - | 808 | 19 | 7 | 808 | 19 | 7 |
| WILLIAM SMITH, | Rathdrum, | - | - | - | | | | 491 | 6 | 6 | | | |
| | Knockrath, | - | - | - | | | | 84 | 6 | 9 | | | |
| | Trooperstown, | - | - | - | | | | 37 | 10 | 2 | | | |
| | Ballinderry, | - | - | - | | | | 33 | 8 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballinaclesh, | - | - | - | | | | 168 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | Ballinaeor, | - | - | - | | | | 135 | - | - | | | |
| | Aughrim, | - | - | - | | | | 194 | 12 | 8 | | | |
| | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | 1022 | 8 | 3 | 1022 | 8 |
| | | - | - | - | - | - | - | 6348 | 4 | 11 | 6348 | 4 | 11 |
| Totals. | | | | | 20 | - | - | | | | | | |

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 £ 146 = 7 s. 3 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 40 = 16 = 10

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 2/5 1/2

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

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:

| | | |
|-----------------------|----------------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1000 White Loaf Bread | 2 Gall. Oil | 14 th Rope |
| 150 lb. Meat | 1 Box Salted Meats | |
| 33 Sheep Heads | 2000 Nails | |
| 125 Gall. Buttermilk | 1 Small Lock | |
| 220 Gall. New Milk | 4 days for Carpenter | |
| 4 lb. Butter | Repairing & Painting Van £2.10.0 | |
| | 100 Quat Tins | |
| | 100 pint Tins | |
| | Repair 2 Lamps | |

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

| | |
|---------------------|------------|
| In Money, - - - - - | 13 = 7 = 4 |
| In Kind, - - - - - | = = = |
| Total, - - - - - | 13 = 7 = 4 |

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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, | | 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.

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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):

No Letters

Ordered that the Clerk shall write to the Poor Rate Collector calling on them without further delay to make such lodgments as will place a Balance to the Credit of the parish.

Wm. Gilbert
Chairman

Patrick Keely
Secy.

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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 17th day of October 1865,—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):

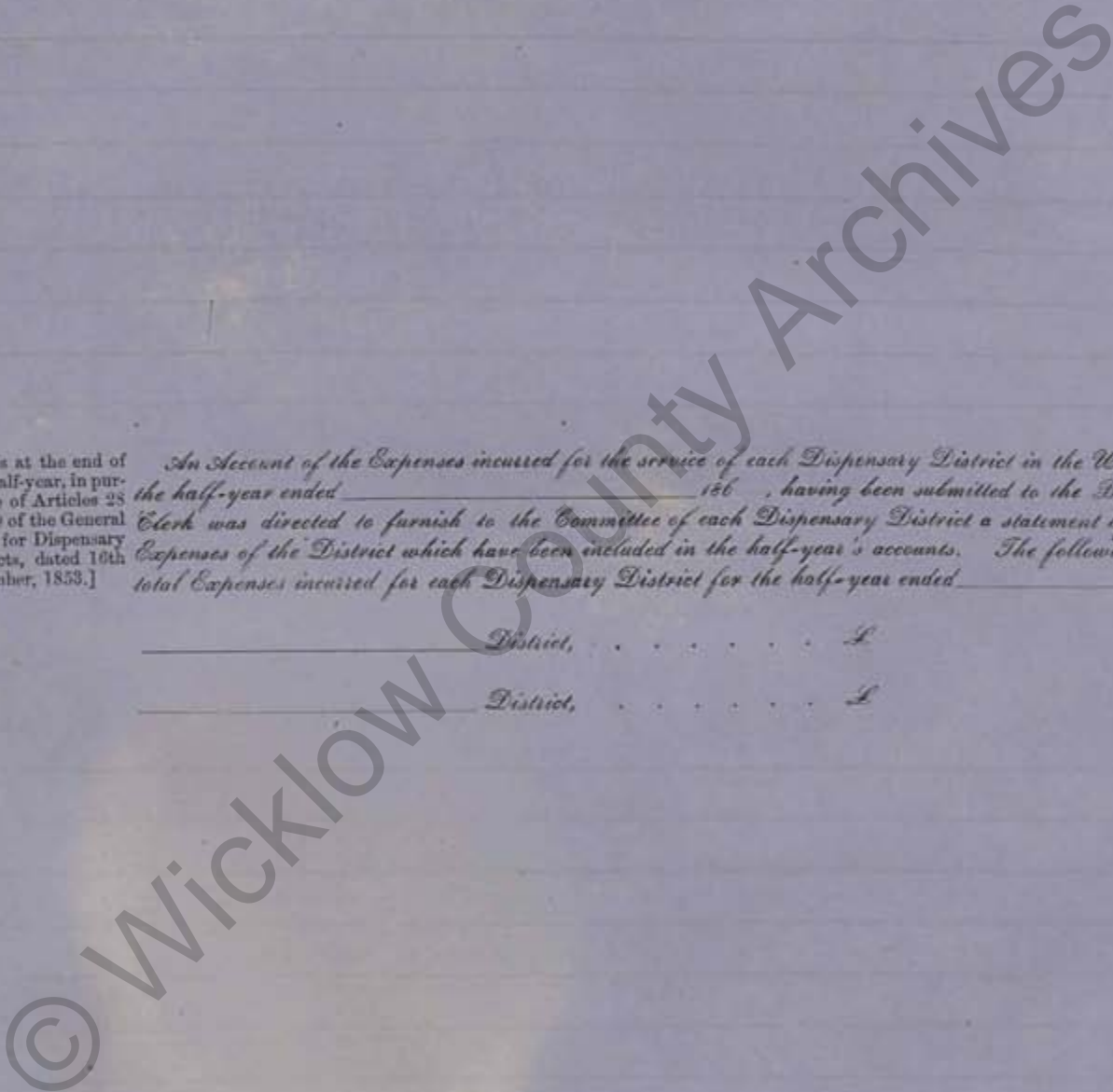
Dispensary District,

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 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 the Registrar General dated 13th Instant stating that

The Office of Registrar of Deaths, Births & Marriages for the Dunganstown District is vacant owing to the Resignation of Dr A B Sherwood and requesting the Boarding to appoint a Registrar in pursuance of the Act 24th Vic Cap 11 Section 23 & 24 & 27th Vic Cap 90 Section 10.

Proposed by Mr George Manning and seconded by Mr S Bourke, That Mr Robert Manning of Three Mile Water be appointed Registrar of Deaths, Births and Marriages for the Dunganstown District in the room of Dr Sherwood who has resigned.

Passed unanimously

A Circular was read from the Knight of Kerry enclosing Circular to the Chairmen of each Dispensary Committee relative to the fees of Medical Officers when attending on Middle Class Families

~~Resolved~~

Ordered That the Circulars be forwarded to the Chairmen of the several Dispensary Committees in the Union

Mr Gilbert
Chairman

Patrick Kirby
Secretary

(Signed) Arthur W. ...
Clerk of the Union.

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RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1861, 43,381

Present Net Annual Value, £ 125,539-17-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of October 1865

| 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 13 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | Total | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|---|---|--|-------------|-----------|--|-----------|--|-----------|--|---|------------------------------|------------|--------------------------------------|---|--------------|--|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | |
| Workhouse | | 743 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | | 268 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | | 84 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | | 15 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | 823 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 25 | 63 | 34 | 68 | 10 | 13 | 28 | 21 | 29 | 291 | In Work-house Hospital, 31 | In separate Wards, 9 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 10 | 7 | 5 | 2 | - | - | 1 | - | 1 | 26 | In Fever Hospital, 15 | In Wards with other inmates, 10 | | |
| TOTAL | | | 35 | 70 | 39 | 70 | 10 | 13 | 29 | 21 | 30 | 317 | Total, 46 | Total, 19 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 9 | 9 | 2 | - | 2 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 31 | | | | |
| Died, | | | - | - | 1 | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | 3 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 9 | 9 | 3 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 34 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 26 | 61 | 36 | 68 | 8 | 11 | 26 | 18 | 29 | 283 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 21 day of October authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 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. | 41 | 99 | William Manning. |
| No. II. | 29 | 80 | Robert Manning. |
| No. III. | 44 | 81 | George Take. |
| No. IV. | 14 | 26 | Peter Moran. |
| TOTALS, | 128 | 286 | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 24th day of October 1865

PRESENT: In the Chair, William Gilbert Esq.

Other Guardians:

Andrew Wm Byrne & Matthew Jones Esqes
Messrs Joseph Leviston, J. Rowle, J. R Fleming
and Patrick Keely.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 485 to No. 486 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. 4 to No. 4, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £166 : 5 : 2

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 99 : 15 : 8

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 57 : 11 : 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, | | | | | | | 188 | 17 | - | | | |
| | „ Lower, | | | | | | | 263 | 19 | 9 | | | |
| | Kilcoole, | | | | | | | 255 | 16 | 10 | | | |
| | Altidore, | | | | | | | 52 | 13 | 7 | | | |
| | Killiskey, | | | | | | | 98 | 3 | 11 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 859 | 11 | 1 | 859 | 11 | 1 |
| WILLIAM MURPHY, | Glendalough, | | | | | | | 43 | 17 | 5 | | | |
| | Calary, | 3 | - | - | | | | 44 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | Brockagh, | 16 | - | - | | | | 266 | 7 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballycullan, | | | | | | | 43 | 9 | 8 | | | |
| | Oldtown, | 11 | - | - | | | | 85 | 9 | 6 | | | |
| | Togher, | | | | | | | 46 | 8 | 2 | | | |
| | Moneystown, | | | | | | | 34 | 15 | - | | | |
| | | 30 | - | - | 30 | - | - | 584 | 4 | 11 | 584 | 4 | 11 |
| EDWARD BYRNE, | Wicklow, | | | | | | | 694 | 8 | 2 | | | |
| | Glanealy, | | | | | | | 327 | 11 | 8 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 1021 | 19 | 10 | 1021 | 19 | 10 |
| THOMAS DOUGLAS, | Dunganstown, East, | 26 | - | - | | | | 225 | 13 | 8 | | | |
| | „ West, | 42 | 15 | - | | | | 200 | 4 | 6 | | | |
| | „ South, | 35 | 10 | - | | | | 275 | 2 | - | | | |
| | | 104 | 5 | - | 104 | 5 | - | 691 | 0 | 2 | 691 | 0 | 2 |
| FRANCIS ANNESLEY, | Ennereilly, | | | | | | | 227 | - | 11 | | | |
| | Kilbride, | | | | | | | 159 | 17 | 6 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 386 | 18 | 5 | 386 | 18 | 5 |
| THOMAS BIRTHISTLE, | Arklow, | | | | | | | 858 | 17 | 8 | 858 | 17 | 8 |
| WILLIAM LOUGHLIN, | Cronebane, | | | | | | | 310 | 19 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballyarthur, | | | | | | | 172 | 7 | 5 | | | |
| | Ovoea, | | | | | | | 325 | 12 | 6 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 808 | 19 | 7 | 808 | 19 | 7 |
| WILLIAM SMITH, | Rathdrum, | | | | | | | 491 | 6 | 6 | | | |
| | Knockrath, | | | | | | | 34 | 6 | 9 | | | |
| | Trooperstown, | | | | | | | 37 | 10 | 2 | | | |
| | Ballinderry, | | | | | | | 33 | 8 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballinaclash, | 32 | - | - | | | | 136 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | Ballinaeor, | | | | | | | 133 | 1 | 0 | | | |
| | Aughrim, | | | | | | | 124 | 12 | 8 | | | |
| | | 32 | - | - | 32 | - | - | 990 | 8 | 3 | 990 | 8 | 3 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Totals. | | | | | | | 166 | 5 | - | 166 | 5 | - |

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 56 - 13 s. 4 d.

| | £ | s. | d. |
|--|----|------|--------|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account, | | | |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | 39 | = 18 | = 5 |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account, | | | |
| And the general average Cost of an Sumate for the week was | | 2 | 15 1/2 |
| Average cost in Infirmary, | | | 2/10 |
| 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:

| | |
|------------------------|-----------------------|
| 1000 White Loaves | 30 pair Blankets |
| 160 lbs Meat | 300 yds Bengal stripe |
| 33 Sheep heads | 200 " Blue Linen |
| 210 Gall's Newmilk | 100 " Blue Calico |
| 6 lbs Butter | 200 " Blue |
| 130 Gall's Buttermilk | 200 " Linen |
| 10 cwt Oatmeal | 200 " Shredding |
| — | 100 " White Linen |
| Tea Strainers & Cans | 3 Buckets, 6 Sconces |
| Top Coat for Porter | 6 sweeps 100 Mugs |
| Small Borden for Cocoa | 2 smothering Irons |
| | 6 Tally Irons |

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 21 day of October 65 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

| | £ | s. | d. |
|-----------------------|----|-----|-----|
| In Money, - | 13 | = 7 | = 4 |
| In Kind, - | - | - | - |
| Total, - | 13 | = 7 | = 4 |

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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, - - - - | 8 |
| No. IV. | Peter Moran, - - - - | - |
| TOTAL, | | 33 |

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):

Circulars No 124 Dated the 17th inst from the Poor Law Commissioners Calling on the Clerk for a Return of the number of ~~sick~~ persons admitted to the Workhouse during the year ended 29th of September last, distinguishing the number who were sick at the time of their admission; also the number of Births and Deaths during the year - The Commissioners also request to be informed of the number of sick Persons treated in the Workhouse Hospitals

The Guardians proceeded to examine Tenders for supplying the Workhouse with shoes, and also for making a certain number of suits of clothes -

Edward Toller was declared the Contractor for supplying the shoes as follows - 50 pair of mens shoes @ 5/6 of pair - 100 pairs Womens shoes @ 4/- of pair - and 80 pairs of Childrens shoes @ 3/- of pair ;

The making of the clothes was awarded to John Kilfoy at the following prices - for mens clothes 2/9 \pounds suit; for boys clothes 2/6 \pounds suit;

A Requisition signed by Messrs Gilbert and Jones was served on the Clerk requiring him to summon a special meeting of the Board on the 7th of November next to take into consideration the Clerk of the Unions claims for duties and expenses under the Parliamentary Voters Act;

James Comerford DCL

Geo. Manning
 J. Gilbert

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the
31st day of October 1865
 (Signed) Arthur Hobart
 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 24th day of October 1865,—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

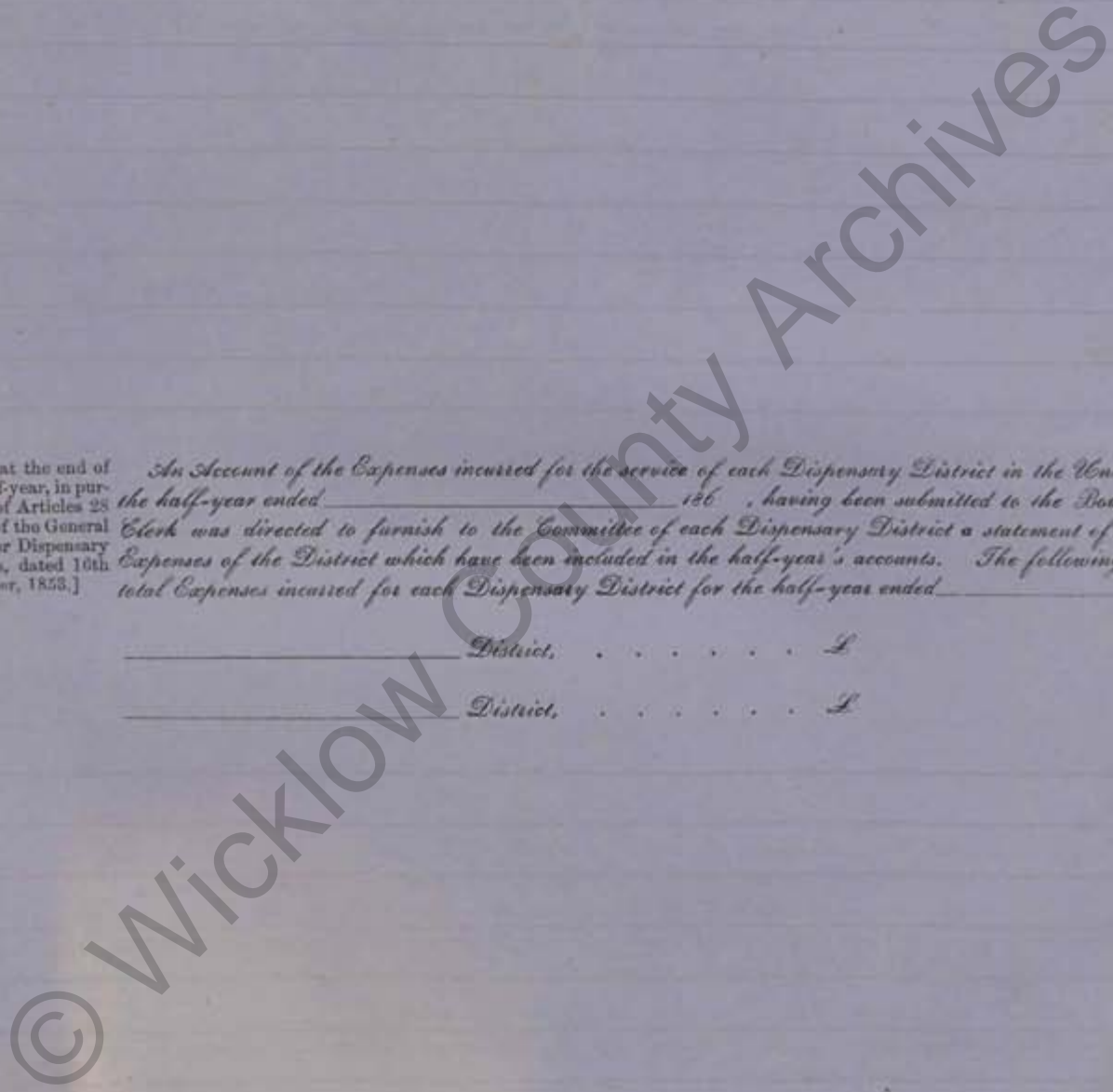
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 23 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 17th Instant
stating that

Calling for a Return of the number of Persons Vaccinated in the Workhouse during the year ended the 30th Ultimo.

Read Letter from Mr A Hudson Esq Secy of Arklow Dispensary Committee stating that the Poor Law Commissioners had refused to sanction the appointment of Dr. Halpin as substitute for Doctor L'Estrange for want of proper qualifications, and also informing the Guardians that Dr L'Estrange had obtained further leave of absence for one month and that the Committee had appointed Mr Hudson to perform Dr L'Estrange's duties, commencing from the 20th Instant;

James Comerford Esq
Geo. Manning
Wm. Gilbert

(Signed)

Arthur Abbott

Clerk of the Union.

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RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1861, 43,381

Present Net Annual Value, £125.539.17=0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 28 day of Oct 1865

| Similar to 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 | 287 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | 13 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 823 | 300 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 26 | 61 | 36 | 65 | 8 | 11 | 26 | 18 | 29 | 283 | In Work-house, 28 In Fever Hospital, 13 | In separate Wards, 9 In Wards with other inmates, 10 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 11 | 9 | 1 | 2 | 1 | - | 2 | 7 | 1 | 34 | Total, 41 | Total, 19 | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 37 | 70 | 37 | 70 | 9 | 11 | 28 | 25 | 30 | 317 | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 6 | 5 | 1 | - | 2 | - | 2 | 1 | - | 17 | | | | |
| Died, | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 6 | 5 | 1 | - | 2 | - | 2 | 1 | - | 17 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 31 | 65 | 36 | 70 | 7 | 11 | 26 | 24 | 30 | 300 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 28 day of Oct 1865 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 21, s. 1 | | NAME OF RELIEVING OFFICERS |
|-----------------|--|--|----------------------------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | |
| No. I. | 39 | 96 | William Manning. |
| No. II. | 29 | 79 | Robert Manning. |
| No. III. | 45 | 87 | George Take. |
| No. IV. | 17 | 37 | Peter Moran. |
| TOTALS, | 130 | 299 | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 31st day of October 1865

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

There was no Board on this day (only two Guardians - La Comerford and Wm Gilbert Esquires being present)

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - £1033: 8: 1

Paid during the week, - - - - - £119: =: 3

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £914: 7: 10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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| 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, | 39 | 17 | = | | | | 149 | = | = | | | |
| | .. Lower, | 112 | 12 | = | | | | 151 | 7 | 9 | | | |
| | Kilcoole, | | | | | | | 255 | 16 | 10 | | | |
| | Altidore, | | | | | | | 52 | 13 | 7 | | | |
| | Killiskey, | 48 | 6 | 0 | | | | 49 | 17 | 11 | | | |
| | | | 200 | 15 | = | 200 | 15 | = | 658 | 16 | 1 | 658 | 16 |
| WILLIAM MURPHY, | Glendalough, | | | | | | | 43 | 17 | 5 | | | |
| | Calary, | | | | | | | 44 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | Brockagh, | 195 | = | = | | | | 71 | 7 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballycullan, | | | | | | | 43 | 9 | 8 | | | |
| | Oldtown, | | | | | | | 85 | 9 | 6 | | | |
| | Togher, | | | | | | | 46 | 3 | 2 | | | |
| | Moneystown, | | | | | | | 34 | 15 | = | | | |
| | | 195 | = | = | 195 | = | = | 369 | 4 | 11 | 369 | 4 | 11 |
| EDWARD BYRNE, | Wicklow, | 94 | 8 | 2 | | | | 600 | = | = | | | |
| | Glanealy, | 121 | 19 | 11 | | | | 205 | 11 | 9 | | | |
| | | 216 | 8 | 1 | 216 | 8 | 1 | 805 | 11 | 9 | 805 | 11 | 9 |
| THOMAS DOUGLAS, | Dunganstown, East, | | | | | | | 225 | 13 | 8 | | | |
| | .. West, | | | | | | | 200 | 4 | 6 | | | |
| | .. South, | | | | | | | 275 | 2 | = | | | |
| | | | - | - | - | - | - | 691 | = | 8 | 691 | 0 | 8 |
| FRANCIS ANNESLEY, | Ennereilly, | 27 | 6 | 6 | | | | 199 | 14 | 5 | | | |
| | Kilbride, | 49 | 8 | 6 | | | | 110 | 9 | - | | | |
| | | 76 | 15 | = | 76 | 15 | = | 310 | 3 | 5 | 310 | 3 | 5 |
| THOMAS BIRTHISTLE, | Arklow, | 35 | 10 | - | | | | 823 | 7 | 8 | | | |
| | | 35 | 10 | = | 35 | 10 | = | 823 | 7 | 8 | 823 | 7 | 8 |
| WILLIAM LOUGHLIN, | Cronebane, | 132 | = | = | | | | 178 | 19 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballyarthur, | | | | | | | 172 | 7 | 5 | | | |
| | Ovoea, | 134 | = | = | | | | 191 | 12 | 6 | | | |
| | | 266 | = | = | 266 | = | = | 542 | 19 | 7 | 542 | 19 | 7 |
| WILLIAM SMITH, | Rathdrum, | 20 | = | = | | | | 471 | 6 | 6 | | | |
| | Knockrath, | | | | | | | 34 | 6 | 9 | | | |
| | Trooperstown, | | | | | | | 37 | 10 | 2 | | | |
| | Ballinderry, | | | | | | | 33 | 8 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballinaclash, | 23 | = | = | | | | 136 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | Ballinacor, | | | | | | | 110 | 1 | = | | | |
| | Aughrim, | | | | | | | 124 | 12 | 8 | | | |
| | | 43 | = | = | 43 | = | = | 947 | 8 | 3 | 947 | 8 | 3 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Totals, | | | | 1033 | 8 | 1 | | | | 574 | 8 | 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

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

| | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|----|---|----|---|---|
| In Money, - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 13 | = | 16 | = | 4 |
| In Kind, - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - |
| Total, - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 13 | = | 16 | = | 4 |

Credit each Relieving Officer £ per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

James Comerford
Gen. Manning
John Giblin

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 Distress | 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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[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:*

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

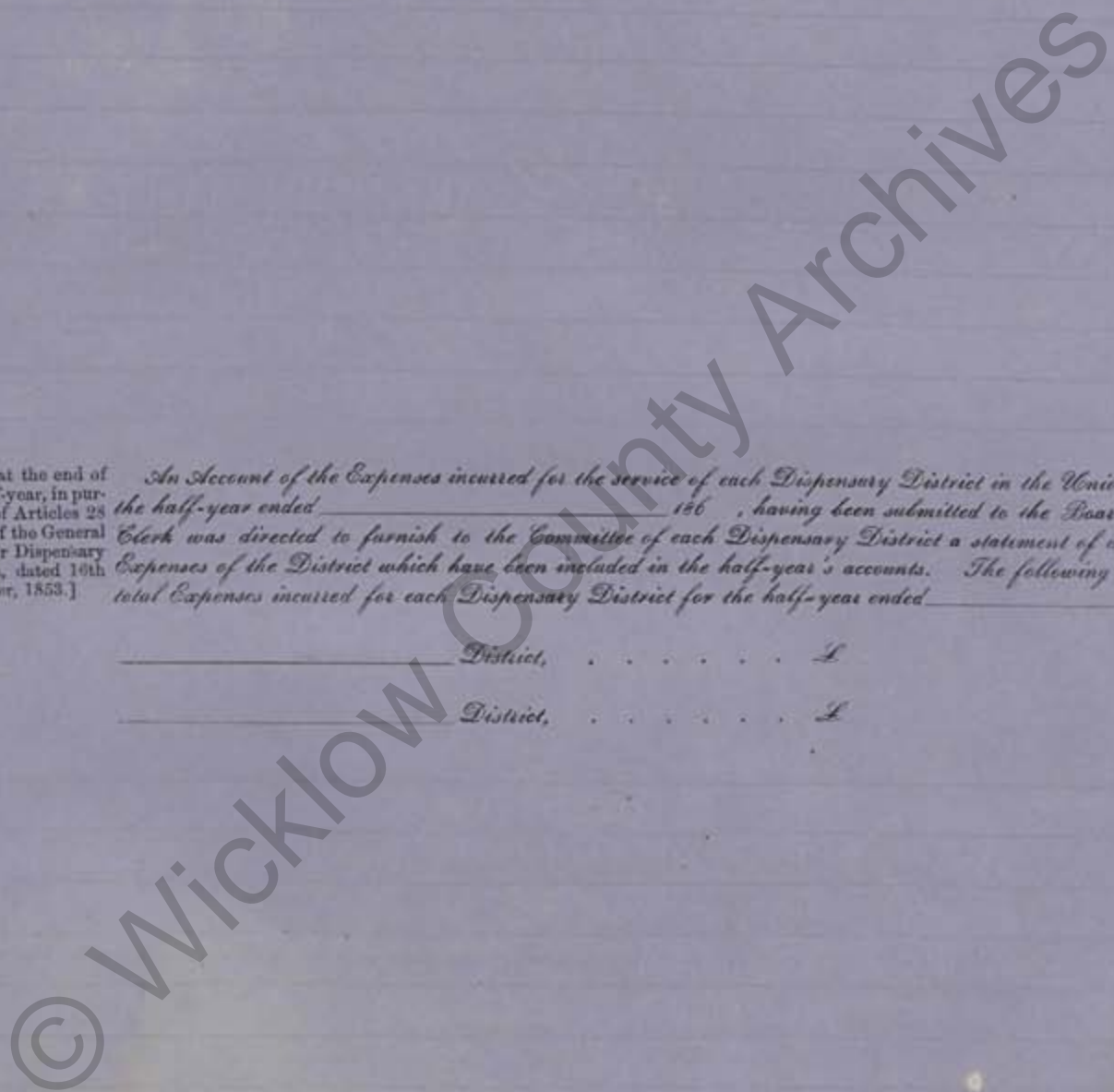
Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount £

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 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.)

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

Recd Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that _____

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RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1861, 43,381

Present Net Annual Value, £125-539-17-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 4 day of November 1865

| Number of Inmates for which accommodations 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 | 298 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | 11 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 823 | 309 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 31 | 65 | 36 | 70 | 7 | 11 | 26 | 24 | 30 | 300 | In Work-house Hospital, 23 | In separate Wards, 9 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 17 | 8 | 2 | 2 | - | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 35 | In Fever Hospital, 11 | In Wards with other inmates, 10 | | |
| TOTAL, | 48 | 73 | 38 | 72 | 7 | 12 | 27 | 25 | 33 | 33 | 335 | Total, 34 | Total, 19 | | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 13 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | - | - | 26 | | | | |
| Died, | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 13 | 6 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | - | - | 26 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 35 | 67 | 37 | 71 | 5 | 10 | 26 | 25 | 33 | 309 | | | | |

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

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Viet. c. 31, s. 1 | | NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS |
|-----------------|--|---|-----------------------------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her | |
| No. I. | 39 | 96 | William Manning. |
| No. II. | 28 | 78 | Robert Manning. |
| No. III. | 45 | 87 | George Take. |
| No. IV. | 19 | 45 | Peter Moran. |
| TOTAL. | 131 | 306 | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 7th day of November 1865

PRESENT: In the Chair, James Comerford Esqre
Other Guardians:

Capt. Hon. Wm Proby, R^d Howard Brooke Esq
Capt. Draught, Messrs George Manning, Wm Gilbert, Edw P Kege, James Fogarty, John Acton, John Woodroffe, John Murphy, James Fleming and Patrick Keely

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4837 to No. 4910 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, - - - - - £ 378 : 12 : 11

Baid during the week, - - - - - £ 24 : 7 : 6

And that the Balance on the Account in Favour the Guardians was £ 1268 : 13 : 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, | 52 | 12 | - | | | | 96 | 8 | - | | | |
| | .. Lower, | 33 | 1 | - | | | | 118 | 6 | 9 | | | |
| | Kilcoole, | 22 | 2 | - | | | | 233 | 14 | 10 | | | |
| | Altidore, | 16 | 7 | - | | | | 36 | 6 | 7 | | | |
| | Killiskey, | 12 | 15 | - | | | | 37 | 2 | 11 | | | |
| | | 136 | 17 | - | 136 | 17 | - | 521 | 19 | 1 | 521 | 19 | 1 |
| WILLIAM MURPHY, | Glendalough, | 15 | - | - | | | | 28 | 17 | 5 | | | |
| | Calary, | 9 | - | - | | | | 35 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | Brockagh, | 5 | - | - | | | | 66 | 7 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballycullan, | 3 | - | - | | | | 40 | 9 | 8 | | | |
| | Oldtown, | 3 | - | - | | | | 82 | 9 | 6 | | | |
| | Togher, | 2 | - | - | | | | 44 | 3 | 2 | | | |
| | Moneystown, | 8 | - | - | | | | 26 | 15 | - | | | |
| | | 45 | - | - | 45 | - | - | 324 | 4 | 11 | 324 | 4 | 11 |
| EDWARD BYRNE, | Wicklow, | 56 | 5 | 7 | | | | 543 | 14 | 5 | | | |
| | Glanealy, | 17 | 11 | 11 | | | | 187 | 19 | 10 | | | |
| | | 73 | 17 | 6 | 73 | 17 | 6 | 731 | 14 | 3 | 731 | 14 | 3 |
| THOMAS DOUGLAS, | Dunganstown, East, | 29 | 5 | - | | | | 196 | 8 | 8 | | | |
| | .. West, | 1 | 5 | - | | | | 198 | 19 | 6 | | | |
| | .. South, | 7 | 5 | - | | | | 257 | 17 | - | | | |
| | | 37 | 15 | - | 27 | 15 | - | 653 | 5 | 2 | 653 | 5 | 2 |
| FRANCIS ANNESLEY, | Ennerilly, | 43 | 4 | - | | | | 156 | 10 | 5 | | | |
| | Kilbride, | 13 | 6 | 6 | | | | 97 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | | 56 | 10 | 6 | 56 | 10 | 6 | 253 | 12 | 11 | 253 | 12 | 11 |
| THOMAS BIRTHISTLE, | Arklow, | - | - | - | | | | 823 | 7 | 8 | | | |
| | | - | - | - | - | - | - | 823 | 7 | 8 | 823 | 7 | 8 |
| WILLIAM LOUGHLIN, | Cronebane, | - | - | - | | | | 178 | 19 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballyarthur, | - | - | - | | | | 172 | 7 | 5 | | | |
| | Ovoca, | - | - | - | | | | 191 | 12 | 6 | | | |
| | | - | - | - | - | - | - | 542 | 19 | 7 | 542 | 19 | 7 |
| WILLIAM SMITH, | Rathdrum, | 20 | - | - | | | | 451 | 6 | 6 | | | |
| | Knockrath, | - | - | - | | | | 34 | 6 | 9 | | | |
| | Trooperstown, | - | - | - | | | | 37 | 10 | 2 | | | |
| | Ballinderry, | - | - | - | | | | 33 | 8 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballinaclash, | - | - | - | | | | 136 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | Ballinaeor, | - | - | - | | | | 110 | 1 | - | | | |
| | Anghrim, | - | - | - | | | | 124 | 12 | 8 | | | |
| | | 20 | - | - | 20 | - | - | 927 | 8 | 3 | 927 | 8 | 3 |
| Totals, | | | | | 370 | - | - | 4778 | 11 | 0 | 4778 | 11 | 0 |

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 39 0 s. 5 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - 42 = 14 = 7

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 2/5 1/4

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 2/9 1/2

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:

| 2 weeks | | |
|---------|-----------------|-------------------|
| 2000 | White Loaves | 100 Handkerchiefs |
| 260 | Eggs Buttermilk | 100 Dricks |
| 430 | " Newmilk | 6 Barrels Lime |
| 12 | lbs Butter | 3 cwt Salt |
| 300 | " Meat | |
| 66 | Sheep heads | |
| 10 | cwt Oatmeal | |

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

~~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 4 day of November whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

| | £ | s. | d. |
|---------------------|----|----|----|
| In Money, - - - - - | 13 | 19 | 4 |
| In Kind, - - - - - | - | - | - |
| Total. - - - - - | 13 | 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, - - - - | — |
| No. II. | Robert Manning, - - - - | — |
| No. III. | George Tuke, - - - - | 15 |
| No. IV. | Peter Moran, - - - - | 10 |
| 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:

| Name | £ | s. | d. |
|--------------|-----|----|----|
| John Kearney | | | |
| Patrick Foss | 112 | 18 | 10 |
| Eliza Byrne | 37 | 10 | 3 |
| John Farrell | 67 | 17 | 11 |
| John Foley | 21 | 8 | = |
| John Darcy | 55 | 12 | 3 |

In favor of Clerk to pay

| | | | | | |
|--------------|------------------------|----|----|---|---|
| Wm Giffney | Coffins | 1 | 10 | = | ✓ |
| In Gregory | foal - below Bishop | 1 | 7 | = | ✓ |
| John Johnson | candles to Newbridge " | 16 | 6 | = | ✓ |
| Isaac Flower | Carriage | 1 | 8 | = | ✓ |
| Dan Farrell | carpenterwork | 1 | 1 | 6 | ✓ |
| John Foley | car hire | 10 | 6 | = | ✓ |
| In Downes | Wants | 10 | = | = | ✓ |
| Wm Jordan | clothing Nails | 10 | 5 | = | ✓ |
| Do | Wants do | 8 | 10 | = | ✓ |
| John Darcy | Mustard &c | 1 | 6 | = | |
| John Farrell | Coat for Porter | 1 | 12 | 8 | |
| 1 Do | Porter | 4 | = | = | |
| Allbank | Postage | 1 | 3 | 3 | ✓ |
| | | 11 | 2 | 4 | |

| | | | | |
|--------------|----------------------|----|----|---|
| Thomas Byrne | Bread | 62 | 2 | 3 |
| John Oakes | Repairing spring Van | 2 | 10 | = |
| Isaac Flower | Chickens | 2 | 8 | = |

Doctor Stange
 Doctor Phipps
 do
 do
 A. W. Bank

| | L | s. | d. |
|--------------------|---|----|----|
| Registration Fees | 6 | 3 | = |
| Vaccination " | 5 | 19 | = |
| Registration " | 2 | 19 | = |
| Salary as Med Off. | 2 | 17 | 8 |
| School Requisites | 2 | 6 | 8 |

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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):

Circular No 130 Dated the 31st Ultimo from the Poor Law Commissioners relating to Super-annuation of Union Officers, and pointing out for the guidance of the Guardians Certain Conditions and requirements which are absolutely necessary in such cases;

Circular No 128 Dated the 1st Instant Calling on the Clerk for a Return of the Rates made and any new Rates agreed upon in the Union during the month of October;

Circular No 132 Dated the 1st Instant Calling on the Clerk of the Union to furnish the several weekly returns of Rate Collected by each of the Collectors since the signing of the New Rate;

Circular Dated the 1st Instant from the General Valuation Office relative to the Annual Revision of the Valuation of the Union, containing instructions for the guidance of the Clerk of the Union and Poor Rate Collectors

Agreeable to Notice and Circulars calling a Special meeting of the Board the Guardians proceeded to take into Consideration the claims of the Clerk of the Union for his services and expenses under the Parliamentary Voters Act, when the following Resolution was passed unanimously -

Moved by Mr Gilbert and seconded by Mr Fogarty - Resolved that the Clerk of the Union be paid the sum of Twenty five Pounds for his services and expenses under the Parliamentary Voters Act, and that we request the Poor Law Commissioners will be so good as to sanction same;

James Comerford D.V. Ch

Mr Gilbert
John Murphy

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Tuesday the
14 day of November 1865

(Signed) M. Bank

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 2nd day of 7th Nov 1865,—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 Ashford
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):

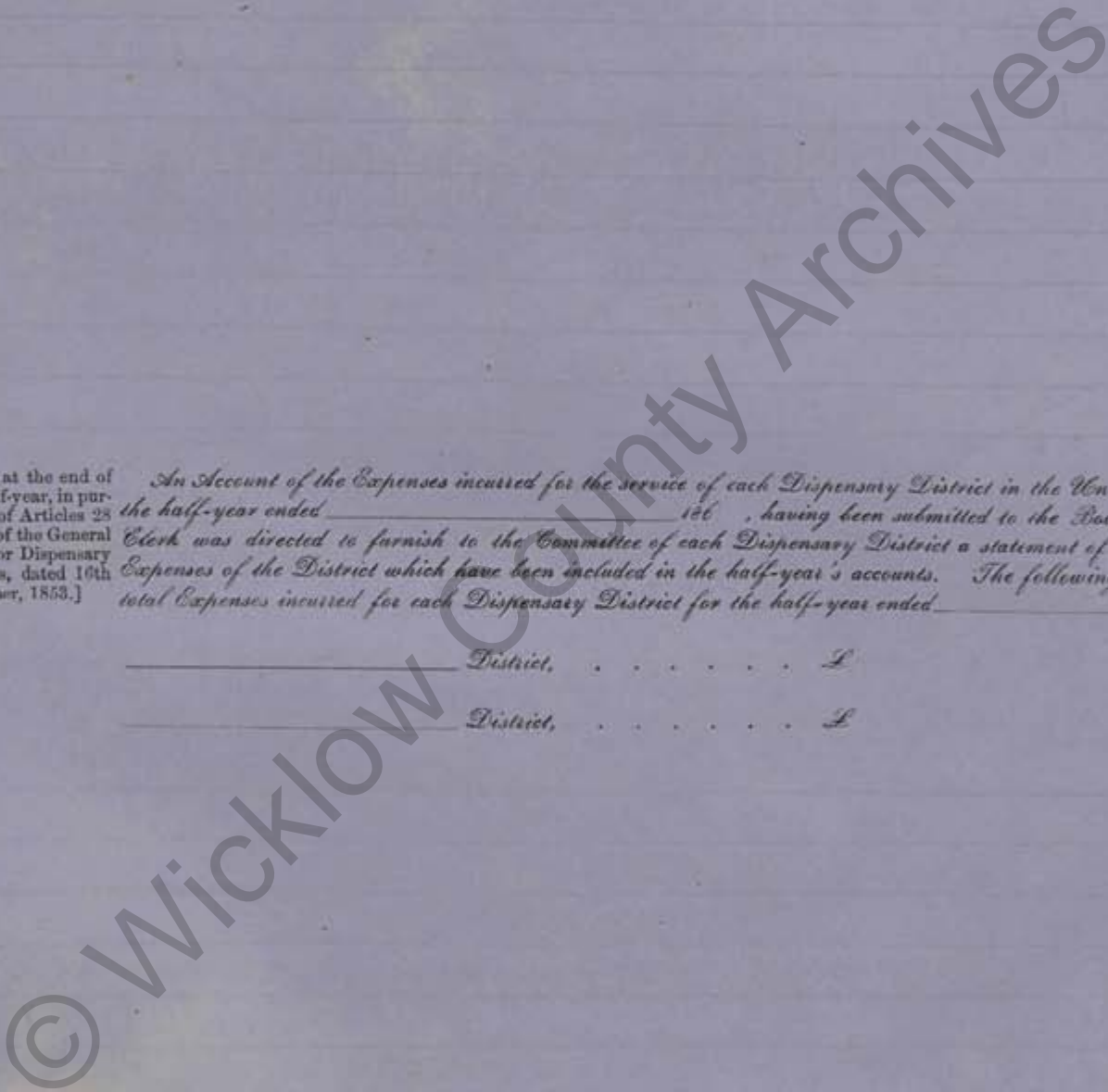
Dispensary District.

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, £



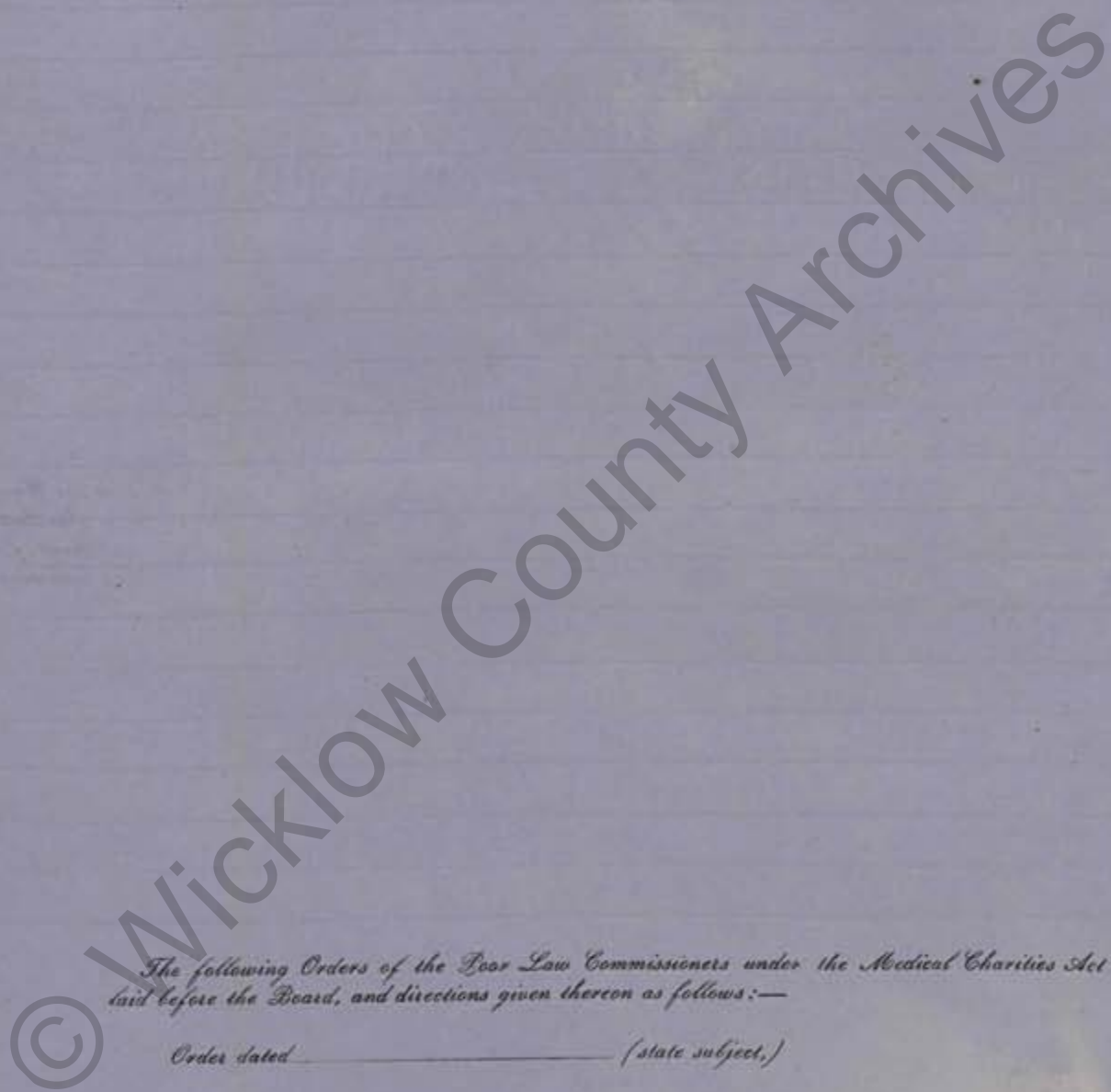
[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the Annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any Election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 4th Instant ~~saying that~~

Calling the attention of the Guardians to the powers which they possess under the "Sewage Utilization Act 1865"

Read Minute of proceedings of the Ashford Distⁿ Committee at a meeting held on the 4th Instant
Members present

Joseph Morton

John Chapman

James Byrne

Examined Medical Relief Register and tickets for July August September and October last -

Resolved that three tons of Coals be supplied by Mrs. Gregg for the two Dispensaries for one year from the 1st August 1865 -

Order for medicine signed and forwarded to the Clerk of the Union

Joseph Morton *Chair*
James Byrne *asst Secy*

James Comerford D.M.P.

Wm. Gilbert

John Murphy

(Signed)

Albank

Clerk of the Union.

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RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1861, 43 381

Present Net Annual Value, £126539-17-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 11 day of November 1865

| 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 | 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 |
|---|---|--|--|----|-------|----|------|----|--|---|---|------------------------------|---|--|---------------|--------------|
| | | | Able-bodied | | Males | | Fem. | | | | | | | Boys | Girls | |
| Workhouse, | 743 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 823 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 35 | 67 | 37 | 71 | 5 | 10 | 26 | 25 | 33 | 309 | In Work-house Hospital, In Fever Hospital, Total, | In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, Total, | 9 10 19 | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 5 | 11 | 3 | - | 4 | - | 9 | 2 | - | 34 | | | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 40 | 78 | 40 | 71 | 9 | 10 | 35 | 27 | 33 | 343 | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 7 | 4 | - | 1 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 21 | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | 1 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 7 | 4 | - | 2 | 1 | 1 | 3 | 3 | 1 | 22 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 33 | 74 | 40 | 69 | 8 | 9 | 32 | 24 | 32 | 321 | | | | |

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

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 | | NAME OF RELIEVING OFFICERS |
|-----------------|--|--|----------------------------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | |
| No. I. | 39 | 92 | William Manning. |
| No. II. | 28 | 80 | Robert Manning. |
| No. III. | 44 | 82 | George Taka. |
| No. IV. | 20 | 46 | Peter Moran. |
| TOTALS. | 131 | 304 | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 14th day of November 1865 *on Tuesday*

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

There was no Board on this day only two Guardians - Messrs Gilbert & Keely - being present

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £111 : 2 : 2

Paid during the week, - - - - - £268 : 15 : 8

And that the Balance on the Account in Favor the Guardians was £110 : 17 : 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, | | | | | | | 96 | 8 | = | | | |
| | .. Lower, | | | | | | | 118 | 6 | 9 | | | |
| | Kilcoole, | | | | | | | 233 | 14 | 10 | | | |
| | Altidore, | | | | | | | 36 | 6 | 7 | | | |
| | Killiskey, | | | | | | | 37 | 2 | 11 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 521 | 19 | 1 | 521 | 19 | 1 |
| WILLIAM MURPHY, | Glendalough, | | | | | | | 28 | 17 | 5 | | | |
| | Calary, | | | | | | | 35 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | Brockagh, | | | | | | | 66 | 7 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballycullan, | | | | | | | 40 | 9 | 8 | | | |
| | Oldtown, | | | | | | | 82 | 9 | 6 | | | |
| | Togher, | | | | | | | 44 | 3 | 2 | | | |
| | Moncestown, | | | | | | | 26 | 15 | = | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 324 | 4 | 11 | 324 | 4 | 11 |
| EDWARD BYRNE, | Wicklow, | | | | | | | 543 | 14 | 5 | | | |
| | Glanealy, | | | | | | | 187 | 19 | 10 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 731 | 14 | 3 | 731 | 14 | 3 |
| THOMAS DOUGLAS, | Dunganstown, East, | | | | | | | 196 | 8 | 8 | | | |
| | .. West, | | | | | | | 198 | 19 | 6 | | | |
| | .. South, | | | | | | | 257 | 17 | = | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 653 | 5 | 2 | 653 | 5 | 2 |
| FRANCIS ANNESLEY, | Ennereilly, | | | | | | | 156 | 10 | 5 | | | |
| | Kilbride, | | | | | | | 97 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 253 | 12 | 11 | 253 | 12 | 11 |
| THOMAS BIRTHISTLE, | Arklow, | | | | | | | 823 | 7 | 8 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 823 | 7 | 8 | 823 | 7 | 8 |
| WILLIAM LOUGHLIN, | Cronebane, | 96 | = | = | | | | 82 | 19 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballyarthur, | 15 | = | = | | | | 157 | 7 | 5 | | | |
| | Ovoea, | | = | = | | | | 191 | 12 | 6 | | | |
| | | 111 | = | = | 111 | | | 431 | 14 | 7 | 431 | 14 | 7 |
| WILLIAM SMITH, | Rathdrum, | | | | | | | 487 | 6 | 6 | | | |
| | Knockrath, | | | | | | | 34 | 6 | 9 | | | |
| | Trooperstown, | | | | | | | 37 | 10 | 2 | | | |
| | Ballinderry, | | | | | | | 33 | 8 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballinaclash, | | | | | | | 136 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | Ballinaoor, | | | | | | | 110 | 1 | = | | | |
| | Aughrim, | | | | | | | 124 | 12 | 8 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 927 | 8 | 3 | 927 | 8 | 3 |
| | Totals, | | | | 111 | = | = | | | | 4667 | 11 | 10 |

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 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 11 day of November 65 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

| | | | |
|-----------------------|----|----|---------|
| In Money, - | £ | s. | d. |
| | 13 | 2 | 17 = 10 |
| In Kind, - | 11 | 4 | 11 |
| Total, - | 13 | 2 | 17 = 10 |

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

James Comerford R.M.
 Wm. Gilbert
 John Murphy

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 Take, - - - - | | | |
| 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):

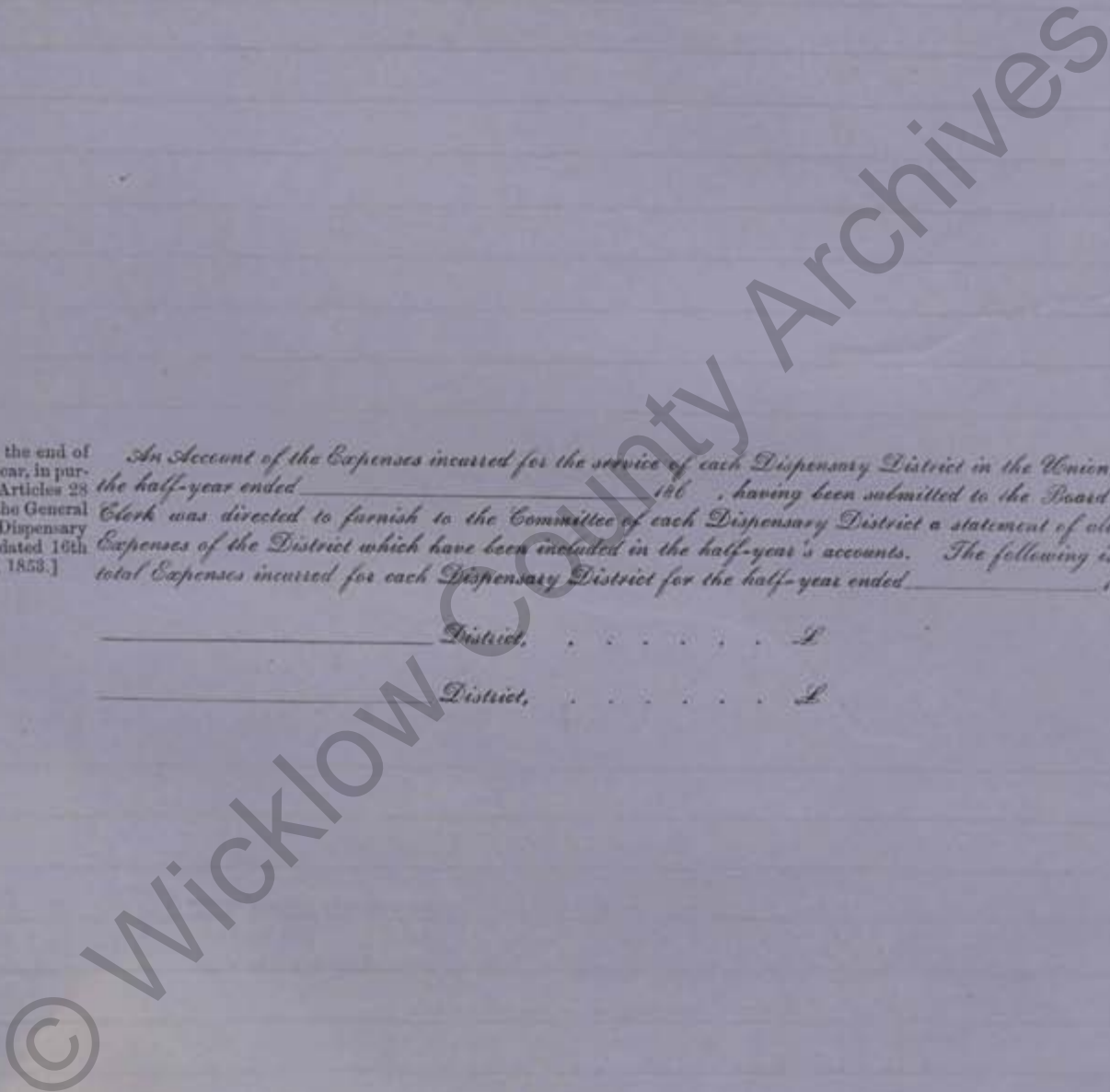
Dispensary District,

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, No. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject,)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that _____

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RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1861, 43381

Present Net Annual Value, £126539-17-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 18 day of November 1865

| 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 | 319 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | 20 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | | 823 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 33 | 74 | 40 | 69 | 8 | 9 | 32 | 24 | 32 | 321 | In Work-house Hospital, 26 | In separate Wards, 9 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 18 | 13 | 2 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 6 | 2 | 2 | 43 | In Fever Hospital, 20 | In Wards with other Inmates, 10 | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 46 | 87 | 42 | 70 | 11 | 10 | 38 | 26 | 34 | 364 | Total, 46 | Total, 19 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 8 | 8 | 2 | - | - | 1 | - | 4 | 1 | 24 | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | 1 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 8 | 8 | 3 | - | - | 1 | - | 4 | 1 | 25 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 38 | 79 | 39 | 70 | 11 | 9 | 38 | 22 | 33 | 339 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 18 day of November 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, & 1 | | NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS |
|-----------------|---|--|-----------------------------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | |
| No. I. | 39 | 92 | William Manning. |
| No. II. | 28 | 80 | Robert Manning. |
| No. III. | 45 | 89 | George Take. |
| No. IV. | 19 | 44 | Peter Moran. |
| TOTAL, | 131 | 305 | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 21st day of November 1865

PRESENT: In the Chair, James Comerford Esq
 Other Guardians: Mr Gilbert Esq & Mr John Mumpsey

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4911 to No. 4946 both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. ✓ to No. ✓, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £456 : 18 : 9

Laid during the week, - - - - - £123 : 17 : 7

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £1443 : 18 : 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, | 57 | 3 | " | | | | 45 | 5 | " | | | | | |
| | " Lower, | 24 | 6 | " | | | | 94 | " | 9 | | | | | |
| | Kilcoole, | 107 | " | " | | | | 132 | 14 | 10 | | | | | |
| | Altidore, | 23 | 3 | " | | | | 13 | 3 | 7 | | | | | |
| | Killiskey, | " | " | " | | | | 37 | 2 | 11 | | | | | |
| | | | 199 | 12 | - | 199 | 12 | - | 322 | 7 | 1 | 322 | 7 | 1 | |
| WILLIAM MURPHY, | Glendalough, | - | - | - | | | | 28 | 17 | 5 | | | | | |
| | Calary, | - | - | - | | | | 35 | 2 | 6 | | | | | |
| | Brockagh, | - | - | - | | | | 66 | 7 | 8 | | | | | |
| | Ballycullian, | - | - | - | | | | 40 | 9 | 8 | | | | | |
| | Oldtown, | - | - | - | | | | 82 | 9 | 6 | | | | | |
| | Togher, | - | - | - | | | | 44 | 3 | 2 | | | | | |
| | Moneystown, | - | - | - | | | | 26 | 15 | - | | | | | |
| | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 324 | 4 | 11 | 324 | 4 | 11 |
| EDWARD BYRNE, | Wicklow, | 53 | 3 | - | | | | 490 | 11 | 5 | | | | | |
| | Glanealy, | 10 | 3 | 9 | | | | 177 | 16 | 1 | | | | | |
| | | 63 | 6 | 9 | 63 | 6 | 9 | 668 | 7 | 6 | 668 | 7 | 6 | | |
| THOMAS DOUGLAS, | Dunganstown, East, | 27 | 16 | - | | | | 168 | 12 | 8 | | | | | |
| | " West, | 36 | 19 | " | | | | 162 | - | 6 | | | | | |
| | " South, | 95 | 5 | - | | | | 162 | 12 | - | | | | | |
| | | 160 | - | - | 160 | - | - | 493 | 5 | 2 | 493 | 5 | 2 | | |
| FRANCIS ANNERLEY, | Ennereilly, | | | | | | | 156 | 10 | 5 | | | | | |
| | Kilbride, | | | | | | | 97 | 2 | 6 | | | | | |
| | | - | - | - | - | - | - | 253 | 12 | 11 | 253 | 12 | 11 | | |
| THOMAS BIRTHISTLE, | Arklow, | | | | | | | 823 | 7 | 8 | 823 | 7 | 8 | | |
| WILLIAM LOUGHLIN, | Cronebane, | | | | | | | 82 | 19 | 8 | | | | | |
| | Ballyarthur, | | | | | | | 157 | 7 | 5 | | | | | |
| | Ovoca, | | | | | | | 191 | 12 | 6 | | | | | |
| | | - | - | - | - | - | - | 431 | 19 | 7 | 431 | 19 | 7 | | |
| WILLIAM SMITH, | Rathdrum, | 7 | - | - | | | | 444 | 6 | 6 | | | | | |
| | Knockrath, | 2 | - | - | | | | 32 | 6 | 9 | | | | | |
| | Trooperstown, | - | - | - | | | | 37 | 10 | 2 | | | | | |
| | Ballinderry, | 8 | - | - | | | | 25 | 8 | 8 | | | | | |
| | Ballinaclash, | - | - | - | | | | 136 | 2 | 6 | | | | | |
| | Ballinaeor, | 7 | - | - | | | | 103 | 1 | - | | | | | |
| | Aughrim, | 10 | - | - | | | | 114 | 12 | 8 | | | | | |
| | 34 | - | - | 34 | - | - | 893 | 8 | 3 | 893 | 8 | 3 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Totals, | | | | 456 | 18 | 9 | 4210 | 13 | 1 | 4210 | 13 | 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 £ 46 = 18 s. 9 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . 45 = 17 = 5

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . 2/5⁴

Average cost in Infirmary, 2/9

Average cost in Fever Hospital, 4/5

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

| | |
|--|---|
| <p>2 Weeks</p> <p>2400 White Loaves</p> <p>480 Galls Newmilk</p> <p>370 " Buttermilk</p> <p>12 lbs Butter</p> <p>320 " Meat</p> <p>80 Sheep heads</p> <p>6 Lamp glasses</p> <p>6 Knives</p> <p>1 Hand lamp</p> <p>1 Lock</p> | <p>2 Coal boxes</p> <p>1 Hatch</p> <p>1 Lamp shade</p> <p>1 Grate</p> <p>2 Brick-bats</p> <p>4 chairs</p> <p>6 Night pans</p> <p>6 sconces</p> <p>25 Fire-Bricks</p> <p>36 Tiles</p> <p>1 Pivy bucket</p> <p>6 Bottles Altar wine</p> <p>4 Days Carpenters work</p> |
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The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 18th day of Nov^r 1865 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

| | |
|---------------------|---------------|
| In Money, | £ 13 = 17 = 0 |
| In Kind, | - - - |
| Total, | 13 = 17 = 0 |

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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, | | 25 ✓ |

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. |
|--------------------------|--|---|----|-----|
| Isaac Flower | Chicken | 2 | 11 | 0 |
| In favor of Clerk to pay | | | | |
| John Byrne | Rent Vac. Depot | } | 1 | 1 = |
| | Dunfermline Dis/pz | | | |
| Wm McCall | Do | | 1 | 0 = |
| James Simpson | Masonry work | | 12 | = |
| | | 2 | 13 | = |
| Arthur Allan | Services Expenses under Parliamentary Voters Act | } | 25 | 0 ✓ |
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The Reports of Medical Officers were read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

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

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

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

Letter No 19987 Dated the 7th Instant from the Poor Law Commissioners informing the Guardians that they have received from their Inspector, Mr Robinson, his half yearly Report relating to this Union in which he states that he inspected the Workhouse on the 3rd Instant and found it in a clean and healthy state, the Hospitals in good order, and the School well conducted; Mr Robinson reports that the new milk in store was not of good quality, and that the Master admitted, on tasting it, that it was of an inferior description; He also states that on going through the house two men, named Stafford and Proctor, stated to him that the sale of Tea and Sugar was going on in the Establishment amongst the Paupers, and that it was sold by a woman named Byrne, who is employed in the Kitchen and who admitted to him that she was in the habit of sending to the Town to buy Tea and sugar for any Pauper who had the money to pay for those articles; It appears that while Mr-

Robinson was in the Home several parcels containing Tea, Sugar and Butter, were found in this woman's Dress in the Kitchen, and that she admitted to Mr Robinson that she had procured these articles from the Town with a view of selling them to any of the Paupers who might wish to buy them; She stated that the person employed to bring these things from the Town was a Pauper named Ward, who drives the sick Car, but as the man was absent Mr Robinson was unable to ascertain whether he would deny this assertion or not;

The Commissioners consider this system of traffic in the Workhouse, and breach of their regulations exhibit want of vigilance on the part of the Workhouse officers; and they request the Board of Guardians to take such steps as may be necessary to prevent such an irregularity occurring in future. The Master of the Workhouse should also be directed not again to receive milk into store that is not of good quality;

The Guardians cautioned the Master and also the Porter against allowing this system of traffic. As to the Milk the Guardians consider it of fair quality;

Letter No 20208 Dated the 13th Instant from the Poor Law Commissioners sanctioning the payment to the Clerk of the Union of £25, for his services under the Parliamentary Voters Act during the present year;

Circular No 134 Dated the 14th Instant from the Poor Law Commissioners Calling on the Clerk for Returns showing the amount of Poor Rate lodged and the Expenditure of the Union, and of each of the several Dispensary Districts during the year ended 29th Sep^r 1865

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Read Letter dated the 11th Instant from the Registrar General enclosing Copies of Returns showing the estimated average produce of the various crops grown in each Electoral Division of the Union during the year 1865, and requesting the Guardians to have the goodness to notify their opinion as to whether the Returns fairly represent the average produce or not and to make such corrections in them as they shall deem necessary and then to return them to the General Register Office.

Read Letter No 3383 dated the 13th Inst. from the Commissioners of National Education containing the following extracts from the Report of the District Inspector of his visit to the Workhouse School on the 20th Ultimo;

"The teachers acquirements are competent, her character is good, and her method exhibits a fair amount of proficiency in most branches of literary instruction, and commendable attention to neatness in School-keeping;

"A very sufficient course of instruction is arranged for the school, and the pupils are making satisfactory progress in their studies; with the exception of Arithmetic, in the teaching of which a more explanatory method, and more frequent exercise in mental calculations are desirable; The girls have made a decided advance in needlework. In point of neatness and comfort the school room is better than most that I have seen in Workhouses. The physical condition of the children is evidently well cared for, and they are remarkably cheerful and well-behaved;

And in Witness

Christy
District Officer
James Fleming

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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 2^d day of November 186⁵,—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 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.

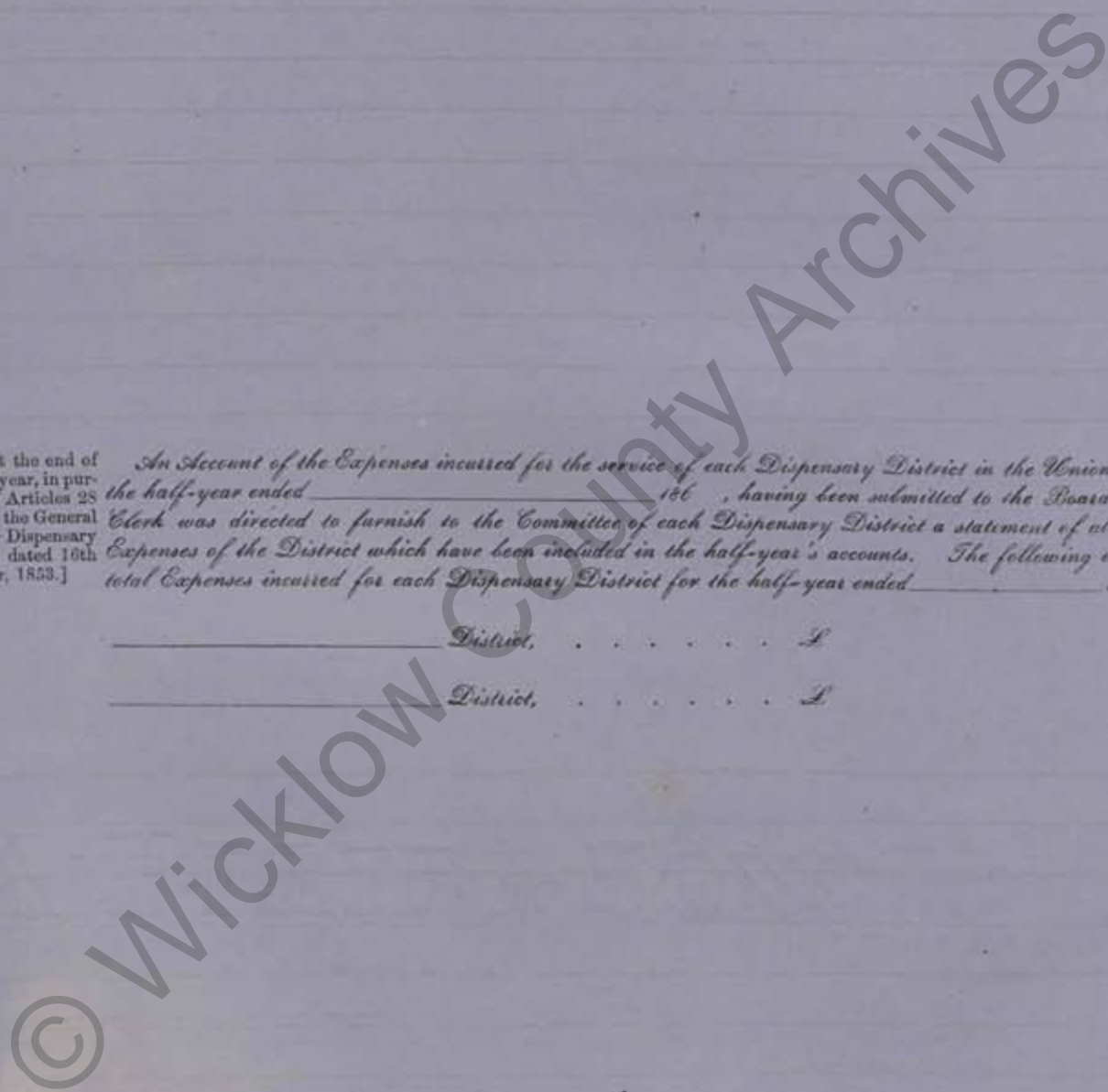
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 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, 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 Comm^r dated 15th Instant
stating that

enclosing for the information of the Guardians a copy of a Letter which the Commissioners have addressed to the Committee of management of Rathfarnham Dispensary District approving of the appointment of Dr Samuel R Manning as Medical officer of that District at a salary of £75 per annum;

The following Resolution was passed by the Board — Proposed by Mr Gilbert and seconded by Mr Murphy — Resolved that the Guardians request the Poor Law Commissioners to have the goodness to send down a letter of sanction for the temporary appointment of Dr Samuel R Manning as Medical officer of Rathfarnham Dispensary District at the rate of £75 per annum;

And in Reply

Patrick Kelly
James Fleming

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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RATHDRUM UNION.

257

Population in 1861, 43381

Present Net Annual Value, £126539.17.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 25 day of November 1865

| 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 | 3322 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | 19 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | 823 | 361 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | 38 | 79 | 39 | 70 | 11 | 9 | 38 | 22 | 33 | | 339 | In Work-house Hospital, 28 | In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 19 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | 8 | 7 | 6 | " | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 1 | | 31 | In Fever Hospital, 19 | Total, 10 | | |
| TOTAL | | 46 | 86 | 45 | 70 | 12 | 10 | 42 | 25 | 34 | | 370 | Total, 47 | Total, 19 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | 7 | 7 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 1 | | 26 | | | | |
| Died, | | " | " | 1 | 2 | " | " | " | " | " | | 3 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | 7 | 7 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 4 | 3 | 1 | | 29 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | 39 | 79 | 43 | 67 | 11 | 9 | 38 | 22 | 33 | | 341 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 25 day of November 1865 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. | 40 | 97 | William Manning. |
| No. II. | 29 | 87 | Robert Manning. |
| No. III. | 40 | 94 | George Take. |
| No. IV. | 19 | 44 | Peter Moran. |
| TOTALS, | 128 | 322 | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 28th day of November 1865

PRESENT: In the Chair, Andrew W. Byrne Esq

Other Guardians: James Connaught Esq Messrs P. Keely and James Fleming

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 494 to No. 500 both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £118 : 6 : 4

Baid during the week, - - - - - £152 : 1 : 1

And that the Balance on the Account ~~of~~ the Guardians was £1710 : 3 : 8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

| Name of each Collector. | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts | Collected and Lodged | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | |
|-------------------------|---|----------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|-----------|----|----|-------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| PATRICK FARRELL, | Newcastle Upper, | " | " | " | | | | 42 | 2 | 0 | | | |
| | " Lower, | 41 | 12 | - | | | | 25 | 11 | 9 | | | |
| | Kilcoole, | 44 | 11 | - | | | | 88 | 3 | 10 | | | |
| | Altidore, | " | " | " | | | | 13 | 3 | 7 | | | |
| | Killiskey, | 11 | 1 | - | | | | 26 | 1 | 11 | | | |
| | | 97 | 4 | - | 97 | 4 | - | 225 | 3 | 1 | 225 | 3 | 1 |
| WILLIAM MURPHY, | Glendalough, | 11 | - | - | | | | 17 | 17 | 5 | | | |
| | Calary, | 17 | - | - | | | | 18 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | Brookagh, | 27 | - | - | | | | 39 | 7 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballycullan, | 20 | - | - | | | | 20 | 9 | 8 | | | |
| | Oldtown, | 19 | - | - | | | | 63 | 9 | 6 | | | |
| | Togher, | 16 | - | - | | | | 28 | 3 | 2 | | | |
| | Moneystown, | " | " | " | | | | 26 | 15 | - | | | |
| | | 110 | - | - | 110 | - | - | 214 | 4 | 11 | 214 | 4 | 11 |
| EDWARD BYRNE, | Wicklow, | " | " | " | | | | 490 | 11 | 5 | | | |
| | Glanealy, | " | " | " | | | | 177 | 16 | 1 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 668 | 7 | 6 | 668 | 7 | 6 |
| THOMAS DOUGLAS, | Dunganstown, East, | 6 | 15 | - | | | | 161 | 17 | 8 | | | |
| | " West, | 7 | 10 | - | | | | 152 | 10 | 6 | | | |
| | " South, | 56 | 15 | - | | | | 105 | 17 | - | | | |
| | | 71 | - | - | 71 | - | - | 422 | 5 | 2 | 422 | 5 | 2 |
| FRANCIS ANNESLEY, | Ennereilly, | 49 | 3 | - | | | | 107 | 7 | 5 | | | |
| | Kilbride, | 10 | 19 | - | | | | 86 | 3 | 6 | | | |
| | | 60 | 2 | - | 60 | 2 | - | 193 | 10 | 11 | 193 | 10 | 11 |
| THOMAS BIRTHISTLE, | Arklow, | 44 | - | - | | | | 779 | 7 | 8 | | | |
| | | 44 | - | - | 44 | - | - | 779 | 7 | 8 | 779 | 7 | 8 |
| WILLIAM LOUGHLIN, | Cronebane, | " | " | " | | | | 82 | 19 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballyarthur, | " | " | " | | | | 157 | 7 | 5 | | | |
| | Ovoea, | " | " | " | | | | 191 | 12 | 6 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 431 | 19 | 7 | 431 | 19 | 7 |
| WILLIAM SMITH, | Rathdrum, | 36 | - | - | | | | 408 | 6 | 6 | | | |
| | Knockrath, | " | " | " | | | | 32 | 6 | 9 | | | |
| | Trooperstown, | " | " | " | | | | 37 | 10 | 2 | | | |
| | Ballinderry, | " | " | " | | | | 25 | 8 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballinaclash, | " | " | " | | | | 136 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | Ballinaeor, | " | " | " | | | | 103 | 1 | - | | | |
| | Aughrim, | " | " | " | | | | 111 | 12 | 9 | 857 | 8 | 3 |
| | | 36 | - | - | 36 | - | - | | | | | | |
| | Totals, | | | | 418 | 6 | - | | | | 3792 | 7 | 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 £ 46 18s. 9d.

| | | | |
|--|----|-----|------|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account, | £ | s. | d. |
| | 46 | 18 | 9 |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | - | 45 | 17 5 |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account, | | | |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | - | 2/6 | |
| Average cost in Infirmary, | - | 2/9 | |
| Average cost in Fever Hospital, | - | 5/6 | |

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:

- | | |
|------------------------|-------------------------|
| 2400 Loaves Bread | 3 Barrels Potatoes |
| 245 Gallons New Milk | 36 Pairs Slippers Shoes |
| 6 lbs Butter | |
| 150 Gallons Buttermilk | |
| 150 lbs Meat | |
| 39 Sheep Heads | |

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 25 day of Nov. whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

| | | | |
|---------------------|----|----|----|
| In Money, - - - - - | £ | s. | d. |
| In Kind, - - - - - | 14 | 1 | 10 |
| | - | - | - |
| Total, - - - - - | 14 | 1 | 10 |

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

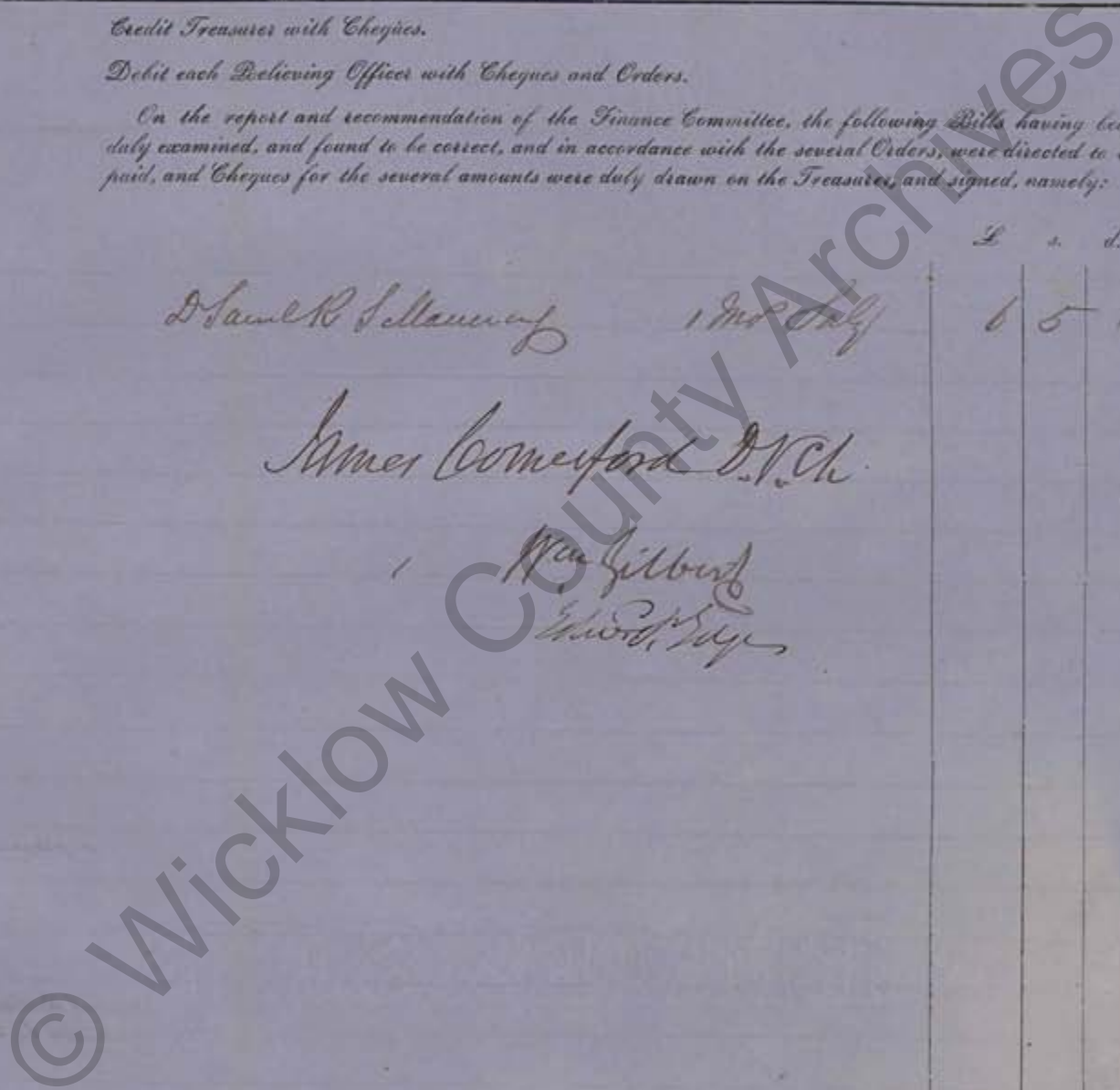
| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Cheque on Treasurer |
|-----------------|---------------------------|------------------------|
| | | £ s. d. |
| No. I. | William Manning, - - - - | |
| No. II. | Robert Manning, - - - - | |
| No. III. | George Tuke, - - - - | 15 - - |
| No. IV. | Peter 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. |
|------------------------|---|----|----|
| Daniel R. Sellauney | | 6 | 5 |
| 1 st July | | | |
| James Comerford D.V.C. | | | |
| Wm. Gilbert | | | |
| Wm. P. Dwyer | | | |



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l. *s.* *d.*

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

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

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

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

Enclosure No. 128 dated 14th

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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 28th day of November 1865,—continued.

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

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

Clerk to order same from the Contractor

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

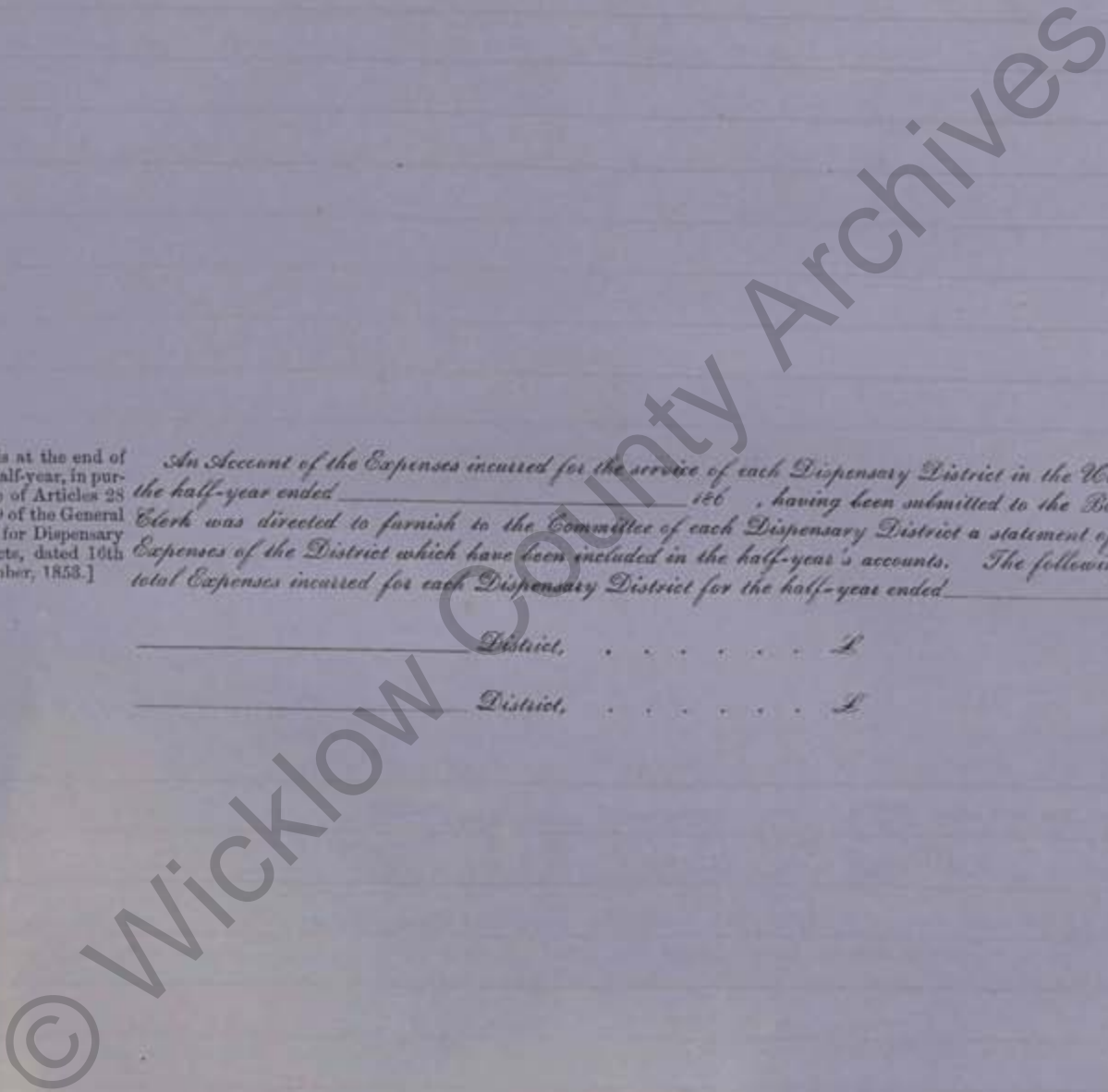
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 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, 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):

Board Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 21st Inst of 1881/9 stating that

In reply to a letter of the Clerk on the 17th Instant with reference to the Temporary appointment of Medical Officers in the Rathfriland and Aghlow Dispensary Districts, the Commissioners state that the sanction should be for the amount of remuneration subject to the Commissioners approval

Letter No 21110 dated 27th Instant sanctioning the Sanctions proposal to remunerate Doctor Samuel M. Sullivan at the rate of £75 per Annum for his services as temporary Medical Officer of the Rathfriland Dispensary District

Proposed by Mr Fleming and seconded by Mr. P. Keely that Doctor Hudson be paid at the rate of £80 per Annum for One Month as temporary Medical Officer of the Aghlow District during the illness of Dr L. Estamp

Passed

The Clerk laid before the Board an account furnished to him by the Committee of Management of the Aghlow District from Doctor Stephen W. Halpin claiming one Month's salary as "locum tenens" for Dr L. Estamp amount £6.13.4
Also a Bill for Co Hire amt 1.13.0

The Clerk informed the Board that it would be necessary to have the sanction of the Poor Law Commissioners before these Bills could be paid as they had refused to sanction Doctor Halpin's appointment.

Order on the above "Referred to the Poor Law Commissioners"

James Comerford D.V.C.

Wm Gilbert
Edw. P. O'Connell

(Signed)

Arthur W. W. W.

Clerk of the Union.

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RATHDRUM UNION.

276

Population in 1861, 43381

Present Net Annual Value, £126,839.17

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of December 1865

| 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 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | 80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 823 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 39 | 79 | 43 | 67 | 11 | 9 | 38 | 22 | 33 | 341 | In Work-house (Hospital, 135 | In separate Wards, 19 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 19 | 16 | 2 | " | 1 | " | 4 | 3 | 6 | 51 | In Fever Hospital, 29 | In Wards with other inmates, 40 | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 58 | 95 | 45 | 67 | 12 | 9 | 42 | 25 | 39 | 392 | Total, 64 | Total, 19 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 7 | 4 | 1 | " | " | 1 | " | " | 1 | 14 | | | | |
| Died, | | | " | " | " | 2 | " | " | " | " | " | 2 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 7 | 4 | 1 | 2 | " | 1 | " | " | 1 | 16 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 51 | 91 | 44 | 65 | 12 | 8 | 42 | 25 | 38 | 376 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27th day of December 1865 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. | 42 | 103 | William Manning. |
| No. II. | 30 | 89 | Robert Manning. |
| No. III. | 49 | 97 | George Toke. |
| No. IV. | 19 | 44 | Peter Moran. |
| TOTALS. | 140 | 333 | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 5th day of December 1865

PRESENT: In the Chair.

Other Guardians: There was no meeting this day only two fundraisers present Messrs. Gellanung and William Gilbert

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - £32 5: 6: 1

Paid during the week, - - - £ 18: 0: 8

And that the Balance on the Account ~~for~~ the Guardians was £2017: 9: 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, | | | | | | | 72 | 2 | . | | | |
| | „ Lower, | | | | | | | 25 | 11 | 9 | | | |
| | Kilcoole, | | | | | | | 88 | 3 | 10 | | | |
| | Altidore, | | | | | | | 13 | 3 | 7 | | | |
| | Killiskey, | | | | | | | 26 | 1 | 11 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 225 | 3 | 1 | 225 | 3 | 1 |
| WILLIAM MURPHY, | Glendalough, | | | | | | | 17 | 17 | 5 | | | |
| | Calary, | | | | | | | 18 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | Brockagh, | | | | | | | 39 | 7 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballycullan, | | | | | | | 20 | 9 | 8 | | | |
| | Oldtown, | | | | | | | 63 | 9 | 6 | | | |
| | Togher, | | | | | | | 28 | 3 | 2 | | | |
| | Moneystown, | | | | | | | 26 | 15 | . | | | |
| | | | | | | | 214 | 4 | 11 | 214 | 4 | 11 | |
| EDWARD BYRNE, | Wicklow, | 76 | 1 | 8 | | | | 414 | 9 | 9 | | | |
| | Glanealy, | 16 | 14 | 5 | | | | 161 | 1 | 8 | | | |
| | | 92 | 16 | 1 | 92 | 16 | 1 | 575 | 11 | 5 | 575 | 11 | 5 |
| THOMAS DOUGLAS, | Dunganstown, East, | 66 | 5 | . | | | | 95 | 12 | 8 | | | |
| | „ West, | 14 | 7 | . | | | | 107 | 10 | 6 | | | |
| | „ South, | 31 | 5 | . | | | | 74 | 12 | . | | | |
| | | 144 | 10 | . | 144 | 10 | . | 277 | 15 | 2 | 277 | 15 | 2 |
| FRANCIS ANNESLEY, | Ennereilly, | | | | | | | 107 | 7 | 5 | | | |
| | Kilbride, | | | | | | | 86 | 3 | 6 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 193 | 10 | 11 | 193 | 10 | 11 |
| THOMAS BIRTHISTLE, | Arklow, | | | | | | 779 | 7 | 8 | 779 | 7 | 8 | |
| WILLIAM LOUGHLIN, | Cronebane, | 19 | . | . | | | | 63 | 19 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballyarthur, | 35 | . | . | | | | 122 | 7 | 6 | | | |
| | Ovoca, | 2 | . | . | | | | 187 | 12 | 6 | | | |
| | | 58 | . | . | 58 | . | . | 373 | 19 | 7 | 373 | 19 | 7 |
| WILLIAM SMITH, | Rathdrum, | 30 | . | . | | | | 378 | 6 | 6 | | | |
| | Knockrath, | | | | | | | 32 | 6 | 9 | | | |
| | Trooperstown, | | | | | | | 37 | 10 | 2 | | | |
| | Ballinderry, | | | | | | | 25 | 8 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballinaclesh, | | | | | | | 136 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | Ballinacor, | | | | | | | 103 | 1 | . | | | |
| | Aughrim, | | | | | | | 114 | 12 | 8 | | | |
| | | | | | | | 30 | . | . | 827 | 8 | 3 | |
| | | | | | | | 325 | 6 | 1 | | | | |
| Totals, | | | | | | | 346 | 6 | 1 | 346 | 6 | 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 £ 63 19s. 10 d.

| | £ | s. | d. |
|--|-----|-----|-----|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account, | 63 | 19 | 10 |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | 50 | 7 | 3 |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account, | | | |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | 2/6 | | |
| Average cost in Infirmary, | | 2/9 | |
| Average cost in Fever Hospital, | | | 5/1 |

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

| | | | |
|---------------------|----|----|----|
| In Money, - - - - - | 14 | 16 | 10 |
| In Kind, - - - - - | | | |
| Total, - - - - - | 14 | 16 | 10 |

Credit each Relieving Officers as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

James Comerford DVM

John Gilburn

Edw. P. Bay

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 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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_____ 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., requisited by the Medical Officers 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:*

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

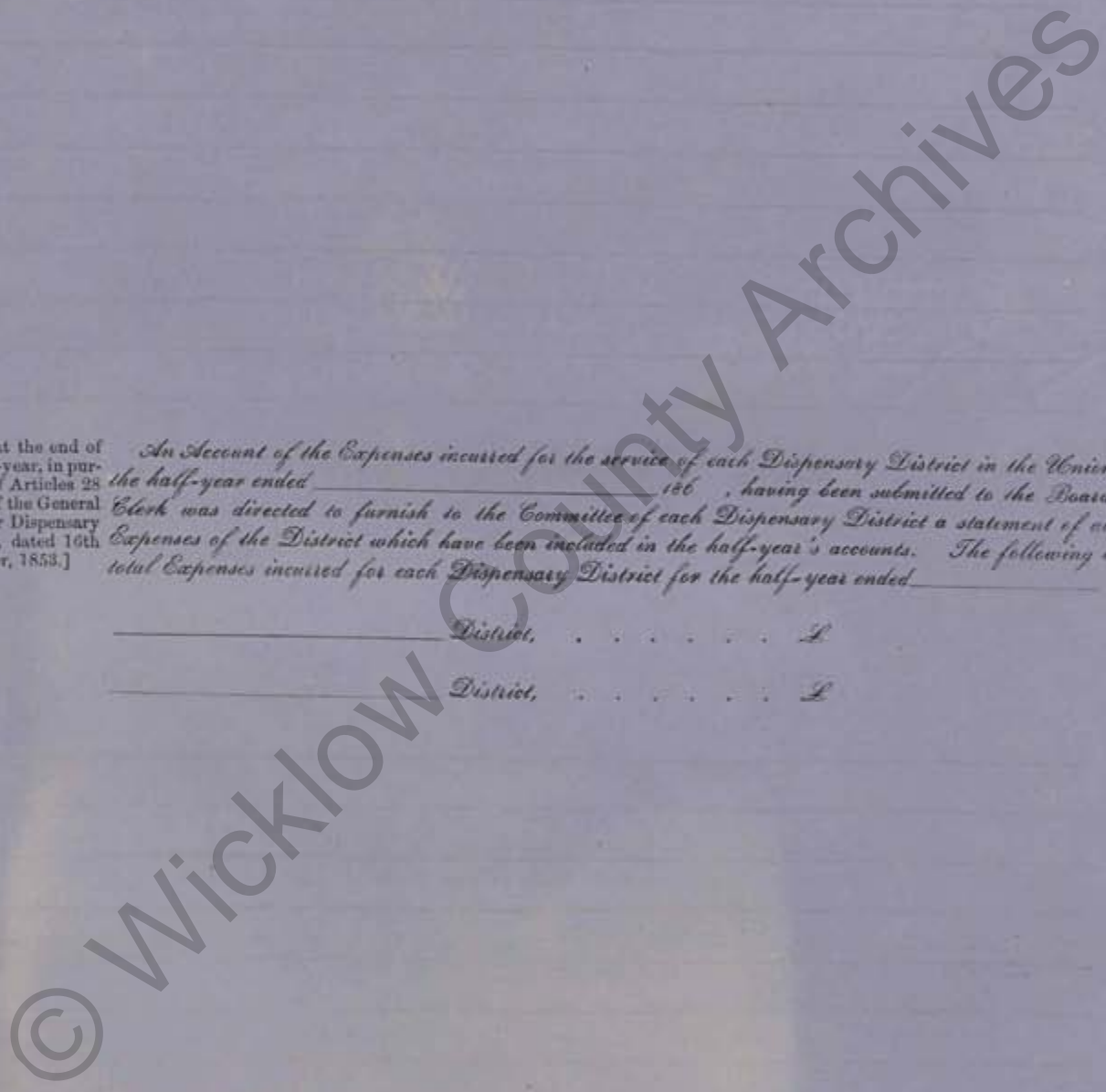
Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £ _____

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 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.)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that _____

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1861, 43381

Present Net Annual Value, £ 126539-17

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9 day of December 1865

| 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 12 years of age | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | Total | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|---|---|--|-------------|------------|--|-----------|--|-----------|---|---|------------------------------|------------|--|---|--------------|----|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | |
| Workhouse, | 743 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 823 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 51 | 91 | 44 | 65 | 12 | 8 | 42 | 25 | 38 | 376 | In Work- house, } In Hospital, } In Fever } Hospital, } | In separate } Wards, } In Wards } with other } Inmates, } | 9 | 10 |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 9 | 19 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 4 | 2 | 5 | 3 | 50 | Total, | Total, | 19 | |
| TOTAL, | | | 60 | 110 | 47 | 67 | 15 | 12 | 44 | 30 | 41 | 426 | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 5 | 10 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 2 | 5 | 28 | | | | | |
| Died, | | | - | - | 2 | 1 | - | - | - | - | 3 | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 5 | 10 | 4 | 3 | 2 | - | 2 | - | 5 | 31 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 55 | 100 | 43 | 64 | 13 | 12 | 42 | 30 | 36 | 395 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9 day of Decr authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 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. | 41 | 97 | William Manning. |
| No. II. | 28 | 78 | Robert Manning. |
| No. III. | 49 | 93 | George Tuke. |
| No. IV. | 17 | 36 | Peter Moran. |
| TOTALS | 135 | 304 | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 12th day of December 1865

PRESENT: In the Chair, James Lomenford Esq.
Other Guardians: Messrs. Mr. Gilbert & Mr. P. Lloyd

The Warehouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. ~~114~~ 115 to No. 115 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. ~~114~~ 115 to No. ~~115~~ 116, 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:

Gentlemen

In consequence of the death of my Uncle, Mr. Case, who was one of my sureties it will be necessary for me to enter into a new Bond with your Board, I beg to propose my sister, Mrs. Eliza Clements, as surety in my stead with Mr. Daniel Johnson my present surety

I am Gentlemen

Your Obedt Servt

Arthur Whank

Clerk of the Union

Approved

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ 169 : 11 : -

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 60 : 4 : -

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 226 : 16 : 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, | | | | | | | 72 | 2 | .. | | | |
| | .. Lower, | | | | | | | 25 | 11 | 9 | | | |
| | Kilcoole, | 38 | 1 | .. | | | | 50 | 2 | 10 | | | |
| | Altidore, | | | | | | | 13 | 3 | 7 | | | |
| | Killiskey, | | | | | | | 26 | 1 | 11 | | | |
| | | 38 | 1 | .. | 38 | 1 | .. | 187 | 2 | 1 | 187 | 2 | 1 |
| WILLIAM MURPHY, | Glendalough, | | | | | | | 17 | 17 | 5 | | | |
| | Calary, | | | | | | | 18 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | Brockagh, | | | | | | | 39 | 7 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballycullan, | | | | | | | 20 | 9 | 8 | | | |
| | Oldtown, | | | | | | | 63 | 9 | 6 | | | |
| | Togher, | | | | | | | 28 | 3 | 9 | | | |
| | Moneystown, | | | | | | | 26 | 15 | - | | | |
| | | | | | | | 214 | 4 | 11 | 214 | 4 | 11 | |
| EDWARD BYRNE, | Wicklow, | | | | | | | 414 | 9 | 9 | | | |
| | Glancealy, | | | | | | | 161 | 1 | 8 | | | |
| | | | | | | | 575 | 11 | 5 | 575 | 11 | 5 | |
| THOMAS DOUGLAS, | Dunganstown, East, | 23 | 10 | .. | | | | 72 | 2 | 8 | | | |
| | .. West, | 24 | 10 | .. | | | | 83 | .. | 6 | | | |
| | .. South, | 6 | .. | .. | | | | 68 | 12 | .. | | | |
| | | 57 | .. | .. | 57 | .. | .. | 223 | 15 | 9 | 223 | 15 | 9 |
| FRANCIS ANNESLEY, | Ennercilly, | | | | | | | 107 | 7 | 5 | | | |
| | Kilbride, | | | | | | | 86 | 3 | 6 | | | |
| | | | | | | | 193 | 10 | 11 | 193 | 10 | 11 | |
| THOMAS BIRTHISTLE, | Arklow, | 77 | 10 | .. | | | | 707 | 17 | 8 | | | |
| | | 77 | 10 | .. | 77 | 10 | .. | 701 | 17 | 8 | 701 | 17 | 8 |
| WILLIAM LOEGHILS, | Cronebane, | | | | | | | 63 | 19 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballyarthur, | | | | | | | 122 | 7 | 5 | | | |
| | Ovoca, | | | | | | | 187 | 12 | 6 | | | |
| | | | | | | | 373 | 19 | 7 | | | | |
| WILLIAM SMITH, | Rathdrum, | | | | | | | 378 | 6 | 6 | | | |
| | Knockrath, | | | | | | | 32 | 6 | 9 | | | |
| | Trooperstown, | | | | | | | 37 | 10 | 2 | | | |
| | Ballinderry, | | | | | | | 25 | 8 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballinaclash, | | | | | | | 136 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | Ballinacoor, | | | | | | | 103 | 1 | .. | | | |
| | Aughrim, | | | | | | | 114 | 12 | 8 | | | |
| | | | | | | | 827 | 8 | 3 | 827 | 8 | 3 | |
| | Totals, | | | | 169 | 11 | .. | 3297 | 10 | .. | 3297 | 10 | .. |

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 36 - 16 s. - d.

| | £ | s. | d. |
|--|----|----|----|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account, | | | |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | 53 | 14 | 10 |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account, | | | |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | 2 | 6 | |
| Average cost in Infirmary, | 2 | 9 | |
| Average cost in Fever Hospital, | 5 | 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:

| 2 weeks | 2 Galls Oil |
|----------------------|-----------------------|
| 41 800 White Loaves | 1 Piny Basket |
| 300 Galls Buttermilk | 12 sheets Paste Board |
| 520 " Newmilk | 14 lbs Linseed meal |
| 12 lbs Butter | 1 day Carpenter |
| 280 " Meat | 1 suit clothes for |
| 78 Sheep-heads | Man Thompson |
| | 2 Granite flags |

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 Decr 1865 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

| | £ | s. | d. |
|------------------------|----|----|----|
| In Agency, - | 13 | 19 | 11 |
| In Bond, - | = | = | = |
| Total, - | 13 | 19 | 11 |

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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 Treasurer, and signed, namely:

| | | £ | s. | d. |
|-----------------|---------------------|----|----|----|
| Isaac Flower | Chicken | 2 | 15 | - |
| Edward Wright | Clothing | 90 | 14 | 6 |
| William Daniel | Ironmongry | 16 | 1 | 9 |
| John Farrell | Combs | 2 | 10 | = |
| Do | Clothing | 33 | 5 | 10 |
| Robert Neill | Shroving | 11 | 15 | 1 |
| Elizabeth Byrne | Meat | 28 | 2 | 5 |
| Thomas Byrne | Bread | 56 | 1 | 11 |
| John Lowley | Oatmeal | 17 | 17 | 10 |
| John Darcy | Groceries | 36 | 6 | 10 |
| Andrew Dalton | Linnard | 4 | 13 | 6 |
| Henry Dwyer | sub. cow-poke distn | 5 | 5 | = |
| John Henderson | Maintenance | 5 | = | = |
| Do | Salary Arklow | 6 | 13 | 4 |
| Do Banks | Registration Fees | 2 | 8 | = |
| Do Kearney | Do | 1 | 13 | = |
| Do McFlelland | Do | 2 | 13 | 6 |
| Do Hatch | Do | 2 | 9 | 6 |
| Do Sherwood | Do | | 17 | 6 |
| Do Hudson | Do | 2 | 2 | 6 |
| Do Skelpin | Salary | 8 | 6 | 4 |
| | Car hire | | | |
| Ralph Lawrence | Rent | 18 | 6 | 6 |
| Dennis Phase | Straw | 3 | 3 | 4 |
| John Farrell | clothing | 5 | 16 | 9 |
| Do sub. Arklow | 1/4 day | 25 | " | " |

| | | | | | |
|-------------|-----------|-----------|----|----|----|
| Pa Sesie Ho | Medicines | Wickhouse | 18 | 19 | 7 |
| Do | Do | Rathdrum | 10 | 4 | 6 |
| Do | Do | Anghrin | 5 | 2 | 4 |
| Do | Do | Ashford | 41 | - | 7 |
| Do | Do | Arkeow | 26 | - | 11 |
| Do | Do | Aranna | 11 | 6 | 6 |
| Do | Do | Newcastle | 7 | 1 | 9 |
| Do | Do | Paints | 5 | 11 | 5 |

In favor of Clerk & pay

| | | | | | |
|----------------|------------------|---|----|---|---|
| John Darry | Alter Requisites | 1 | 4 | = | |
| Daniel Farrell | Carpenterwork | 1 | 16 | = | |
| John Farrell | Sugar | | 3 | 9 | |
| Wm Turner | Cooperage | 1 | 5 | = | |
| Abank | Postage | 1 | 3 | 7 | |
| Wm Murphy | Carhire | | 6 | = | |
| Wm Jordan | Clothing Rails | | 9 | 9 | |
| Dan Farrell | Carpenterwork | | 18 | = | |
| Leane Flower | Chickens | 1 | 11 | = | |
| George Duke | Conveyance | 1 | 3 | = | |
| Wm Manning | Do | | 8 | 6 | |
| | | | 9 | 8 | 1 |

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

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

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

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

Letter N^o 147 Dated the 30th Ultimo from the Poor Law Commissioners requesting the Clerk of the Union to forward to their office as soon as possible the Return (Form A) of the expenditure of the Union called for by their letter of the 15th of November last,

Circular N^o 144 Dated the 3rd Instant from the Poor Law Commissioners calling on the Clerks for a Return of the Rates made and any New Rates agreed upon in the Union during the month of November,

Read Letter Dated the 2nd Instant from the General Valuation Office acknowledging the receipt of Lists of Tenements requiring revision in the Union,

Read Warrant for the removal of a man named Philip Mulhull from the Parish of Liverpool to this Union;

And Tr. Moore
 Secretary
 James W. W. W. W.

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

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the RATHDRUM UNION, on
Tuesday, the *Tues* day of *12 December* 1865,—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:*

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,

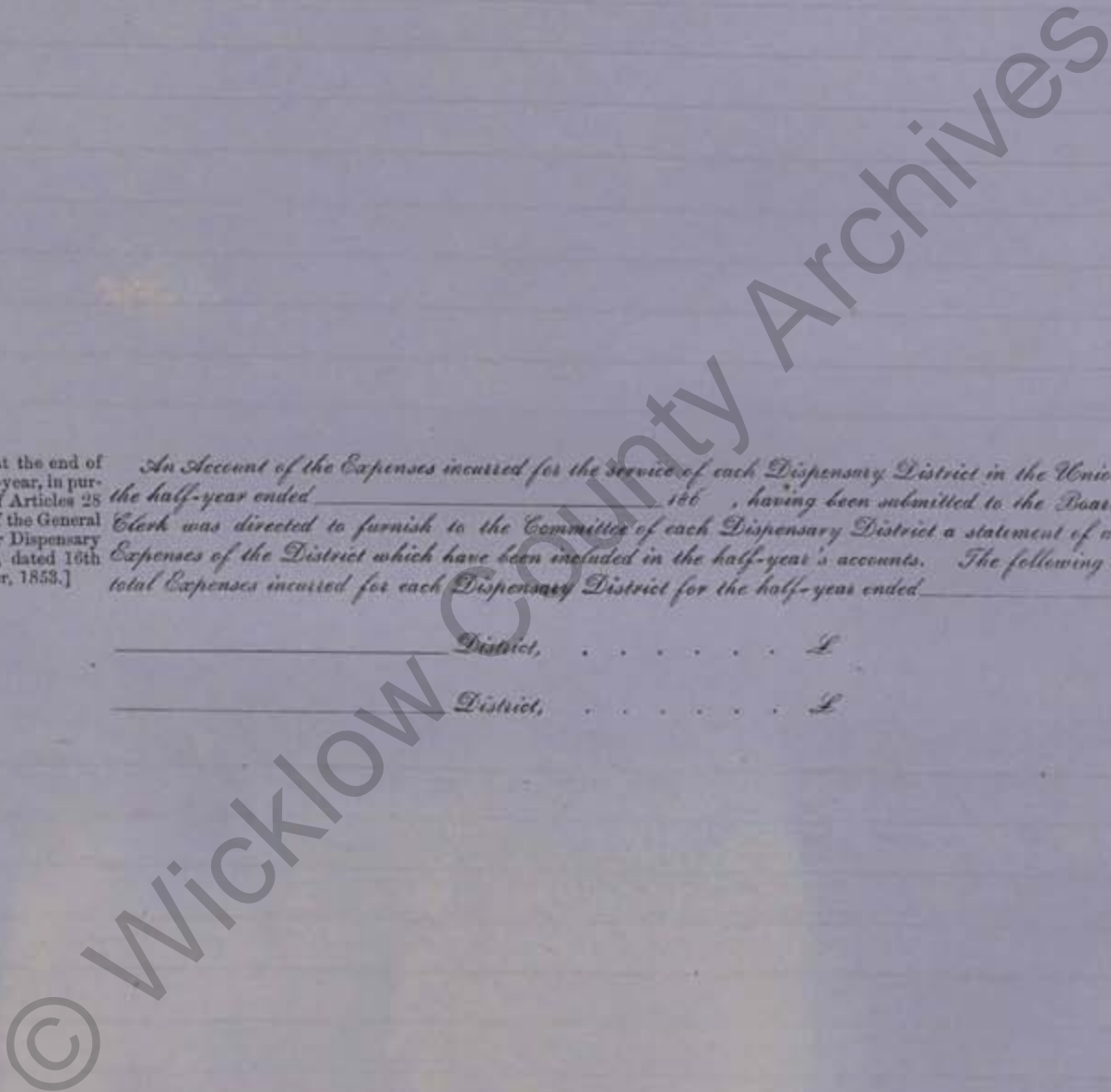
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount £ _____

[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):

Recd. Letter from The Poor Law Comm^{rs} dated 4th Instant
~~stating that~~

Sanctioning the proposal to remunerate D^r Hudson at the rate of £80 per annum for his services as Temporary Medical Officer of the Arklow Dispensary District for a period of one month;

The Commissioners also state that under the circumstances they will not object to the payment of a sum of £6-3-4 to D^r Halpin for his services in the above District, together with a sum of £1-13-0 being the amount of his Bill for car hire;

And in Witness Whereof
Silvester Russell
James R. Taylor M.D.

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1861, 43381

Present Net Annual Value, £126,539.17

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of December 1865

| 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, | 748 | 357 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | 21 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 828 | 378 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 55 | 100 | 43 | 64 | 13 | 12 | 12 | 30 | 36 | 395 | In Work-house Hospital, 137 | In separate Wards, 19 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 6 | 13 | 2 | - | 3 | - | 1 | - | 6 | 32 | In Fever Hospital, 21 | In Wards with other Inmates, 40 | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 61 | 113 | 45 | 64 | 16 | 12 | 43 | 30 | 43 | 427 | Total, 58 | Total, 19 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 18 | 13 | 2 | - | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 46 | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | 1 | 2 | | | | | | 3 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 18 | 13 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 7 | 49 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 43 | 100 | 42 | 62 | 13 | 11 | 42 | 29 | 36 | 378 | | | | |

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

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 | | NAME OF RELIEVING OFFICERS |
|-----------------|--|--|----------------------------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Appellant and Family, dependent on him or her | |
| No. I. | 40 | 94 | William Manning. |
| No. II. | 28 | 75 | Robert Manning. |
| No. III. | 50 | 97 | George Take. |
| No. IV. | 18 | 39 | Peter Moran. |
| TOTALS, | 136 | 305 | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 19th day of December 1865

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

Other Guardians: Charles de West, David Henry Charles Leonard, James R. Taylor Esq., Messrs Edw. P. Edg., George Manning, J. Bourke, W. Gilchrist, Patrick Keely, Edward Byrne, A. Valentine, John Woodroffe & James Fleming

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 116 to No. 154 both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 1 to No. 10, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £488 : 15 : 7

Paid during the week, - - - - - £452 : 3 : 5

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £2163 : 8 : 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, | 48 | 3 | 0 | | | | 23 | 19 | 0 | | | |
| | „ Lower, | | | | | | | 25 | 11 | 9 | | | |
| | Kilcoole, | 5 | 11 | 0 | | | | 44 | 11 | 10 | | | |
| | Altidore, | | | | | | | 13 | 3 | 7 | | | |
| | Killiskey, | 10 | 11 | 0 | | | | 15 | 16 | 11 | | | |
| | | 64 | 5 | 0 | 64 | 5 | 0 | 122 | 17 | 1 | 122 | 17 | 1 |
| WILLIAM MURPHY, | Glendalough, | 6 | 0 | 0 | | | | 11 | 17 | 5 | | | |
| | Calary, | 7 | 0 | 0 | | | | 11 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | Brockagh, | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | 39 | 7 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballycullan, | 5 | 0 | 0 | | | | 15 | 9 | 8 | | | |
| | Oldtown, | 28 | 0 | 0 | | | | 35 | 9 | 6 | | | |
| | Togher, | 5 | 0 | 0 | | | | 25 | 3 | 2 | | | |
| | Moneystown, | 14 | 0 | 0 | | | | 12 | 15 | 0 | | | |
| | | 65 | 0 | 0 | 65 | 0 | 0 | 149 | 4 | 11 | 149 | 4 | 11 |
| EDWARD BYRNE, | Wicklow, | 67 | 12 | 7 | | | | 346 | 17 | 2 | | | |
| | Glanealy, | 41 | 0 | 0 | | | | 120 | 1 | 8 | | | |
| | | 108 | 12 | 7 | 108 | 12 | 7 | 466 | 18 | 10 | 466 | 18 | 10 |
| THOMAS DOUGLAS, | Dunganstown, East, | 11 | 0 | 0 | | | | 61 | 2 | 8 | | | |
| | „ West, | 30 | 15 | 0 | | | | 52 | 5 | 6 | | | |
| | „ South, | 19 | 0 | 0 | | | | 44 | 12 | 0 | | | |
| | | 60 | 15 | 0 | 60 | 15 | 0 | 163 | 0 | 2 | 163 | 0 | 2 |
| FRANCIS ANNESLEY, | Ennereilly, | 30 | 4 | 6 | | | | 77 | 2 | 11 | | | |
| | Kilbride, | 33 | 18 | 6 | | | | 52 | 5 | 0 | | | |
| | | 64 | 3 | 0 | 64 | 3 | 0 | 129 | 7 | 11 | 129 | 7 | 11 |
| THOMAS BIRCHISTLE, | Arklow, | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | 701 | 17 | 8 | | | |
| | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 701 | 17 | 8 | 701 | 17 | 8 |
| WILLIAM LOUGHLIN, | Cronebane, | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | 63 | 19 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballyarthur, | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | 122 | 7 | 5 | | | |
| | Ovoca, | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | 187 | 12 | 6 | | | |
| | | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 0 | 373 | 19 | 7 | 373 | 19 | 7 |
| WILLIAM SMITH, | Rathdrum, | 70 | 0 | 0 | | | | 308 | 6 | 6 | | | |
| | Knockrath, | 2 | 0 | 0 | | | | 30 | 6 | 9 | | | |
| | Trooperstown, | 4 | 0 | 0 | | | | 33 | 10 | 2 | | | |
| | Ballinderry, | 0 | 0 | 0 | | | | 25 | 8 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballinacash, | 27 | 0 | 0 | | | | 109 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | Ballinacor, | 20 | 0 | 0 | | | | 83 | 1 | 0 | | | |
| | Aughrim, | 3 | 0 | 0 | | | | 111 | 12 | 8 | | | |
| | | 126 | 0 | 0 | 126 | 0 | 0 | 701 | 8 | 3 | 701 | 8 | 3 |
| | Totals, | | | | 488 | 15 | 7 | | 2808 | 14 | 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 £ 38 - 1 s. 1 d.

| | £ | s. | d. |
|--|----|------|------|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account, | | | |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | 52 | = 15 | = 10 |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account, | | | |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | 2 | / 6 | |
| Average cost in Infirmary, | 2 | / 8 | 1/2 |
| Average cost in Fever Hospital, | 5 | / 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:

- 2 700 White Loaves
- 163 Galls Buttermilk
- 280 " Newmilk
- 56 lbs Butter
- 4 1/2 Cwt meat
- 42 sheep heads
- 1 Padlock
- 2 Galls mucking sluk
- 6 Leather Aprons

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

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

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

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

| | | | |
|---------------------|----|-----|-----|
| In Money, | 14 | = 5 | = 4 |
| In Kind, | = | = | = |
| Total. | 14 | = 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, | |
| No. II. | Robert Manning, | |
| No. III. | George Tuke, | 15 |
| 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. |
|---------------------|----------------------|----|----|----|
| Rev A Galbraith | 1/4 p. only | 7 | 10 | . |
| Rev R Galbraith | " | 15 | . | . |
| Arthur Wank | 1/4 p. only on Clerk | 25 | . | . |
| do do | Relief Office | 2 | 10 | . |
| Isaac Flower | " | 15 | . | . |
| May Flower | " | 5 | . | . |
| Cath B. Jones | " | 7 | 10 | . |
| Thomas Rynce | " | 2 | 10 | . |
| Ellen Currier | " | 3 | 15 | . |
| Bridget Holan | " | 3 | 15 | . |
| Edward Tallon | " | 3 | . | . |
| John Kilfoy | " | 3 | . | . |
| Mr Manning | " | 8 | 15 | . |
| Robert Manning | " | 8 | 15 | . |
| George Tuke | " | 8 | 15 | . |
| Peter Moran | " | 8 | 15 | . |
| D Banks | " | 25 | . | . |
| D Hatch | " | 22 | 10 | . |
| D McCalland | " | 22 | 10 | . |
| D L Estamp | " | 20 | . | . |
| D Sherwood | " | 20 | . | . |
| D Hudson | " | 20 | . | . |
| D Kearney | " | 18 | 15 | . |
| D Samuel S. Manning | " | 9 | 12 | 4 |

| In favor of Clerk for Dispensary Account | | | L | s. | d. |
|--|-------|-------------|---|----|----|
| Mary Doyle | judah | Adklow | 1 | 5 | 0 |
| Sarah Reid | " | Adklow | 1 | " | " |
| William Byrne | " | do | 1 | " | " |
| Wm. Graham | " | Aughrim | | 15 | " |
| H. Wank | " | do | | 7 | 6 |
| Eva Thompson | " | Dunfanston | 1 | 2 | 6 |
| Mary Forester | " | Neubridge | 1 | " | " |
| Eva Johnson | " | Newcastle | | 7 | 5 |
| Catharine Reeves | " | Rathfriland | 1 | 10 | " |
| | | | | 8 | 15 |

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

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

Gentlemen

*I beg to ask your kind order
for the meat Dinner and Tea Breakfast on
Christmas Day, also Tea supper on Newyears
Day*

Approved

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

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

Read Letter from the Guardians of the Lark Union enclosing a Resolution passed by their Board at a recent meeting requesting the Poor Law Commissioners to urge upon the Government the necessity of having the Provisions of the Common Lodging House Acts of 1851, 1858 and 1860 extended to every house or part of a house, usually or occasionally let in separate tenements, for human habitation, for any period not exceeding five weeks, at a rent not exceeding three shillings the week; and inviting the support of the Guardians of this Union in favor of this desirable measure;

Approved -

Read a Memorandum for the removal of a woman named Mary Whelan from the Parish of Liverpool to this Union;

Agreeable to Advertisement the Guardians proceeded to Consider Tenders for the supply of the following articles of Provisions and Necessaries for Three Months from the 25th Instant, when after one examination of Samples & Tenders the undermentioned persons were declared the Contractors for the several articles named at the prices stated. viz:

| | |
|----------------|---|
| James Fontenay | Best White Bread @ 6 ^d 4 lbs |
| Eliza Byrne | " Beef & Mutton @ 8 ^d 7 lb |
| " | " Ox heads @ 2 ^d 6 each |
| " | " sheep heads @ 10 " |
| John Lowley | " Oatmeal @ 15-5 ^d 7 lb Low |
| John O'Brien | " Black Tea @ 2 ^d 2 ¹ / ₂ lb |
| " | " Brown Sugar @ 4 ³ / ₄ " |
| " | " Lump " @ 5 " |
| " | " XX Porter @ 1 ^d 6 lb doz |
| " | " Lisbon Shell Cocoa @ 1 ^d 7 lb Cwt |
| Butler & Scott | Whiskey @ 18 ^d 7 Gall |
| " | " Brandy @ 22 ^d " |
| " | " Gin @ 30 ^d 7 Doz |

Before entering into the Contract for Wine the Medical Officer reported that the Port Wine supplied was inferior and recommended the Board to give a higher price as they could not get good wine for 20^d per dozen;

The Board directed the Clerk to write to Messrs Butler and Scott for samples of Port Wine from 32^d to 36^d per dozen and on next meeting they will decide on the Contract;

And In Witness
 James Cotnam
 Chairman
 Patrick Kelly

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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):

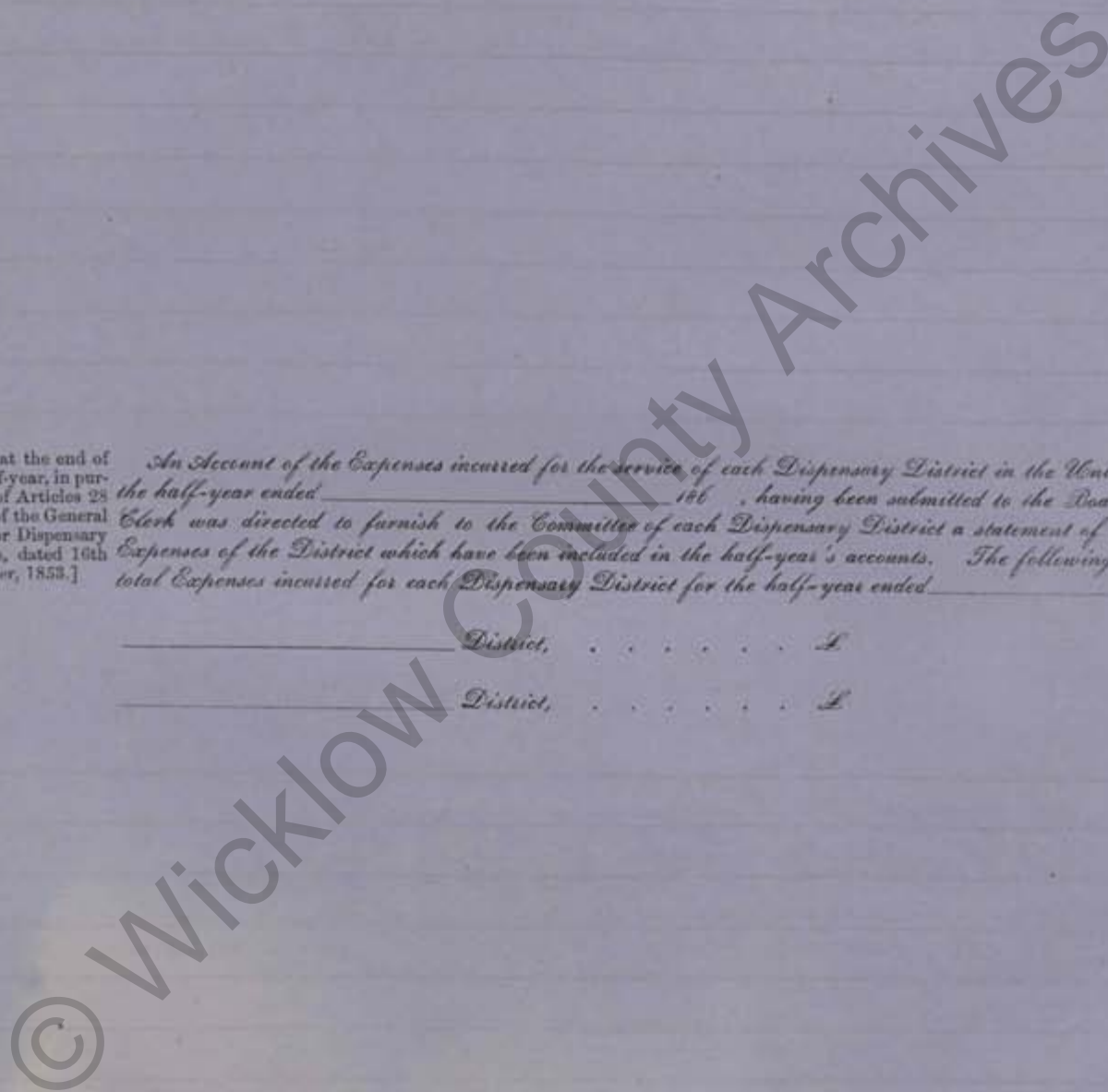
Dispensary District.

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 _____ dated _____
stating that _____

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Clerk of the Union.

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(Special.)

RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1861, 43387

Present Net Annual Value, £ 126539.17

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 23rd day of December 1865

| 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 5 years of age | Children above 5 and under 2 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | Total | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|---|---|--|-------------|-------|--|-------|--|-------|---|---|------------------------------|-------|--------------------------------------|---|--------------|--|
| | | | Males | Fems. | Males | Fems. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | |
| Workhouse, | 748 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 823 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | In Work-house Hospital, 9 In Fever Hospital, 10 Total, 19 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 23rd day of December 1865 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. | 42 | 100 | William Manning. |
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| No. IV. | 18 | 39 | Peter Moran. |
| TOTALS | 140 | 311 | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 26th day of December 1865

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:

There was no Guardian in attendance on this day

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ : :

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

| Name of each Collector | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts | Collected and Lodged | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | |
|------------------------|---|----------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|-----------|----|----|-------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| PATRICK FARRELL, | Newcastle Upper, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | „ Lower, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Kilcoole, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Altidore, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Killiskey, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| WILLIAM MURPHY, | Glendalough, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Calary, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Brockagh, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Ballycullan, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Oldtown, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Togher, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Moneystown, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EDWARD BYRNE, | Wicklow, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Glanealy, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| THOMAS DOUGLAS, | Dunganstown, East, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | „ West, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | „ South, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| FRANCIS ANNESLEY, | Ennercilly, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Kilbride, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| THOMAS BIRTHISTLE, | Arklow, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| WILLIAM LOUGHLIN, | Cronebane, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Ballyarthur, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Ovoca, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| WILLIAM SMITH, | Rathdrum, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Knockrath, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Trooperstown, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Ballinderry, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Ballinaclash, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Ballinacor, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Aughrim, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | <i>Totals,</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - -

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

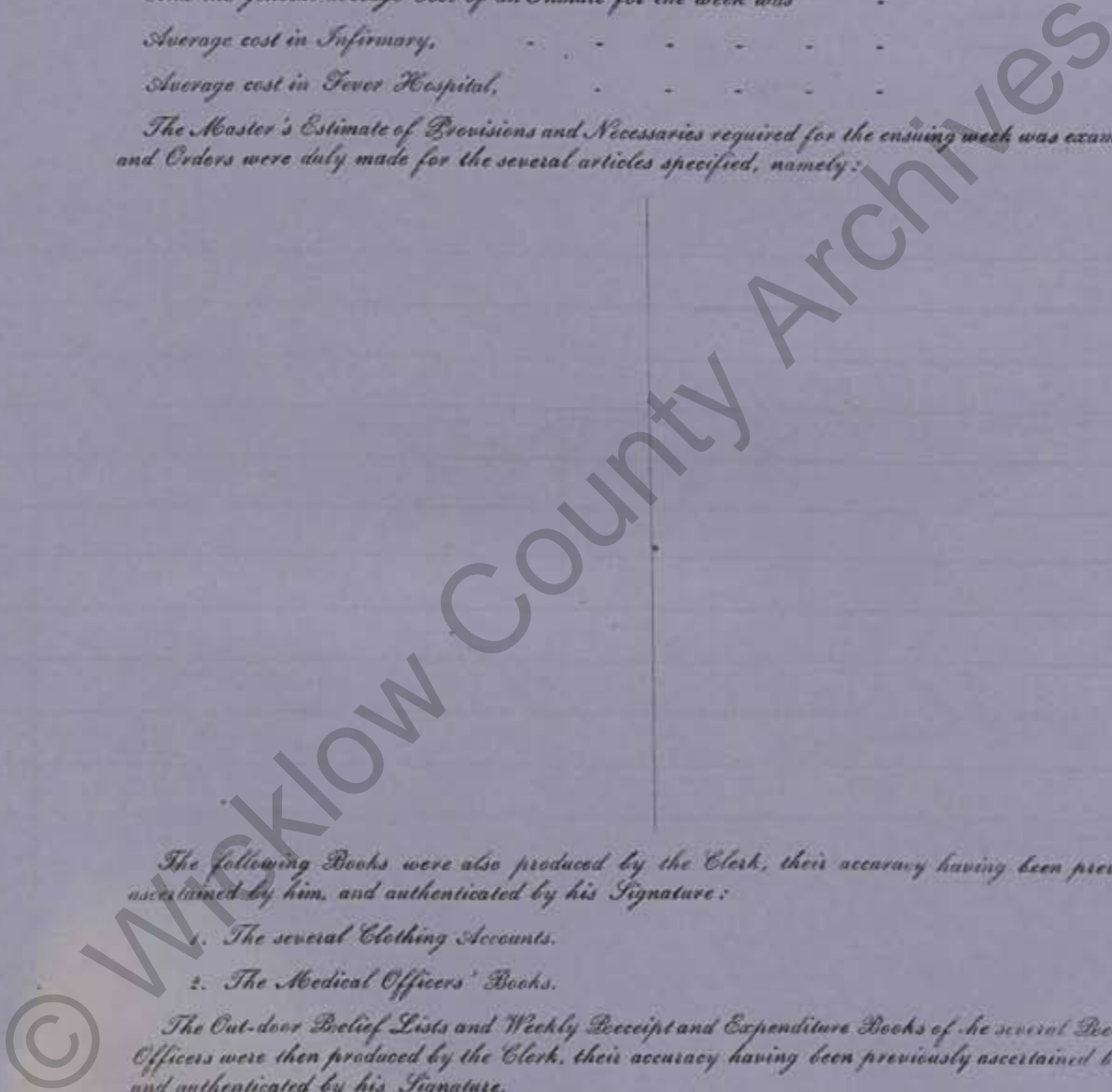
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was -

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:

£ s. d.



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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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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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:*

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

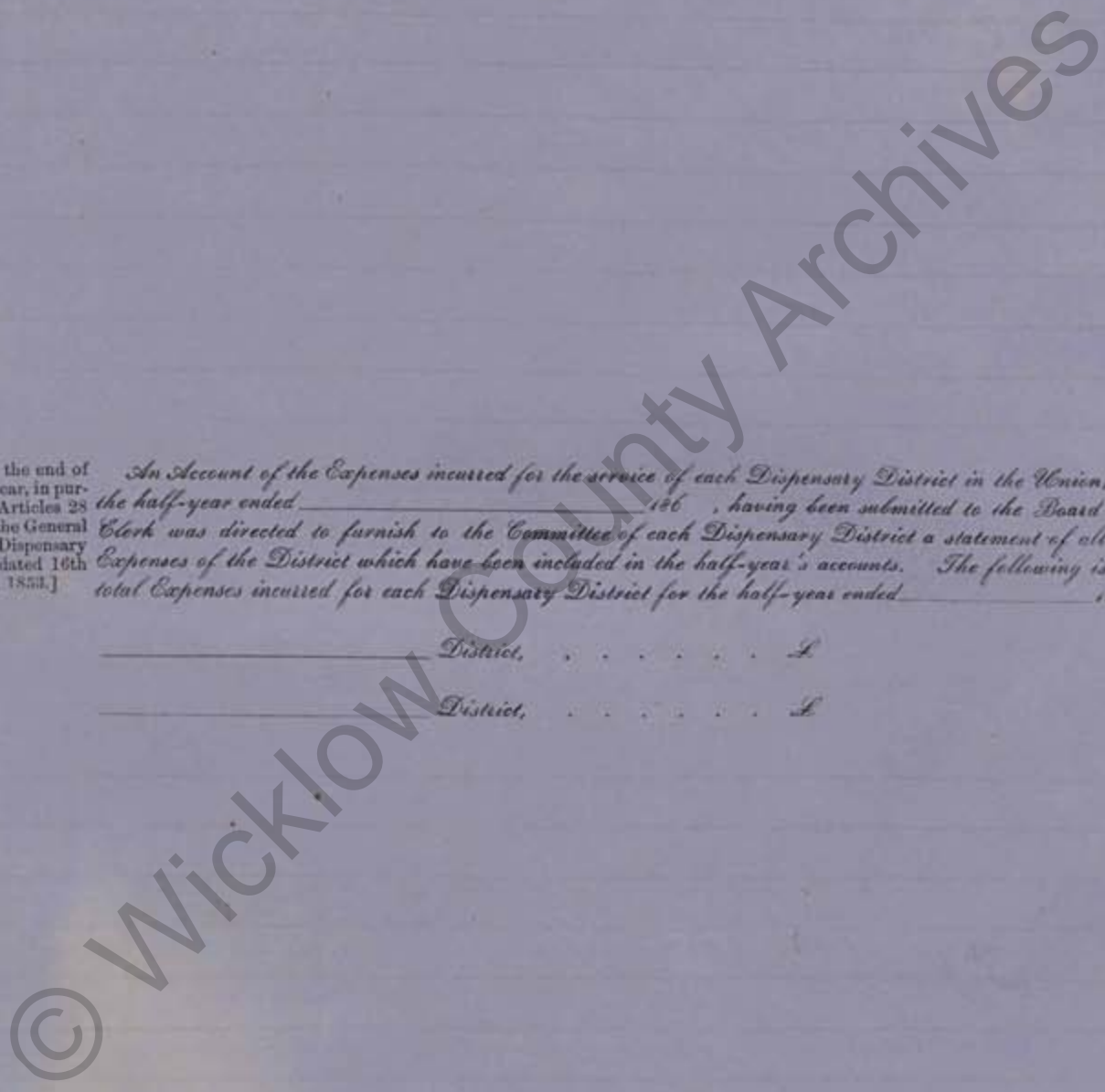
Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1852.]

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, in 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, £126539=17

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30 day of December 1865

| 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 | 372 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouses, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | 30 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | | 823 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 50 | 109 | 42 | 63 | 15 | 11 | 43 | 30 | 39 | 402 | In Work-house Hospital, 29 | In separate Wards with other inmates, 9 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 5 | 4 | 3 | - | 1 | - | 1 | - | 2 | 16 | In Fever Hospital, 30 | | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 55 | 113 | 45 | 63 | 16 | 11 | 44 | 30 | 41 | 418 | Total, 59 | Total, 19 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 5 | 4 | 2 | - | 1 | - | - | 1 | 1 | 14 | | | | |
| Died, | | | - | - | - | 2 | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 5 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 1 | - | - | 1 | 1 | 16 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 50 | 109 | 43 | 61 | 15 | 11 | 44 | 29 | 40 | 402 | | | | |

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

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Viet. c. 21, s. 1 | | NAME OF RELIEVING OFFICERS |
|-----------------|--|--|----------------------------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | |
| No. I. | 41 | 100 | William Manning. |
| No. II. | 31 | 84 | Robert Manning. |
| No. III. | 51 | 100 | George Tuka. |
| No. IV. | 17 | 36 | Peter Moran. |
| TOTALS, | 140 | 320 | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 2nd day of January 1866

PRESENT: In the Chair, Andrew Wm Byrne Esq^r

Other Guardians: James Comerford Esq^r & Mr Patrick Keely

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 155 to No. 200 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. 7, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - £225 : 12 : 10

Paid during the week, - - - - - £121 : 3 : 1

And that the Balance on the Account in favor the Guardians was £104 : 9 : 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, | - | - | - | - | - | - | 23 | 19 | .. | - | - | - |
| | .. Lower, | - | - | - | - | - | - | 25 | 11 | 9 | - | - | - |
| | Kilcoole, | - | - | - | - | - | - | 44 | 11 | 10 | - | - | - |
| | Altadore, | - | - | - | - | - | - | 13 | 3 | 7 | - | - | - |
| | Killiskey, | - | - | - | - | - | - | 15 | 10 | 11 | - | - | - |
| | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 122 | 17 | 1 |
| WILLIAM MURPHY, | Glendalough, | - | - | - | - | - | - | 11 | 17 | 5 | - | - | - |
| | Calary, | - | - | - | - | - | - | 11 | 2 | 6 | - | - | - |
| | Brockagh, | - | - | - | - | - | - | 39 | 7 | 8 | - | - | - |
| | Ballycullan, | - | - | - | - | - | - | 15 | 9 | 8 | - | - | - |
| | Oldtown, | - | - | - | - | - | - | 55 | 9 | 6 | - | - | - |
| | Togher, | - | - | - | - | - | - | 23 | 3 | 2 | - | - | - |
| | Moneystown, | - | - | - | - | - | - | 12 | 15 | - | - | - | - |
| | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 149 | 4 | 11 |
| EDWARD BYRNE, | Wicklow, | 76 | 7 | 3 | - | - | - | 270 | 9 | 11 | - | - | - |
| | Glanealy, | 24 | 5 | 7 | - | - | - | 95 | 6 | 1 | - | - | - |
| | | 100 | 12 | 10 | 100 | 12 | 10 | 366 | 6 | - | 366 | 6 | - |
| THOMAS DOUGLAS, | Dunganstown, East, | - | - | - | - | - | - | 19 | 13 | 8 | - | - | - |
| | .. West, | - | - | - | - | - | - | 22 | 9 | 6 | - | - | - |
| | .. South, | - | - | - | - | - | - | 27 | 17 | 2 | - | - | - |
| | .. | - | - | - | - | - | - | 70 | - | 2 | 70 | - | 2 |
| FRANCIS ANNESLEY, | Ennereilly, | - | - | - | - | - | - | 77 | 2 | 11 | - | - | - |
| | Kilbride, | - | - | - | - | - | - | 52 | 5 | - | - | - | - |
| | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 129 | 7 | 11 |
| THOMAS BIRTHISTLE, | Arklow, | 125 | - | - | - | - | - | 465 | 7 | 8 | - | - | - |
| | | 125 | - | - | 125 | - | - | 465 | 7 | 8 | 465 | 7 | 8 |
| WILLIAM LOUGHLIN, | Cronebane, | - | - | - | - | - | - | 44 | 19 | 8 | - | - | - |
| | Ballyarthur, | - | - | - | - | - | - | 86 | 7 | 5 | - | - | - |
| | Ovoca, | - | - | - | - | - | - | 145 | 12 | 6 | - | - | - |
| | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 276 | 19 | 7 |
| WILLIAM SMITH, | Rathdrum, | - | - | - | - | - | - | 208 | 6 | 6 | - | - | - |
| | Knockrath, | - | - | - | - | - | - | 30 | 6 | 9 | - | - | - |
| | Trooperstown, | - | - | - | - | - | - | 33 | 10 | 2 | - | - | - |
| | Ballinderry, | - | - | - | - | - | - | 25 | 8 | 8 | - | - | - |
| | Ballinaclesh, | - | - | - | - | - | - | 109 | 2 | 6 | - | - | - |
| | Ballinacor, | - | - | - | - | - | - | 83 | 1 | - | - | - | - |
| | Aughrim, | - | - | - | - | - | - | 111 | 12 | 8 | - | - | - |
| | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 601 | 8 | 3 |
| | Totals, | | | | | | 225 | 12 | 10 | | 2182 | 1 | 7 |

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

Masters Books 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:

- 2800 White Loaves
- 280 Galls Buttermilk
- 560 " Newmilk
- 62 lbs Butter
- 170 " Meat
- 84 sheep heads
- 14 lbs Potatoe Onions
- 1 Lamp shade

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

| | | | |
|---------------------|----|----|---|
| In Money, | 15 | 10 | 4 |
| In Kind, | - | - | - |
| Total, | 15 | 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, | — |
| 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. |
|----------------|--------------------------------------|----|----|------|
| John Forley | Oatmeal | 16 | 8 | 10 ✓ |
| Thomas Byrne | Bread | 48 | 5 | 1 ✓ |
| Isaac Flower | Chickens | 3 | 17 | 8 ✓ |
| Denis Chase | Straw | 2 | 4 | 3 ✓ |
| Edward Tallon | Shoes | 47 | 6 | 6 ✓ |
| David J. Henry | Supplies Newcastle Disp ^y | 5 | 14 | 11 |

In favour of Clerks to pay

| | | | | |
|---------------|-----------|---|----|-----|
| Mr Turner | Expenses | 1 | 11 | 6 ✓ |
| Isaac Flower | Carriage | | 3 | 2 ✓ |
| Mr Farrell | Repairs | | 6 | ✓ |
| Mr Simpson | " | | 2 | ✓ |
| Mr Jordan | Nails | | 3 | 6 ✓ |
| Mr Daniel | Oil | | 17 | 2 ✓ |
| Mr Jordan | Nails | | 19 | 6 ✓ |
| John Kane | Carriage | | 10 | " |
| Isaac Flower | Law Costs | | 4 | ✓ |
| Peter Johnson | Expenses | | 9 | " |
| | | | 5 | 6 |
| | | | | 3 |

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

Gentlemen

I have to report that on the morning of the 22^d Ultimo a man named John Boswell was brought to the Workhouse at to Aflack having been conveyed in a Covered Car from Arklow, he was in a dying state when admitted and lived but 4 hours, an Inquest was held on the 23^d Ultimo when the following Verdict was returned,

"Died from exposure and Cold owing to the want of some proper Institution in Arklow to receive him, in consequence of which he was obliged to be sent to the Workhouse a distance of 10 miles in a weak and destitute state;

On Monday the 25th Instant a pauper named John Sutton took his discharge, and owing to his Character
~~The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon as follows:~~

I gave the Porter particular directions to bring him to the Bath Room and to be most careful not to allow him to take out any articles but his own clothes, he having stolen some articles of clothing from the Porter previously, and notwithstanding all I said the Porter failed to carry out any directions I had given him; he searched him when leaving and passed him out, failing to discover the following articles of Union property openly on him, viz. Shirt, Vest, Shoes & Stockings. I have repeatedly spoken to the Porter of such like acts without any effect;

Robert Fenwick Esq. your solicitor, has taken proceedings against Mr Joseph Lowry of Glenageary for the maintenance of his four illegitimate children, to be tried at the Wicklow Quarter Sessions on Monday the 8th Instant,

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 Guardians decided upon receiving the supply of Port Wine for Hospital use, for three months from Messrs Dutten & Scott @ 34/- per dozen.

Amey Comford D^{ch}

Wm. Gibbon
Edw. D. King

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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):

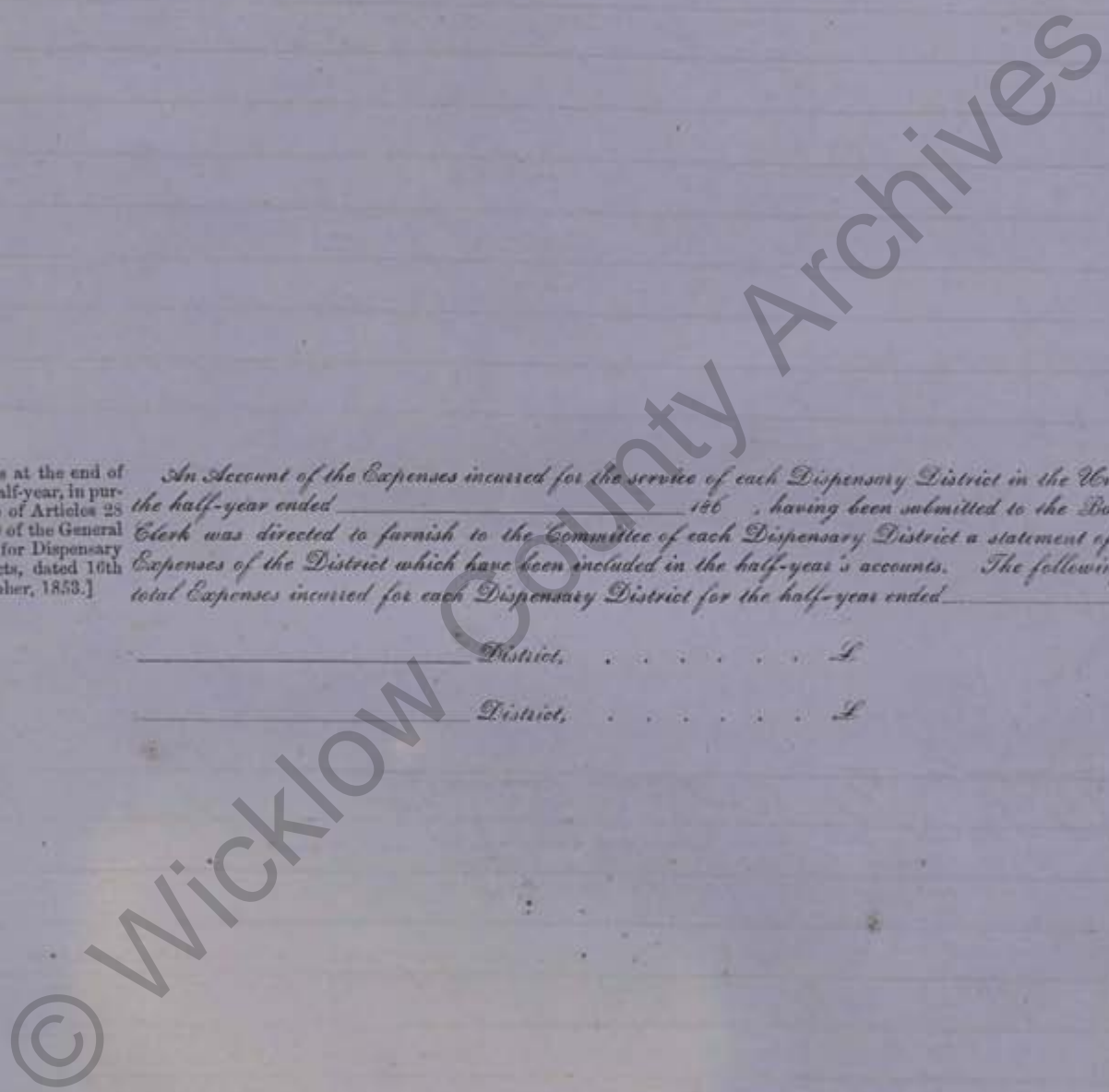
_____ Dispensary District.
Account of No. _____ for _____: Amount £

[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 _____ 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,)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

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RATHDRUM UNION.

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Population in 1861, 43381

Present Net Annual Value, £126539=17-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 6 day of January 1866

| 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 | 403 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | 30 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 823 | 435 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 50 | 109 | 43 | 61 | 15 | 11 | 44 | 29 | 40 | 402 | In Work-house Hospital, | 57 | Inseparate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, | 9 | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 5 | 16 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 5 | 4 | 5 | 7 | 49 | In Fever Hospital, | 30 | | 10 | |
| TOTAL, | | | 55 | 125 | 48 | 62 | 16 | 16 | 48 | 34 | 47 | 451 | Total, | 81 | Total, | 19 | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 5 | 5 | 2 | - | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | 14 | | | | | |
| Died, | | | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 5 | 5 | 3 | - | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | 16 | | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 50 | 120 | 45 | 62 | 15 | 16 | 47 | 34 | 46 | 435 | | | | | |

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

| RELIEF DISTRICT | No. | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 | | NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS |
|-----------------|---------|--|--|-----------------------------|
| | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | |
| | I. | 39 | 96 | William Manning. |
| | II. | 32 | 91 | Robert Manning. |
| | III. | 57 | 97 | George Take. |
| | IV. | 15 | 34 | Peter Moran. |
| | TOTALS. | 137 | 318 | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 9th day of January 1866

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

There was no Board on this day only one guardian (James Comerford Esq^r) being in attendance;

James Comerford D.V.O.

Wm Gilbert
Newry

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

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

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

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

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

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ : :

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

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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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 | Collected and Lodged | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | |
|------------------------|--|-------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|-----------|----|----|-------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| PATRICK FARRELL, | Newcastle Upper, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | „ Lower, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Kilcoole, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Altidore, Killiskey, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| WILLIAM MURPHY, | Glendalough, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Calary, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Brockagh, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Ballycullan, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Oldtown, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Togher, Moneystown, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| EDWARD BYRNE, | Wicklow, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Glanealy, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| THOMAS DOUGLAS, | Dunganstown, East, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | „ West, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | „ South, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| FRANCIS ANNESLEY, | Ennoreilly, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Kilbride, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| THOMAS BIRTHISTLE, | Arklow, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| WILLIAM LOUGHLIN, | Cronebane, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Ballyarthur, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Ovoea, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| WILLIAM SMITH, | 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

| | £ | 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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[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:*

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

Dispensary District.

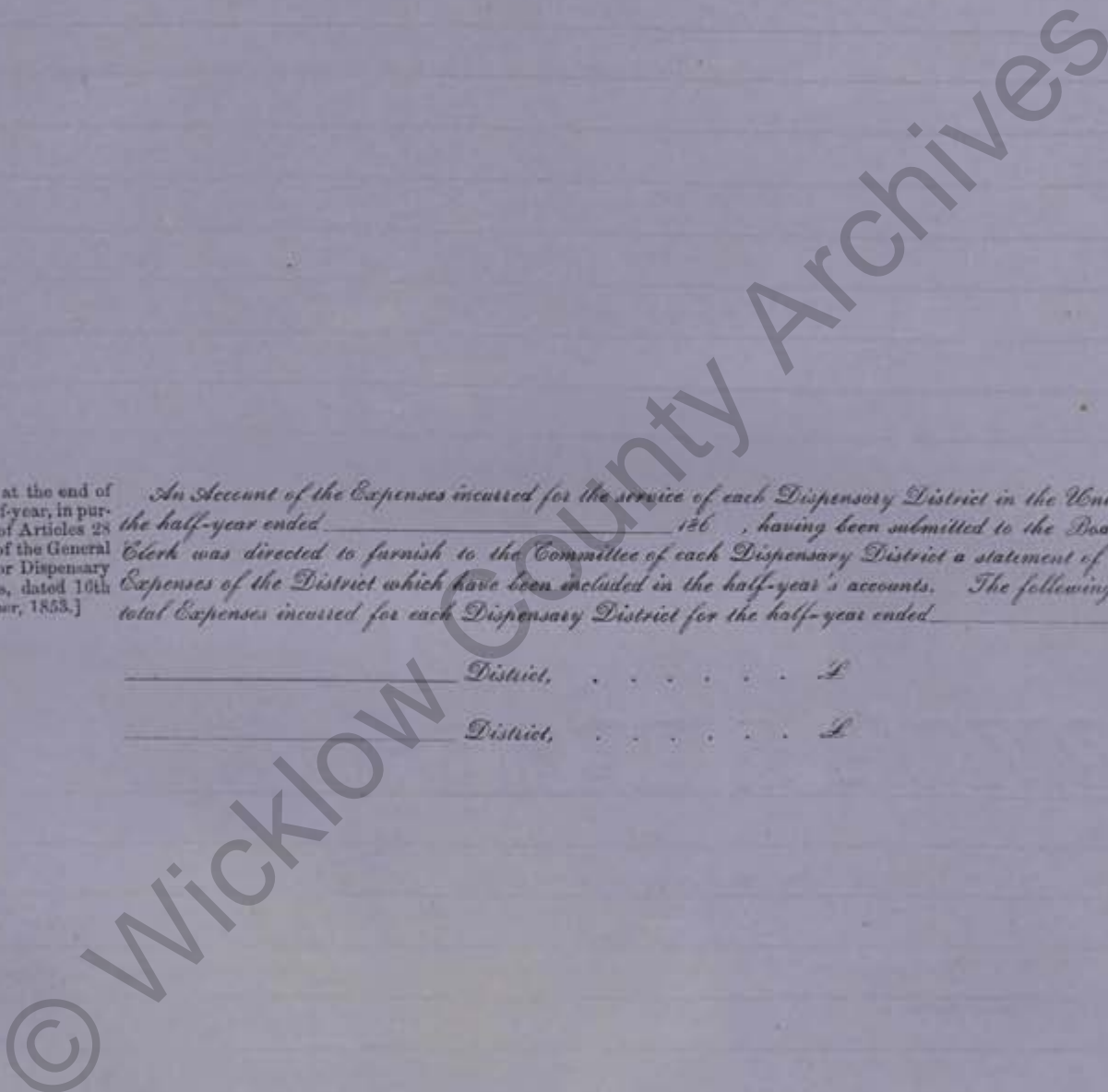
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 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 _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

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, £126 539-17-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 13 day of January 1866

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each building | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 6 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | Total | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|---|---|--|-------------|------------|--|-----------|--|-----------|---|---|------------------------------|------------|--------------------------------------|---|--------------|--|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | |
| Workhouse, | 743 | 392 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | 30 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 823 | 422 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 50 | 120 | 45 | 62 | 15 | 16 | 47 | 34 | 46 | 435 | In Workhouse Hospital, 47 | In separate Wards, 9 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 10 | 4 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 15 | In Fever Hospital, 30 | In Wards with other inmates, 10 | | |
| TOTAL | | | 60 | 124 | 46 | 62 | 15 | 16 | 47 | 34 | 46 | 450 | Total, 77 | Total, 19 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 2 | 9 | 4 | 1 | - | 4 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 27 | | | | |
| Died, | | | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | 1 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 2 | 9 | 4 | 2 | - | 4 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 28 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 58 | 115 | 42 | 60 | 15 | 12 | 45 | 32 | 43 | 422 | | | | |

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

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 | | NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS |
|-----------------|--|--|-----------------------------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | |
| No. I. | 39 | 96 | William Manning. |
| No. II. | 32 | 91 | Robert Manning. |
| No. III. | 52 | 98 | George Take. |
| No. IV. | 14 | 31 | Peter Moran. |
| TOTALS | 137 | 316 | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 16th day of January 1866

PRESENT: In the Chair, James Comerford Esq

Other Guardians:

Messrs Wm Gilbert, Owen Fogarty & Edw P Esq;

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 207 to No. 276 both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £167 : ✓ : -

Laid during the week, - - - - - £215 : ✓ : 1

And that the Balance on the Account in favor the Guardians was £2625 : 6 : 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, | - | - | - | | | | 12 | 18 | - | | | |
| | „ Lower, | - | - | - | | | | 14 | 13 | 9 | | | |
| | Kilcoole, | - | - | - | | | | 11 | 1 | 10 | | | |
| | Altidore, | - | - | - | | | | - | - | - | | | |
| | Killiskey, | - | - | - | | | | 8 | 15 | 11 | | | |
| | | - | - | - | - | - | - | 47 | 9 | 6 | 47 | 9 | 6 |
| WILLIAM MURPHY, | Glendalough, | - | - | - | | | | 2 | 17 | 5 | | | |
| | Calary, | - | - | - | | | | 6 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | Brockagh, | - | - | - | | | | 21 | 7 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballycullan, | - | - | - | | | | 10 | 9 | 8 | | | |
| | Oldtown, | - | - | - | | | | 17 | 9 | 6 | | | |
| | Togher, | - | - | - | | | | 11 | 3 | 2 | | | |
| | Moneystown, | - | - | - | | | | 5 | 15 | - | | | |
| | | - | - | - | - | - | - | 75 | 4 | 11 | 75 | 4 | 11 |
| EDWARD BYRNE, | Wicklow, | - | - | - | | | | 270 | 5 | 11 | | | |
| | Glanealy, | - | - | - | | | | 95 | 16 | 1 | | | |
| | | - | - | - | - | - | - | 366 | 6 | - | 366 | 6 | = |
| THOMAS DOUGLAS, | Dunganstown, East, | - | - | - | | | | 15 | 17 | 8 | | | |
| | „ West, | - | - | - | | | | 13 | 1 | 6 | | | |
| | „ South, | - | - | - | | | | 11 | 18 | - | | | |
| | | - | - | - | - | - | - | 40 | 17 | 2 | 40 | 17 | 2 |
| FRANCIS ANNESLEY, | Ennereilly, | - | - | - | | | | 53 | 13 | 5 | | | |
| | Kilbride, | - | - | - | | | | 35 | 18 | - | | | |
| | | - | - | - | - | - | - | 89 | 11 | 5 | 89 | 11 | 5 |
| THOMAS BIRTHISTLE, | Arklow, | 119 | - | - | | | | 346 | 17 | 8 | | | |
| | | 119 | - | - | - | - | - | 346 | 17 | 8 | 346 | 17 | 8 |
| WILLIAM LOUGHLIN, | Cronebane, | - | - | - | | | | 44 | 19 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballyarthur, | - | - | - | | | | 86 | 7 | 5 | | | |
| | Ovoea, | - | - | - | | | | 145 | 12 | 6 | | | |
| | | - | - | - | - | - | - | 276 | 19 | 7 | 276 | 19 | 7 |
| WILLIAM SMITH, | Rathdrum, | 26 | - | - | | | | 182 | 6 | 6 | | | |
| | Knockrath, | - | - | - | | | | 30 | 6 | 9 | | | |
| | Trooperstown, | - | - | - | | | | 33 | 10 | 2 | | | |
| | Ballinderry, | - | - | - | | | | 25 | 8 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballinaclash, | 22 | - | - | | | | 87 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | Ballinacor, | - | - | - | | | | 83 | 1 | - | | | |
| | Aughrim, | - | - | - | | | | 111 | 12 | 8 | | | |
| | | 48 | - | - | 48 | - | - | 553 | 8 | 3 | 553 | 8 | 3 |
| | Totals, | | | | 167 | - | - | | | | 1796 | 14 | 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 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 £ 66 = 3 s. 9 d.

| | |
|--|-------------|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account, | £ s. d. |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | 66 = 9 = 10 |

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 2/7

Average cost in Infirmary, - - - - - 2/10²

Average cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 5/4

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:

- | | |
|----------------------|----------------------|
| 3000 White Loaves | 2 Bannets Fine |
| 10 Cwt Oatmeal | 3 Cwt Salt |
| 260 Galls Buttermilk | 1 Rope for Laundry |
| 590 " Newmilk | 4/6 Books for Church |
| 12 lbs Butter | |
| 400 " Meat | |
| 84 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 general 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 January whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

| | |
|---------------------|-------------|
| In Money, - - - - - | £ s. d. |
| In Kind, - - - - - | 15 = 3 = 10 |
| Total. - - - - - | 15 = 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, - - - - | |
| No. II. | Robert Manning, - - - - | |
| No. III. | George Tuke, - - - - | 15 |
| No. IV. | Peter Moran, - - - - | 10 |
| 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. |
|-----------------------------|---|-----|----|------|
| James Sheridan | Maint ^{ce} of Deaf mute | 5 | - | - |
| Eliza th Telford | Maint ^{ce} of Blind Girl | 5 | - | - |
| Denis Phare | Straw | 3 | 4 | 10 ✓ |
| Cha ^s Kavanaugh | Newmilk | 118 | 17 | 5 ✓ |
| In favor of Clerk to pay | | | | |
| Isaac Flower | Expenses to Qu ^{er} Scoop ^s | 1 | 4 | ✓ |
| do | Repairs | | 1 | 6 ✓ |
| do | Chickens | | 17 | ✓ |
| Bo Manning | Saw Cuts | 1 | 4 | 6 ✓ |
| Mr Giffney | Coffins | 1 | " | " ✓ |
| | | 4 | 7 | " |
| Abauk | Postage | 1 | 8 | 8 |

400

£ s. d.

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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:

Gentlemen

I have to report that I attended for four days at Quarter Sessions held in Wicklow on last week in the Case of Joseph Sewley for the maintenance of his illegitimate children; The process was dismissed without prejudice owing to an omission in the Affidavit.

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 1 Dated the 2nd Instant from the Poor Law Commissioners calling on the Clerk for a Return of the Rates made and any new Rates agreed upon in the Union during the month of Decem-

ber Letter No 281 Dated the 8th Instant from the Poor Law Commissioners requesting to be informed what order was made by the Guardians on that portion of the Report of the Master of the Workhouse relating to the Porter's neglect of duty;

The Master informed the Board that the Porter followed Sutton and obtained the articles from him; The Board reprimanded the Porter and informed him that he must be more careful in future to search the paupers;

Letter No 281 Dated the 8th Instant from the Poor Law Commissioners requesting to be informed by whom the man Borwell; (into the cause of whose death a coroner's inquest was recently held at the Workhouse,) was sent from Arklow to the Workhouse and whether any

application for relief was made on his behalf to the Relieving Officer of the District, who would have been justified in procuring a lodging for him if the case was one of urgent necessity;

The Relieving officer states that no application was made to him on behalf of this man, it appears that he was forwarded to the Workhouse by the Police, by the orders of D^r Strange who hired the Car;

Circular No 4 - M/ Dated the 12th Instant from the Poor Law Commissioners relating to the General Election of Guardians, & containing instructions for the guidance of the Clerk of the Union in conducting the Elections which are to take place in March next;

Circular Dated the 2nd Instant from the General Valuation Office informing the Guardians that Mr John Farmer has been appointed to make the Annual Revision of the Valuation of this Union

Read Letter from Mr James Cartenay contractor for the supply of Bread with reference to a complaint from the Master of the Workhouse of the inferior quality of the Bread at present supplied, Mr Cartenay stated that the Bread was manufactured from the best materials and his Clerk attended before the Board to give an explanation;

The Guardians examined the Bread and referred to Mr Cartenays Tender, from which it appeared he was bound to supply the Best Bread, the Guardians were unanimous in deciding that the Bread was not in accordance with Mr Cartenays Tender, and told his clerk that in future the Bread should be of the best quality;

Mr. Gilbert Chalmers
Mr. Cartenay
James Cartenay

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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 16th day of January 1866,—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 Officers of the Rathdrum and
Dispensary Districts 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:

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

Dispensary District.

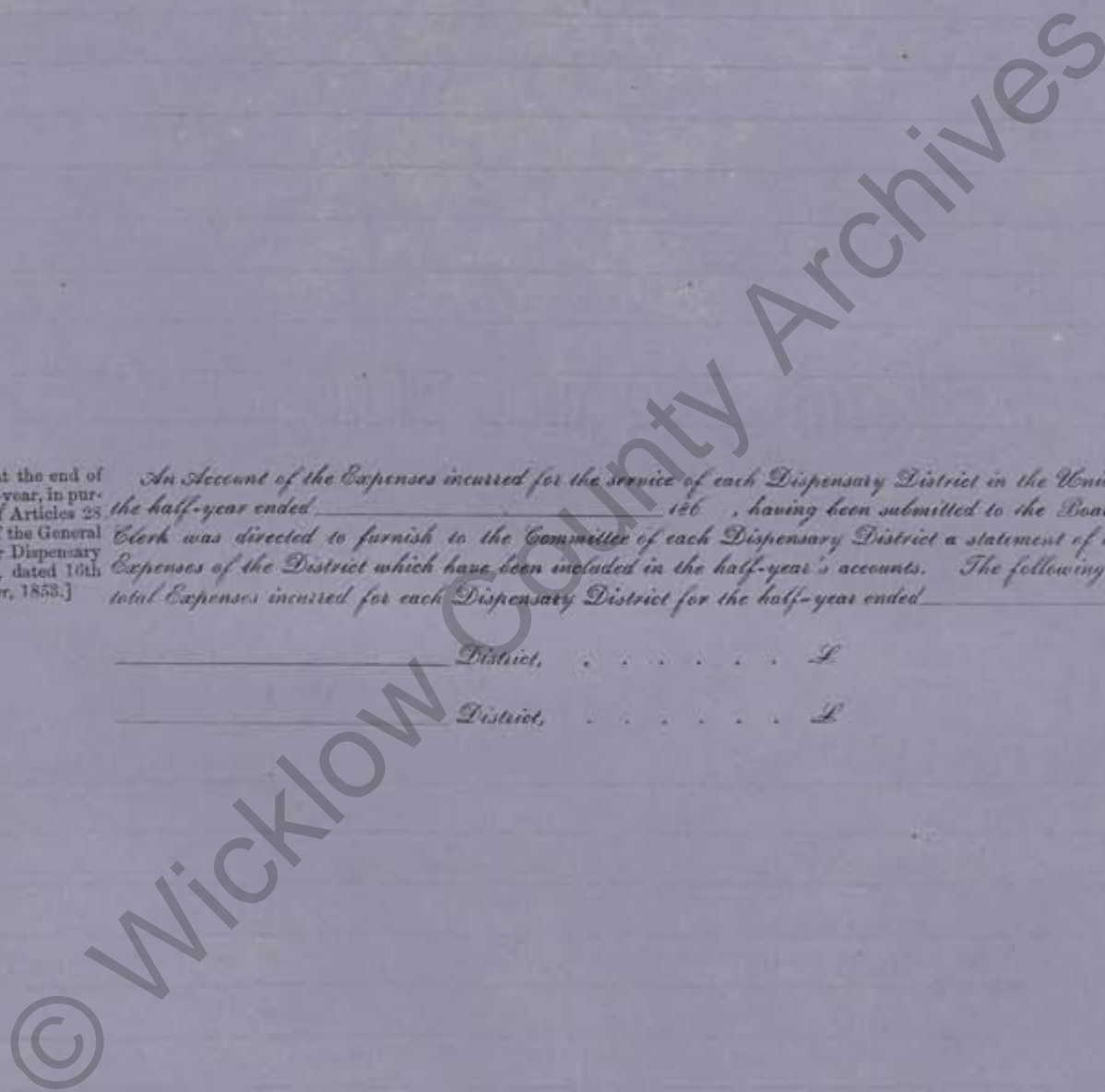
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 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.)

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The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Sickness 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 Wm Law Bestall Esq^r dated 6 Instant
~~stating that~~ Secy Dungsⁿ Disp^y Com^{tee}

stating that Doctor Samuel R S Manning had been appointed to do duty for Doctor Sherwood who has obtained leave of absence for one month in consequence of ill health,

Resolved that the appointment of Dr Samuel R S Manning as temporary Medical officer of Dungsantown Dispensary District in the place of Dr Sherwood, on sick leave, be approved for one month, and that he shall be remunerated at the rate of £80 per annum

Wm Gillbert Chairman
Dungsantown

(Signed)

A. Albarr

Clerk of the Union

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RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1861, 43 381

Present Net Annual Value, £ 126 5 39 = 17 = 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 20 day of January 1866

| 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 2 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 | 743 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | 80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | 9 | 9 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 823 | 823 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | 58 115 | 42 | 60 | 15 | 12 | 45 | 32 | 43 | 422 | | | In Work-house Hospital, 37 | In separate Wards, 9 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | 9 | 16 | 7 | 3 | - | - | 3 | - | 6 | 44 | | In Fever Hospital, 9 | In Wards with other inmates, 10 | | |
| TOTAL, | | 67 | 131 | 49 | 63 | 15 | 12 | 48 | 32 | 49 | 466 | | Total, 46 | Total, 19 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | 17 | 5 | - | - | 1 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 6 | 48 | | | | | |
| Died, | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | 17 | 5 | - | - | 1 | 4 | 4 | 1 | 6 | 48 | | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | 50 | 116 | 49 | 63 | 14 | 8 | 44 | 31 | 43 | 418 | | | | | |

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

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 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. | 43 | 107 | William Manning. |
| No. II. | 32 | 84 | Robert Manning. |
| No. III. | 50 | 95 | George Take. |
| No. IV. | 13 | 30 | Peter Moran. |
| TOTALS. | 138 | 317 | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 23 day of January 1866

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Wm Gilbert Esq*
 Other Guardians: *messrs Joseph Leviston and James Fleming;*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 277 to No. 296 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. 5 to No. 5, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £129 : 2 : 11

Paid during the week, £ 96 : - : 1

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £2658 : 6 : 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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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 | Collected and Lodged | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | |
|------------------------|--|-------------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|-----------|----|----|-------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| PATRICK FARRELL, | Newcastle Upper, | | | | | | | 12 | 18 | - | | | |
| | .. Lower, | | | | | | | 14 | 13 | 9 | | | |
| | Kilcoole, | | | | | | | 11 | 1 | 10 | | | |
| | Altidore, | | | | | | | - | - | - | | | |
| | Killiskey, | | | | | | | 8 | 15 | 11 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 47 | 9 | 6 | 47 | 9 | 6 |
| WILLIAM MURPHY, | Glendalough, | | | | | | | 2 | 17 | 5 | | | |
| | Calary, | | | | | | | 6 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | Brockagh, | | | | | | | 21 | 7 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballycullan, | | | | | | | 10 | 9 | 8 | | | |
| | Oldtown, | | | | | | | 17 | 9 | 6 | | | |
| | Togher, | | | | | | | 11 | 3 | 2 | | | |
| | Moneytown, | | | | | | | 5 | 15 | - | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 75 | 4 | 11 | 75 | 4 | 11 |
| EDWARD BYRNE, | Wicklow, | 46 | 3 | 6 | | | | 22 | 4 | 6 | 5 | | |
| | Glanealy, | | | | | | | 9 | 5 | 16 | 1 | | |
| | | 46 | 3 | 6 | | | | 320 | 2 | 6 | 320 | 2 | 6 |
| THOMAS DOUGLAS, | Dunganstown, East, | 15 | 17 | 5 | | | | | | 3 | | | |
| | .. West, | | | | | | | 13 | 1 | 6 | | | |
| | .. South, | | | | | | | 11 | 18 | - | | | |
| | | 15 | 17 | 5 | 15 | 17 | 5 | 24 | 19 | 9 | 24 | 19 | 9 |
| FRANCIS ANNESLEY, | Ennreilly, | | | | | | | 53 | 13 | 5 | | | |
| | Kilbride, | | | | | | | 35 | 18 | - | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 89 | 11 | 5 | 89 | 11 | 5 |
| THOMAS BIRTHISTLE, | Arklow, | | | | | | | 346 | 17 | 8 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 346 | 17 | 8 | 346 | 17 | 8 |
| WILLIAM LOUGHLIN, | Cronebane, | 6 | | | | | | 38 | 19 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballyarthur, | 7 | | | | | | 79 | 7 | 5 | | | |
| | Ovoea, | 14 | | | | | | 131 | 12 | 6 | | | |
| | | 27 | - | - | | | | 249 | 19 | 7 | 249 | 19 | 7 |
| WILLIAM SMITH, | Rathdrum, | 27 | | | | | | 155 | 6 | 6 | | | |
| | Knockrath, | 3 | | | | | | 27 | 6 | 9 | | | |
| | Trooperstown, | | | | | | | 33 | 10 | 2 | | | |
| | Ballinderry, | 10 | | | | | | 15 | 8 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballinaclash, | | | | | | | 87 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | Ballinaeor, | | | | | | | 83 | 1 | - | | | |
| | Aughrim, | | | | | | | 111 | 12 | 8 | | | |
| | | 40 | - | - | 40 | - | - | 573 | 8 | 3 | 573 | 8 | 3 |
| | Totals, | | | | 129 | - | - | | | | 1667 | 13 | 7 |

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

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

The 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 £ 7/4 - 14 s. 10 d.

| | £ | s. | d. |
|--|-----|----|----|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account, | | | |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | 57 | 9 | 2 |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account, | | | |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | 2/6 | | |
| Average cost in Infirmary, | 2/9 | | |
| 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:

| | |
|----------------------|-------------------------|
| 1500 White Loaves | 48 Pint Jins |
| 150 lbs Meat | 48 Quart " |
| 48 Sheep heads | 12 small Measures |
| 160 Galls Buttermilk | 1 Lump |
| 290 " Newmilk | 36 Nurses Jins |
| 6 lbs Butter | 24 scrubbing brushes |
| 6 cwt Rice | 24 Bass do |
| 6 Oz Porter | 6 Limers |
| 15 cwt Oatmeal | 4 small Bunches |
| 6 Nippers | 1 Grate, 12 Shoe Knives |
| 1/2 doz Awl blades | 1 Wide Pent Leather |

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

| | |
|-----------------------|------------|
| In Money, - | 15 - 9 - 4 |
| In Kind, - | - - - |
| Total, - | 15 - 9 - 4 |

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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. | | 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. | |
|---------------------------|------------------|----|----|----|---|
| John Darcy | Soap Candles etc | 18 | 12 | 11 | ✓ |
| Eliza Payne | Meat | 76 | 15 | 9 | ✓ |
| Anne Fanell | Buttermilk | 18 | 17 | 4 | ✓ |
| In favour of Clerk to pay | | | | | |
| Isaac Flower | Chickens | 14 | = | | ✓ |
| Wm Bryan | Repairs | 8 | 6 | | ✓ |
| Robert Burtwell | Saw Cuts | 1 | 5 | = | ✓ |
| | | 2 | 7 | 6 | |

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

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

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

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

Letter No 1650 Dated the 20th Inst from the Poor Law Commissioners informing the Guardians that they have received a communication from Thomas Hand, the late Porter of the Workhouse, in which he states that certain persons were discharged from the Workhouse on the 24th of December 1864, but were retained on the Masters Books and charged for by him up to the 26th of that month; The Commission^rs request to be furnished with the observations of the Board of Guardians on the subject,

In reference to the statement of the late Porter the Master of the Workhouse stated that the time referred to is so far back that he has not the slightest recollection of the parties in question, and if such an occurrence ever took place it must have been a Clerical error;

The Board think that after the lapse of 13 months no credit can be given to the late Porters statement, which, if true, should

have been made at the time the account is alleged to have taken place, it moreover seems to be now made in a vindictive spirit, the Guardians are therefore quite satisfied with the Masters explanation. —

The Clerk laid before the Board the Ledger and Abstracts of the Union Accounts for the half year ended the 29th of September last as audited by R. Simms Esq. Auditor on the 18th & 19th Instant. The Abstracts were signed by the Chairman.

James Mansford J. W. M.
 Wm. Gilbert
 John Weston

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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.

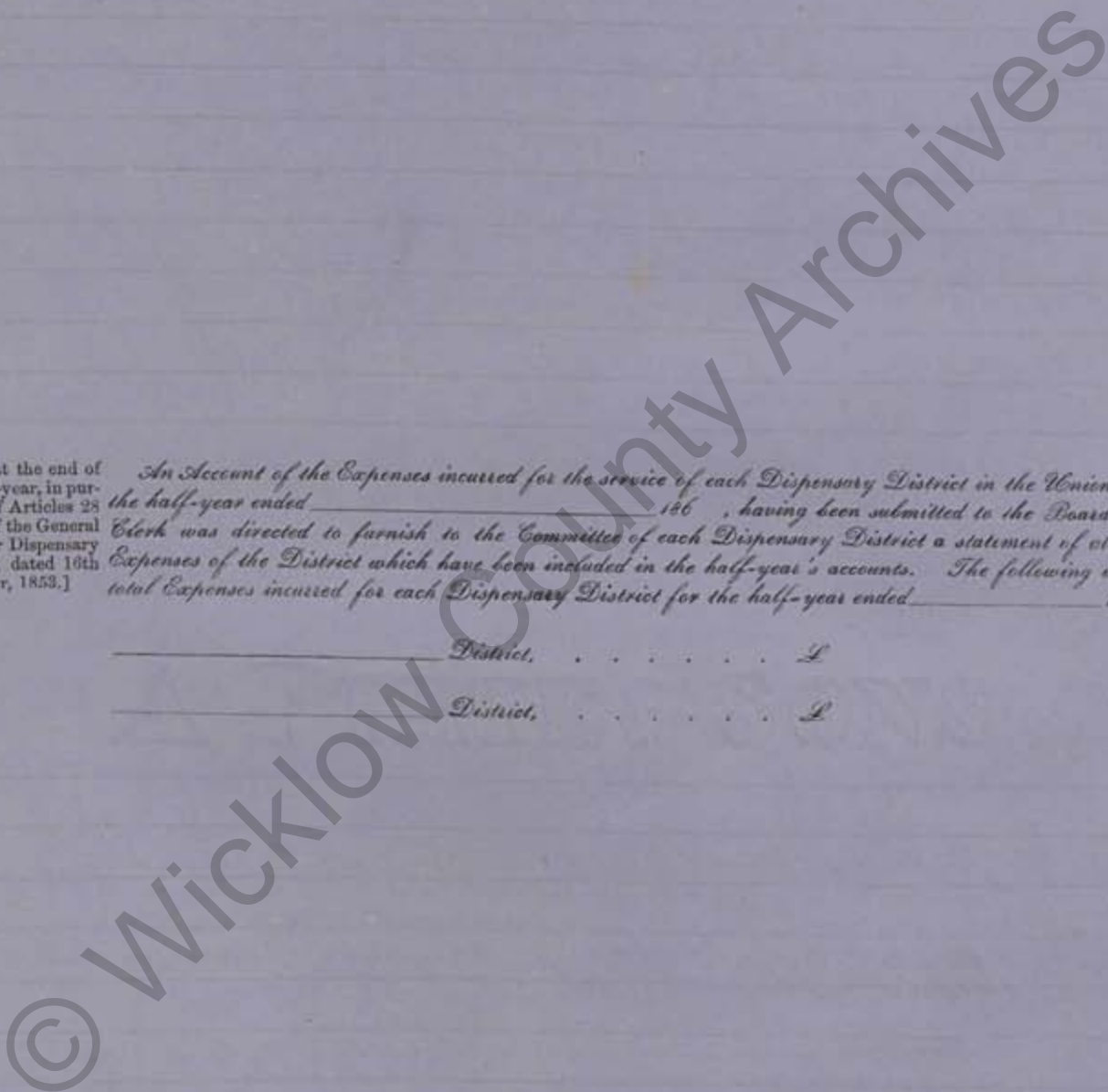
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

[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, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Recd Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that _____

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RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1861, 43381

Present Net Annual Value, £126539 2/17=0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of January 1866

| 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, . . . | 743 | 411 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, . . . | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, . . . | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | 9 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, . . . | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, . . . | 823 | 420 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 50 | 116 | 49 | 63 | 14 | 8 | 44 | 31 | 43 | 418 | In Work-house Hospital, 46 | In separate Wards, 9 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 10 | 8 | 2 | - | 2 | 2 | 3 | - | 3 | 30 | In Fever Hospital, 9 | In Wards with other inmates, 10 | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 60 | 124 | 51 | 63 | 16 | 10 | 47 | 31 | 46 | 448 | Total, 55 | Total, 19 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 10 | 8 | 2 | - | - | 1 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 28 | | | | |
| Died, | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 10 | 8 | 2 | - | - | 1 | 2 | 1 | 4 | 28 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 50 | 116 | 49 | 63 | 16 | 9 | 45 | 30 | 42 | 420 | | | | |

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

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 | | NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS |
|-----------------|--|--|-----------------------------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | |
| No. I. | 45 | 109 | William Manning. |
| No. II. | 30 | 78 | Robert Manning. |
| No. III. | 50 | 195 | George Tuke. |
| No. IV. | 13 | 25 | Peter Moran. |
| TOTALS. | 138 | 317 | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 30th day of January 1866

PRESENT: In the Chair, James Comerford Esq
 Other Guardians: Messrs Wm Gilbert & John Acton

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 297 to No. 350 both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 1 to No. 10, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £256 : 15 : 11

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 43 : 12 : 5

And that the Balance on the Account in favor the Guardians was £2871 : + : 10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

| Name of each Collector | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts | Collected and Lodged | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | |
|------------------------|---|----------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|-----------|----|----|-------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| PATRICK FARRELL, | Newcastle Upper, | 11 | 8 | 11 | | | | 1 | 9 | 1 | | | |
| | .. Lower, | 14 | 13 | 9 | | | | - | - | - | | | |
| | Kilcoole, | 11 | 1 | 10 | | | | - | - | - | | | |
| | Altidore, | - | - | - | | | | - | - | - | | | |
| | Killiskey, | 8 | 15 | 11 | | | | - | - | - | | | |
| | | 46 | - | 5 | 46 | - | 5 | 1 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 1 |
| WILLIAM MURPHY, | Glendalough, | | | | | | | 2 | 17 | 5 | | | |
| | Calary, | | | | | | | 6 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | Brockagh, | | | | | | | 21 | 7 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballycullan, | | | | | | | 10 | 9 | 8 | | | |
| | Oldtown, | | | | | | | 17 | 9 | 6 | | | |
| | Togher, | | | | | | | 11 | 3 | 2 | | | |
| | Moneytown, | | | | | | | 5 | 15 | - | | | |
| | | - | - | - | - | - | - | 75 | 4 | 11 | 75 | 4 | 11 |
| EDWARD BYRNE, | Wicklow, | | | | | | | 224 | 6 | 5 | | | |
| | Glanealy, | 26 | 17 | - | | | | 68 | 19 | 1 | | | |
| | | 26 | 17 | - | 26 | 17 | - | 293 | 5 | 6 | 293 | 5 | 6 |
| THOMAS DOUGLAS, | Dunganstown, East, | | | | | | | | | 3 | | | |
| | .. West, | 13 | 1 | 6 | | | | - | - | - | | | |
| | .. South, | 11 | 18 | - | | | | - | - | - | | | |
| | | 24 | 9 | 6 | 24 | 9 | 6 | - | - | 3 | - | - | 3 |
| FRANCIS ANNESLEY, | Ennerelly, | 29 | 12 | 6 | | | | 24 | - | 11 | | | |
| | Kilbride, | 29 | 6 | 6 | | | | 6 | 11 | 6 | | | |
| | | 58 | 19 | - | 58 | 19 | - | 30 | 12 | 5 | 30 | 12 | 5 |
| THOMAS BIRTHISTLE, | Arklow, | | | | | | | 346 | 17 | 8 | 346 | 17 | 8 |
| WILLIAM LOUGHLIN, | Cronebane, | | | | | | | 38 | 19 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballyarthur, | | | | | | | 79 | 7 | 5 | | | |
| | Ovoea, | | | | | | | 131 | 12 | 6 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 249 | 19 | 7 | 249 | 19 | 7 |
| WILLIAM SMITH, | Rathdrum, | 14 | - | - | | | | 14 | 1 | 6 | | | |
| | Knockrath, | 6 | - | - | | | | 21 | 6 | 9 | | | |
| | Trooperstown, | 4 | - | - | | | | 29 | 10 | 2 | | | |
| | Ballinderry, | 3 | - | - | | | | 12 | 8 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballinaclash, | 10 | - | - | | | | 77 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | Ballinacor, | 13 | - | - | | | | 70 | 1 | - | | | |
| | Aughrim, | 50 | - | - | | | | 61 | 12 | 8 | | | |
| | | 100 | - | - | 100 | - | - | 413 | 8 | 3 | 413 | 8 | 3 |
| | Totals, | | | | 256 | 15 | 11 | | | | 410 | 17 | 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.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 52 - 4 s. 9 d.

| | £ | s. | d. |
|--|----|----|----|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account, | | | |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | 52 | 4 | 6 |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account, | | | |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | 2 | 1 | 6 |
| Average cost in Infirmary, | 2 | 1 | 8 |
| Average cost in Fever Hospital, | 4 | 1 | 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:

| | |
|----------------------|------------------|
| 1500 White Loaves | 12 Stone Buckets |
| 150 lbs meat | 50 yds Frize |
| 48 sheep heads | 150 " Calico |
| 160 Galls Buttermilk | 50 " Tweed |
| 280 " 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:

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

| | £ | s. | d. |
|---------------------|----|----|----|
| In Money, | 15 | 4 | 4 |
| In Kind, | - | - | - |
| Total. | 15 | 4 | 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 Tuko, - - - - | 15 | | |
| 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. |
|-----------------|------------------|----|----|----|
| Patrick Farrell | Collecting Rates | | | |
| | Newcastle Upper | 4 | 13 | 8 |
| | " Lower | 6 | 16 | 10 |
| | Stilwell | 6 | 7 | 11 |
| | Altmore | 1 | 6 | 4 |
| | Killiskerry | 2 | 14 | 3 |
| | | 21 | 19 | " |
| Thomas Dunne | Collecting Rates | | | |
| | Dunganstown E | 6 | 5 | 10 |
| | " W | 6 | 12 | 9 |
| | " S | 7 | 14 | 11 |
| | | 20 | 13 | 6 |
| Doctor Sherwood | Vaccination Fees | 6 | 9 | - |
| William Giffney | Coffins | 2 | 15 | - |
| John W. Luke | Coal Orders | 2 | 2 | - |

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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):

Letter No 1521 Dated the 24th Inst from the Poor Law Commissioners enclosing the Returning Officers Account of expenses attending an election for the Office of Guardian for the New Electoral Division in August last, which has been examined and directed by the Commissioners to be paid;

Read Circular Dated the 22nd Instant from the Guardians of the Oldcastle Union enclosing Copy of Resolutions passed by them at their meeting on the 22nd relating to the Cattle Plague, & requesting the Co-operation of the various Boards of Guardians in Ireland, with a view to provide means to compensate owners of stock in any place where the Plague may break out;

Read Circular Dated the 26th Instant from the Railway Reform Committee inviting the Guardians to contribute to the fund now being raised to meet the expenses incurred by

the Committee in the movement which they have organized for the good of the Country;

Ordered that the Clerk shall call a special meeting of the Guardians for this day fortnight to consider the above Circulars;

James Comerford J.P.

Wm. Gibbons

Patrick Kelly

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
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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:*

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

Dispensary District,

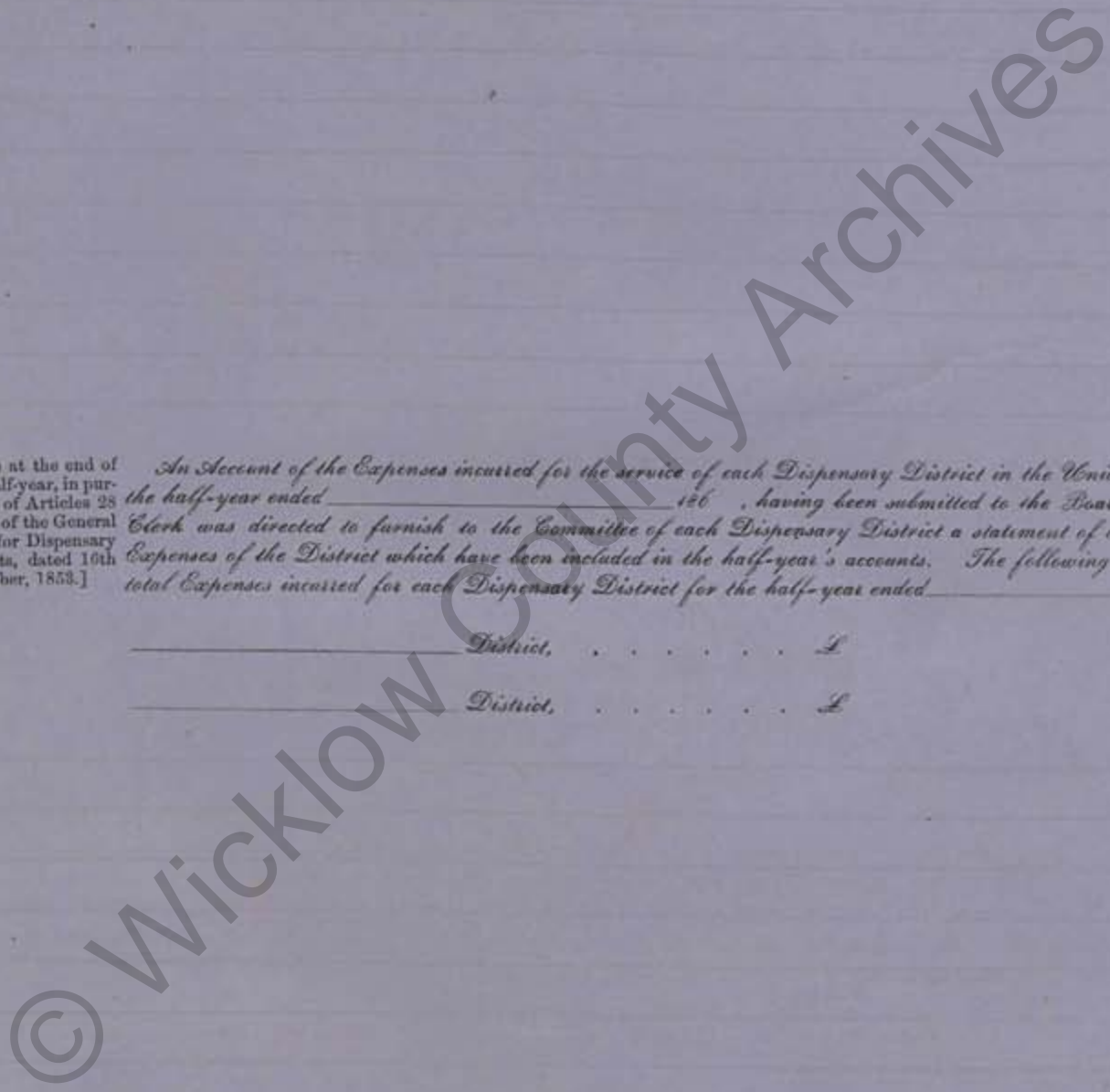
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 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 _____

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RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1861, 43 381

Present Net Annual Value, £ 126 539 = 17.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 3rd day of February 1866

| 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, | 742 | 410 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | 17 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 823 | 427 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 50 | 116 | 49 | 63 | 16 | 9 | 45 | 3 | 72 | 420 | In Work-house Hospital, 56 | In separate Wards, 9 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 16 | 11 | 3 | - | - | 2 | 1 | 3 | 5 | 41 | In Fever Hospital, 17 | In Wards with other inmates, 10 | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 66 | 127 | 52 | 63 | 16 | 11 | 46 | 33 | 47 | 461 | Total, 73 | Total, 19 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 7 | 13 | - | - | - | 2 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 31 | | | | |
| Died, | | | - | - | 3 | - | - | - | - | - | - | 3 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 7 | 13 | 3 | - | - | 2 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 34 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 59 | 114 | 49 | 63 | 14 | 10 | 44 | 30 | 44 | 427 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 3rd day of February authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 | | NAME OF RELIEVING OFFICERS |
|-----------------|--|--|----------------------------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | |
| No. I. | 47 | 117 | William Manning. |
| No. II. | 31 | 85 | Robert Manning. |
| No. III. | 50 | 112 | George Take. |
| No. IV. | 13 | 25 | Peter Moran. |
| TOTAL. | 141 | 339 | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 6th day of February 1866

PRESENT: In the Chair, James Comerford Esq^r

Other Guardians: Messrs George Manning, Matthew Jones, Wm Gilbert, Owen Fogarty, Richard Johnson, John Chapman, Silvester Benoit & Pat^r Keely.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 357 to No. 377 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,

Said during the week, £ 76 : 4 : 3

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 219 : 11 : 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

| Name of each Collector | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts | Collected and Lodged | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | |
|------------------------|---|----------------------|----|----|-------|----|-----|-----------|----|-----|-------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| PATRICK FARRELL, | Newcastle Upper, | | | | | | | 1 | 9 | 1 | | | |
| | „ Lower, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Kilcoole, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Altidore, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Killiskey, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 1 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 1 |
| WILLIAM MURPHY, | Glendalough, | | | | | | | 2 | 17 | 5 | | | |
| | Calary, | | | | | | | 6 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | Broekagh, | | | | | | | 21 | 7 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballycullan, | | | | | | | 10 | 9 | 8 | | | |
| | Oldtown, | | | | | | | 17 | 9 | 6 | | | |
| | Togher, | | | | | | | 11 | 3 | 2 | | | |
| | Moneystown, | | | | | | | 5 | 15 | - | | | |
| | | | | | | | 75 | 4 | 11 | 75 | 4 | 11 | |
| EDWARD BYRNE, | Wicklow, | 30 | 13 | 4 | | | | 19 | 3 | 13 | 1 | | |
| | Glanealy, | | | | | | | 68 | 19 | 1 | | | |
| | | 30 | 13 | 4 | 30 | 13 | 4 | 262 | 12 | 2 | 262 | 12 | 2 |
| THOMAS DOUGLAS, | Dunganstown, East, | | | 3 | | | | | | | | | |
| | „ West, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | „ South, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | 3 | | | 3 | | | | | | |
| FRANCIS ANNESLEY, | Ennereilly, | 16 | 3 | 4 | | | | 7 | 7 | 7 | | | |
| | Kilbride, | 6 | 11 | 1 | | | | | | 5 | | | |
| | | 22 | 14 | 5 | 22 | 14 | 5 | 7 | 18 | - | 7 | 18 | - |
| THOMAS BIRTHISTLE, | Arklow, | | | | | | | 346 | 17 | 8 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 346 | 17 | 8 | 346 | 17 | 8 |
| WILLIAM LOUGHLIN, | Cronebane, | | | | | | | 38 | 19 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballyarthur, | | | | | | | 79 | 7 | 5 | | | |
| | Ovoea, | | | | | | | 131 | 12 | 6 | | | |
| | | | | | | | 249 | 19 | 7 | 249 | 19 | 7 | |
| WILLIAM SMITH, | Rathdrum, | 7 | - | - | | | | 134 | 6 | 6 | | | |
| | Knoekrath, | | | | | | | 21 | 6 | 9 | | | |
| | Trooperstown, | 9 | 16 | 3 | | | | 19 | 14 | 11 | | | |
| | Ballinderry, | | | | | | | 22 | 8 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballinaclash, | | | | | | | 77 | 2 | 6 | | | |
| | Ballinaeor, | 6 | - | - | | | | 54 | 1 | - | | | |
| | Aughrim, | | | | | | | 61 | 12 | 8 | | | |
| | | 22 | 16 | 3 | 22 | 16 | 3 | 390 | 12 | - | 390 | 12 | - |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Totals, | | | | 76 | 4 | 3 | | | | 1334 | 13 | 5 |

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £36 s. 12 d.

| | £ | s. | d. |
|--|----|----|----|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account, | 36 | 12 | 0 |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | 56 | 12 | 7 |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account, | | | |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | 2 | 1 | 6 |
| Average cost in Infirmary, | 2 | 9 | 4 |
| Average cost in Fever Hospital, | 4 | 8 | 0 |

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 White Loaves | 1/2 Lard | Black Combs |
| 150 lbs meat | 1/2 " | File do |
| 48 sheep heads | 500 Needles | |
| 160 Galls Buttermilk | 12 lbs Thread | |
| 280 " Newmilk | 200 yds sheeting Calico | |
| 6 lbs Butter | 50 small Rugs | |
| 6 1 gal Cans | 20 pair men's shoes | |
| 6 2 gal do | | |
| 6 2ew Canisters | | |
| 4 doz. Port Wine | | |
| 2 Galls Whiskey | | |

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several 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 3 day of February whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

| | | | |
|-----------------------|------|-------|-------|
| In Money, - | £ 15 | s. 13 | d. 10 |
| In Kind, - | - | - | - |
| Total, - | 15 | 13 | 10 |

Credit each Believing Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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 Take, - - - - | | | |
| 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. | |
|----------------------------------|-----------|---------------------|-----|----|----|---|
| <i>In favour of Clerk to pay</i> | | | | | | |
| George Duke | | Conveyance | 1 | 12 | - | |
| John Johnson | Newbridge | Carriage | | 8 | 4 | |
| Alibank | | Expenses to Wicklow | | 7 | - | |
| A. Gordon | Newbridge | Sweeping brush | | 2 | - | |
| J. Flower | | Furniture | | 2 | 6 | ✓ |
| Mrs. H. Galbraith | | Books | | 6 | - | ✓ |
| Wm. Ryan | | Repairs | | 1 | - | ✓ |
| David Farrell | | Do | 1 | - | 6 | ✓ |
| Do | Northdown | Do | | 9 | - | ✓ |
| John Farrell | | Combs | 1 | 5 | 10 | ✓ |
| David Atkinson | | Witness | | 12 | - | ✓ |
| | | | 6 | 6 | 2 | |
| | | | | | | |
| James Fontenay | | Bread | 114 | 1 | 3 | ✓ |
| John Foley | | Oatmeal | 21 | 9 | 2 | ✓ |
| Denis Chace | | Stew | 3 | 15 | - | ✓ |
| John Kilfoy | | Making clothes | 6 | 7 | - | ✓ |
| James Byrne | | Repairs | 3 | 1 | - | ✓ |
| John Farrell | | clothing | 58 | 5 | 8 | ✓ |
| Andrew Belton | | Income | 7 | 4 | 6 | ✓ |

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

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

Gentlemen

I have to report that a pauper inmate named Thomas Finn admitted on the 2nd Instant labouring under delirium tremens attempted to cut his throat this morning with a knife, he gave himself a large gash but has not injured any of the arteries or ~~veins~~ pipe.

One of the brick arches of the Female Ward requires to be rebuilt, there is also some plastering required to be done in the Hospital

Ordered to be done

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

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

Circular No 1888/66/M/ Dated the 30th Ultimo from the Poor Law Commissioners transmitting for the information of the Board of Guardians a Copy of an Order in Council on the subject of the Cattle Plague and, requesting the Guardians to have the goodness to take the matter into their consideration,

Letter No 18-66-M- Dated the 31st Ultimo requesting the Clerk to forward to the Poor Law Commission Office a Return of the Expenses under the Medical Charities Act for the year ended the 29th of September 1865,

Circular No 16-M 66 Dated the 1st Instant from the Poor Law Commissioners calling on the Clerk for a Return of the Rates made and any new Rates agreed upon in the Union during the month of January,

Letter No 1688 Dated the 3rd Instant from the Poor Law Commissioners enclosing for the information of the Board of Guardians a copy of a letter which the Commissioners have addressed to Thomas Stave the

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late Order of the Workhouse, relative to the charge preferred by him against the master of the Workhouse, in which the Commissioners state that from the explanation of the Master and the Resolution passed by the Guardians expressing themselves quite satisfied with such explanation, and also considering that the Complaint was not made for thirteen months after the alleged irregularity, the Order having in the mean time been removed for misconduct, the Commissioners do not think it necessary to take any further steps in the matter;

Read Letter Dated the 5th Instant from the Commissioners of Valuation enclosing the Abstract of the Valuation of the several Electoral Divisions in the Union, as completed for the present year

Read Letters from the Board of Guardians of the Athy, Carlow & Clones Unions in reference to the Cattle Plague and requesting the Board of Guardians of this Union to take the matter into their Consideration

In consequence of the High Sheriff calling a Meeting of the Magistrates and Landholders at Mellow on Tuesday March 4 to consider the best steps to be taken with reference to the Cattle Plague, the Meeting of the Guardians for the purpose to be held on the same day is postponed

And J. Byrne
Chairman

Patrick Kelly
Sec. Driftna

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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 Officers 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.

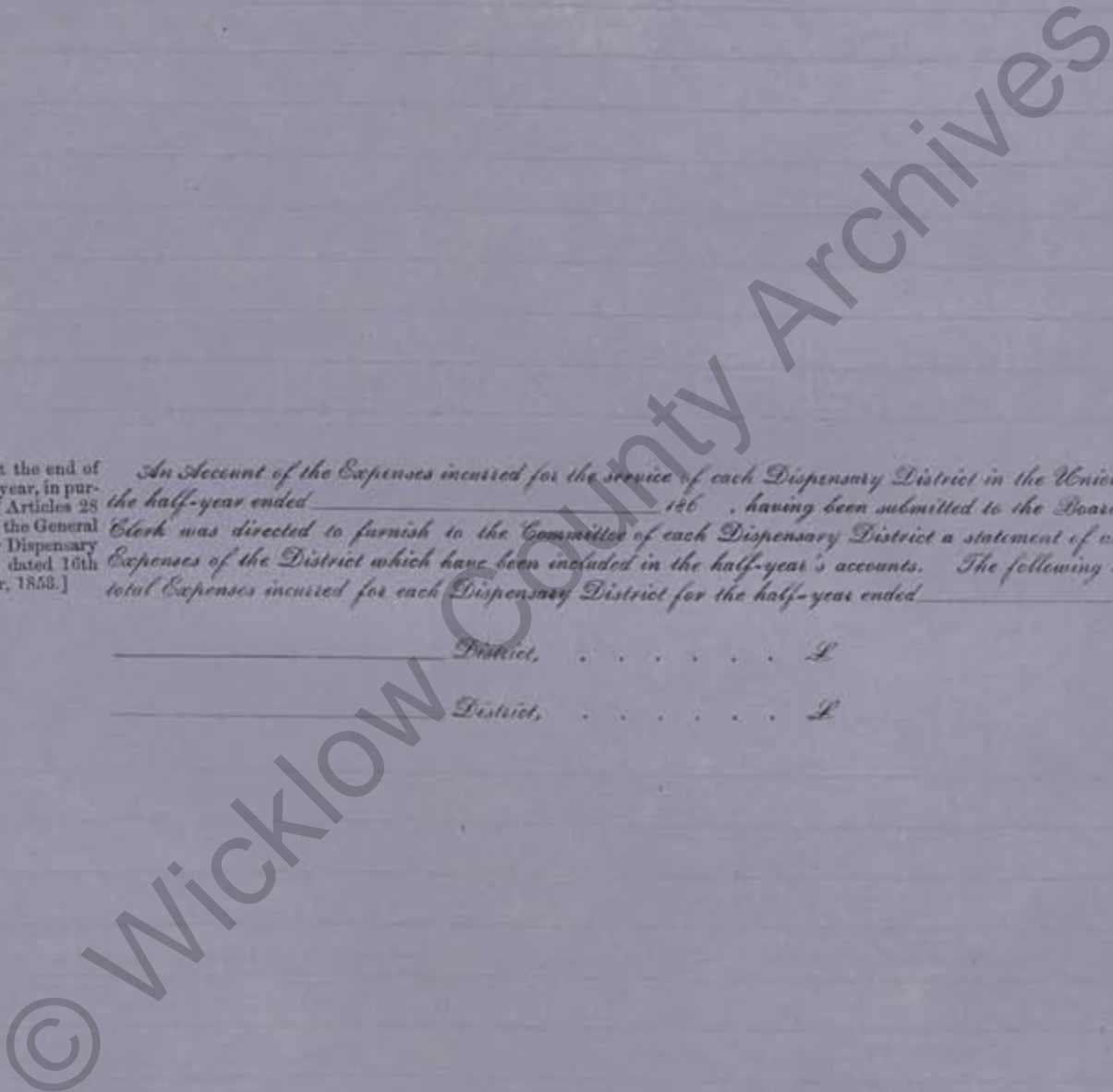
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount £

[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, £



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

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

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

The following Resolution was passed by the Guardians in reference to the appointment of Dr. Saml R. Manning as temporary substitute for the Medical Officer of the Dungannon Dispensary District.

Proposed by Mr. M. H. Jones and seconded by Mr. Gilbert

Resolved that the attention of the Poor Law Commissioners be called to the resolution of the Board of Guardians on the 16th Ultimo appointing Dr. Samuel R. Manning as temporary medical Officer of the Dungannon Dispensary District for one month during the illness of Doctor Sherwood at the rate of £80 per annum, no Letter of sanction having been received from the Commissioners.

Am. J. Hyson
Patrick Kelly
Jas. Driscoll

(Signed) Wm. H. [Signature]
Clerk of the Union.

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RATHDRUM UNION.

475

Population in 1861, 43831

Present Net Annual Value, £126539 = 17 = 0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of February 1866

| 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 | 469 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | 80 | 20 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 823 | 431 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 59 | 114 | 49 | 63 | 14 | 10 | 44 | 30 | 44 | 427 | In Workhouse (Hospital, In Fever Hospital, } 58 | In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, } 9 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 10 | 9 | 3 | 1 | - | 1 | 3 | 2 | 3 | 32 | Total, } 75 | Total, } 19 | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 69 | 123 | 52 | 64 | 14 | 11 | 47 | 32 | 47 | 459 | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 15 | 6 | 1 | - | - | - | 1 | 1 | 2 | 26 | | | | |
| Died, | | | - | - | - | 1 | - | - | - | - | 1 | 2 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 15 | 6 | 1 | 1 | - | - | 1 | 1 | 3 | 28 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 54 | 117 | 57 | 63 | 14 | 11 | 46 | 31 | 44 | 431 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10th day of February authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 | | NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS |
|-----------------|--|--|-----------------------------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | |
| No. I. | 47 | 117 | William Manning. |
| No. II. | 31 | 86 | Robert Manning. |
| No. III. | 58 | 125 | George Tuko. |
| No. IV. | 14 | 28 | Peter Moran. |
| TOTALS, | 147 | 356 | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 13th day of February 1866

PRESENT: In the Chair, Andrew MacByrne Esq.
Other Guardians:

Meops for Manning Wm Gilbert Joseph Loviston and 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:

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ 254 : 7 : 10

Laid during the week, - - - - - £ 21 : 2 : 6

And that the Balance on the Account in favour the Guardians was £ 2970 : 19 : 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

| Name of each Collector | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts | Collected and Lodged | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | |
|------------------------|---|----------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|-----------|-----|----|-------|-----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| PATRICK FARRELL, | Newcastle Upper, | | | | | | | 1 | 9 | 7 | | | |
| | .. Lower, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Kilcoole, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Altidore, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Killiskey, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 1 | 9 | 7 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 9 | 1 |
| WILLIAM MURPHY, | Glendalough, | 2 | 17 | 5 | | | | | | | | | |
| | Calary, | 6 | 2 | 3 | | | | | | 3 | | | |
| | Brookagh, | 21 | 6 | 7 | | | | | | 11 | | | |
| | Ballycullan, | 10 | 9 | 8 | | | | | | | | | |
| | Oldtown, | 17 | 8 | 11 | | | | | | 7 | | | |
| | Togher, | 11 | 3 | 2 | | | | | | | | | |
| | Moneystown, | 5 | 14 | 8 | | | | | | | | | |
| | | 75 | 28 | 28 | 75 | 28 | 28 | | 23 | | | 23 | |
| EDWARD BYRNE, | Wicklow, | 43 | 15 | | | | | | 149 | 18 | 1 | | |
| | Glanealy, | 26 | 10 | 2 | | | | | 42 | 18 | 11 | | |
| | | | 90 | 52 | 70 | 52 | 70 | 52 | 192 | 17 | | 192 | 17 |
| THOMAS DOUGLAS, | Dunganstown, East, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | .. West, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | .. South, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| FRANCIS ANNESLEY, | Ennecilly, | | | | | | | | 7 | 17 | 7 | | |
| | Kilbride, | | | | | | | | | 5 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 7 | 18 | | 7 | 18 |
| THOMAS BIRTHISTLE, | Arklow, | 57 | | | | | | | 295 | 17 | 8 | | |
| | | 57 | | | 57 | | | | 295 | 17 | 8 | 295 | 17 |
| WILLIAM LOUGHLIN, | Cronebano, | | | | | | | | 38 | 19 | 2 | | |
| | Ballyarthur, | | | | | | | | 79 | 7 | 5 | | |
| | Ovoea, | | | | | | | | 131 | 12 | 6 | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 249 | 19 | 7 | 249 | 19 |
| WILLIAM SMITH, | Rathdrum, | 11 | | | | | | | 123 | 6 | 6 | | |
| | Knockrath, | 9 | | | | | | | 12 | 6 | 9 | | |
| | Trooperstown, | 5 | | | | | | | 14 | 14 | 11 | | |
| | Ballinderry, | | | | | | | | 22 | 8 | 8 | | |
| | Ballinacash, | 13 | | | | | | | 64 | 2 | 6 | | |
| | Ballinacor, | 10 | | | | | | | 44 | 1 | | | |
| | Aughrim, | 10 | | | | | | | 57 | 12 | 8 | | |
| | | | 58 | | | 58 | | | 332 | 12 | | 332 | 12 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Totals, | | | | 254 | 7 | 10 | | | | 1080 | 15 | 7 |

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

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

The 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:

- 1500 White Loaves
- 150 lbs meat
- 48 Sheep heads
- 160 Galls Buttermilk
- 280 " Newmilk
- 6 lbs Butter
- 2 " Tobacco
- 10 Cwt Oatmeal
- 3 " Sugar
- 1 " Cocoa

Doors of main Building to be repaired & cleaned

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

| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
|-------------|---|---|---|---|---|---|---|----|---|---|---|--------|----|----|---|---|---|----|
| In Money, - | . | . | . | . | . | . | £ | 16 | - | 9 | - | d. | 10 | | | | | |
| In Kind, - | . | . | . | . | . | . | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | Total. | - | 16 | - | 9 | - | 10 |

Credit each Relieving Officer as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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, - - - - | - - - |
| 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. |
|--------------------------|-------------------|----|----|----|
| D ^r Estrange | Registration Fees | 5 | 17 | - |
| D ^r | Vaccination Fees | 14 | 11 | - |
| D ^r Hudson | D ^r | 15 | 10 | - |
| Albany | Station Expenses | 1 | 7 | 8 |
| In favor of Clerk to pay | | | | |
| H ^r McFleam | Vaccination Fees | 1 | 6 | - |
| H ^r Hatch | D ^r | | 9 | - |
| D ^r Kearney | D ^r | | 4 | - |
| | | 1 | 19 | 5 |
| M ^r Murphy | Coly Rates | 1 | 1 | 11 |
| " | " | 1 | 3 | 7 |
| " | " | 7 | 1 | 2 |
| " | " | 1 | 1 | 9 |
| " | " | 2 | 8 | 3 |
| " | " | 1 | 3 | 1 |
| " | " | 2 | 17 | 4 |
| | | 14 | 17 | 1 |

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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 No. 2825 (Dated The 12th Instant) from the Poor Law Commissioners calling the attention of the Board of Guardians to the facts that collectors Murphy, Byrne, Amesley & Longhlin have have not attended for the examination of their Accounts since the beginning of January, and requesting that in future a regular and punctual attendance of the collectors for the examination of their Accounts, will be insisted upon;

M^r Gilbert
Chairman

Patrick Kelly

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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 13th day of Febry 1864,—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

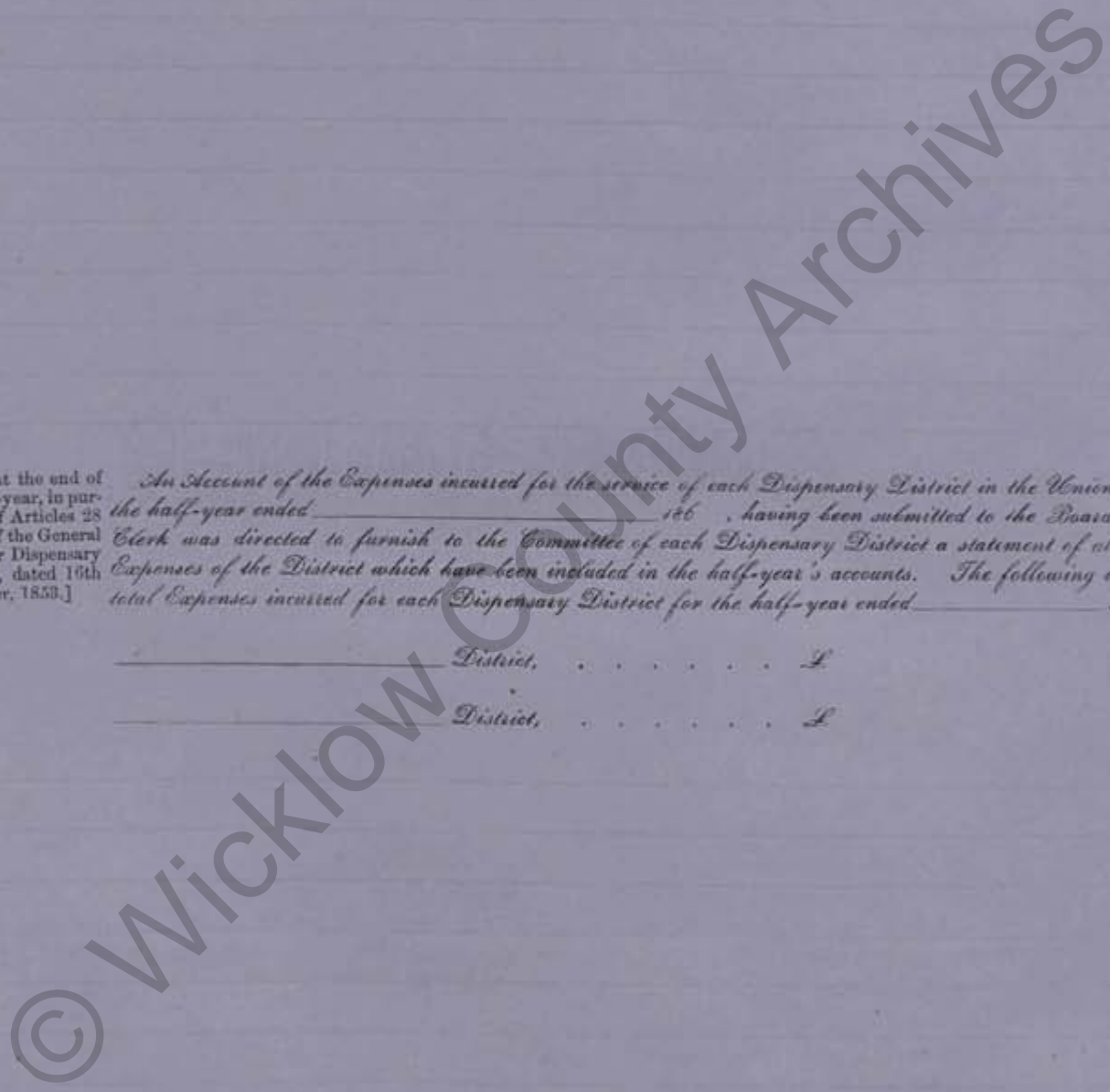
Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 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):

Second Letter from the Poor Law Comm^{rs} dated 12th Instant stating that

they will not under the circumstances object to the payment proposed to be made to Dr Samuel R S Manning for his services as temporary substitute for the Medical Officer of the Dungenstown Dispensary District for one month at the rate of £80 per Annum.

The Commissioners enclose for the information of the Guardians a Copy of a letter which they addressed to the Committee of Management on the 22nd Ultimo, on the subject.

Wm Gilbert
Chairman

Patrick Keogh

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1861, 43381

Present Net Annual Value, £ 126539⁰/₁₇²⁰

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of February 1866

| 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 | 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 | | | Total | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|---|---|--|--|------------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|--|-----------|--|------------|---|--|--------------|--------------------------------------|
| | | | Able-bodied | | Males | | Fem. | | Boys | Girls | Children above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | | Number in Hospital on the above date |
| Workhouse, | 74 | 3422 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 50 | 9 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | | 823 | 431 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 54 | 117 | 57 | 63 | 14 | 11 | 46 | 31 | 44 | 431 | In Work-house Hospital, } 66 In Fever Hospital, } 9 Total, } 74 | In separate Wards, } 9 In Wards with other inmates, } 10 Total, } 19 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 17 | 10 | 3 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 3 | 2 | 42 | | | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 71 | 127 | 54 | 64 | 17 | 12 | 48 | 34 | 46 | 473 | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 15 | 10 | 2 | - | 2 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 40 | | | | |
| Died, | | | - | - | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 15 | 10 | 3 | 1 | 2 | 4 | 2 | 2 | 3 | 42 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 56 | 117 | 57 | 63 | 15 | 8 | 46 | 32 | 43 | 431 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17 day of February, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 | | NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS |
|-----------------|--|--|-----------------------------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | |
| No. I. | 51 | 133 | William Manning. |
| No. II. | 32 | 98 | Robert Manning. |
| No. III. | 55 | 118 | George Tuke. |
| No. IV. | 14 | 30 | Peter Moran. |
| TOTAL | 152 | 379 | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 20th day of February 1866

PRESENT: In the Chair, Andrew William Byrne Esq^r
 Other Guardians: Colonel Bayly, Sir Comberford Esq^r, Messrs William Gilbert and P. Kelly

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 378 to No. 444 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, - - - - - £167 : - : -

Laid during the week, - - - - - £314 : 5 : 6

And that the Balance on the Account in Favour the Guardians was £223 : 13 : 8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

| Name of each Collector | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts | Collected and Lodged | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | |
|------------------------|---|----------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|-----------|----|----|-------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| PATRICK FARRELL, | Newcastle Upper, | | | | | | | 1 | 9 | 1 | | | |
| | „ Lower, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Kilcoole, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Altidore, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Killiskey, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| WILLIAM MURPHY, | Glendalough, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Calary, | | | | | | | | | 3 | | | |
| | Brockagh, | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | | |
| | Ballycullan, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Oldtown, | | | | | | | | | | 7 | | |
| | Togher, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Moneystown, | | | | | | | | | | 4 | | |
| EDWARD BYRNE, | Wicklow, | | | | | | | 14 | 9 | 18 | 1 | | |
| | Glanealy, | | | | | | | 4 | 2 | 18 | 11 | | |
| THOMAS DOUGLAS, | Dunganstown, East, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | „ West, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | „ South, | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| FRANCIS ANNESLEY, | Ennereilly, | | | | | | | 7 | 17 | 7 | | | |
| | Kilbride, | | | | | | | | | 5 | | | |
| THOMAS BIRTHISTLE, | Arklow, | | | | | | | 3 | 4 | 6 | 17 | 8 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3 |
| WILLIAM LOUGHLIN, | Cronebane, | | | | | | | 3 | 8 | 19 | 8 | | |
| | Ballyarthur, | 16 | - | - | | | | 6 | 3 | 7 | 5 | | |
| | Oroca, | 9 | 9 | - | | | | 8 | 9 | 12 | 6 | | |
| WILLIAM SMITH, | Rathdrum, | 10 | 8 | - | 10 | 8 | - | 1 | 4 | 19 | 7 | 1 | 4 |
| | Knockrath, | - | - | - | | | | 1 | 2 | 6 | 9 | | |
| | Trooperstown, | 7 | - | - | | | | 7 | 14 | 11 | | | |
| | Ballinderry, | 11 | - | - | | | | 1 | 1 | 8 | 8 | | |
| | Ballinaclash, | 4 | - | - | | | | 6 | 0 | 2 | 6 | | |
| | Ballinaeor, | 17 | - | - | | | | 2 | 7 | 1 | - | | |
| | Aughrim, | 1 | 8 | - | | | | 4 | 3 | 12 | 8 | | |
| | | 5 | 9 | - | 5 | 9 | - | 2 | 7 | 3 | 12 | - | 2 |
| Totals, | | | | 1 | 6 | - | | 9 | 1 | 3 | 15 | 7 | |

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

The 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 £ 49 - 12 s. 2 d.

| | £ | s. | d. |
|--|----|----|----|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account, | | | |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | 60 | 8 | 3 |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account, | | | |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | 2 | 6 | |
| Average cost in Infirmary, | 2 | 9 | |
| Average cost in Fever Hospital, | 4 | 9 | |

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

1500 White Loaves
 10 cwt Oatmeal
 165 galls Buttermilk
 285 " Newmilk
 6 lbs Butter
 160 " 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 17 day of February whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

| | | | |
|-----------------------|----|---|----|
| In Money, - | 17 | 5 | 10 |
| In Kind, - | - | - | - |
| Total, - | 17 | 5 | 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. |
|--------------------------|------------------------------------|----|----|----|
| Doctor Banks | Registration fees | 2 | 12 | 6 |
| " McShelands | Do | 2 | 9 | ✓ |
| " Hatch | Do | 2 | 5 | - |
| " Manning | Do | 2 | 4 | ✓ |
| " Hudson | Do | 2 | - | - |
| " Kearney | Do | 1 | 3 | - |
| R Manning | Do | 1 | - | 6 |
| Jamieson of Clerk to pay | Reps Surgical Instrum ^s | 1 | 4 | 6 |
| Albarrack | Postage | 19 | 9 | |
| H. O'Connell | Repairs | 6 | - | ✓ |
| J Flower | Chickens | 9 | 6 | ✓ |
| | | 2 | 19 | 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

I have to report that the pauper Thomas Finn reported on the 6th Instant as having attempted to commit suicide was committed as a dangerous lunatic to Wicklow Gaol on the 15th Instant

There are two doors leading into the Workshop, I would suggest that one of them be built up for the better security of the clothing, only one of these doors is used,

Ordered to be done

A slight alteration is required in the flue pipes of the Church Stove in consequence of its smoking.

Ordered to be done

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

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

(Circular No. 23) M dated the 15th Instant from the Poor Law Commissioners informing the Clerk that 200 copies of the Notice of Election of Guardians have been forwarded to him,

Communications in reference to the cattle Plague were received from the Royal Dublin Society from the Boards of Guardians of Scariff New Ross and Shillelagh Unions requesting the Guardians of this Union to cooperate with them in pressing the consideration of the matter upon the Government with a view to prevent the spread of the disease should it make its appearance in Ireland and also to provide a fund from which to compensate owners of cattle which may be slaughtered by order of Government Inspectors &c

*
 *

The Infirmary Nurse applied for leave of absence for one day,
 Leave granted

Ordered that the Master of the Workhouse shall provide clothing for the following pauper inmates of the Workhouse who have obtained employment in the Country but who have not sufficient clothing to enable them to avail themselves of the opportunity of leaving the House, viz Mary Byrne, cost not to exceed 17/6; Robert Miles, cost not to exceed 15/-; Richard Pendergast, cost not to exceed 10/- -

In reply to ~~several~~ several circulars ~~were~~ read from other Union Relations the steps being taken in reference to the latter Plague, the Guardians deferred taking any steps in this important matter until after the Meeting convened by the High Sheriff for Saturday next in Wicklow

The Clerk of the Union applied for 4 days leave of absence which was granted

James Leomeford D. C. C.
James R. Taylor D. D.
M. J. Gillen

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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

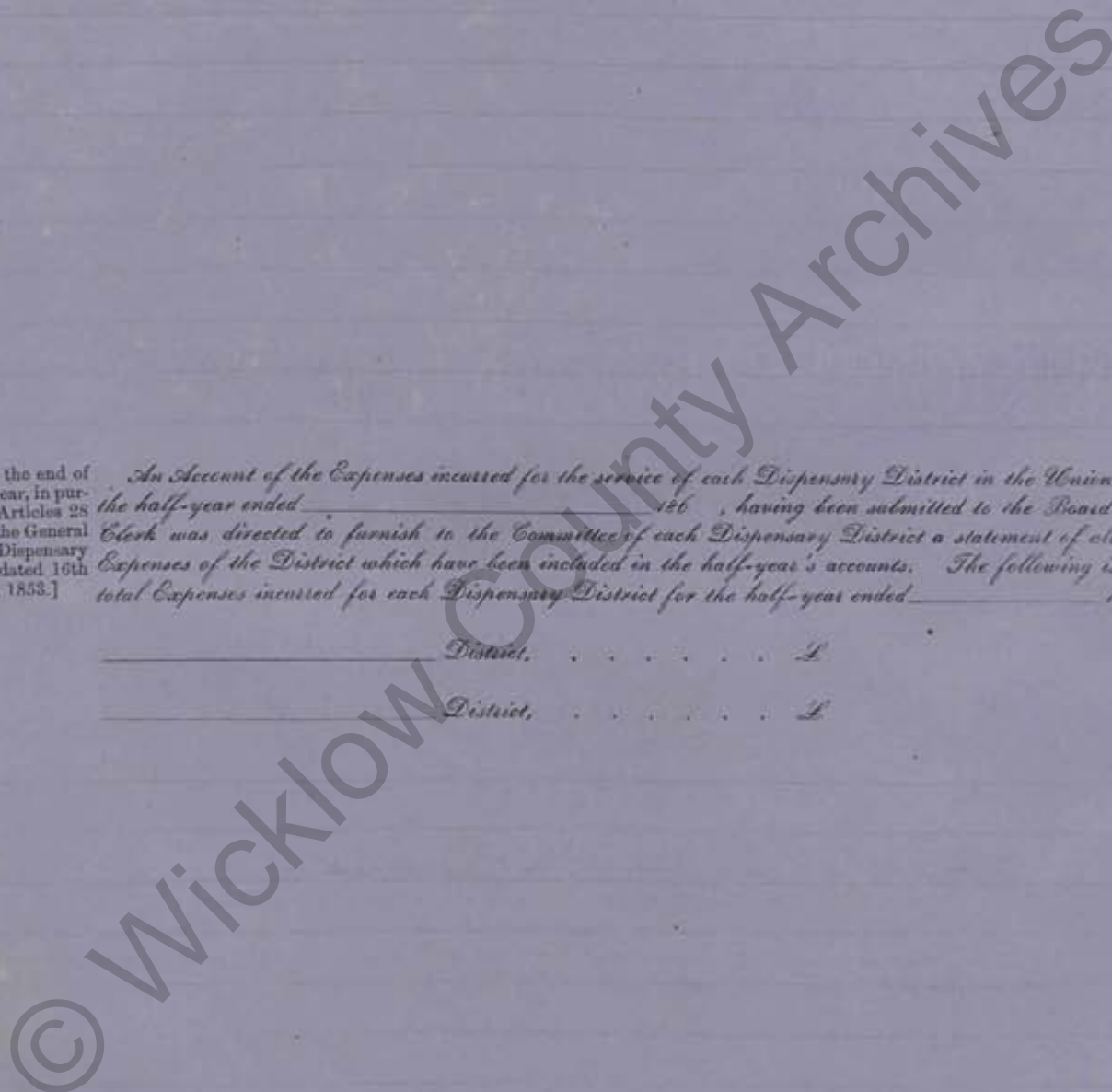
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £

[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, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that

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Clerk of the Union.

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RATHDRUM UNION.

Population in 1861, 43381

Present Net Annual Value, £ 126539-17-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of February 1866

| 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 | 426 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | 9 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 828 | 435 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 56 | 117 | 51 | 63 | 15 | 8 | 46 | 32 | 43 | 431 | In Work-house Hospital, 64 | In separate Wards, 9 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 14 | 7 | - | 1 | 2 | - | - | 1 | 4 | 29 | In Fever Hospital, 9 | In Wards with other Inmates, 10 | | |
| TOTAL, | 70 | 124 | 51 | 64 | 17 | 8 | 46 | 33 | 47 | 450 | | | Total, 73 | Total, 19 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 10 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 2 | - | 3 | 2 | - | 22 | | | | |
| Died, | | | - | - | 2 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | 3 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 10 | 1 | 5 | 2 | 2 | - | 3 | 2 | - | 25 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | 66 | 123 | 46 | 62 | 15 | 8 | 43 | 31 | 47 | 435 | | | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24 day of February authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 | | NAMES OF RELIEVING OFFICERS |
|-----------------|--|--|-----------------------------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | |
| No. I. | 51 | 133 | William Manning. |
| No. II. | 32 | 96 | Robert Manning. |
| No. III. | 55 | 123 | George Take. |
| No. IV. | 17 | 45 | Peter Moran. |
| TOTAL, | 155 | 397 | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the 27th day of February 1866 Tuesday

PRESENT: In the Chair, James Comerford Esq^r
 Other Guardians: Wm Gilbert and James R Taylor M^d Esq^r

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 445 to No. 494 both inclusive, by the Signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ 120 : 8 : 11

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 56 : 17 : 10

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 2887 : 4 : 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

| Name of each Collector | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts | Collected and Lodged | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | | | | |
|------------------------|---|----------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|-----------|----|----|-------|----|----|-----|----|---|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | | | |
| PATRICK FARRELL, | Newcastle Upper, | | | | | | | | | 1 | 9 | 1 | | | | |
| | .. Lower, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Kilcoole, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Altadore, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Killiskey, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 9 | 1 | 1 | 9 | 1 | |
| WILLIAM MURPHY, | Glendalough, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Calary, | | | | | | | | | | | 3 | | | | |
| | Brockagh, | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | 1 | | | |
| | Ballycullan, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Oldtown, | | | | | | | | | | | | 7 | | | |
| | Togher, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Moneystown, | | | | | | | | | | | | 4 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 2 | 3 | 2 | 3 | |
| EDWARD BYRNE, | Wicklow, | 34 | 10 | 9 | | | | 115 | 7 | 4 | | | | | | |
| | Glanealy, | | | | | | | 42 | 18 | 11 | | | | | | |
| | | 34 | 10 | 9 | 34 | 10 | 9 | 158 | 6 | 3 | 158 | 6 | 3 | | | |
| THOMAS DOUGLAS, | Dunganstown, East, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | .. West, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | .. South, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| FRANCIS AXNESLEY, | Ennercilly, | 7 | 17 | 7 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Kilbride, | | | | | | | | | | | 5 | | | | |
| | | 7 | 17 | 7 | 7 | 17 | 7 | | | | | 5 | | | 5 | |
| THOMAS BIRTHISTLE, | Arklow, | 52 | - | - | | | | 243 | 17 | 8 | | | | | | |
| | | 52 | - | - | 52 | - | - | 243 | 17 | 8 | 243 | 17 | 8 | | | |
| WILLIAM LOUGHLIN, | Cronebane, | | | | | | | | | | 38 | 19 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballyarthur, | | | | | | | | | | 63 | 7 | 5 | | | |
| | Ovoea, | | | | | | | | | | 39 | 12 | 6 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 141 | 19 | 7 | 141 | 19 | 7 |
| WILLIAM SMITH, | Rathdrum, | | | | | | | | | | 111 | 6 | 6 | | | |
| | Knockrath, | 4 | - | - | | | | | | | 8 | 6 | 9 | | | |
| | Trooperstown, | | | | | | | | | | 7 | 14 | 11 | | | |
| | Ballinderry, | | | | | | | | | | 11 | 8 | 8 | | | |
| | Ballinaelash, | 3 | - | - | | | | | | | 57 | 26 | | | | |
| | Ballinacor, | 4 | - | - | | | | | | | 23 | 1 | - | | | |
| | Aughrim, | 15 | - | - | | | | | | | 28 | 12 | 8 | | | |
| | | 26 | - | - | 26 | - | - | 247 | 12 | - | 247 | 12 | - | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Totals. | | | | 120 | 8 | 4 | | | | 793 | 7 | 3 | | | |

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

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

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

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

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

| | £ | 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:

| | |
|----------------------|----------------|
| 1500 White Loaves | 1 Tea Can |
| 165 Galls Buttermilk | 2 Master Keys |
| 285 " Newmilk | 6 Barrels Lime |
| 6 lbs Butter | 1 Mills flour |
| 160 " Meat | |

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

| | |
|---------------------|----------------|
| In Money, - - - - - | £ 17 = 16 = 10 |
| In Kind, - - - - - | " " " |
| Total. - - - - - | £ 17 = 16 = 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, - - - - | - - - |
| 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. |
|---------------------------------------|---|----|----|
| Francis Amesley Collecting Rates | | | |
| Emersley ED 227-0-11 | 5 | 13 | 6 |
| Hilbride " 159-17-1 | 3 | 19 | 11 |
| | 9 | 13 | 5 |
| In favour of Clerk to pay | | | |
| James Dunn Reports Vac Deps Allow | 1 | 5 | - |
| Peter Johnson Coffin for Ant A pauper | | 8 | - |
| George Tuke Conveyance | | 7 | - |
| Wm Manning " | | 5 | - |
| R Manning " | | 4 | - |
| | 2 | 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:

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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 the Nurse of the Workhouse Infirmary resigning her situation and thanking the Guardians for their past kindness to her

Ordered that the Nurses resignation be accepted and that the Clerk shall advertise for a new election to fill the office, to take place on the 30th March 1866.

Ordered that the Master shall provide clothing for Phelim Murphy a pauper inmate of the Workhouse and his four children who are about to leave the house, cost not to exceed 30/-

James R. Taylor M. D.
Chairman
Wm. Gilbert
Patrick Keely

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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:*

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

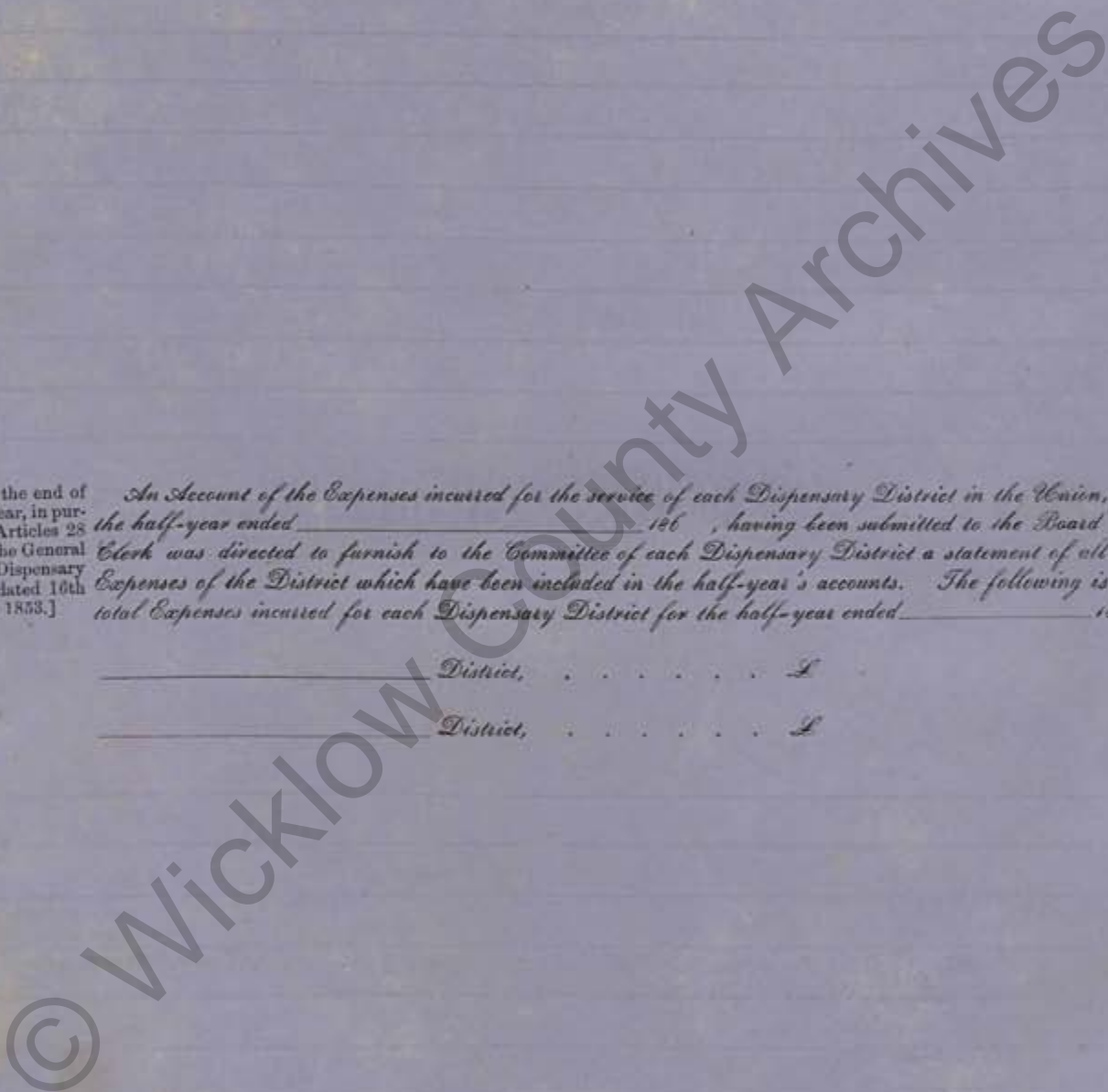
Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount £

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 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 C 1 and C 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):

Each Letter from _____
stating that _____

dated _____

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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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