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MINUTE BOOK

OF THE

Ballinabe UNION.

...shall be entered all Letters received from, or written to the Poor Law Commissioners, all Orders given, all Returns and Vouchers given, all Accounts examined and allowed, all Salaries paid, all Proceedings, proceedings, and transactions of the Board of Guardians, at any of their Meetings, and by afterwards posted in the Leger, and a note of reference made in the Minute Book, to the date in the Leger to which they are so carried.

Order of Poor Law Commissioners.



By Authority:

**J. W. FALCONER, PRINTER TO HER MAJESTY'S STATIONERY OFFICE,
53, UPPER SACKVILLE-STREET DUBLIN.**

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BY THE IRISH POOR RELIEF ACTS AND THE MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT.

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 424
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Ballinacorney Union

At an adjourned Meeting of the Board of Guardians of Ballinacorney Union held on Saturday the 15th day of Novr 1856
 Present in the Chair Geoffrey Montagu Esq
 other Members - Robert Tigue, and John Griffin Esqs

The Clerk submitted the following Collecting Warrants which were duly signed and sealed, namely:- Collecting Warrants for Electoral Divisions of Ballinacorney, Ballinacorney, and Owenbrun.

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:-

1. Clothing Account £ 5 - 0
 William Regan for Clothing Materials 4 - 7 - 11

Debit Clothing Acct. and Credit Treasurer with the above sum.

| | | Establishment Account | |
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| | | £ | s |
| Pat ^r Monahan for Candles | 5 | | |
| Board Room &c | 14 | 9 | |
| Mary McGovern for Brooms | 13 | 11 | |
| P. Fergus for Coal Ton &c | 1 | 4 | 0 |
| Wm Regan for Shingles | | | 6 |
| Geo Kelly for Books & Stationery | 5 | 13 | 9 |

Debit Establishment Acct. and Credit Treasurer with the above sums

| | | Invoice Account | |
|-------------------------------|----|-----------------|---|
| | | £ | s |
| John Lonahoe for Breadstuffs | 22 | 3 | 1 |
| Patrick Monahan for Groceries | 5 | 9 | 5 |
| Matthew Moran for Meat | 3 | 18 | 7 |
| Martin Higgins for Milk | 13 | 9 | 1 |
| Mary McGovern for Turf | 10 | 8 | 6 |
| Patrick Fergus for Salt | 2 | 6 | 8 |

Debit Invoice Acct. and Credit Treasurer with the above sums.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the 10th day of November 1856.

Signed: Thomas May
 Clerk of Union,

Geoffrey Montagu
Robert Tigue
John Griffin

Ballinacorney UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,703.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,725. 7. 3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of November 1856

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated | Total in the Workhouse on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS |
|---|------------------------------|--|-------------|------|---|------|--|-------|---|---|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|---|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | |
| Workhouse | 1000 | 170 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | 1000 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Hospital | 80 | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever sheds | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 2180 | 175 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | | | 7 | 27 | 19 | 31 | 37 | 31 | 16 | 6 | 5 | 179 | In Workhouse Hospital, 5 | In separate Wards with other inmates, 3 |
| Admitted during the Week | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | Total, 47 | Total, 3 |
| TOTAL | | | 7 | 28 | 19 | 32 | 37 | 31 | 16 | 6 | 5 | 181 | | |
| Discharged during the Week | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 5 | | |
| Died | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead | | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | 6 | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | | | 7 | 24 | 17 | 32 | 37 | 31 | 16 | 6 | 5 | 175 | | |

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15th day of Novr 1856 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| Relief District | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | Relief District | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|--------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|-----------------|--------------------------|--|-------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | | | | | | | | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | | | | Bt. forward | | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | No. X. | | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | No. XI. | | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | No. XII. | | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | No. XIII. | | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | No. XIV. | | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | No. XV. | | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | |
| Bt. forward | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday the 10th day of November 1856

Present: In the Chair, Geoffrey Montagu Esq
 Other Guardians:

Courtnay Kenny, Robert Tigue, Thomas Walsh and John Redmond junior Esqs

The Minutes of that Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 13th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 542 to No. 550, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersigned by the Clerk. The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 14 to No. 20, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersigned by the Clerk. The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, in the following effect:

That he employed Courtney Cambridge to post the Notices of the Rates having been made, for which he was paid a sum of £1.

That he ordered two Draft Books of Receipts, each of the chapters in which, is to be stamped "to be paid to order" to be made payable to "Order"

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, - - - £ 7 11 1/2 Paid during the week, - - - £ 19 17 5 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 287 11 0 The Book was signed by the Chairman. The Weekly Balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The ledgers 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. | | |
| Adam Neal | Ballinrobe Ballinella Owenbrim Patriyal | | | | | | | 460 | 7 | 10 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 17 | 13 | 10 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 50 | 1 | 4 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 0 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 537 | 5 | 1 1/2 | |
| Thomas Pittidge | Quiricarra Corrad Stallymount Kilbarrin Kaulwood Ruslev Shude Dalgin Kilbaine etc | | | | | | | 120 | 8 | 3 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 38 | 11 | 9 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 95 | 7 | 9 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 114 | 10 | 2 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 79 | 10 | 10 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 44 | 4 | 10 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 158 | 17 | 3 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 148 | 6 | 0 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 157 | 15 | 5 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | 98 | 0 | 7 | | | 1030 | 2 | 10 1/2 | | |
| Thomas Grady | Cony Struckdown | | | | | | | 171 | 16 | 4 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 76 | 8 | 8 | | | 268 | 5 | 7 1/2 |
| Totals, | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1835 | 13 | 0 1/2 |

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £8. 0. 1 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 17. 6 s. 11 1/2 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:

9 Yards of Corduroy, 3 1/2 Yards of Paragon, 7 Yards of Lining Calico, 5 Yards of Union Calico, 2 Cloth Caps, 5 Cwt. of Wholemeal, 2 1/2 Cwt. of Flour, 12 Cwt. of Indian Meal, 1 1/2 Cwt. of Calmeal, 1 1/8 lb. of Tea, 7 1/2 lb. of Sugar, 1 1/2 lb. of pepper, 7 lb. of Dip Candles, 2 lb. of Mould Candles, 2 lb. of Starch, 1 1/2 lb. of Soda, 2 lb. of Blue, 2 lb. of St. ops. 7 lb. of Malt, 60 lb. of Meat, 140 Gallons of Sweetmilk, 70 Boxes of Yeast, 100 Heald Brooms, 13 Barrels of Lime,

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 Prisoning 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 1st day of Nov. 1856; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - - £ 11. 10. 0
 In kind, - - - - - 11. 10. 0
 Total, - - - - - 22. 0. 0

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

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

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

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

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.
 2. Establishment Account.

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

Clerk of Union for to provide for payment of, £ 0 0 0

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

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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:

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2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 17. 6. 12 d.

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

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 17. 15. 8 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1. 17. 3/4

Average Cost in Infirmary 2. 12

Average Cost in Fever Hospital 3. 0 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:

9 Yards of Broad-cloth, 3 1/2 Yards of Baragon, 7 Yards of Lining Calico, 5 Yards of Union Calico, 2 Cloth Caps, 5 Cwt. of Wholemeal, 2 1/2 Cwt. of Flour, 12 Cwt. of Indian Meal, 4 Cwt. of Oatmeal, 1 1/8 lb of Tea, 7 1/2 lb of Sugar, 1 1/2 lb of pepper, 7 lb of Dipht Candles, 2 lb of Mould Candles, 2 lb of Starch, 14 lb of Soda, 2 lb of Blue, 5 lb of Staps, 7 lb of Malt, 60 lb of Meat, 140 Gallons of Sweetmilk, 70 Boxes of Soap, 100 Heald Brooms, 13 Barrels of Lime,

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 1st day of Nov. 1856: whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, Ad
 In kind, Ad
 Total. Ad

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.
 Petty Disbursements
 s. Establishment Account.

Clerk of Union for to provide for payment of, 5 0 0

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

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

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

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners
No. 28341/1856, Dated 31st October 1856, signifying
that it will be advisable to continue the use of
bread for the supper meal of the inmates,

Circular Letter from same No. 209
- M^o 5^h Dated 3rd November 1856 requesting a Return
respecting the current Rates, and any new Rates agreed
upon, during the Month of October 1856.

In reply to the Poor Law Commissioners Letter
of the 31st ulto, No. 28341/1856 - it is Resolved that
they be informed that the Medical Officer of the
Workhouse approves of Potatoes being used for the
supper of the healthy inmates, which it appears is the
practice in Claremorris and other neighbouring Unions,
the Potatoes are the natural Food of the Inhabitants
of this County, and the Workhouse inmates would
much prefer to use them for supper than Brown
Bread,

The Master having submitted a Gin Tray for the
approval of the Board, it was not considered expedi-
ent to give orders at present for a supply of them,
the necessity for their use in the House to be
considered at a future Meeting of the Board,

Resolved that John Watson be paid a sum of $\text{£}16/0$
for the Gin Work of the pattern Tray, and Michael
Hanlon a sum of $\text{£}10/0$ for the Carpenterwork,

The Clerk submitted the following Collecting
Warrants which were duly signed, and sealed, namely,
Collecting Warrants for Electoral Division of Cong,
M^ondshrod, Bennisbane, Coonard, Hollymount,
Kilcommon, Kilmone, Dalgin, Roslee, Shrule,
Keal, & Newbrook,

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 2
 Ditto, disallowed Nil
 The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was Nil

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered Nil

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

W. Hartley
Minister of Justice.
Robt. Tighu

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *13th*
day of *Novr.* 185 *6*

(Signed) *Thomas May*
Clerk of the Union

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the *Baltimore*
UNION, on *Thurs* day, the *1st* day of *December* 185*6*
continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

District. £
District. £

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

Dispensary District, No. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

(Signed)

J. Simon May

Clerk of the Union.

Callinrole UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,703.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,725. 7. 3.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of November 1856

| Number of Lunatics for which accommodation is provided | No. Males | No. Females | Able-bodied | | Aged and Infirmitous 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 | 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, | 1000 | 165 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 1066 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | 80 | 6 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 2246 | 175 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 7 | 24 | 17 | 32 | 37 | 31 | 14 | 6 | 5 | 175 | In Workhouse 48 | In separate Wards 1 |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | " | 1 | " | 1 | " | " | " | " | 1 | 3 | In Hospital, In Fever Hospital, 6 | In Wards with other inmates, 3 |
| TOTAL, | | | 7 | 25 | 17 | 33 | 37 | 31 | 14 | 6 | 6 | 178 | Total, 49 | Total, 3 |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 1 | 1 | " | " | 1 | " | " | " | " | 3 | | |
| Died, | | | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 1 | 1 | " | " | 1 | " | " | " | " | 3 | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 6 | 24 | 17 | 33 | 36 | 31 | 14 | 6 | 6 | 175 | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 8th day of November 1856, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday the 13th day of November 1856

PRESENT: In the Chair, Geoffrey Martyn Esq.
Other Guardians:

Colonel Knox, Courtney Kemmy, Robert Brooke,
W. Leming and John Kearns junior Esq.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 15: 10 s. 5th

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - - - 17 7 10th

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - - - 1 7th

Average Cost in Infirmary - - - - - 2 1th

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, - - - - - 2 7th

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:

178 lbs of Tea, 7th lbs of Sugar, 1th lb of pepper, 7 lbs of Soft Candles, 2 lbs of Mould Candles, 24 lbs of Yellow Soap, 2 lbs of March, 14 lbs of Soda, 2 lb of Blue, 6 lbs of Composite Candles, 1 Bottle of Calcavelled Wine, 60 lbs of Aleat, 140 Gallons of Sweetmilk, 70 Boxes of Turf, 50 Yards of Shroving, 8 Boards, 10 lbs of pitch, 1 lb of glue, 1 Hoop Iron, 11 Dozen of Screws, 2 Sheets of Glass paper, 4 Iron Standles, 500 of Vack, 5 Cwt. of Wholmeal, 2th Cwt. of Flour

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 8th day of Novr. 1866 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, - - - - - Nil
 In kind, - - - - - Nil
 Total, - - - - - Nil

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

Doctor Raughan Medical Officer on Account of Salary 10 0 0

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

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

With reference to the Master's report it is Resolved

That the employment by him of the Mason to put all the Kitchen Boilers in good working order for a sum of £2, be approved of.

That the Master be authorized to employ a Carpenter for the purposes stated by him in his report.

That as the Board does not approve of the pattern of the Grey, the Master be authorized to procure 150 pair of pins from the Contractor, and the Clerk is directed to advertise by printed Standbill for a supply of 150 pair of plates, tenders to be considered on Thursday next.

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, (on Orders made on them respectively as follows.)

Education Office,

Sir,

We enclose a Receipt for the amount of gratuity due to John Allaker £3, and to Mrs. St. Anne £2.10/- for Teachers, as therein specified, and when returned signed by the Teachers and countersigned by you, the amount will be remitted by Post Office Order with all convenient despatch.

We remain, Sir,

Your very obedient Servant,
Maurice Cross
James Kelly
Secretaries

To the Clerk of the Ballinacree Union,

Resolved that copies of Letters addressed to the Clerk of the Union by Mr. John Allaker Schoolmaster, and the Rev. Thomas Hardiman Roman Catholic Chaplain of the Workhouse, be inserted on the Minutes; that the attention of the Poor Law Commissioners be called thereon, and that the Commissioners be requested to direct their Inspectors to investigate the truth of the allegations contained in Mr. Allaker's Letter,

Resolved that the Board feels bound to remark, that the terms of the Rev. Mr. Hardiman's Letter appear to be very offensive, and would seem to confirm the assumption that his conduct towards the Schoolmaster was subversive of discipline in the Workhouse, and tended to lower his Office in the estimation of the School-Children, and of the other Officers of the House,

Resolved that the Board desires to place on record the fact that at all times it would be willing to attend to any suggestion of the Chaplain, as to the Religious Instruction of the Children, and the Books proper to be brought in to the Schools; but that having seen no such suggestion made by the Chaplain, the Board considers he should not of his own authority have made any change in the course of instruction without its permission,

Copy of Mr. John Allaker's Letter,

To Mr. Thomas May, (Clerk)

Sir,

I beg leave to inform you that the Reverend Thomas Hardiman visited my School on Thursday the 6th Inst. He treated me very roughly in consequence of finding the Scripture Lessons inserted in the Green Table. He told me I had a bone in my throat and something mysterious in my forehead, and after giving me a slap that knocked me against the desk, He also told me to erase the words Scripture Lessons in the Green Table to which I have not yet complied without your approbation,

Your obedt Servt
John Allaker,

Copy of Rev. Mr. Hardiman's Letter,

Hallinohw Nov. 18th 1856

To the Clerk of the Union,

Sir,

I wish to have it made known to the Board of Guardians that I consider the conduct of the Schoolmaster M. Maher as recently developed, to be such as to disentitle him to be any longer entrusted with the training of the boys in the Workhouse School, all of whom, as you know, are Catholics,

On calling to visit his School on Wednesday the 5th Inst, in company with the Matron I was astonished to find on the "Time table" in the teacher's handwriting, the "Scripture Lessons" printed up as one of the Books of "religious instruction" - this work having been long since formally condemned by the highest authority in the Catholic Church. Hence one of my first official Acts on my appointment to the Office of Chaplain, six Years ago, was to give instructions to the Master, that that obnoxious Book should never be introduced into the Schools, at least as far as Catholic Children were in question, and I never

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided upon as follows: -

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

heard of its being introduced there till now, The Schoolmaster persisted in saying that he brought in this Book, and posted it up publicly as a Volume for "religious instruction" without having got or asked for advice to do so from any party, & surely the Chaplain at all events should have been consulted, and though he promised me to have this improper "notification" removed at once; and the Work excluded as I ordered from the School forthwith, I understand he has not done so yet,

I have also written to the National Board about this man, If I am rightly informed a secret correspondence has been carried on for some time past, by the wife of this man regarding spiritual affairs, with a Parson or Priest, preparatory to some mighty change; so that the moral order of this Schoolmaster is none of the sweetest,

I am told he has even dared to belie me by giving under his hand, that I had ill-used him and been shameful to him, on the occasion referred, Fortunately, the Matron was present and now confound this wretch should he venture to forge such a gratuitous lie,

Yours - &c.

Thos. Hardiman
C. Chaplain,

Mr. Thomas Simple Baker, having tendered his resignation of that Office, it was Resolved that it be accepted,

The Clerk of the Union having reported that he would be required to attend before Jeremiah J. Murphy Esq. Master in Chancery on Monday the 17th Inst. as a witness in the case of Flynn v. Flynn, it was Resolved that the Clerk be appointed to act as Clerk until that Officer returns,

*W. A. [unclear]
[unclear]
[unclear]*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *20th*
day of *November* 185*0*

(Signed) *Thomas May*

Clerk of the Union.

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the *Salisbury*
UNION, on *Thurs* day, the *13th* day of *Nov^r* 185 *6*
—continued.

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

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

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

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

Hollymarket Dispensary District,
 Account of Dr. Doctet for Salary : Amount £ 10 : 10 : 0
 Wemyss Dispensary District
 Account of Dr. Doctet for Salary : £ 10 : 0 : 0

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

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

District £
 District £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committee of each 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 Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, No. of

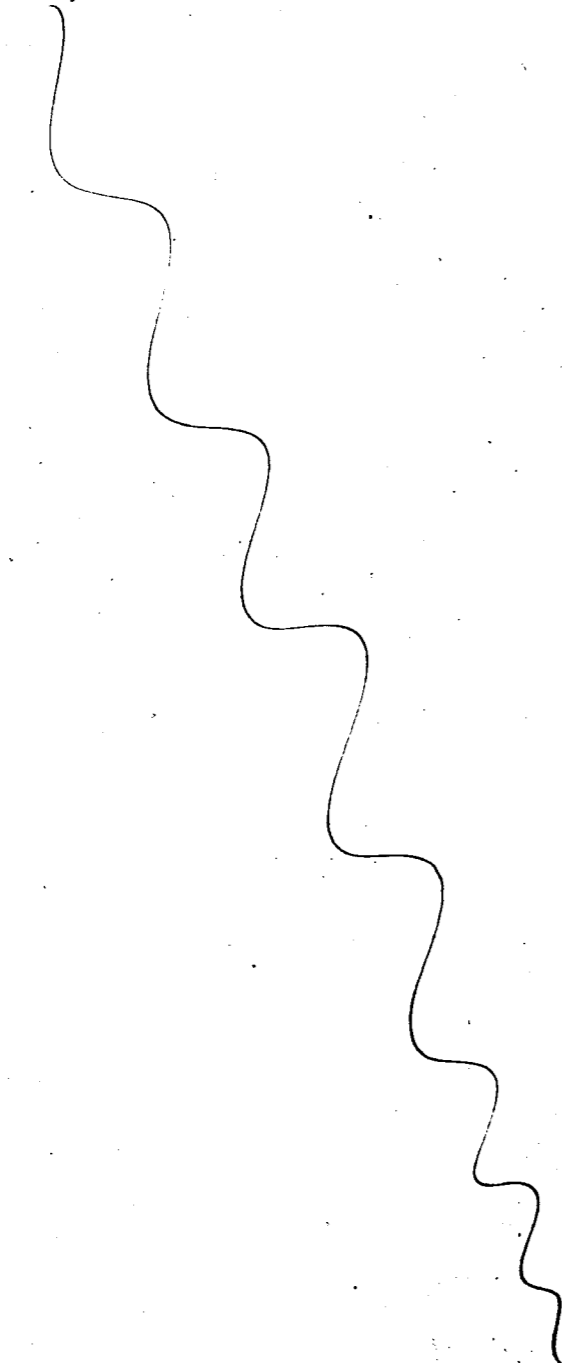
The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows.—

Order dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Humane 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 effect were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from stating that

dated



Thomas
W. H. M. M. M.
W. H. M. M. M.

(Signed)

Thomas M. M.
Clerk of the Union.

Ballinacorney

UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,703.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,725. 7. 3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of November 1856

| Number of persons in accommodation | Workhouse | Temporary Lodgings | Additional Workhouses | Parliamentary Workhouses | Fever Hospital | Able-bodied | | Aged and infirm persons, and other persons above 18 years of age, and not working | | Boys and Girls above 8 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 8 and under 9 years of age | Children above 5 and under 8 years of age | Infants under 5 years of age | Total | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS |
|---------------------------------------|-----------|--------------------|-----------------------|--------------------------|----------------|-------------|--------|---|--------|--|-------|---|---|------------------------------|-------|--------------------------------------|---|--------------|
| | | | | | | Male | Female | Male | Female | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | |
| | | | | | | 6 | 24 | 17 | 33 | 36 | 31 | 16 | 6 | 6 | 175 | In Workhouse, 39 | In separate Wards, 1 | |
| | | | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | 1 | In Hospital, 2 | In Wards with other inmates, 3 | |
| | | | | | | 6 | 24 | 18 | 33 | 36 | 31 | 16 | 6 | 6 | 176 | Total, 41 | Total, 3 | |
| | | | | | | | 2 | 1 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 2 | | | 10 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 2 | | | | | | 2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | 2 | 1 | 5 | 1 | 1 | 2 | | | 12 | | | |
| | | | | | | 6 | 24 | 17 | 33 | 35 | 30 | 14 | 6 | 6 | 164 | | | |

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15th Nov. 1856 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Number of Persons in the District | Number of Persons in the Workhouse | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, under 10 Vict. c. 21, s. 1 | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1 | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|-----------------------------------|------------------------------------|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|---|--|--|--|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | | | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | No. X. | | | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | No. XI. | | | | | | |
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| No. VIII. | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| Car. forward | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday the 20th day of November 1856

Present: At the Chair, *Geoffrey Martyn Esq*

Other Guardians:

Colonel Knapp, Colonel Kenny and Robert Ligon Esqs

The Minutes of this Meeting were read and Signed.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 23 . 15 s. 4¹/₄d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 17 . 0 . 5

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1 . 7¹/₄

Average Cost in Infirmary, 2 . 1¹/₂

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, 2 . 11

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

17 lb of Tea, 7¹/₂ lb of Sugar, 15 lb Pepper
 7 lb Oil of Candles, 2 lb Mould Candles
 24 lb of yellow Soap, 2 lb of Starch
 14 lb of Soda, 1/2 lb of Blue, 55 lb of Meat
 130 Gallons of Sweet Milk, 70 Bottles of
 Lard, 1 load of Bagwood, 150 pint Tins,
 A Cwt of Meal and 2¹/₂ Cwt of first Flour

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 15 day of Nov^r 1856; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, £ 0 . 0 . 0
 In kind, nil
 Total, nil

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

Number of successful cases:

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

The Report of the Master and other Officers ^{was} read and Orders made thereon, as follows.

Ballinrobe Workhouse
20th November 1856.

Gentlemen,
They to inform you that Mary Mullaney, a widow, whose three children, Mary, John, and Mary Mullaney are inmates, applies to take them out, if you be good enough to order them new clothes, to which they are entitled, having no clothes of their own, being admitted in September 1855; they are charged on the "Widow at Large"

The Provisions and Necessaries delivered to me during the week were good.

I am Gentlemen
Your obt. servant,
John Mullin
Master

To,
The Board of Guardians
Ballinrobe Union,

With reference to the Master's report it is Resolved, that he be authorized to provide suitable new clothes for the children of Mary Mullaney.

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 from Poor Law Commissioners
No. 29,462/1856, dated 15th Nov: 1856, stating that there is no objection to the use of potatoes for the Children's supper, but believing in the difficulty of administering them, and also stating that the Diet should be issued warm, and be used in the Dining Hall, at the usual supper hour,

Letter from same No. 29,982, of date 17th Nov: 1856, stating that they have instructed their Inspector Mr. Bowke, to make enquiry on oath, into the complaint preferred by Mr. Maher, the Workhouse Schoolmaster, against the Rev. Mr. Hardinsan, Roman Catholic Chaplain of the Workhouse; as contained in the Minutes of the Board of Guardians of the 15th Dist^o; And also expressing their (the Board's) concurrence in the opinion expressed in the Guardian's Resolution, on this subject, to the effect that the Roman Catholic Chaplain should not of his own Authority have made any change in the course of instruction in the Workhouse School, without the permission of the Board.

Letter from National Education Office of which the following is a copy,

Education Office,

Sir

We enclose a Receipt for the amount of gratuity due to St. Hanly the Teacher, as therein specified, and when returned signed by the Teacher, and countersigned by you, the amount will be remitted by Post Office Order, with all convenient despatch

We remain Sir

Your very obt. servants

Maurice Cross

James Kelly

Secretaries

To the Clerk of the Ballinacorney
Union

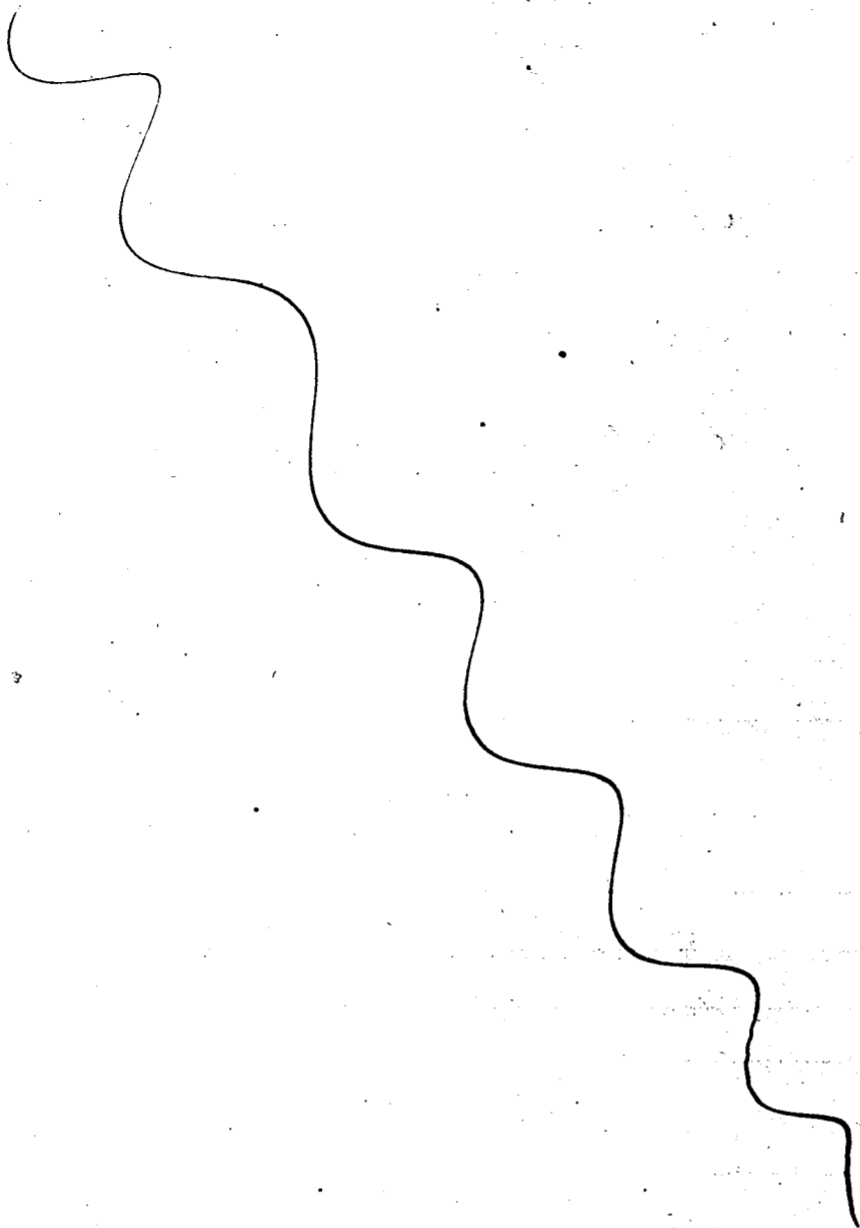
A Notice of Motion was handed in by Country Henry Supt. of which the following is a copy,

Ballinacorney 20th November 1856.

I hereby give Notice that on this day fortnight, I will propose that we shall recommend the Amalgamation of the several Unions, so as to reduce the number of unions to the original number in this County viz, Castlebar, Ballinacorney, Westport, Ballina and Sineaford - signed, Country Henry.

Resolved that the Tender of John Watson to supply Tin Plates be not accepted of -

Resolved that as we consider the Tenders for Tin Plates, as this day submitted to us, to be excessive in price, i.e. eight pence each; we therefore authorize the Workhouse Master to obtain a supply of them on as reasonable terms as he can, according to the pattern one,



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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 2
 Ditto, disallowed Nil
 The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 1

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered 1

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

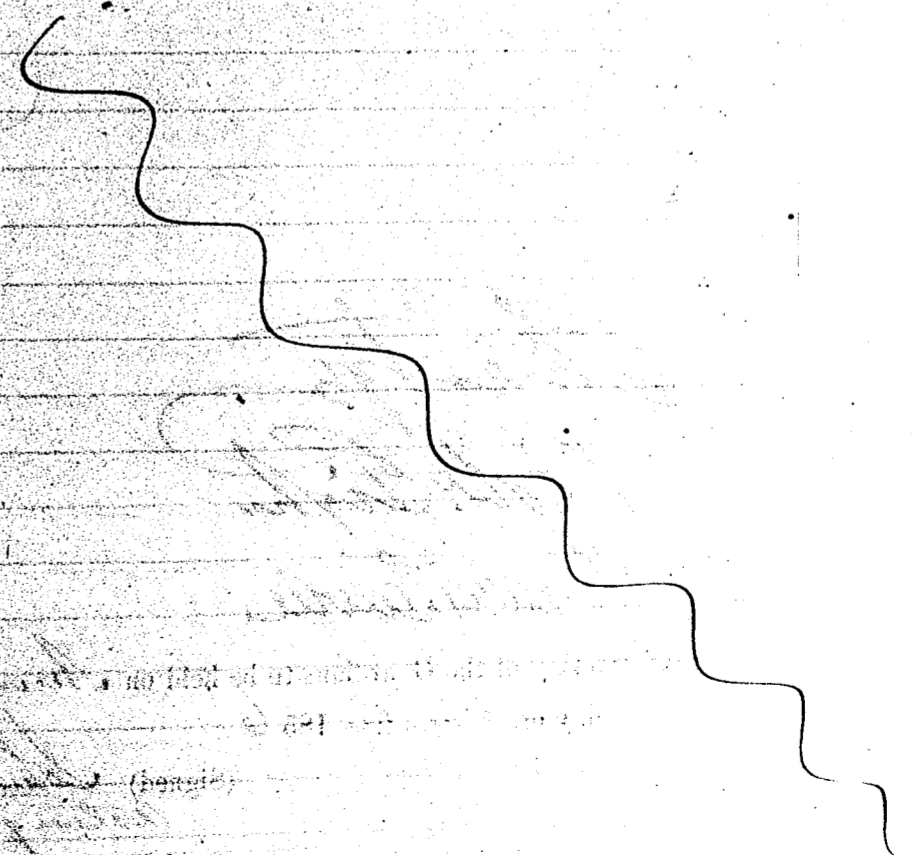
Resolved that a copy of a letter addressed to the Board of Guardians by Mr. Maher the Workhouse Schoolmaster, be inserted on the Minutes.

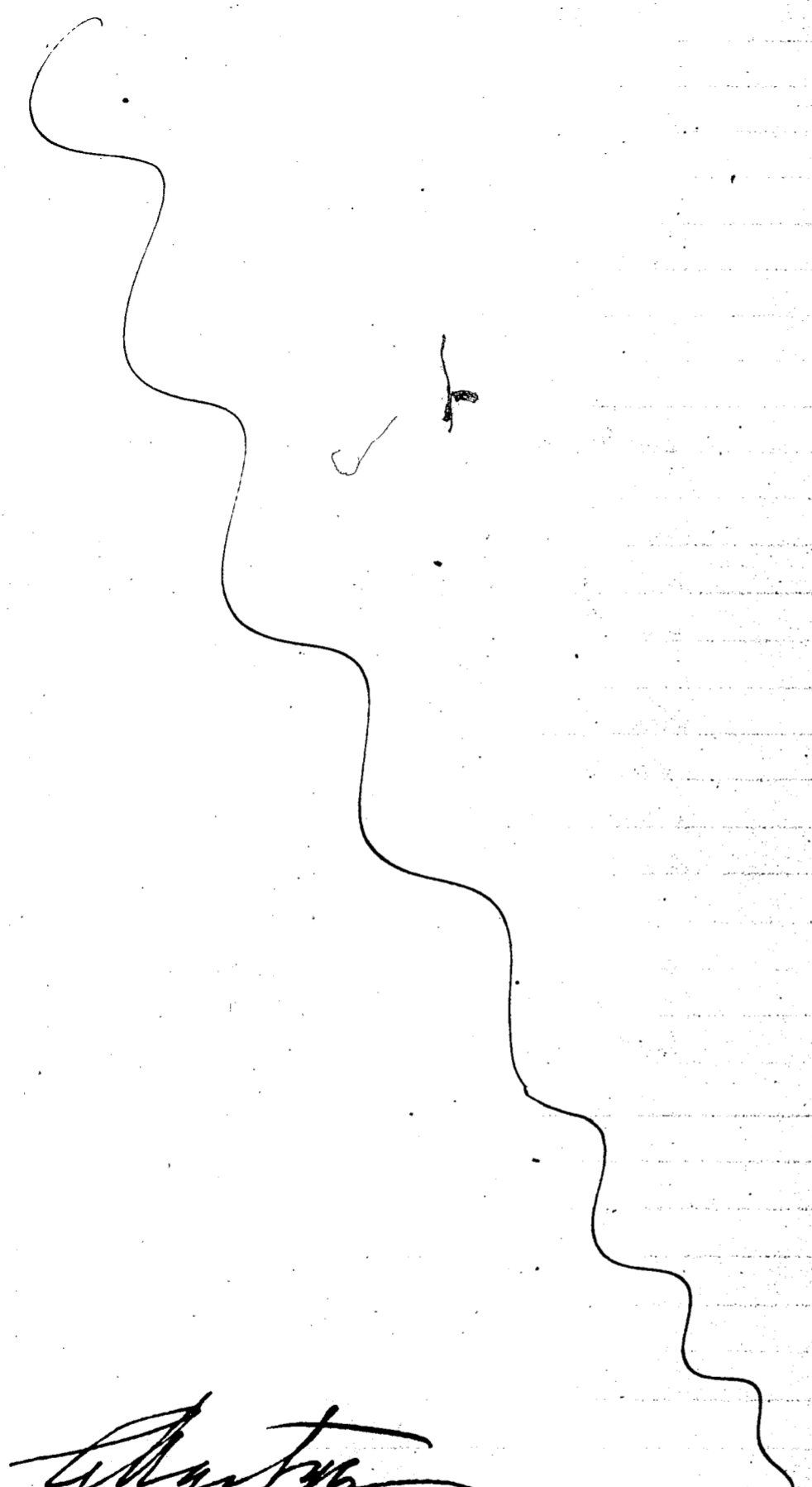
Copy of Mr. Maher's letter alluded to, in the above resolution, viz.

Ballinacorney Workhouse
 November 20th 1856.

Gentlemen,
 Rev. Thomas Hardiman on Sunday last, expressed some words in his sermon which were calculated to render me odious in the children's eyes, as I consider, He said I brought books into the school that would cause them to change their faith, that I belied my parish priest and my Chaplain, and that he was a shuffler, that it was the devil that was putting it into my mind and that he got Downland out, and he would get others too, some of the children made use of the word Downland, I consider it was alluded to myself.

John Maher





Charles
Robert Light
Francis Lawrie

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *27th*
day of *November* 185 *6*

(Signed) *John Mullins*
Acting Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Ballinacree
UNION, on Thurs day, the 20th day of November 1856
—continued.

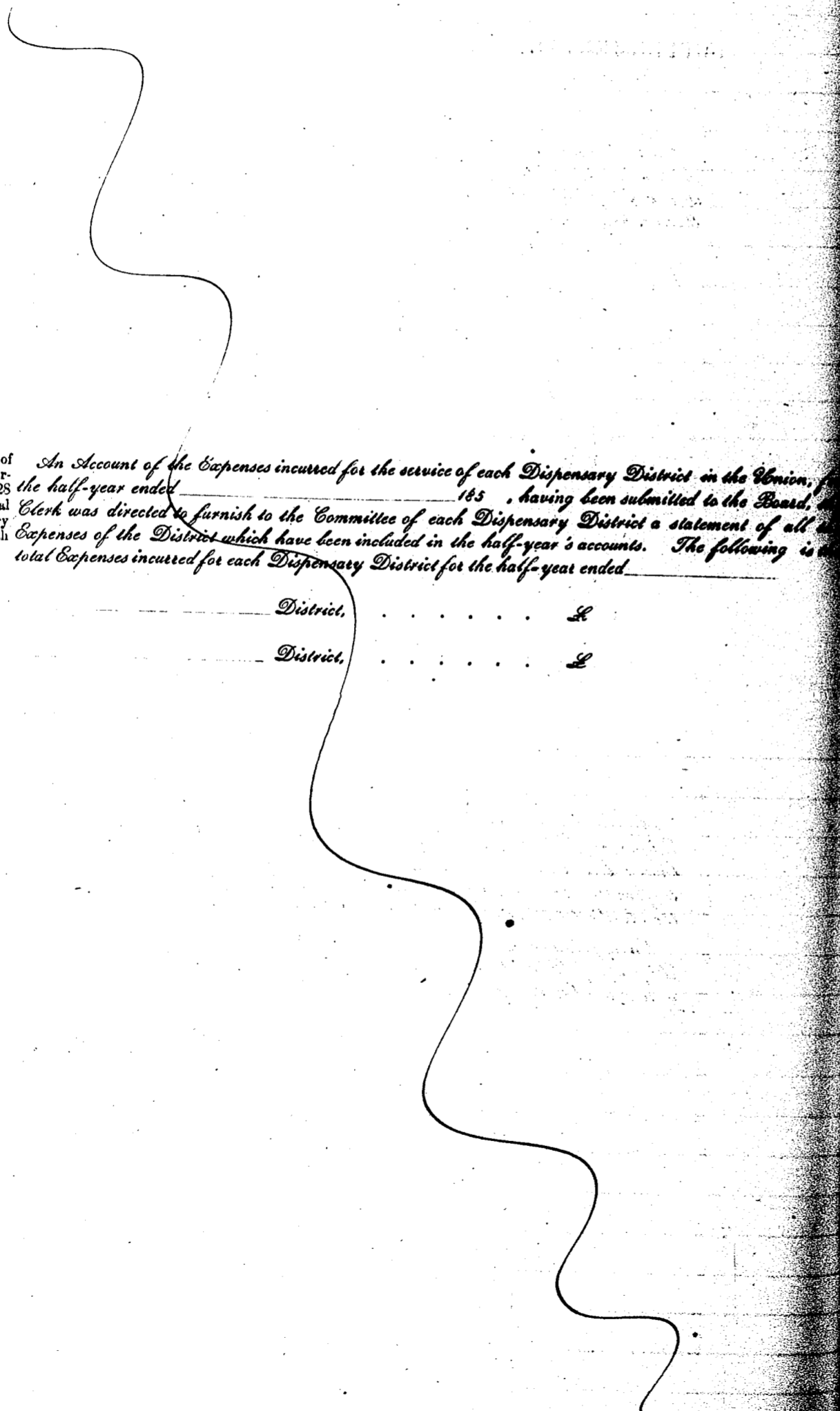
SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

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

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of
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 £ _____



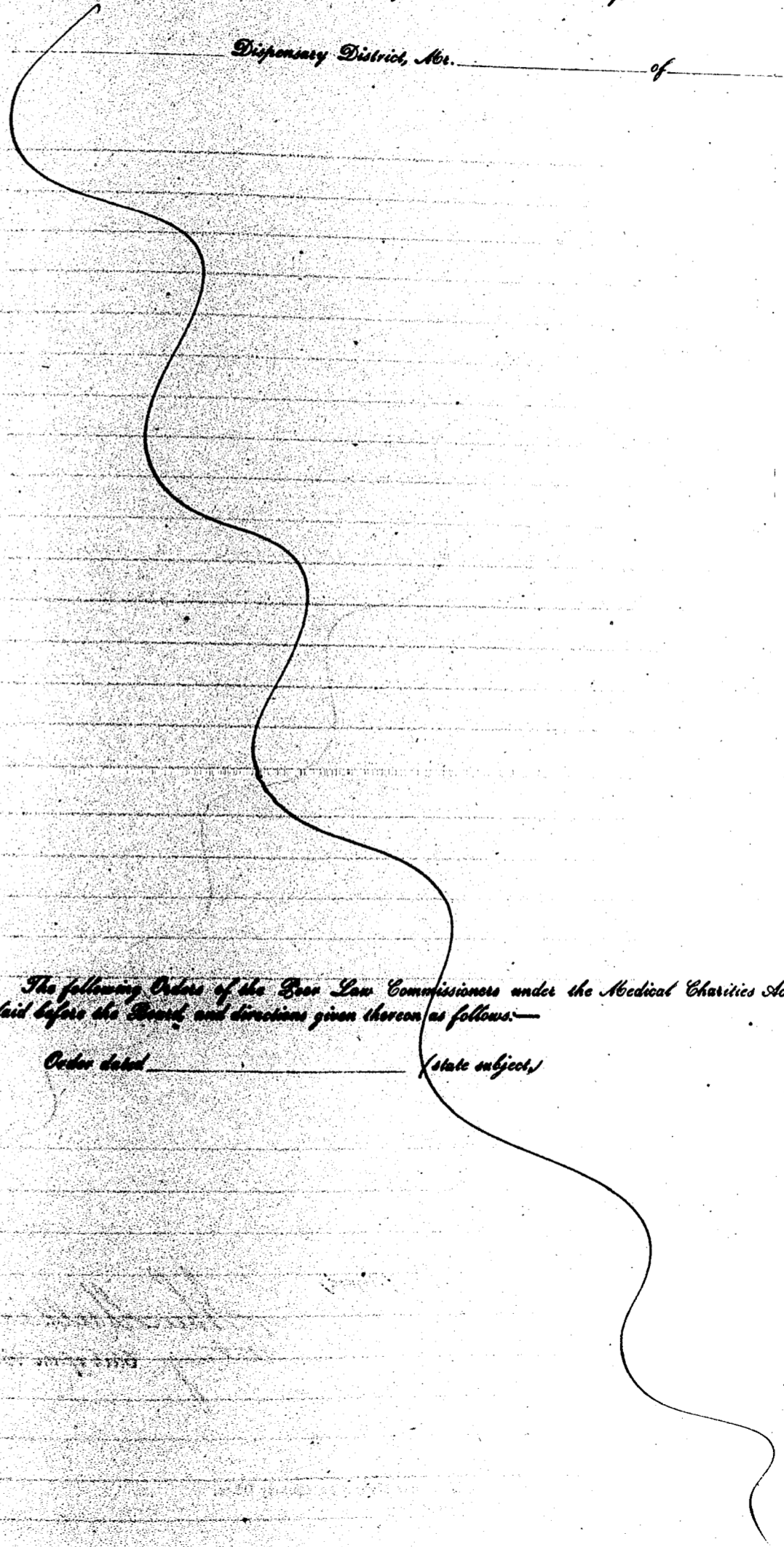
[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 1853, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____

| | |
|---------------------------|---------|
| _____ District, | £ _____ |
| _____ District, | £ _____ |

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____



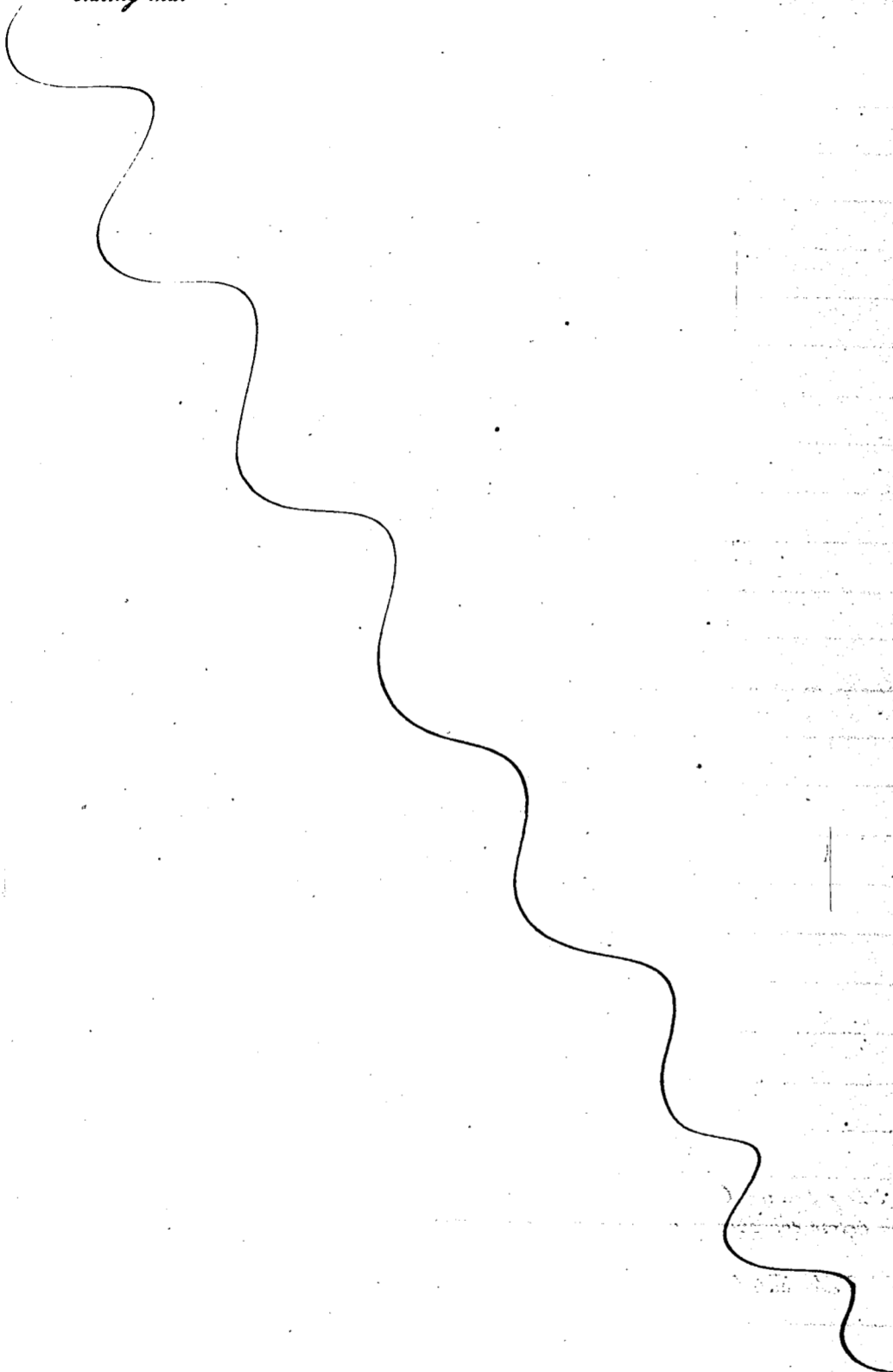
The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order dated _____ (state subject,)

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

Read Letter from
stating that

dated



(Signed)

J. Mullins
Acting Clerk of the Union.

Callmole UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,703

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,725.7 3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 22 day of November 1856

| Number of Inmates for whom accommodation is provided | Males | Fem. | 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 5 and under 9 years of age | Infants under 5 years of age | Total | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|--|-------|------|-------------|------|---|------|--|-------|---|---|------------------------------|-------|--------------------------------------|---|--------------|--|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | |
| Workhouse, Temporary Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Fever Sheds, | 1108 | 169 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 1277 | 169 | | | | | | | | | | 1446 | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | 6 | 20 | 17 | 28 | 38 | 30 | 14 | 6 | 6 | | | 167 | In Work-house Hospital, 28 | In separate Wards with other inmates, 3 | | |
| Admitted during the Week | | 1 | | 2 | | | | | | | 1 | 4 | 8 | 3 | | |
| TOTAL | 6 | 21 | 17 | 30 | 38 | 30 | 14 | 6 | 7 | | | 171 | 36 | 6 | | |
| Discharged during the Week | 1 | | 1 | | | | | | | | | 2 | | | | |
| Died | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead | 1 | | 1 | | | | | | | | | 2 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | 5 | 23 | 16 | 30 | 38 | 30 | 14 | 6 | 7 | | | 166 | | | | |

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 22 day of November 1856, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Tuesday the 27 day of November 1856

PRESENT: In the Chair, Geoffrey Martyn Esq. Other Guardians:

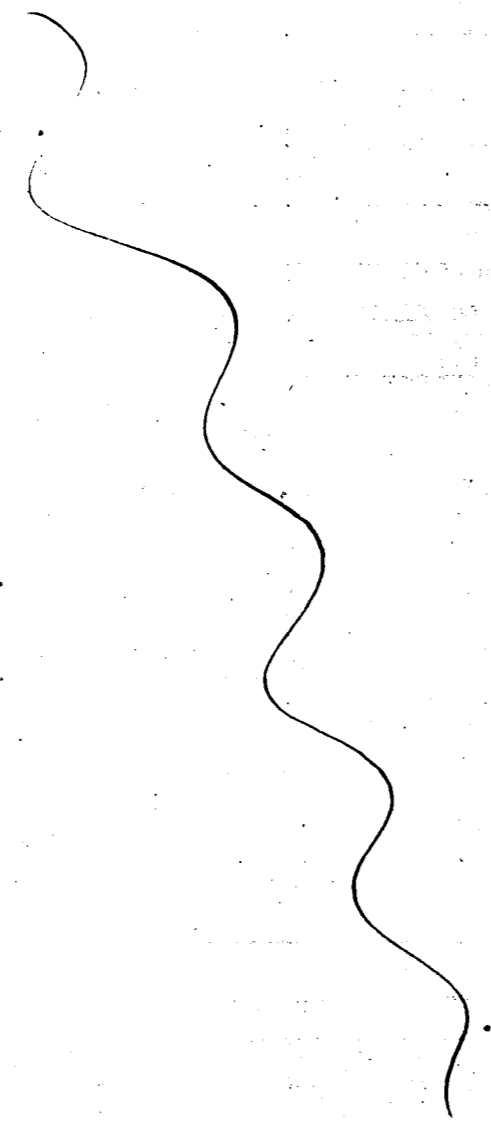
Colonel Knox, Courtney Kenny, Robert High, Charles W. Jennings, John Hearne junr, Esq. & several others

R. Rowke Esq. Barrister at Law also attended the Meeting.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 13th section of the 7 & 6 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 954 to No. 958, 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, - - - - - £ 7/6 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 13:0:0 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 321:11:7 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. | | | |
| Adam Neal | Ballinroole | | | | | | | 358 | 17 | 4 1/4 | | | | | | |
| | Ballinaculla | | | | | | | 17 | 13 | 10 1/2 | | | | | | |
| | Ovenbrinn | | | | | | | 50 | 1 | 4 | | | | | | |
| | Portroyal | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 0 1/2 | | | | | | |
| | Total | | | | | | | | | | 435 | 14 | 1/2 | | | |
| Thomas R. Mudge | Peninsarra | | | | | | | 100 | 8 | 3 1/4 | | | | | | |
| | Coonard | | | | | | | 38 | 11 | 9 | | | | | | |
| | Hollymount | | | | | | | 95 | 17 | 9 | | | | | | |
| | Kilbannon | | | | | | | 114 | 10 | 2 1/2 | | | | | | |
| | Neeshook | | | | | | | 79 | 10 | 10 1/4 | | | | | | |
| | Baskie | | | | | | | 44 | 4 | 10 1/2 | | | | | | |
| | Shants | | | | | | | 158 | 17 | 3 1/4 | | | | | | |
| | Polquin | | | | | | | 148 | 6 | 0 | | | | | | |
| | Kilbinnard | | | | | | | 151 | 15 | 2 1/2 | | | | | | |
| | Total | | | | | | | 98 | 0 | 7 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 1030 | 2 | 10 1/4 | | | |
| Thomas Grady | Cong | | | 16 | | | | | | | 170 | 19 | 5 1/4 | | | |
| | Strandswood | | | 12 | 3 | 1 | | | | | 84 | 5 | 7 | | | |
| Total | | | | | | | 13 | 0 | 0 | | | | 255 | 5 | 0 1/4 | |
| Total | | | | | | | £ | 13 | 0 | 0 | | | | 1721 | 2 | 0 1/4 |

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 15. 2 s. 5 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 16-10-6

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1 7/2

Average Cost in Infirmary. 2 2/4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital. 3 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:

5 Yards of printed Cotton, 3 Yards of Murrel, 150 Lin'd Platters,
 12 Yards of Calico, 8 Yards of lining Calico,
 9 Yards of Carduus, 2 Cloth Caps, 1 large
 Wool-shawl, one Dozen pieces of Tape, 3 lbs
 of White Thread, 3 lbs of Black Thread, 1 1/8 lbs
 of Tea, 7 lbs of Sugar, 1 1/2 lbs of pepper, 7 lbs
 of Soap Candles, 3 lbs of Mould Candles, 2 1/4
 lbs of Yellow Soap, 2 lbs of Marsh, 1 1/4 lbs of
 Soda, 1/2 lb of Olive, 1/4 lb of Staps, 3 1/2 lbs of
 Malt, 60 lbs of Meat, 130 Gallons of Sweet
 Milk, 70 Boxes of Lard, 170 Stone of
 Washed Potatoes, 80 lbs of white Bread,

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 22 day of Nov. 1854; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, Nil
 In kind, Nil
 Total. Nil

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

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

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. | | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. |
| No. I. | | | | | By forward | | | | |
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| No. IX. | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | |
| Car. fwd. | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

Number of successful cases:

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

Visited the Workhouse, Infirmary, &c. &c. found them clean and orderly,
Charleston,

Ballinacree, November 22: 1860,

The Report of the allocated was read and orders made thereon as follows:—

Ballinacree Workhouse
27th November, 1860.

Gentlemen,

In compliance with the directions and authority you gave me on last Board-day, to provide the requisite supply of 100 Tin Plates, according to the pattern and on the cheapest terms I could; I beg to inform you that I accordingly agreed with John Watson of Ballinacree (the present Contractor for Tin ware) to supply them of the best description, and such as will be approved of, at the rate of 7 each,

The Provisions and Necessaries supplied during the week were good,

The Reports of the Board and the Officers was read and Orders made thereon, as follows:

Require some glazing to be done, (particularly a few panes in the Schools and Nursery) and have called repeatedly on the Contractor (Martin Bewke), to come and do it, which altho' he always promises, he has neglected to do,

Mr. Regent the Clothing Contractor has now ready for delivery all the Clothing Materials for which he got a Board's Order on the 23rd ultimo; and all of which he now has in the Hall, waiting your inspection, and approval of them.

I am, Gentlemen,

Your obed^t. Serv^t.

John McAllen Master,

The Board of Guardians
Ballinacree Union,

With reference to the Master's report it is Resolved that he be again directed to call upon the Contractor for glazing, and urge upon him the necessity which exists for at once completing the work required in the House,

That before another contract is

made.

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

made for Glaziers Work, the Clerk be directed to ascertain the price of a Cradle of glass cut in panes to suit the Workhouse windows,

That the inspection of the Clothing Materials be adjourned to Friday the 25th Inst.

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

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners N^o 270-1856, dated 20th Nov. 1856, requesting a Return, giving a summary of the cases vaccinated in the Workhouse during the Year ended 30th Sept. 1856,

Circular Letter from same N^o 271-1856, dated 21st November 1856, requesting Returns, connected with the Expenditures of the Union for the Year ended 29th September 1856,

Circular Letter from same N^o 28752, 56, dated 25th November 1856, requesting a Return relative to the Sunatics, Idiots, and Epileptic Imbeciles in the Workhouse on the 1st December next,

Letter from the Reverend Thos. Hardiman, Catholic Chaplain, dated 26th Nov. 1856, relative to the "Scripture Lessons" being used as Books for religious instruction in the Male School of the Workhouse, and requesting their withdrawal from the School,

Resolved that the consideration of the Reverend Mr. Hardiman's Letter be adjourned to this day next, and that in the mean time all copies of the Scripture Lessons be deposited in the Board Room, and that the Clerk do inform the Rev. Mr. Hardiman accordingly,

The Board adjourned at its rising to Friday the 28th Inst.

At an adjourned Meeting of the Board of Guardians held on Friday the 28th of November 1856,

Present in the chair Courtney Kenny Esq;
other Members,
Colonel Knox, and John Keane jun^r Esq;

Resolved that having inspected the Clothing Materials supplied by Mr. Wm. Regan Contractor, the Board is satisfied that they are in every respect equal to the samples which have been approved of; and the Clerk is therefore directed to take these Materials into store,

Resolved that the Board approve of the Apparatus for Stealing Potatoes, erected in the Workhouse Kitchen by Michael Moran, and that therefore, a charge be drawn on the Union Treasurer in his favor for the amount of his Contract, by Esq;

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

| | |
|---|-----|
| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was | 2 |
| Ditto, disallowed | nil |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | 2 |

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

| | |
|--|-----|
| The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered | nil |
|--|-----|

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

*W. K. ...
M. W. ...
W. C. ...*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *4th*
day of *December* 185*6*

(Signed) *Thomas ...*

Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE Ballinacree
UNION, ON Thurs day, the 27th day of November 1856
—continued.

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

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

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the Ballinacree
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of 23 October 1856
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and ~~(was directed
to forward the same as 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 service of each Dispensary District in the Union, the half-year ended 185 , having been submitted to the Board, Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____

District, £ _____

District, £ _____

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

(Signed)

Thomas May

Clerk of the Union.

Ballinacree UNION.

Population in 1851, 87,708,

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,725. 7. 3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 29th day of November 1856

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each building | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons above 18 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 3 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, . . . | 1000 | 159 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, . . . | 1068 | 19 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | 1 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, . . . | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, . . . | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 5 | 23 | 11 | 30 | 35 | 30 | 14 | 6 | 7 | 166 | In Workhouse Hospital, 38 | In separate Wards, 1 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | 1 | In Fever Hospital, 1 | In Wards with other inmates, 8 | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 5 | 23 | 17 | 30 | 35 | 30 | 14 | 6 | 7 | 167 | Total, 39 | Total, 8 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 5 | 23 | 17 | 29 | 33 | 30 | 14 | 6 | 6 | 160 | | | | |

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 29th day of Nov 1856, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

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

the 14th day of December 1856

PRESENT: In the Chair, Geoffrey Martyn Esq

Other Guardians: Colonel Knox, Courtney Remy, Robert Light, D. Blake, and James Laurie Esq.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 61.

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

That he informed the Rev. Mr. Headman that all copies of the "Scriptural Seasons" were directed to be deposited in the Board-Room,

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, - - - - - £ 222. 1-10
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 16-14-2
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 506-19-0
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Weekly Balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

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

| Name of each Collector | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts | Collected and Lodged | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | |
|------------------------|---|----------------------|----|-------|-------|----|----|-----------|----|-------|-------|----|-------|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| Edw. Neal | Ballinacole | 65 | 4 | 2 1/2 | | | | 293 | 13 | 2 3/4 | | | |
| | Ballinacolla | | | | | | | 17 | 13 | 1 1/2 | | | |
| | Oscubinn | | | | | | | 57 | 1 | 4 | | | |
| | Portroyal | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 0 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | 65 | 4 | 2 | | | | 370 | 10 | 5 1/2 |
| Thomas Ruttledge | Burriscarra | 11 | 10 | 7 1/2 | | | | 88 | 15 | 8 1/4 | | | |
| | Doonard | 7 | 5 | 7 1/2 | | | | 31 | 6 | 2 | | | |
| | Hallymount | 7 | 12 | 1/2 | | | | 95 | 5 | 9 | | | |
| | Kilbinnion | 1 | 18 | 2 1/2 | | | | 112 | 12 | 1 1/4 | | | |
| | Keelwood | 11 | 17 | 3 1/2 | | | | 67 | 13 | 7 1/4 | | | |
| | Doolee | 8 | 14 | 2 1/2 | | | | 35 | 10 | 5 1/4 | | | |
| | Shrule | 19 | 15 | 8 1/2 | | | | 139 | 1 | 7 1/4 | | | |
| | Dalgin | 63 | 12 | 7 1/2 | | | | 84 | 13 | 5 | | | |
| | Chimney | 11 | 9 | 8 1/2 | | | | 140 | 5 | 7 1/2 | | | |
| | Donle | | | | | | | 98 | 0 | 7 | | | |
| | | | | | 136 | 17 | 8 | | | | 893 | 5 | 2 3/4 |
| Thomas Grady | Long | | | | | | | 170 | 19 | 5 1/4 | | | |
| | Chandoswood | | | | | | | 84 | 5 | 7 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 258 | 5 | 0 1/4 |
| Totals, | | | | | 202 | 1 | 10 | | | | 1519 | 0 | 8 1/2 |

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 111. 17 s. 7 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 16 - 16 - 5 1/2 d.

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1 - 8

Average Cost in Infirmary. - 2 - 2 1/4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital. - 3 - 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:

6 1/2 cwt of Calico for Surgery, 12 cwt of Flour Meal, 4 cwt of Oatmeal, 178 lbs of Tea, 7 1/2 lbs of Sugar, 1 lb of pepper, 7 lbs of Ribt Candles, 9 lbs of Mould Candles, 2 1/4 lbs of Yellow Soap, 2 lbs of Starch, 14 lbs of Soda, 2 lbs of Blue, 100 lbs of Meat, 120 Gallons of Sweet-milk, 130 Stone of Washed Potatoes, 300 Cwt of white Bread, 70 Boxes of Gurf, 3 Loads of Scouring Sand, 1000 of Springs 1/2 doz of large Nails,

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 29th day of Nov: 1856 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, £ nil
 In kind, nil
 Total. nil

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

William Regan for clothing materials £ 81 9 5
 Mary M^o Govern for Straw 1 11 8

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

2. Establishment Account.

Mary M^o Govern for Brooms " 13 11
 P. Monahan for Candles for Board Room " 9 9
 John Watson for Linen 6 5 0
 Walter Kelly for Salary as Valet 3 0 0
 Tho^o Sample for Salary as Baker 3 6 8
 Geo Kelly for Books and Stationery 3 1 2
 Henry Hancock for Salary as Relieving Officer 3 0 0

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

| | £ | s. | d. |
|-------------------------------|----|----|----|
| John Donahoe for Bread Stuffs | 40 | 9 | 6 |
| • Gary M. Gorman for Fuel | 10 | 18 | 9 |
| P. Monahan for Groceries | 7 | 4 | 2 |
| • Martin Higgins for Milk | 17 | 5 | 10 |
| Matthew Moran for Meat | 5 | 1 | 11 |

Debit Workhouse Invoice Acc^t, and Credit Groceries with the several sums as above,

| | | | |
|---|---|---|----|
| 4 Rural Acc ^t , Wm Regan for Shroding | " | 8 | 10 |
|---|---|---|----|

Rural

Debit ~~Workhouse Invoice Account~~, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above
Petty Disbursements
J. Outdoor Relief Account.

| | £ | s. | d. |
|--|---|----|----|
| Clerk of Union for to provide for payment of Petty Disbursements, | 5 | 1 | 6 |

Petty Disbursements

Credit Treasurer and Debit ~~Outdoor Relief Invoice Account~~ with the several sums as above.

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

Number of successful cases:

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

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

Letter from the ^{read by the Clerk}
The following ~~Orders of the~~ Poor Law Commissioners were ~~sent to the Board~~, and directions given thereon, as follows:

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners
Dated 2^d December 1856, N^o 272-1156, requesting to
Return respecting the Current Rates, and any new Rates
agreed upon, in the Union, during the Month of November
1856,

Letter from same Dated 3^d December 1856
N^o 31.111 1856 in the reference to the recent inquiry
held by Mr. Bourke Poor Law Supt. into the allegations
contained in the letters of the Schoolmaster and Roman
Catholic Chaplain recorded in the Guardians Minutes of
the 13th Ultimo, and stating that they will defer expressing
their opinion upon the facts elicited at the inquiry, until
they shall receive Mr. Bourke's further report on the inquiry

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 (see Orders made on them
respectively as follows:)

which he proposes to hold into the statements contained
in the letter of Mr. Maher recorded in the Guardians
Minutes of the 20th Ultimo,

The following Letter was ordered to be entered on Minutes
St. Mary's Ballinacree
Gentlemen,
December the 4th 1856,

I visited the Female School of the Workhouse
within the past few days, I feel very great pleasure in
bearing testimony to the proficiency, regularity and
discipline which prevail amongst the Children therein,
I visited also the Boys School, but in consequence of recent
circumstances I did not examine the Children,

I regret much that a Misapprehension (for such
I conceive it to be) should occur to cause any dissatisfaction
or disagreement, I had not been aware until lately, that the
Book of Scripture Lessons was taught to the Children of the
Male School, I recollect some years since, meeting a
copy of the Book in one of the Tables of the Female School,
I then represented the matter and told the Schoolmistress
and Mother that the Book was prohibited in Catholic
Schools and requested that it would not be used for the
future, and thence forward it was suppressed and never

since introduced into the Female School,
Had I known or even suspected that it
was in use at any time in the Male School, I would have
felt it my duty, (as one of the officiating Priests in the
Workhouse) to call the attention of the Board of Guardians
to the matter and respectfully suggest and request of them
to direct the Schoolmaster to have it omitted on the ground
= do, of its being condemned by the Authorities of our
Church,

Gentlemen, I am sure there needs but a
temperate representation to you, even now, to the effect
that the Book of Scripture Lessons is prohibited in all
Catholic Schools of the Diocese by our Superior the
Archbishop of Tuam, and I have no doubt the knowledge
of this fact will secure your immediate, kind, courteous
and considerate attention, judging by experience of your
liberality and kindness on former occasions, and I do
confidently hope, that influenced by your former liberal
and enlightened views, you will not on this day or any other
pass or adopt any resolution which might preclude the
Catholic Children the use of the Book in question at
which might create discord or division,

not wishing to interfere with the Male
School until I have the pleasure of hearing from you,
annually awaiting your favourable and liberal
decision,

I have the honor to remain with
great respect,
Your humble Servant
P. Conway, C. C.

The Board of Guardians
of the Ballinacree Union,

The Clerk was directed to acknowledge receipt of the
Reasons Mr. Conway's Letter,

Referring to the Resolution passed on the last Board day relative to the use of the Scripture Lessons in the Workhouse Schools, and considering that as many Roman Catholic Parents object to their Children being taught the Scripture Lessons, and as the Children in the Workhouse are exclusively Roman Catholic, many of them being Orphans, it is ~~Unanimously~~ Resolved, that the ~~Scripture~~ Lessons shall ~~be~~ ~~used~~ ~~as~~ ~~a~~ ~~part~~ ~~of~~ the Education of the Roman Catholic Children.

It is ~~Unanimously~~ Resolved that the Board of Guardians feel called upon again to observe on the unjustifiable conduct of the Chaplain with regard to the use of these Books in the Workhouse Schools, if they were considered objectionable by him, it was clearly his duty to have represented this to the Board instead of contending to their regular use in the Schools for many Months, and then forbidding the Children to use them, without having first consulted the Board, which has led to the unpleasant circumstances which rendered the late inquiry necessary.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 11

Ditto, disallowed 1

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 12

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was 11

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 1

The number of other applicants in the Poorlaw Officer's Books returned by order of the Guardians was 1

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered 1

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

It is ~~Unanimously~~ Resolved that the Board of Guardians must reiterate their former statement that they have been at all times ready to attend to any suggestions put forward in a temperate and proper manner by the Chaplain,

Proposed by Estemey Esq
Seconded by Colborne,

Resolved that having considered the great diminution of pauperism in the County of Mayo, and the improved condition and prospects of the County in every point of view, the Board considers it highly expedient that the number of Unions be reduced to the number established on the first introduction of the Poor Law in this Kingdom, and that the new Unions formed to meet an emergency created by the famine years should be dissolved and incorporated with the parent ones, so that the Establishment Charges which are now vastly disproportionate to the cost of direct relief afforded to the Pauper may be reduced to an amount commensurate with the proper supervision of the Poor Law Administration

That therefore, a Committee consisting of Colonel Knox, Gellatyn, Estemey, R. High, and D. E. B. be appointed to prepare Petitions to Parliament embodying the views of the Board on this subject, and praying that a bill may be passed into a Law, enabling the Poor Law Commissioners to dissolve the Unions formed in 1849, and 1850, [which are now wholly unnecessary for Relief purposes] and that a Petition be also prepared requesting the co-operation of His Excellency the Lord Lieutenant to such a measure,

The Board adjourned to Friday the 5th Inst at 8 O'Clock PM.

The Board met according to adjournment on Saturday the 6th Inst at 3 O'Clock PM.

Present

Present in the Chair. Geoffrey Martyn Esq

Other Members. Col Knox, Courtney Kenny, R. Y. Light
and John McCarne junr. Esq.

The Board examined the several Accounts submitted
by the Clerk, and directed cheques to be drawn on the
Treasurer for such of the Accounts as were approved of,
the particulars of the cheques so drawn, are entered
on pages five, and six, of these Minutes, no other
business was transacted at the adjourned Meeting

Mrs. M. M. M.

Robt. Light

John Griffiths

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Sunday the 11th
day of Dec. 1856

(Signed) Thomas Mearns

Clerk of the Union.

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[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the *Pallinotie*
UNION, on *Thurs* day, the *4th* day of *Decr.* 185 *6*
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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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

Dispensary District, Mr. of

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

Order dated (state subject)

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

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

(Signed)

Thomas Hall
Clerk of the Union.

Ballinacorney UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,703,

Present Net Annual Value, £38,725.7

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of December 1856

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each building | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 9 and under 15 years of age | Children above 2 and under 9 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | Total | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS |
|---|---|--|-------------|------|--|------|--|-------|--|---|------------------------------|-------|--------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | |
| Workhouse, | 1000 | 162 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 1068 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | 80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 2148 | 162 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 5 | 20 | 17 | 29 | 33 | 30 | 14 | 6 | 6 | 160 | In Workhouse Hospital, 38 | In Fever Hospital, 27 | In Wards with other inmates, 8 |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 1 | 0 | 1 | | | | | | 1 | 3 | Total, 38 | Total, 8 | |
| TOTAL, | | | 6 | 20 | 18 | 29 | 33 | 30 | 14 | 6 | 7 | 163 | | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | 1 | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | 1 | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 6 | 20 | 18 | 28 | 29 | 30 | 14 | 6 | 7 | 162 | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6th day of Dec. 1856 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | | | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | | | |
| No. II. | 1 | 1 | | | 1 | 1 | No. X. | | | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | | | No. XI. | | | | | | |
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| No. VIII. | | | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| Can. forwarded | 1 | 1 | | | 1 | 1 | TOTAL, | | | | | | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Thursday* the 11th day of *December* 1856

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Colm. Knave,*
Other Guardians:

Robert Dwyer, and John Griffin Esqrs.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 957 to No. 962, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Outdoor Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 10 to No. 11 inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:

The 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, - - - - - £ 71.1
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 68.9.7
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 438-9-8
 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. |
| Admiral Keel | Fallinchoe | | | | | | | 273 | 13 | 2 1/2 | | | |
| | Ballinchalla | | | | | | | 17 | 13 | 10 1/2 | | | |
| | Owenbrinn | | | | | | | 50 | 1 | 14 | | | |
| | Portroyal | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 0 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 370 | 10 | 5 1/2 |
| Thomas Rutledge | Ruriscara | | | | | | | 88 | 15 | 8 1/2 | | | |
| | Coonard | | | | | | | 81 | 6 | 2 | | | |
| | Hollymount | | | | | | | 95 | 5 | 9 | | | |
| | Kilcommon | | | | | | | 112 | 12 | 1 1/2 | | | |
| | Leighbrook | | | | | | | 67 | 13 | 7 1/2 | | | |
| | Roske | | | | | | | 85 | 10 | 8 1/2 | | | |
| | Shrule | | | | | | | 139 | 1 | 7 1/2 | | | |
| | Dalgin | | | | | | | 84 | 13 | 8 | | | |
| | Trilmaine | | | | | | | 140 | 5 | 7 1/2 | | | |
| Kenle | | | | | | | 98 | 0 | 7 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 873 | 5 | 23 1/2 |
| Thomas Gandy | Coon | | | | | | | 170 | 17 | 5 1/2 | | | |
| | Strands wood | | | | | | | 84 | 5 | 7 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 255 | 5 | 0 1/2 |
| | Totals | | | | | | | | | | 1519 | 0 | 8 1/2 |

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 Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 13. 3. 11 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 12. 0 s. 10 1/2 p.

| | | |
|--|----|--------|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. | | |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | 16 | 5 |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account. | | |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | 1 | 7 1/2 |
| Average Cost in Infirmary. | 2 | 14 3/4 |
| Average Cost in Fever Hospital. | | |

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

1 1/8 lb of Tea, 7 1/2 lb of Sugar, 1 1/2 lb of pepper,
 7 lb of Port Candles, 2 lb of Marsh Candles,
 2 lb of Yellow Soap, 2 lb of Starch, 1 1/4
 lb of Soda, 2 lb of Blue, 55 lb of Meal,
 130 Gallons of Sweet Milk, 170 Stone of
 Washed Potatoes, 370 lb of White Bread,
 70 Boxes of Beer, 100 Heads Brooms,

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 6 day of Decr. 1846: whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

| | | | |
|-----------|---|----|-----|
| | £ | s. | d. |
| In money, | — | 2 | 6 |
| In kind, | — | | nil |
| Total. | | 2 | 6 |

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

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

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer | | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer | | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|----|-------------------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-------|-------------------------|---------------|
| | | £ | d. | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. | | | £ | s. d. | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. |
| No. I. | | | | | | By forward | | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | | No. X. | | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | | No. XI. | | | | | |
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| No. VIII. | | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | |
| Car. frwd. | | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

The Report of the Master was read and orders made thereon as follows,

Ballinacree Workhouse
17th Decr. 1846

Gentlemen,

I beg to report to you that it is necessary to repair some slight damage done to the House, by the high wind of last Tuesday, a few slates and about two Dozen of tiles were blown off the Western wing building, the wooden partition enclosing the Laundry Yard was blown down, and a few stones displaced in one of the doors of the Ladies Hospital Yard.

The Provisions and Necessaries supplied to me during the week were good.

I am, Gentlemen,

Your obed^t. Serv^t.

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

John Muller

Workhouse Master

To the Board of Guardians
of Ballinacree Union,

Resolved that the Master be authorized to employ a Slater, Carpenter, and Mason, to repair the damage done by the recent storm, and to procure the necessary Materials for the work,

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 from Clerk of Westport Union dated 8th Decr. 1856, enclosing a copy of a Resolution passed at a Meeting of the Board of Guardians of Westport Union held on the 5th Inst. on the subject of Amalgamation of Unions,

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners 4th 31. 619/1856, dated 10th December 1856. stating that the Commissioners have received Mr. Bourke's reports and the Minutes of Evidence taken by him at the enquiries which he has recently held at Ballinrobe, in accordance with the request of the Board of Guardians, and that the Commissioners still have the reports and Evidence under their consideration,

The Clerk read a Letter from the Education Office of which the following is a copy,

Education Office
6th December 1856.

Sir,

We forward, for the information of the Board of Guardians, the following extracts from the Inspector's Report of the 27th Ult. on the Wallinole Poor Law Union National School,

"The teachers are in 3, and their method of conducting the school is careful and diligent"

The course of instruction is suitable, and embraces the subjects laid down in the "Programme" for the respective classes, and the proficiency is rather above than below the minimum standard in all particulars, except in the Arithmetical class in the boys department,

"The School is progressing"

We are, Sir,
Your obedient Servants,
Maurice Croft
James Kelly, Secretary

To The Clerk of the Union
Ballinrobe,

Resolved that a copy of a Letter received from the Rev. Mr. Hardiman Roman Catholic Chaplain be inserted on the Minutes, and a copy published in the "Mayo Constitution" in accordance with his request, and that the Clerk do inform the Rev. Mr. Hardiman accordingly,

Clerk

Kallinole, Dec: 8th 1856

I have received through the Clerk of the Union Mr. May, a copy of the Resolutions adopted by the Board of Guardians on last Thursday, and signed by you as Chairman, with respect to the removal of the "Scripture Lessons" from the Workhouse School,

I should have preferred rejoicing in silence at the good that has been thus achieved, had not the Document issued by your Board been of such a Nature as almost to oblige me to say something in reply. For the wording of your Resolutions is such, even exclusive of the inaccuracies and misstatements which they contain (unwillingly of course) that I consider I certainly owe it to my position, to justice and to truth, to address a few respectful words to you and your Board, by way of explanation, correction and remonstrance,

The first thing then in your Resolutions to which I take decided exception, is the reason you assign for removing the "Scripture Lessons" from the Workhouse School - Namely "that many Roman Catholic Parents object to their children being taught the Scripture Lessons"

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

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|--|-----|
| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was | 1 |
| Ditto, disallowed | Nil |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | 2 |
| | |
| The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was | Nil |
| Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians | Nil |
| The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was | 1 |
| | |
| The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered | Nil |

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

Now, although that reason might perhaps weigh as a Motive with some protestant Gentlemen, or with a Board exclusively protestant, it is not, it could not be a reason or motive with any Catholic, Priest or Layman, in such circumstances. For as you are aware, it is quite enough for the Catholic to know that the "Scripture Lessons" had been condemned, by the "Holy See" that he requires no further motive to make him anxious to remove them from a school where there are now but Catholic Children -

And consequently even in the improbable hypothesis that the parents of the poor children of the Workhouse were actually to express a wish that their children should be taught the "Scripture Lessons" no Catholic would be justified in giving his sanction to their use in such circumstances. No Catholic rejects the Books because the Church has condemned them, not because the Parents object to them, this is a principle which we can never give up.

The next Matter in your Resolutions that calls for an observation from me is the strong, and you will allow me to add the uncalculated language in which you think proper to denounce what you are pleased to term the "unquiet conduct of the Chaplain". The Resolution says - "If he considered them [i.e. the Books] objectionable it was his duty to represent this to the Board instead of consenting to their regular use for many Months, and then forbidding the Children to use them"

Now, had I been really guilty of what you give me credit for in this extract - and what authority I cannot even guess, I at once, admit of your reproof, sharp though it be, would not be half so sure enough for me, nor had I acted as your Resolution asserts, I would have been not only wanting in the discharge of my civil duties as a paid Officer of the Workhouse, but would have moreover compromised my Character as Parish Priest of Kallinole and have deserved to be called to a strict account by my Ecclesiastical Superior for having become the cause of "Scandal to the little ones"; and for showing not only disrespect, but also disobedience to the "Holy See"

But I emphatically deny that I have ever "consented" directly or indirectly to the use of the Scripture Lessons in the Workhouse School, for one day, much less for "Many Months", as is so gratuitously by stated in your Resolution, when;? where;? How? I ask did I ever consent

to their "regular use"? - In proof of what I say I beg to refer you to my letter of the 10th inst. to the Clerk of the Union on this subject, a member of your Board thought fit to publish that letter, "I am it you will have seen that I therein stated that one of my first Official Acts on being appointed Chaplain - six years ago, was to cause the "Scripture Lessons" to be removed from the Workhouse Schools, as being a forbidden work, as regards Catholics - This fact was proved on Oath by the relation before Mr. Bowke in your presence; and I myself put it forth in my statement made before Mr. Bowke in your presence, which statement as you know I offered to confirm on Oath, The Master said he had never heard of or seen the "Scripture Lessons" taught in the School till this controversy arose, Even the so-called Manager of the School corroborated this - May the Veracious Schoolmaster himself had to admit that he had ^{not} introduced those Books at least publicly into his School till about four months ago - the very time that I had found it necessary to call another Schoolmaster outside the Workhouse to account for having introduced the same uncatholic work into his school, And you will please recollect that the Schoolmaster did not venture to say that I was aware of his having brought the "Scripture Lessons" into the School, until the day I called, to question him on the subject.

It may perhaps, be not amiss to remind the Board of Guardians and yourself, that as laborious duty having caused me to be absent from the Parish last Harvest for more than two months, the charge of the Workhouse devolved during that period on my Co-operators on this Mission, whether these "Scripture Lessons" got any sort of toleration in the Workhouse School from them during that interval of course of my own knowledge I cannot say; but I should be greatly surprised if they did, One thing I know and I solemnly declare - I was never a "consenting" party to their introduction or retention there,

But

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

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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

But I may be asked why did I not refer the matter at once to the Board of Guardians? I answer briefly, because I did not deem it necessary to do so; in as much as that the teacher had told me over and over, that he ^{had} introduced these books on his own authority merely, simply because he considered them fit to be used for "Religious Instruction", & had no hesitation therefore in coming to the conclusion, that it was at least as lawful for the Schoolmaster to send out as it was to bring in these forbidden Books, without reference to any Superior Authority, particularly as in removing them he would be acting under my instruction who had duty it is to watch over the faith and Morals of the Children,

Besides, you will please remember that I did lay the matter before the Board when complaining of the teacher for refusing to remove the forbidden Books out of the school, and I found it necessary to trouble the Board even with a second letter on the subject - more than a fortnight having elapsed before I got any reply to my letter, in fact, as I told you in presence of Mr. Bowke the Inspector, the first proof I got of your having received my communication was from seeing it printed in a radical Orange Newspaper accompanied by a set of severe Resolutions of your Board; and a choice selection of characteristic abuse flung at me by the paper, which had been set at me to hound me down: - and all this "pendente lite" - while the subject was in the hands of the Poor Law Commissioners to whom yourselves had thought proper to refer the whole case for adjudication;:

I have now, I think touched upon most of the salient points of your Resolutions: I might have said more; but I certainly could hardly have said less: I shall therefore conclude by claiming at your hands, as a matter of right that you place this letter on your Minutes and send it forward for the information of the Poor Law Commissioners; and moreover, should you think proper to publish your Resolutions, I trust you will see that fair play will require you to publish also my vindication, should you however contrary to my hopes, refuse to comply with my just request in either respect, I shall take care to have it accomplished myself,

I have the honor to remain Sir,

Your humble Servant

J. G. Montgomerie Esq.
Chairman, &c. &c.

Thos. Hardiman R.P.
C. Chaplain.

on the application of the Medical Officer it was Resolved that a wooden leg be procured for Daniel Madden an Inmate of the Workhouse, whose leg has been amputated in the Workhouse Hospital

The Medical Officer submitted a requisition for Medicines, required in the Workhouse Hospital, the requisition was approved of, and the Clerk directed to order the Medicines specified therein from the Contractor,

Resolved that if the Contractor for Surf thinks fit, she can be accommodated with a store in one of the vacant shed Buildings, but she must be responsible for the Surf; and will only be allowed credit for such quantities as may be required weekly for consumption in the House, which she will have to measure out daily to the Workhouse Master,

Resolved that the Board accept of the proposal of Courtney Kenny Esq. to purchase a few loads of the stones of the unroofed shed Buildings at the rate of Six pence per Cart-load,

Next Meeting of the Board of Guardians to be held on Thursday the 18th day of December 1856,

(Signed,

Thomas May
Clerk of the Board

[Handwritten signatures and notes]
Wm. May
Wm. May
Wm. May

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

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UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____

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

_____ Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject,)

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

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Baltimore UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,703.

Present Net Annual Value, £38,725.7.3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of December 1856

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each Building | Total No. in each Building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 18 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, | 1000 | 163 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 1048 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | 80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 2148 | 163 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 6 | 20 | 18 | 28 | 33 | 30 | 14 | 6 | 7 | 162 | In Work-house Hospital, In Fever Hospital, | 39 | Inseparate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, | 27 |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | 1 | Total, | 39 | Total, | 8 |
| TOTAL, | | | 7 | 20 | 18 | 28 | 33 | 30 | 14 | 6 | 7 | 163 | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 7 | 20 | 18 | 28 | 33 | 30 | 14 | 6 | 7 | 163 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 13th day of Dec. 1856, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

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

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Goaffrey Martyn Esq* the 18th day of December 1856

Other Guardians:
*Colonel Knox, Courtney Kenny, Robert Ligon,
 Benjamin W Semings, John Griffin, Tho. Walsh, and
 John Kearne junr. Esquires,*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 21.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. ~~10~~ to ~~10~~ both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk. The Cap-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated from No. ~~10~~ 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:

That he wrote to the Rev. Mr. Hardiman, apprising him that the Board had complied with his request, as required by the insertion of his Letter of the 8th Inst. on the Minutes, and the publication of it, in the "Mayo Constitution" that he ordered the "wooden leg" for Daniel Madden, and the Medicine, required in the Workhouse Hospital,

That he informed the Stuf Contractor, that she could be accommodated with a stand for the Stuf,

That through a mistake, he omitted to enter on the Copy of the Minutes of last days proceedings, which he forwarded to the Poor Law Commissioners, the following Resolution passed on that day, viz:—

Resolved that the Board accept of the proposal of Courtney Kenny Esq to purchase a few loads of the Stone of the Unroofed Shed Buildings, at the rate of Six pence per Cart-load,

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, - - - - - £ 78-6-8

and during the week, - - - - - £ 120-15-10

and that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 396-0-6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

| Name of each Collector | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts | Collected and Lodged | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | |
|------------------------|---|----------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|-----------|----|--------|-------|----|-------|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| John Steele | Ballinmole | 65 | 6 | 8 | | | | 228 | 1 | 17 1/2 | | | |
| | Ballinchalla | | | | | | | 17 | 13 | 10 1/2 | | | |
| | Powdermill | | | | | | | 50 | 1 | 14 | | | |
| | Portroyal | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 0 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | 65 | 6 | 8 | | | | 305 | 5 | 1/2 |
| Thomas Rutledge | Burriscaua | | | | | | | 88 | 15 | 8 1/2 | | | |
| | Boonard | | | | | | | 31 | 1 | 2 | | | |
| | Hollymount | | | | | | | 95 | 5 | 9 | | | |
| | St. Thomas | | | | | | | 112 | 12 | 0 1/2 | | | |
| | Newbrook | | | | | | | 67 | 13 | 7 1/2 | | | |
| | Proslie | | | | | | | 35 | 10 | 8 1/2 | | | |
| | Shrule | | | | | | | 139 | 1 | 7 1/2 | | | |
| | Dalgin | | | | | | | 84 | 15 | 5 | | | |
| | Kilmaine | | | | | | | 140 | 5 | 7 1/2 | | | |
| | Steele | | | | | | | 98 | 0 | 7 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 593 | 5 | 2 1/4 |
| Thomas Grady | Conq | 11 | 17 | 6 | | | | 159 | 1 | 11 1/2 | | | |
| | St. Michaelswood | 1 | 2 | 6 | | | | 83 | 3 | 1 | | | |
| | | | | | 13 | 0 | 0 | | | | 242 | 8 | 0 1/2 |
| | Totals. | 78 | 6 | 8 | | | | 477 | 1 | 10 1/2 | | | |

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 23. 7. 10 1/2

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 17. 1. 9 1/4

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ 1. 8 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary £ 2. 6

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:

1 1/2 lb of Tea, 7 1/2 lb of Sugar, 1 1/2 lb of pepper,
 7 lb of Sifted Candles, 2 lb of Mould Candles,
 2 1/2 lb of Yellow Soap, 2 lb of Starch, 1 1/2 lb of Soda,
 1/2 lb of Blue, 22 1/2 lb of Meat,
 130 Gallons of Sweet Milk, 190 Stone of Washed Potatoes,
 350 lb of White Bread,
 70 Boxes of Soap.

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 13th day of Decr. 1855; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, £ 11 11
 In kind, £ 11 11
 Total, £ 22 22

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

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

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

Number of successful cases:

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

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

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 from Poor Law Commissioners N^o 31.447/56, dated 17th December 1856, forwarding for the information of the Guardians a copy of a Letter which the Commissioners addressed to the Roman Catholic Chaplain of the Workhouse, informing to that Officer the Views of the Commissioners in reference to the two inquiries into his conduct recently made by their Inspector Mr. Bourke, and requiring the Chaplain's resignation of his Office, also forwarding a copy of a Letter received by the Commissioners from the Chaplain, to which allusion is made in the Letter of the Commissioners, and stating that although the Commissioners have for the reasons mentioned in their Letter to the Chaplain condemned his conduct towards the Schoolmaster as unauthorized and unjustifiable, they feel it necessary at the same time to state that they very much disapprove the conduct of the Schoolmaster on account of the exaggeration contained in his original complaint especially that part in which he represented that the Chaplain struck him, creating thereby an impression that a degree of violence had been used which was not supported by the evidence; and the Commissioners think this view is confirmed by the evidence of the Schoolmaster himself, and the manner in which he is reported to have given it,

The Schoolmaster was called before the Board, and had printed of the Poor Law Commissioners Letter which had reference to his conduct, read for him,

Proposed by Co. Knox
Seconded by R. High Esq.

Resolved - Unanimously that the Clerk do forward to the Editor of the "Mayo Constitution" the following Letters for publication, -

Letter from the Rev. Thos. Hardiman P.P. dated 13th Dec. 1856, addressed to the Poor Law Commissioners,

Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners N^o 31.447/56 dated 17th Dec. 1856, - communicating the views of the Commissioners in reference to the two inquiries into the Chaplain's conduct recently held by Mr. Bourke Poor Law Insp^t, and requiring the Chaplain's resignation of his Office,

That the Board feels constrained to express its opinion that the statement contained in the Chaplain's Letter of the 13th Dec. 1856 is false: - "I beg to remind you that this Gentleman (the Chairman Mr. Martin) at the time alluded to resigned his Office of Chairman, "declaring he would never sit there again unless the "Commissioners dismissed me yet he has of his own accord "revoked this rash promise on finding that the Commission- "ers would not be influenced by such a dodge" is not borne out by the facts of the case, for the Chairman resigned his Office in consequence of the Chaplain's conduct, as appears on Minutes of proceedings of this Board on the 12th September 1857, and upon the urgent request of the Board he resumed that office; the upright, generous and conscientious manner in which he has discharged the duties attached thereto, has not only merited the unanimous approval of the Board & Guardians, but of the Community at large,

Mr. Martin vacated the Chair before the above Resolution was put; the Chair was occupied on the occasion by Mr. Kenny,

Proposed by R. V. Esq
 seconded by Henry Esq

Resolved Unanimously that none of the Officers of the Union be permitted to enter the Board Room unless required by the Clerk, or the Board of Guardians on Union business,

Resolved that 116 lbs of Meat, be provided for a Dinner for the Paupers on Christmas day,

A Letter was read from the Clerk, of which the following is a copy:—

Ballinacorney Workhouse
 18th Decr. 1856.

Gentlemen,

I beg to report to you that Collector Tho^s. Rutledge has neglected to lodge with the Union Treasurer the Rates collected by him during the fortnight ended the 13th Inst, amounting to £62-6-6.

I have also to report that the Master of the Workhouse was obliged to absent himself since this day last, owing to the death of his Mother, which took

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was . . . 1

Ditto, disallowed . . . nil

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

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was . . . 2

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

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

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

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

place on the morning of that day, I have been informed by the Master that his arrangements will not admit of his returning to the Workhouse before Tuesday or Wednesday Next, The charge of the House during his absence devolves upon the Master, and it has been undertaken to keep the Workhouse Accounts for that time,

I am, Gentlemen,
 Yours obed^t Serv^t
 Thomas May
 Cl^k of the Board

Ch. The Board of Guardians
 of Ballinacorney Union,

Referring to the Clerk's report.

It is Resolved that Mr. Rutledge be called to lodge the money collected by him during the fortnight ended 13th Inst, forthwith, and reminded that if he is again reported for such neglect, the Board will take serious notice of the circumstance,

Resolved that the Board approves of the arrangements made for the performance of the Master's duties during his absence,

Resolved that as Thursday next will be Christmas day, the next ordinary Meeting of the Board be held on Monday the 23rd Inst; and that the Clerk do accordingly inform all Members of the Board of Guardians not present at this Meeting,

[Faint, illegible handwritten notes or scribbles]

*Charles
Wm. May
W. Taylor*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Tuesday* the *23*
day of *December* 185 *6*

(Signed) *Thomas May*

Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the

UNION, on _____ day, the

day of

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

District, L
District, L

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

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(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 20th day of December 1856.

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|---|---|--|-------------|------|--|------|--|-------|---|---|------------------------------|-------|--------------------------------------|---|--------------|--|
| | | | 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, | 1000 | 169 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 1068 | - | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | 80 | - | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 2148 | 169 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 7 | 20 | 18 | 28 | 33 | 30 | 14 | 6 | 7 | 163 | In Work-house Hospital, 41 | In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 8 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | | | 1 | 2 | | 2 | | | | 6 | | | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 7 | 20 | 19 | 30 | 33 | 32 | 14 | 7 | 7 | 169 | Total, 41 | Total, 8 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 7 | 20 | 19 | 30 | 33 | 32 | 14 | 7 | 7 | 169 | | | | |

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|---------------------|--|--|--|--|-------------------------------------|----------|-----------------|--|--|--|--|-------------------------------------|---------|
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| No. I. | | | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | | | |
| No. II. | 2 | 2 | | | 2 | 2 | No. X. | | | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | | | No. XI. | | | | | | |
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| No. VIII. | | | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| CAR. forward | 2 | 2 | | | 2 | 2 | TOTAL, | | | | | | |

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

the 23rd day of December 1856
 PRESENT: In the Chair, Geoffrey Martin Esq
 Other Guardians

Col. Knox, Douglas Kenny, Robert St. John,
Benjamin W. Fleming, and John Kearns junr. Esquires,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 763 to No. 969, 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. 2211 to No. 3213, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:

That he forwarded to the Editor of the "Mayo Constitution", the copies of the Letters which the Board directed to be published in that Newspaper,

That he forwarded to Collector Tho. Ruttledge, a copy of the Resolution passed at last meeting, calling on him to lodge faithfully, with the Union Treasurers, the Rates collected by him and retained on his hands; which he has not as yet done,

That he wrote to the Guardians not present at last Meeting, that the Ordinary Meeting of the Board will be held on Tuesday the 23rd Inst; next Thursday being Christmas day,

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

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

Laid during the week, - - - - - £ 3-00

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 398-0-6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

| Name of each Collector | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts | Collected and Lodged | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | |
|------------------------|---|----------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|-----------|----|--------|-------|----|-------|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| Adam Neal | Ballinrobe | | | | | | | 228 | 6 | 15 1/4 | | | |
| | Ballinicholla | | | | | | | 17 | 13 | 10 3/4 | | | |
| | Picenturum | | | | | | | 50 | 7 | 4 | | | |
| | Arthygal | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 0 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 305 | 3 | 9 1/4 |
| Thomas Ruttledge | Cheriscarra | | | | | | | 88 | 15 | 8 1/2 | | | |
| | Roanard | | | | | | | 31 | 6 | 2 | | | |
| | Kallynnaunt | | | | | | | 95 | 5 | 9 | | | |
| | Killhammer | | | | | | | 112 | 12 | 0 1/2 | | | |
| | Keelbrook | | | | | | | 67 | 13 | 7 3/4 | | | |
| | Keel | | | | | | | 35 | 16 | 8 1/2 | | | |
| | Shrule | | | | | | | 139 | 1 | 7 1/4 | | | |
| | Dalyin | | | | | | | 84 | 13 | 5 | | | |
| | Kilbarrine | | | | | | | 140 | 5 | 7 1/2 | | | |
| | Keel | | | | | | | 98 | 0 | 7 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 893 | 5 | 3 1/4 |
| Thomas Gandy | Coary | | | | | | | 159 | 1 | 11 1/4 | | | |
| | Groundwood | | | | | | | 83 | 3 | 1 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 242 | 5 | 0 1/4 |
| | Totals. | | | | | | | 1440 | 14 | 0 1/2 | | | |

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 Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 15 0 s. 5 1/2 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 15 0 s. 5 1/2

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 17-8-6 3/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1-8 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary, 2-6 3/4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital,

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

15 lb of Fine Tea, 3/8 lb of Tea 2^d quality,
 70 lb of Coffee, 15 lb of pepper, 7 lb of
 Soft Candles, 2 lb of Mould Candles, 24 lb
 of Yellow Soap, 2 lb of starch, 14 lb of
 Soda, 1/2 lb of Blue, 60 lb of Meat, 13 1/4
 Gallons of sweet milk, 176 stones of
 Washed Potatoes, 340 lb of white Bread,
 70 Boxes of Hay, Repair of small work
 One Bottle of Calomel Wine, 2 lb of
 Wax Candles, 5 Gallon of Sweet-Oil,
 14 lb of Black-lead, 3 lb of Black Thread,
 3 pieces of Sleds,

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 29th day of Dec. 1836 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

| | | | |
|---------------------|---|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. |
| In money, | | | 4 |
| In kind, | | | |
| Total, | | | 4 |

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

Collectors Remuneration Account

| | | | |
|------------------------------|----|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. |
| Adam Noel Collected for Fees | 10 | 10 | 0 |

Collectors Remuneration

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

2. Establishment Account.

| | | | | | | | |
|---------------------------|----|----|----|------------------------------------|---|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. | | £ | s. | d. |
| Thos. May Collector Union | | | | Doctor Roughan M.O. Officer Salary | 7 | 10 | 0 |
| Salary | 27 | 10 | 0 | Doctor Ralph Apothecary Salary | 5 | 0 | 0 |
| John Muller Master | | | | Ellen Kane Nurse Salary | 3 | 15 | 0 |
| Salary | 10 | 0 | 0 | Charles H. Burke Relieving | | | |
| Rev. J. Hardiman Chapl. | | | | Officer Salary | 3 | 15 | 0 |
| Salary | 12 | 10 | 0 | | | | |
| Margt. Jennings Matron | | | | | | | |
| Salary | 7 | 10 | 0 | | | | |
| Anne Hanby School | | | | | | | |
| mistress Salary | 3 | 15 | 0 | | | | |

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

| | | | |
|--------------------------------------|----|----|----|
| Robert Monahan for Groceries | £ | s. | d. |
| Martin Steppens for Mill | 9 | 17 | 3 |
| John Donahoe for Bread stuff | 8 | 9 | 0 |
| Mary H. Govern for Yarn | 7 | 13 | 1 |
| Matthew Moran for Meat | 3 | 0 | 9 |
| Thomas Temple for Bread and Potatoes | 18 | 16 | 2 |

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

| | | | |
|--|----|----|----|
| Clk of Union to provide for payment of | £ | s. | d. |
| | 19 | 1 | 3 |

5. Disbursements

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

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

Number of successful cases:

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

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

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

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

The Clerk reports that he received from the Education Commissioners, a Summons for the Training of Anne Stanley Schoolmistress of the Workhouse, in the Training Institution of the National Board of Education, and that she would be required to present herself at the Education Office, on the Morning of Wednesday the 14th of December next,

In reference to the Clerk's report it is Resolved—

That the Board of Guardians approve of Miss Stanley's proceeding to Dublin for the purpose of being trained,

That Miss Kate Manion of Galway, a Trained Teacher be appointed as a temporary Teacher during Miss Stanley's absence at the Training Institution, and that she be paid for that time, the same Salary, and receive the same Rations as Miss Stanley, namely, — at the rate of £15 per Ann, into the usual Officers Rations,

That Miss Stanley be required to sign a Letter agreeing to forfeit all claims upon the Board of Guardians for Salary and Rations, for the period during which Miss Manion may be engaged as a temporary Teacher in the Workhouse,

Resolved that it is the unanimous opinion of this Board that the Roman Catholic Chaplain's Salary should be £40, per Annum; and the Board requests that the Poor Law Commissioners will be pleased before they appoint another Chaplain in room of the Reverend Thomas Hardiman who has been called on to resign, to fix his Salary at that rate,

Resolved that the Workhouse Master be authorized to grant passes to the following paupers:-

| | | |
|------------------|---|--------|
| Bridget Malloway | - | 4 days |
| Bridget Garry | | 3 days |
| Bridget Stocney | | 4 days |
| Bridget Morris | | 3 days |
| Bridget Semings | | 3 days |
| Julia Morris | | 3 days |
| Ann Semings | | 3 days |
| Ann Semings | | 3 days |
| Michael Garry | | 3 days |
| John Henaghty | | 3 days |
| Sarah O'Connell | | 2 days |

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

Nil
Nil
6

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

Nil
Nil
Nil

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

Nil

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

W. Hartigan
Wm. H. H. H. H.

Wm. H. H. H.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Sunday* the *first*
day of *January* 1857

(Signed) *Thomas Haef*

Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the *Ballinolee*
UNION, on *Friday* day, the *23* day of *December* 185*6*
—continued.

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

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

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

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

Ballerinole Dispensary District,
Account of Mr. M. Vesp for Salary : Amount £ 18.15.0

Wong Dispensary District
Account of Mr. Waghorn for Salary : Amount £ 8.15.0

Northampton Dispensary District
Account of Mr. Little for Salary : Amount £ 8.5.0

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

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

District. £
District. £

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. of

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

Order dated (state subject)

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

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

Handwritten signature
James M. M. M.
M. M. M. M.

(Signed)

Handwritten signature
Clerk of the Union.

Baltimore UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,708.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,725.7.3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of December 1856

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each building | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|---|---|--|-------------|-----------|--|-----------|--|----------|---|---|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|---|--|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | |
| Workhouse, | 1000 | 169 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 1068 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 2148 | 169 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 7 | 20 | 19 | 30 | 33 | 32 | 14 | 7 | 7 | 169 | In Work-house Hospital, 42 | In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital, with other inmates, 3 | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 7 | 20 | 19 | 30 | 33 | 32 | 14 | 7 | 7 | 169 | | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | 7 | 20 | 19 | 30 | 33 | 32 | 14 | 7 | 7 | 169 | | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27th day of December 1856 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday the first day of January 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Geoffrey Maitland Esq.*
Other Guardians:

Colonel Knox, Courtney Kemmy, Robert High, James Rutledge, R. W. Jennings, Thomas Walsh, John Heane junr, and Nicholas Walsh Esq.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

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

No cases on the Workhouse, or Out-door Relief Register, this week.

The Clerk reports that Collector Tho. Reilly had lodged with the Union Treasurer, the Rates returned at his hands, as specified in his (the Clerk's) report of the 18th Ult.

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, - - - - - £ 146-3-3
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 45-3-6
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 494-0-3
 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. |
| Adam Keel | Ballinrobe | 21 | 4 | 2 | | | | 207 | 2 | 17 1/2 | | | |
| | Ballinacolla | | | | | | | 117 | 13 | 10 1/2 | | | |
| | Owenbrim | 9 | 7 | 1 | | | | 40 | 4 | 3 | | | |
| | Portroyal | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 0 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | 31 | 1 | 3 | | | | 274 | 2 | 6 1/2 |
| Thomas Reilly | Burriscura | 6 | 17 | 1/2 | | | | 81 | 18 | 2 1/2 | | | |
| | Coonard | 10 | 11 | 7 | | | | 20 | 14 | 7 | | | |
| | Sto Lynnount | 1 | 0 | 2 | | | | 94 | 5 | 7 | | | |
| | Kilcommon | 18 | 2 | 1 | | | | 94 | 9 | 11 1/2 | | | |
| | Newhook | 15 | 3 | 7 | | | | 52 | 8 | 2 1/2 | | | |
| | Haslee | 3 | 8 | 3 | | | | 32 | 2 | 5 1/2 | | | |
| | Spnule | 10 | 9 | 9 | | | | 128 | 11 | 10 1/2 | | | |
| | Dalgin | 12 | 9 | 7 | | | | 72 | 3 | 10 | | | |
| | Kilbrin | 23 | 17 | 11 | | | | 116 | 7 | 8 1/2 | | | |
| | Keel | | | | | | | 78 | 0 | 7 | | | |
| | | | | | 102 | 2 | 5 | | | | 791 | 2 | 9 1/2 |
| Thomas Grady | Long | 1 | 1 | 2 | | | | 158 | 0 | 9 1/2 | | | |
| | Howlandwood | 11 | 18 | 5 | | | | 71 | 4 | 8 | | | |
| | | | | | 12 | 19 | 7 | | | | 229 | 5 | 5 1/2 |
| | Totals, | | | | 146 | 3 | 3 | | | | 1294 | 10 | 9 1/2 |

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 17 . 18 s. 10 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 20 : 3 : 1 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ 2 - 0

Average Cost in Infirmary £ 2 - 6

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:

- 10 Cwt. of Inc. Meal, 5 Cwt. of Oatmeal,
- 17 1/2 lb. of Tea, 7 1/2 lb. of sugar, 1 1/2 lb. of pepper,
- 8 lb. of light Candles, 2 lb. of Mould Candles,
- 24 lb. of Yellow Soap, 2 lb. of starch, 1 1/2 lb. of Soda,
- 1/2 lb. of Blue, 65 lb. of Meat,
- 134 Gallons of Sweet-milk, 150 Stone of Potatoes,
- 349 lb. of white Bread, 70 Pikes of Beef,
- 20 Cwt. of Oaten Straw,
- 13 Barrels of Lime, one Barrel of Calceolate Wine,

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 27th day of Decr. 1856; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

£ s. d.
 In money, oil
 In kind, oil
 Total, Nil

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

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

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

Circular Letter from Secretary of Penitentiary Asylums Commission (Ireland) dated 20th December 1856, requesting a Return relative to the Penitentiaries and Asylums, in the Workhouse on the 1st January 1857.

Ordered that the Medical Officer, and Workhouse Master, be requested to prepare the Return called for by the Secretary of the Penitentiary Asylums Commission (Ireland),

Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners dated 30th December 1856 N^o. 28. 246/56, stating that they have received a communication from the Reverend Mr. Hardiman, dated the 29th Inst. in which he tendered his resignation of the Office of Roman Catholic Chaplain to the Workhouse of the Ballinacree Union; and that the Commissioners had notified to the Rev. Mr. Hardiman their acceptance of his resignation.

The Commissioners request that the Board of Guardians will be so good as to inform them of the names of the Roman Catholic Clergymen acting as such within the Parish in which the Workhouse of the Ballinacree Union is situated,

Proposed by Co. Knoc,
Seconded by Country Kenny Esq.,

Resolved Unanimously, That in compliance with the request contained in the Commissioners Letter of the 30th Decr. N^o. 28-246/56, the Board has to acquaint them, that the Rev. James O'Malley R. C. C. and the Reverend Peter Conway R. C. C. are the only Roman Catholic Clergymen resident in the Parish of Ballinacree or sufficiently near the Workhouse to enable them to perform the duties of Chaplain,

The Board wishes to recommend the Rev. James O'Malley, the Senior R. C. C. to the Commissioners for the appointment of Chaplain, He has been in the habit of doing the duties for many years; and the Board considers him well qualified for the Office,

A Letter from the Rev. Tho. Hardiman P. P. of Ballinacree was read - of which the following is a copy:—
Ballinacree Decr. 31st 1856,

Gentlemen,

Take leave to address you as the Parish Priest of Ballinacree, and as such of course, accountable for all the Souls in the Workhouse - the fact of my being, or not being, called "Chaplain" can make no change whatever in my grave responsibilities to God -

I therefore beg to call your attention to the manifest anomaly of allowing the present Schoolmaster to remain in charge of the Workhouse school; and of leaving the poor children there, under his training after the developments of his character that have been made even by himself; but particularly after the remarkable testimony (so carefully suppressed by your reporter) given by the Clerk of the Union Mr. May on his Oath before the Inspector at the late Investigation,

I feel it my duty to tell you plainly Gentlemen, that I do consider it unsafe to entrust the Faith and Morality of innocent children to a person on whose shoulders both seem to hang so very heavily -

To,

To the Catholic Guardians I shall say nothing at present, I address myself particularly to the Protestant Members of the Board: and to them I put the case thus, Suppose that all the inmates of the Workhouse were Protestants; and that the Schoolmaster very naturally was a Protestant, and suppose that at a solemn Enquiry it was sworn to by the Clerk of the Union who happened to be a Catholic, that he had found it necessary to reproach the Schoolmaster for his duplicitly in continuing to teach the Children all protestants, as a protestant, while himself and his wife were making terms with a Catholic Priest, about changing their religion; would you I put it to you as men of conscience, would you be for continuing such a party as the Moral and Religious instructor of these poor children?

I need not say a word here about the untruthful fabrication as now admitted, made by this person against myself, I therefore conclude by assuring you that I cannot suffer the matter to rest here; but shall if necessary bring public opinion, at home and at a distance to bear on the matter, But I trust such a course will not be necessary; and that you shall act promptly and honorably of yourselves.

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

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| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was | Nil |
| Ditto, disallowed | Nil |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | Nil |

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

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| The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered | Nil |
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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

I have the honor to be,
Gentlemen,
Your humble Servant,
Thomas Hardiman P.P.

To the Poor Law Guardians,

Resolved, that the Clerk do acknowledge the receipt of the Res^d Mr. Hardiman's letter of the 31st Decr. 1856, and state, that it did not appear by the evidence given before the Inspector, Mr. Proude, at the late Investigation held by him, that the Schoolmaster had any correspondence relative to the changing of his Religion; and that the Board does not see any reason to find fault with the conduct of the Schoolmaster,

On the Requisition, of the Schoolmaster and Schoolmistress it was Ordered, that the Clerk be authorized to procure the following requisites for the Schools:—

| | |
|-------------------|-------------------|
| For Male School | 100 Copy Books |
| | 800 Quills |
| | 800 Slate Pencils |
| For Female School | 100 Copy Books |
| | 800 Quills |

Resolved that the Workhouse Master be authorized to procure suitable Clothing for Mary Joyce, aged 14, an inmate of the Workhouse who is taking her discharge therefrom, she having no clothes of her own, being in the House for upwards of five Years,

Resolved that the Poor Law Commissioners be requested to furnish the Board, with a copy of the Letter in which the Reverend Mr. Hardiman, tendered to the Commissioners, his resignation of the Office of Roman Catholic Chaplain of this Workhouse.

It is Unanimously Resolved that the Board feel pleasure in bearing its testimony to the efficient manner in which William Sheridan late a Sergeant,

Sergeant in the 11.th Regiment of Foot, and a pensioner from that Regiment, discharged the duties of Sanitary Officer under the Board of Health, in carrying into effect the provisions of the "Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts" of 1848, and 1849" so far as regarded Sanitary Measures, — His services in these respects were of the greatest importance at the period when Cholera visited the Town in 1849, and when it appeared in a sporadic form, in 1853, and 1854,

The Board also feels bound to express its opinion of the way in which he conducted himself whilst an inmate of the Workhouse, subsequent to his conviction and imprisonment for Larceny, and must state in reference thereto; that his quiet, orderly and submissive demeanour, merited the general approval of the Board of Guardians, and of the Sanitary Officers of the Workhouse; and the Board trusts the Lords Commissioners of Chelsea Hospital, will be pleased to consider the prayer of his Petition, and restore to him his pension,

Thomas Mary
 Member of the
 Board of Guardians

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

day of January 1857

(Signed)

Thomas Mary

Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the *Railmole*
UNION, on *Thurs* day, the *first* day of *January* 1857
—continued.

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

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the *Hollymount*
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 Estimate was approved of; and the Clerk
directed to order the Medicines, &c, specified therein, from
the Contractors,

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

Year, for the use of the Dispensary, to the amount of
£1,

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, for Amount £
Account of Mr.

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 25 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.] An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 1853, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended

District £
District £

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

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

Dispensary District, No. of

The Clerk read for the Board, extracts from Minutes of proceedings of the Committee of Management of Hollymount Dispensary District in Ballinacree Union, on the 31st Ult., of which the following are copies:—

The Medical Officer having laid before this Committee his Medical Report Book from which it appears that "Fever" of a most malignant type, has appeared in the Hollymount Electoral Division — a portion of his District, and he recommends and says it is absolutely necessary for the Sanitary condition of the District, that lime, &c, should be freely distributed to the several Villages, particularly those in the neighbourhood of where this disease exists, so as to prevent as far as possible, its further spread. The Medical Officer has further brought under our notice that the House wherein it first appeared has been locked up, with all the bed-clothes, and wearing apparel in the same state as they were in, at the time, the only inmates thereof, died, the Committee considers that immediate steps should be taken to cleanse the said House,

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

Order No. 1 (1853)

Resolved that under all the preceding circumstances of the case, our Secretary be requested to forward to the Board of Guardians of Ballinacree Union, a copy of the Medical Officer's report, with our earnest request, that the Board of Guardians of said Union will take such immediate steps as they may seem fit, to do all in their power to stay

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, in the Diseases, 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):

Refer Letter from
stating that

dated

stay this disease, and most particularly we direct their attention to the cleaning of the Houses wherein this disease has been,

Robert Bulltodge Chairman

R. D. Valkner Vice Chairman

Benj^m. W. Seming Secretary pro-tem,

Resolved that the especial attention of the Poor Law Commissioners be requested to the above copies of Extracts from Minutes of proceedings of the Committee of Management of Hollymount Dispensary District, in which it is stated that Fever of a malignant type has broken out in that District; and that the Commissioners be requested to advise this Board, as speedily as possible, as to the steps which it ought to pursue, to meet this emergency,

Robert Bulltodge
Chairman
R. D. Valkner
Vice Chairman
Benj^m. W. Seming
Secretary pro-tem

(Signed) Thomas Mace
Clerk of the Union.

Callmole UNION.

Population in 1851, *37,703.*

Present Net Annual Value, £ *38,725.7.3*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *3rd* day of *January* 185*7*

| Number of Minutes for which accommodation is provided | No. of Inmates | No. of Inmates in Hospital | Able-bodied | | Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 18 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | Total | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|---|----------------|----------------------------|-------------|-----------|--|-----------|--|-----------|---|---|------------------------------|------------|--------------------------------------|---|--------------|--|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | |
| Workhouse, | <i>1070</i> | <i>173</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | <i>1068</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | <i>2138</i> | <i>173</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | <i>7</i> | <i>20</i> | <i>19</i> | <i>30</i> | <i>33</i> | <i>32</i> | <i>14</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>169</i> | In Workhouse Hospital, <i>41</i> | In separate Wards, <i>5</i> | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | <i>2</i> | | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | | | | | | <i>4</i> | In Fever Hospital, <i>24</i> | In Wards with other inmates, <i>3</i> | | |
| TOTAL, | | | <i>9</i> | <i>20</i> | <i>20</i> | <i>31</i> | <i>33</i> | <i>32</i> | <i>14</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>173</i> | Total, <i>41</i> | Total, <i>8</i> | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | <i>9</i> | <i>20</i> | <i>20</i> | <i>31</i> | <i>33</i> | <i>32</i> | <i>14</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>173</i> | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *3rd* day of *January* 185*7* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Thursday* the *8th* day of *January* 185*7*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Geoffrey Martyn Esq*
Other Guardians:

Colonel Stone - Courtney Kenny and Robert Tighe Esquires,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 970 to No. 973, 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. 18 to No. 20, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:

That he forwarded the Return called for by the Secretary of the Lunatic Asylums Commission (Ireland)

That he forwarded to the Rev. J. Sturdivant P.P. a copy of the Resolution passed on last day of Meeting, with reference to the conduct of the Schoolmaster,

That he took the necessary steps with a view of procuring the School Registrar, applied for by the Schoolmaster and Schoolmistress,

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, - - - - - £ 74

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 36-5-0

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 457-15-8

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. | | |
| Solam Neal | Ballinrobe Ballinacalla Ceserbrinn Partry af | | | | | | | 207 | 2 | 43/4 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 17 | 13 | 11 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 10 | 7 | 8 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 0 1/2 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 274 | 2 | 63/4 | |
| Thomas Russell | Berriscree Cornard Styllymore Kilnommon Newbrook Ruslee Shrule Dalgin Kilmacine Keele | | | | | | | 81 | 18 | 2 1/4 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 20 | 14 | 7 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 94 | 5 | 7 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 94 | 9 | 11 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 52 | 8 | 0 1/4 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 22 | 2 | 5 1/4 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 128 | 11 | 10 1/4 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 72 | 8 | 10 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 116 | 7 | 8 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 98 | 0 | 7 | | | 791 | 2 | 9 1/4 |
| Thomas Grady | Long Strandwood | | | | | | | 158 | 0 | 9 1/4 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 71 | 4 | 8 | | | 229 | 5 | 5 1/4 |
| Totals, | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1294 | 10 | 9 1/4 |

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 15. 8 s. 8 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 17. 18 - 1/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1 - 8 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary. 2. 7

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:

5 Yards of printed Cotton, 2 1/2 Yards of Marmel, 2 Yards of Calico, 1 1/4 Yards of ... 7 lbs of Sugar, 1 1/2 lbs of pepper, 8 lbs of ... 2 lbs of Mould Candles, 2 lbs of Yellow Soap, 2 lbs of March, 1 1/4 lbs of Soda, 2 lb of Blue, 5 Cwt. of Reed, 65 lbs of Meat, 140 Gallons of Sweetmilk, 200 stone of Potatoes, 350 lbs of White Bread, 70 Boxes of Soap, one pair of Snow Spoons, 4 white Wash Brushes No. 1, 1 pair of Bull Stings, 3 Doz of Rags

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 3 day of Jan. 1857: whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, In kind, Total. Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

Table with columns: RELIEF DISTRICT, Name of Relieving Officer, By Check on Treasurer, By Order on Contractors (Article and quantity, Value), Name of Relieving Officer, By Check on Treasurer, By Order on Contractors (Article and quantity, Value). Rows include No. I to No. XVII and a TOTAL row.

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

Number of successful cases:

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

The Report of the Workhouse Master was read as follows:

Ballinrobe, Workhouse
8th January 1857,

Gentlemen,

I request you will be good enough to order a few pair of new shoes for the men, there being now 29 Adult Males in the House and only 11 pair of shoes, which are bad, and require to be repaired; there are many of the men who if they had shoes could labour for one on the Land; and whose assistance I require, I would therefore respectfully suggest to you the necessity of ordering about 12 pair of men's shoes.

The provisions and necessaries delivered to me during the week were good—
I am, Gentlemen,
Your Obedt. Servant

John Mullen

The Reports of the Clerk and the Treasurer were read and Orders made thereon, as follows:

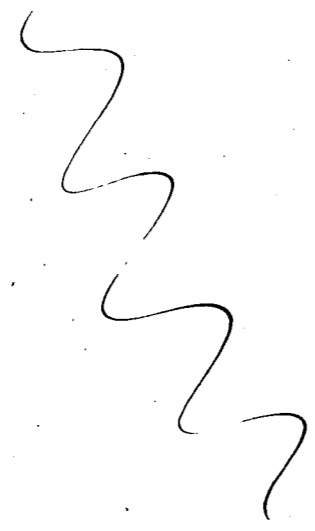
Your Obedt. Servant
John Mullen
Master,

To
The Board of Guardians,
Ballinrobe Union,

with reference to the Master's report it is Ordered—

That the Master be authorised to procure 12 New pair of Men's shoes; and to get 11 pair of old shoes repaired,

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



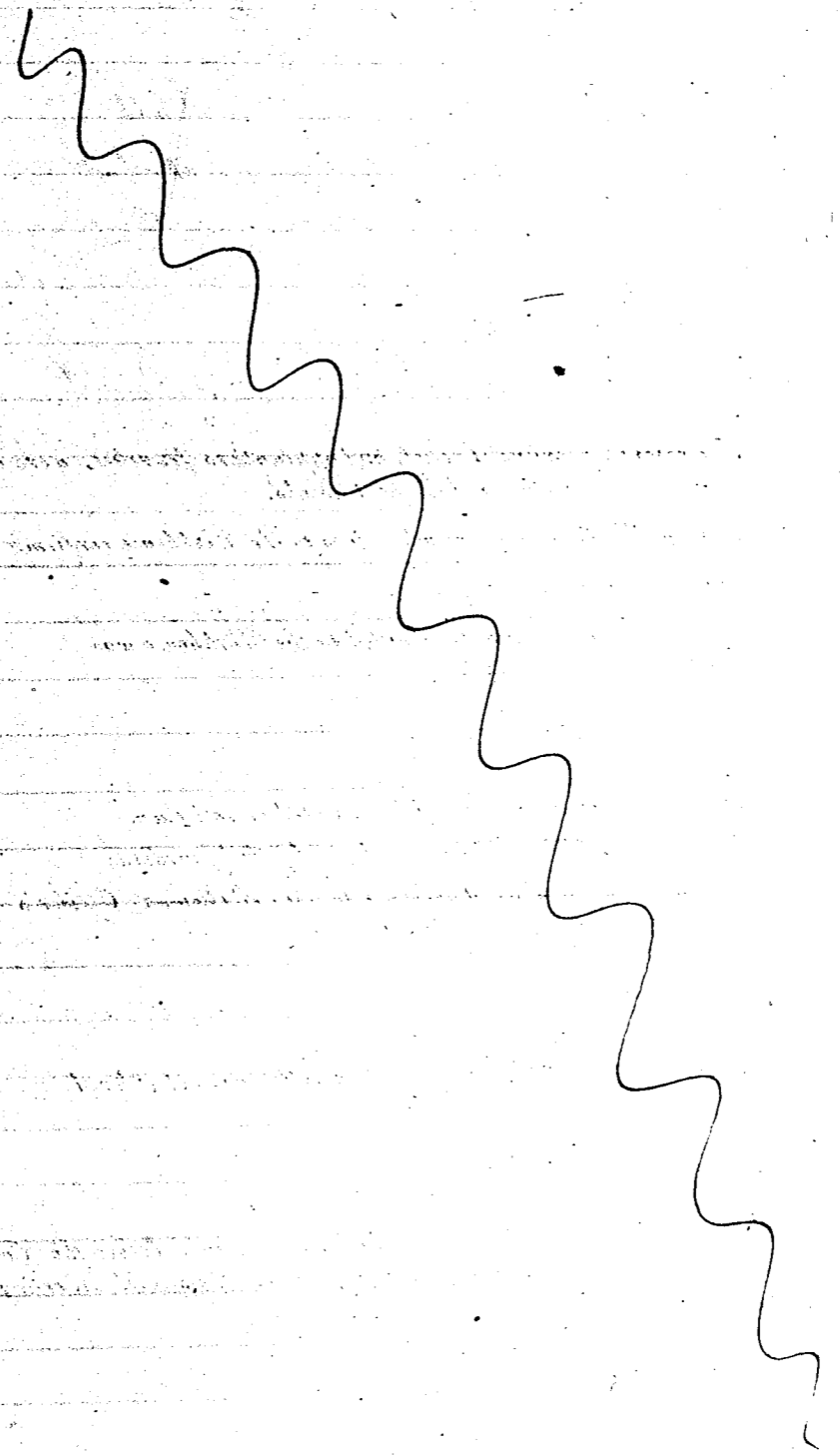
The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or Orders made on them respectively as follows:)

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners N^o. 1-17/57, dated 2nd January 1857 - requesting a Return respecting the Rates made, and any new Rates agreed upon, in the Union, during the month of Dec^r, 1856,

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners N^o. 22.988/1856, dated 3rd January 1857, transmitting therewith questions for answers to be signed by the Clerk and W^m of Union, who has been appointed, temporarily, as Schoolmistress at the Workhouse,

Letter from same N^o. 23.246/1857, dated 7th January 1857, forwarding therewith, a copy of the communication received by the Commissioners from the Rev^d. M^r. Hardiman, in which he tendered to them his resignation of the Office of Roman Catholic Chaplain to the Workhouse,

The Clerk laid before the Board, a Letter which he had received from the Superiress of the Convent of Mercy at Galway, in which she states that Miss Manion, who was appointed to act as Schoolmistress of the Workhouse School during Miss Hanly's absence at the Training Institution, had received a permanent appointment elsewhere; and recommending in place of Miss Manion, Miss ~~Johnston~~ Mollay as a fit and proper person to lead the children in the Workhouse School, Upon which it was Resolved that Miss ^{Johnston} Mollay be appointed to act as Schoolmistress, whilst Miss Hanly may be absent at the Training Institution in Dublin, and that she be paid for her services in that capacity at the Rate of £10, per Ann, with the usual Officers' Rations,



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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 2

Ditto, disallowed Nil

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 2

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

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered Nil

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

Handwritten scribble or signature

Henry Murray

Not. Light

Nicholas Walsh

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Sunday* the *15th*
day of *January* 185 *7*

(Signed) *Thomas May*

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
[No. 37.]

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE *Falmouth*
UNION, on *Thursday*, the *8th* day of *January* 185*7*
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

District, £ _____
District, £ _____

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject) _____

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Nuisance 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 6th Jan^r 1857
stating that
N^o 349/1857.

Stating that they have had before them a Resolution of the Board of Guardians of the 15th Dist, and Extracts from Minutes of the Committee of Management of the Hollymount Dispensary District, relating to the prevalence of Fever in that District; and that the Commissioners have also received a Report from their Medical Inspector, Dr. Geaney, on the subject, from which it appears that the disease is on the decline for the last 13 or 14 days, and that it is not necessary to provide any additional hospital accommodation in the Union.

The Commissioners, however, desired to impress upon the Guardians the necessity for taking immediate steps for the removal of Nuisances in the District, and they trust that the Guardians and the Committee of Management will give their continued attention to the Sanitary state of the District,

The Relieving Officer for the District Mr. Ponsford was called before the Board of Guardians and stated that he believes that all the Houses in the Hollymount Electoral Division are clean, with the exception of the House of Henry Hines, who, with all his family died of Fever, and which House is at present unoccupied and closed up.

Upon which it was Resolved that the Relieving Officer be authorized to expend a sum not exceeding 100 for getting the House of the late Henry Hines, properly cleaned and purified.

Resolved that the Clerk do furnish the Relieving Officer, and the Medical Officer of the District, with a
(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Sufficient supply of Forms of Certificates under the Nuisance Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, and that those Officers be respectively required to certify to the Board of Guardians the existence of any Nuisance or Diseases in the Hollymount Dispensary District, and the Board will on receipt of such, take the necessary steps to enforce an abatement of the Nuisance or Diseases.

That the Clerk be directed ~~to communicate~~ to communicate the Statement made by the Relieving Officer Mr. Ponsford, and the Resolution adopted by the Board thereon, as well as the Resolution directed that Officer and the Medical Officer of the District, to attend to the Sanitary state of the District; to the Secretary pro-tem of the Committee of Management of Hollymount District; and request that the Committee will co-operate with the Board in all such measures as it may be necessary to adopt to check the spread of Disease in that District,

Mr. Ponsford was again called before the Board, and the above Resolutions read for him; and he was ordered by the Clerk, a supply of Forms of Certificates under the Nuisance Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts,

Signed, Thomas May
Clerk of the Union,

Nicholas Walsh

Ballinacree UNION.

Population in 1851, *37,703*

Present Net Annual Value, £ *38,725.7.3*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *10th* day of *January* 185*7*

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each building | Total No. in each building | 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, | <i>1000</i> | <i>184</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | <i>1068</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | <i>80</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | <i>2148</i> | <i>184</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | <i>9</i> | <i>20</i> | <i>20</i> | <i>31</i> | <i>33</i> | <i>32</i> | <i>14</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>178</i> | In Workhouse Hospital, <i>41</i> | In separate Wards, <i>24</i> | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | <i>3</i> | <i>4</i> | | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | | | <i>2</i> | <i>12</i> | In Fever Hospital, <i>24</i> | In other Wards, <i>3</i> | | |
| TOTAL, | | | <i>12</i> | <i>24</i> | <i>20</i> | <i>32</i> | <i>34</i> | <i>33</i> | <i>14</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>9</i> | <i>185</i> | Total, <i>41</i> | Total, <i>3</i> | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | <i>12</i> | <i>24</i> | <i>20</i> | <i>32</i> | <i>34</i> | <i>32</i> | <i>14</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>9</i> | <i>184</i> | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *10th* day of *January* 185*7* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Thursday* the *seventeenth* day of *January* 185*7*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Courtnay Kemmy Esq.*
Other Guardians:

Robert Digby, and Nicholas Walsh Esqs.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 974 to No. 985, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. to No. inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:

The Clerk reports, that Miss Hanley Schoolmistress, who has been, took her departure for the Training Institution Dublin, on the 13th Inst; and that prior to her leaving, she signed a Letter, agreeing to forfeit all claims upon the Union, for Salary and Pensions, whilst she may be absent, that Miss Malloy temporary Schoolmistress, arrived at the Workhouse on the 10th Inst, and entered upon the discharge of her duties upon the 12th.

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, - - - - - £ 78. 17. 10

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 19. 0. 10

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 467. 12. 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

| Name of each Collector | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts | Collected and Lodged | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | |
|------------------------|---|----------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|-----------|----|--------|-------|----|--------|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| Adam Neal | Kallinchoe | 38 | 0 | 0 | | | | 16 | 9 | 2 1/4 | | | |
| | Kallincholla | | | | | | | 17 | 13 | 10 1/4 | | | |
| | Ovenbrim | | | | | | | 40 | 4 | 8 | | | |
| | Portroyal | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 12 | | | |
| | | | | | 38 | 0 | 0 | | | | 236 | 2 | 6 1/2 |
| Thomas R. Hodge | Quiricave | 1 | 9 | 10 | | | | 50 | 8 | 14 1/4 | | | |
| | Coronad | | | | | | | 20 | 14 | 7 | | | |
| | Hollymount | 2 | 5 | 5 | | | | 92 | 0 | 2 | | | |
| | Kilcommon | | | | | | | 94 | 9 | 11 1/2 | | | |
| | Newbrook | 10 | 7 | | | | | 57 | 17 | 5 1/4 | | | |
| | Baslee | | | | | | | 32 | 2 | 5 1/2 | | | |
| | Spude | 1 | 10 | 9 | | | | 127 | 1 | 13 1/4 | | | |
| | Dolgen | 10 | 7 | 6 | | | | 61 | 16 | 4 | | | |
| | Kilmorie | 3 | 9 | 9 | | | | 112 | 17 | 12 | | | |
| | Keale | 21 | 4 | 0 | | | | 76 | 16 | 7 | | | |
| | | | | | 40 | 17 | 10 | | | | 750 | 4 | 11 1/2 |
| Thomas Gandy | Conry | | | | | | | 158 | 0 | 9 1/4 | | | |
| | Handsworth | | | | | | | 71 | 4 | 8 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 220 | 5 | 5 1/4 |
| | Totals, | | | | 78 | 17 | 10 | | | | 1215 | 12 | 11 1/2 |

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 21- 11 s. 7 1/4 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 18. 7- 10 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - - - 1- 8 1/4

Average Cost in Infirmary. - - - - - 2- 0

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:

176 lbs of Tea, 7 lbs of Sugar, 12 lbs of pepper, 8 lbs of Scented Candles, 2 lbs of Mould Candles, 24 lbs of Yellow Soap, 2 lbs of Stearic, 14 lbs of Soda, 1/2 lb of Blue, 65 lbs of Meat, 180 Gallons of Sweet Milk, 210 Stone of Potatoes, 280 lbs of White Bread, 70 Boxes of Yeast, 100 1/2 catt Brooms,

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 12th day of Jan^r 1854: whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

£ s. d.

In money, - - - - - Nil

In kind, - - - - - Nil

Total. Nil

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

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

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

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners No. 32. 988/1856, dated 9th January 1857, relating to the passes given by the Board of Guardians to the inmates of the Workhouse on the 28th Ultimo, and stating that they infer from the Minutes that the circumstances under which the passes were given could hardly come within the terms of the 26th Article of the General Regulations,

Letter from same No. 32. 988/1856, dated 10th January 1857, with respect to a statement made by the Clerk as entered on Minutes of the 28th Ultimo, to the effect that Collector Tho. Rutledge had not complied with the Order of the Board of Guardians, calling on him to lodge forthwith the Rates collected and retained by him, and recommending the Board of Guardians to enforce, on the part of this Collector, obedience to the Commissioners Order,

In reply to the foregoing Letter, the Board begs to inform the Poor Law Commissioners, that on the 27th Ultimo, Collector Rutledge, lodged the Rates alluded to in the Clerk's statement as having been retained on his hands, the fact of which, was reported to the Board by the Clerk on the 4th Inst.

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners No. 28- m/57, dated 10th January 1857, addressed to the Relieving Officer, on matters connected with the proceedings to be taken for the Annual Election of Guardians in each vest,

Resolved that the Tender of David Keer into to supply 11000 shoes, (12 pair) at the Rate of 3/9 per pair, be accepted of,

With reference to the Commissioners Letter of the 9th Inst. No. 32. 988/56 - it is Resolved, that the Board of Guardians will for the future see that no pauper gets a pass, unless the case is one of urgent necessity, and coming within the terms of the 26th Article of the General Regulations,

Resolved that the Master be directed to report to the Board, the particulars of any case where he may find it necessary to grant a pass to an inmate of the Workhouse; so that the Board may be in a position to judge of the necessity that existed for such a departure from Articles, 1. 24, and 25, of the General Regulations,

The Clerk reads for the Board a Letter received from an Inmate of the Workhouse, of which the following is a copy:-

Ballinacree Workhouse
15th January 1857

Gentlemen;

I would be for ever feel thankful to you in giving me a pass for 2 days, for the purpose of seeing my Mother, and writing to my daughters and two sons, one of them in England, and the other in the Army,

Yours faithfully,

James Henry

To the Board of Guardians
Ballinacree Union

Resolved that Thomas Steiny be granted a pass from 3 o'c AM, this day, to 5 o'c PM tomorrow,

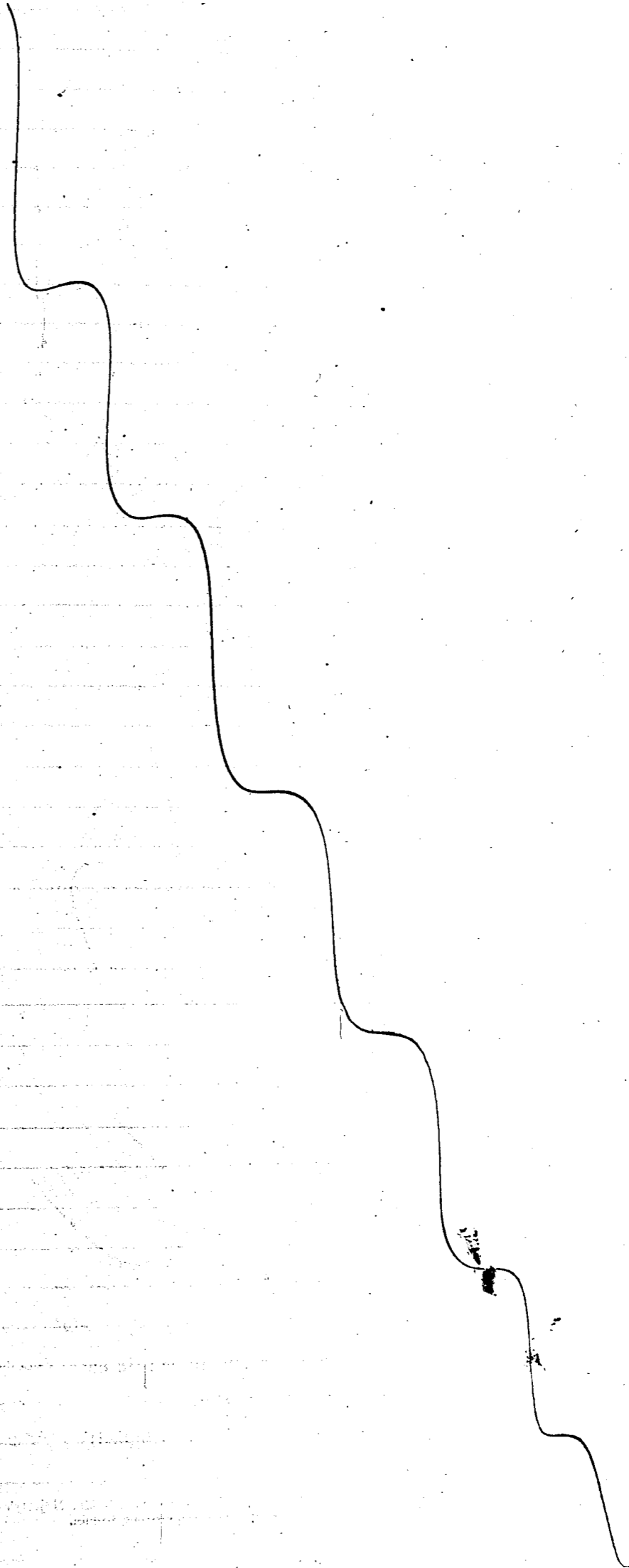
The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

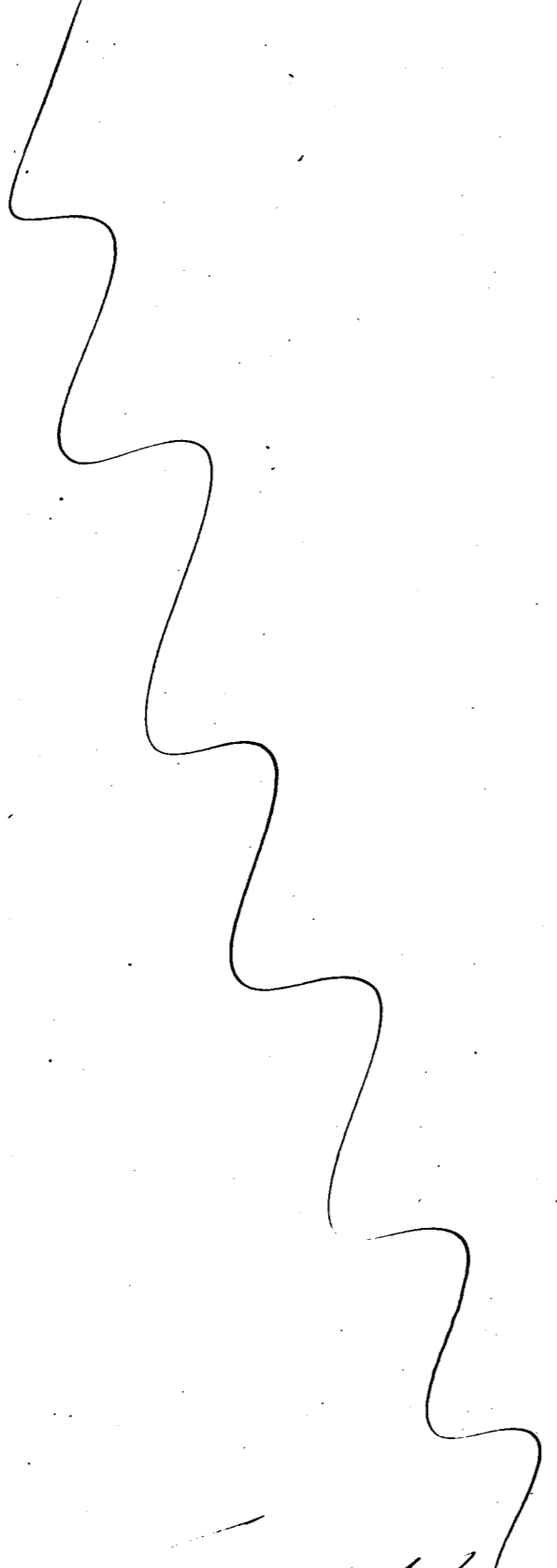
The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was Nil
 Ditto, disallowed Nil
 The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 12

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered Nil

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



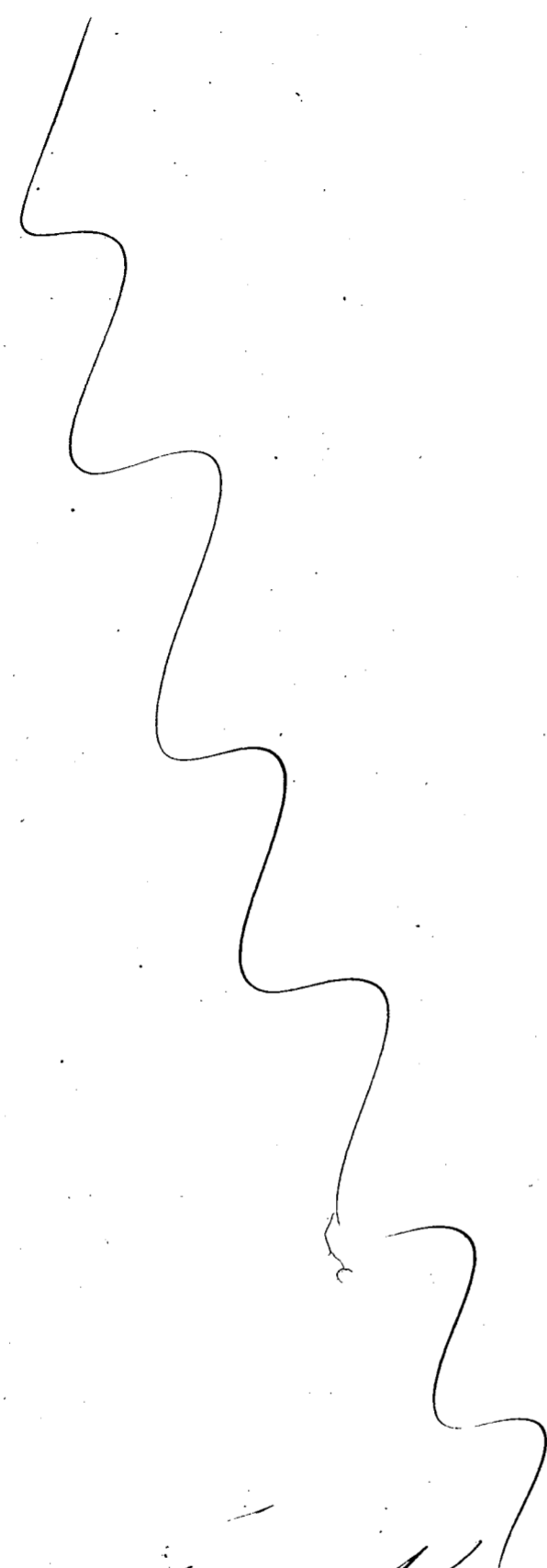


Matthew Murray
Mutes Mutes
John Strane Jr

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *22nd*
day of *January* 1857

(Signed) *Thomas May*
Clerk of the Union.

By Authority—JOHN FALCONER, Printer and Binder to Her Majesty's Stationery Office,
63, Upper Sackville-street, Dublin.



*Walter Henry
Miles Esq.
John Crane Esq.*

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Ballinacree
UNION, on Friday day, the 15th day of January 1857
—continued.

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

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to order the Medicines, &c., specified therein, from the
Contractors,*

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

One Medical Relief Register

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

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

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

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

District, £
District, £

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

The Board elected the following ~~Ward-payers~~ to be Members of the Committee of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—
The Clerk is made 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, to the Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms B, C and D,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committee; namely:—

Dispensary District, No. _____ of _____

The Clerk reports that he forwarded to the Medical Officer of Hollymount Dispensary District, a supply of Certificates Form No. 1-ct, under Sect. 6, of Act 12 & 13. Vic. cap. 111, and request of that Officer, to certify to the Board of Guardians on these Forms, the existence of a nuisance, or nuisances, (if any) in his District,

That the Communicated with the Secretary pro-tem of the Committee of Management of Hollymount Dispensary District, in accordance with the instructions which he received from the Board of Guardians on the 8th Inst.

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 14th Jan^r 1857
stating that

N^o 326/57, relating to having a Fire kept up in the
Hall in the Dispensary room,

Resolved that the Master be directed to see that a
Fire be kept daily in the Building used as a Dispensary
for the Ballinacree District, with a view to the preservation
of the Medicines therein,

M^r Goskian Relieving Officer, having reported to the
Board that he could not get the House of Henry Jones -
deceased, cleaned and purified, for the sum allowed
by the Board, namely 50^s - it was Resolved that he
be authorized to expend a sum not exceeding 20^s
for that purpose,

William May
Master of the Union
William May
(Signed)

Thomas May
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851, 37,703.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,725.7.3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of January 1857

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each Building | Total No. in each Building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS |
|---|---|--|-------------|------|--|------|--|-------|---|---|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|-----------------------|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | |
| Workhouse, | 1000 | 189 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 1068 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 89 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | 2146 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 12 | 24 | 20 | 32 | 34 | 32 | 14 | 7 | 9 | 184 | In Workhouse Hospital, 59 | In separate Wards, 26 |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 2 | 3 | | 1 | 2 | | | | | 8 | In Fever Hospital, 11 | In other Inmates, 3 |
| TOTAL | | | 14 | 27 | 20 | 33 | 36 | 32 | 14 | 7 | 9 | 192 | Total, 59 | Total, 3 |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 1 | " | " | " | " | 1 | " | " | " | 2 | | |
| Died, | | | " | " | " | 1 | " | " | " | " | " | 1 | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 1 | " | " | 1 | " | 1 | " | " | " | 3 | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 13 | 27 | 20 | 32 | 36 | 31 | 14 | 7 | 9 | 189 | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17th day of January 1857 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday the 22 day of January 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Courtesy Kenny* and *Geoffrey Whitford Esq.* successful!
Other Guardians:

Colonel Knox, Robert Goghe, Thomas Walsh, and John Heune junior Esquires,

R. Bourke Esq. Port Law Inspt. attend.

At Meeting,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 13th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 984 to No. 993, 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:

That he forwarded to the Workhouse Master a copy of the Resolution passed on last day of Meeting requesting that Officer, to report to the Board, the parties who shall pass which he may grant to the Workhouse females,

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, - - - - - £ 7 12

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 8 5 0

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 459 7 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. |
| Adam Neal | Ballinacole | | | | | | | 169 | 2 | 1/2 | | | |
| | Ballinicholla | | | | | | | 17 | 13 | 10 1/2 | | | |
| | Dunbrim | | | | | | | 40 | 4 | 3 | | | |
| | Partingal | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 236 | 2 | 6 1/2 |
| Thomas Rottledge | Buriscara | | | | | | | 80 | 8 | 4 1/2 | | | |
| | Corrad | | | | | | | 20 | 14 | 7 | | | |
| | Hallymoent | | | | | | | 92 | 0 | 2 | | | |
| | Kilcommon | | | | | | | 94 | 9 | 1 1/2 | | | |
| | Keelbrook | | | | | | | 57 | 17 | 3 1/2 | | | |
| | Roslee | | | | | | | 32 | 2 | 5 1/2 | | | |
| | Shrule | | | | | | | 127 | 1 | 1 1/2 | | | |
| | Dalgin | | | | | | | 61 | 16 | 4 | | | |
| | Kilmaine | | | | | | | 112 | 17 | 1 1/2 | | | |
| Keale | | | | | | | 76 | 16 | 7 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 750 | 4 | 11 1/4 |
| Thomas Grady | Long | | | | | | | 158 | 0 | 9 1/2 | | | |
| | Mountswad | | | | | | | 71 | 4 | 8 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 229 | 5 | 5 1/4 |
| | Totals, | | | | | | | | | | 1245 | 12 | 11 1/2 |

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 16- 5 s. 7 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 19- 1- 10 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was — 1- 8 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary — 2- 6 3/4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital

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

1 1/8 lbs of Tea, 7 lbs of Sugar, 16 lbs of pepper,
 8 lbs of Dipt. Candles, 2 lbs of Mould Candles,
 24 lbs of Yellow Soap, 2 lbs of Starch, 14 lbs
 of Soda, 5 lbs of Bl. ind, 65 lbs of Meat
 160 Gallons of Sweetmilk, 210 Stone of
 Potatoes, 390 lbs of white Bread, 70 Boxes
 of Soap, 2 Cuv of best slates, 20 best Tiles,
 1- 14 feet plank, 2 Sixteen feet plank,
 2 lbs of white thread, 3 lbs of Black thread,
 4 Doz of Shingles, 4 Knots of black tape,

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 Policing 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 17th day of Jan^r 1857 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

| | | | |
|---------------------|---|-----|----|
| In money, | £ | nil | d. |
| In kind, | | nil | |
| Total, | | nil | |

Credit each Policing Officers, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Policing Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

Valuation

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

Thomas Rutledge for Revising Val. of Union

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Valuation

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

The 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 from Clerk of Old-castle Union dated 9th January 1857, enclosing copy of Resolution passed by the Board of Guardians of that Union, suggesting that deputation from the various Unions in Ireland should attend a Meeting to be held at Morrison's Hotel on the 30th Inst. to take into consideration the subject of amalgamation of Unions,

Upon which it was Resolved that the Old-castle Board of Guardians be informed, that the Board entirely concurs in the movement for the amalgamation of Unions, and if possible, that a Member of the Board will attend as a deputation at the Meeting to be held on the 30th Inst.

Letter from Clerk of Bandon Union enclosing copy of a Petition from the Board of Guardians of that Union, to the House of Commons, praying that the existing Poor Law Acts may be amended so as to relieve the country of a very considerable amount of Taxation, in the way of Unnecessary Establishment Charges,

Resolved that the Board approve of the Petition from the Bandon Union, and the Clerk is directed to write a copy of it, and submit same for the signature of the Board on Thursday next; that the Petition when signed be forwarded for presentation to the House of Commons, to G. H. Moore Esq. M.P., and that Col. Higgins M.P. be requested to support its prayer,

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners N^o 1272/57 dated 17th January 1857, approving of the appointment of Johannes Malloy as Schoolmaster in the Workhouse during the temporary absence of Miss Hanley, at the Training Institution in Dublin,

Circular Letter from William Donnelly Esq Registrar-General dated 10th January 1857, enclosing herewith copies of Returns showing the estimated average produce of the various crops grown in 1856 within each Electoral Division of the Union of Ballinolee, in order to obtain from the Guardians their opinion as to whether the average produce per Acre, fairly represents the yield of the crops,

The Guardians present at the Meeting, examined the Returns of the several Electoral Divisions with which they were acquainted, and having recorded their opinions as to the correctness of the averages; the Returns were transmitted to Mr. Donnelly,

Reverend James O'Malley R. C. C. of Ballinolee, waited on the Board of Guardians, and handed in a Communication which he had received from His Grace the Archbishop of Tuam, in reference to an application made by the Reverend Mr. O'Malley to His Grace, for permission to act as Chaplain of the Workhouse,

Resolved that a copy of the Communication be inserted in the Minutes for the information of the Poor Law Commissioners, who are requested to act in the matter as the circumstances of the case call for,

(Copy)

Irian

January 12th 1857

Rev. dear Sir,

I am directed by his Grace the Archbishop to acknowledge your Letter of yesterday regarding the chaplaincy of the Ballinacorney Workhouse,

Although the question of Salary is one deserving of every attention, as it regards a fair remuneration for laborious service, still the subject involves grave considerations as to the rights of the Ordinary of the Diocese, which, in this case, as well as in similar ones, some of the parties concerned entirely overlook,

It requires a more detailed knowledge of the matter than he is yet in possession of to enable him to decide as what will be necessary for upholding the Ordinary's jurisdiction for the spiritual benefit of the Catholic inmates of the Workhouse,

In the meantime, you and the other Clergymen will continue to perform the duties in the Workhouse as usual,

I am your faithful Servt.
John Mac Evilly,

Rev. James O'Malley,

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

| | |
|---|-----|
| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was | Nil |
| Ditto, disallowed | Nil |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | 8 |

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

| | |
|--|-----|
| The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered | Nil |
|--|-----|

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

M. J. ...
W. J. ...
N. W. ...

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday*, the *29th*
day of *January* 1857 (Signed) *R. ...*

Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the *Baltimore*
UNION, on *Thurs* day, the *22* day of *January* 185*7*
—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 Hollymount
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of 15th Inst^o,
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 _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____

District, £
District, £

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

Dispensary District No. _____ of _____

The Clerk reports, that he forwarded to the Workhouse Master a copy of the Resolution passed on last day of meeting, directing the Master, to see that a Fire be kept up daily in the Ballinroble Dispensary Room,

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 Assistance 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 21st Jan^r 1857
stating that

N^o. 1857/1857 - with reference to a Resolution of the Board on the 15th Inst, authorising the Relieving Officer to expend a sum not exceeding Twenty Shillings, in having the houses of Henry Stines, deceased, cleaned and purified; stating that the Guardians have no authority to charge expenditures of the nature in question on the poor Rates of the Union, except in such cases as are provided for in Section 4 of Act 11 & 12 Vic, cap 123,

In reply to the above Letter it is Resolved that the Commissioners be informed that the expenditure of 20/0 to which they refer, has not as yet been incurred; and that it appears from the Relieving Officers report that the Owner of the houses of the late Henry Stines, J. S. Lindsay Esq, is having it properly cleaned and purified at his own expense,

Wm. Brody.

John Lynch
Richard Walsh

Thomas May
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851, 37,703.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 36,725.7.3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of January 1857

| 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 | 1070 | 193 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | 1068 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 2115 | 193 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | | | 13 | 27 | 20 | 32 | 31 | 14 | 7 | 9 | | 189 | In Workhouse Hospital, 50 | In separate Wards, 2 | | |
| Admitted during the Week | | | 1 | " | 1 | 2 | " | 1 | " | 1 | | 1 | In Fever Hospital, 2 | With other inmates, 3 | | |
| TOTAL | | | 14 | 27 | 21 | 34 | 31 | 15 | 7 | 10 | | 190 | Total, 50 | Total, 3 | | |
| Discharged during the Week | | | | | | 1 | " | " | " | " | | 1 | | | | |
| Died | | | | | | 1 | " | " | " | " | | 1 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead | | | | | | 1 | 1 | " | " | " | | 2 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | | | 14 | 27 | 21 | 33 | 31 | 15 | 7 | 10 | | 193 | | | | |

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24 day of January 1857, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 81, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 81, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | | | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | | | No. X. | | | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | | | No. XI. | | | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | | | No. XII. | | | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | | | No. XV. | | | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| Car. forward | | | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | | |

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

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Colonel Knox*, the 29th day of January 1857

Other Guardians: *Robert High, D. E. Blake, John Keane junr. and Nicholas Walsh Esq.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 994 to No. 999, 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:

That he informed the Clerk of Oldcastle Union, that if possible, a Member of the Board of Guardians of this Union, will attend as a deputation at the Meeting proposed to be held on the 30th Inst, to consider the subject of amalgamation of Unions,

The Clerk submitted for signature a Petition to the House of Commons, praying for an inquiry into the expenditure under the head of Establishment charges with a view to their reduction, being a copy of a Petition which was adopted by the Guardians of Banlow Union for that object,

The Petition was signed, and the Clerk directed to forward it to Mr. Moore M.P.

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, - - - - - £ 82.15.2

Laid during the week, - - - - - £ 24.5.10

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 57.17.7

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. |
| Adam Neal | Ballinrobe | 14 | 6 | 10 | | | | 15 | 4 | 10 | | | |
| | Ballinchalla | | | | | | | 17 | 13 | 10 | | | |
| | Queenbrinn | | | | | | | 40 | 4 | 3 | | | |
| | Portroyal | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 10 | | | |
| | | | | | | 14 | 6 | 10 | | | | 29 | 15 |
| Thomas Ruttledge | Gruriscarra | 7 | 0 | ✓ | | | | 80 | 1 | 4 | | | |
| | Coonard | 10 | 0 | ✓ | | | | 20 | 4 | 7 | | | |
| | Hollymount | | | | | | | 92 | 0 | 2 | | | |
| | Kilcommon | 8 | 3 | 2 | | | | 91 | 6 | 9 | | | |
| | Newbrook | 2 | 2 | ✓ | | | | 49 | 15 | 1 | | | |
| | Roslee | | | | | | | 32 | 2 | 5 | | | |
| | Shrule | | | | | | | 127 | 1 | 13 | | | |
| | Dogin | | | | | | | 61 | 16 | 4 | | | |
| | Kilmirne | 6 | 9 | ✓ | | | | 112 | 11 | 2 | | | |
| | Keale | 25 | 9 | 10 | | | | 51 | 6 | 9 | | | |
| | | | | | 31 | 19 | 1 | | | | 718 | 5 | 10 |
| Thomas Grady | Cong | 27 | 17 | 11 | | | | 130 | 2 | 10 | | | |
| | St. Michaels | 8 | 12 | 4 | | | | 62 | 12 | 4 | | | |
| | | | | | 36 | 10 | 3 | | | | 192 | 15 | 24 |
| | Totals, | | | | 82 | 16 | 2 | | | | 1132 | 16 | 7 |

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 17 : 0 : 11 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 18 : 5 : 7 1/4

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

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 19 - 9 - 5

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1 - 6 1/4

Average Cost in Infirmary. 2 - 5 1/4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital.

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

- 12 Cwt of And Meal, 5 Cwt of Calneed,
- 17 1/2 lb of Tea, 7 lb of Sugar, 15 lb of Pepper,
- 1 Bottle of Port Wine, 8 lb of Sifted Candles,
- 9 lb of Mould Candles, 2 1/2 lb of Yellow Soap,
- 2 lb of Starch, 1 1/2 lb of Soda, 5 lb of Blue,
- 65 lb of Meat, 160 Gallons of Suet-milk,
- 210 Stone of Potatoes, 390 lb of White Bread,
- 70 Boxes of Yarn, 480 Diamond Prisms,
- 17 1/2 square feet of Pleying,

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 Jan^r 1857 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, £ s. d. 11 11 11
 In kind, 11 11 11
 Total. 22 22 22

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.
 David Yerrick for Shoes 5 5 0
 Mary M^r Green for Straw 1 11 8

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

2. Establishment Account.

P. Burgess for Stales, &c, 5 10 6
 P. Pennington for Calcavello Wine & Wax Candles 10 10 6
 Mary M^r Green for Brooms 13 11

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

P. Monahan for Groceries
Matthew Moran for Meat
Martin Higgins for Milk
Mrs. Sample for Bread & Potatoes
Mary M^o. Govers for Soap

| £ | s. | d. |
|----|----|----|
| 7 | 2 | 7 |
| 18 | 8 | 8 |
| 18 | 7 | 4 |
| 29 | 16 | 5 |
| 12 | 15 | 2 |

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above
P. M. J. D. Disbursements
4. Out-door Relief - Invoice Account.

Clerk of Union to provide for payment of

| £ | s. | d. |
|---|----|----|
| 7 | 10 | 7 |

Pathy Disbursements,

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.
The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every month.)—
Number of successful cases: Maales
The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

Ballinacree Workhouse
29th January 1857

Gentlemen,

I beg to inform you that the two Girls, Sally and Catherine Flynn, mentioned in the letter which you referred to me on last Board-day to report on, are in the House; having been admitted in September 1853, they are

are from the Strule Divⁿ, & aged respectively 11 & 12 Years, they have no clothes of their own, but I would beg to remark that Sally Flynn who is a Patient in the Infirmary, and there confined to her bed for the last 3 Years, is now in a dying state, and not expected to recover.

I require some building sand, a supply of which it would be well to have at all times in the Yard; I would therefore suggest to you the necessity of ordering about 30 Cents.

The Matron requires half a Dozen of Smoothing Irons, for the use of the School Girls.

I request your permission to procure a dozen of spade handles; without which I won't have a sufficient number for working.

I received from the Shoemaker the 10 pairs of New Shoes ordered, which being good, I appropriated to the Working men, I also got the old Shoes well repaired.

The Reports of the Nurses and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon, as follows.

The Hospital Nurse requires 6 or 7 lbs of Yew for the use of the Infirmary, and also 3 plates.

The provisions and necessaries delivered to me during the week were good.

I am Gentlemen,

Yours obedient Serv^t.

John Mullen Master

To the Board of Guardians
Ballinacree Union,

Referring to the Master's report it is Resolved—

That he be authorized to procure a suit of new Clothes for Catherine Flynn, who is leaving the Workhouse in order to go to her Father, who resides in England.

That he be authorized to procure, 30 Cents of Building Sand, Half a Dozen of Smoothing Irons, 1 Doz. of Spade Handles, 6 or 7 lbs of Yew, and 3 plates,

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

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

Circular Letter from Secretary of Penitentiary Assemblies Commission (Ireland) dated 21st Jan^r 1857 forwarding therewith to be submitted to the Board of Guardians, "heads of inquiry" prepared with a view to indicating the scope and purport of the investigation which the Commissioners are engaged in making, in reference to Penitentiaries and Penitentiary Asylums in Ireland

Letter from W^m Donnelly Esq. Registrar Genl. dated 24th January 1857, acknowledging receipt of the corrected average Rates of Produce of the crops grown in the Electoral Divisions of Ballinacorney Union, and saying that he is much obliged by the kind attention of the Guardians to this important matter,

Letter from Clerk of Westford Union dated 18th Dec^r 1856, forwarding to be laid before the Board of Guardians of the Union, a copy of a Petition adopted by the Board of Guardians of Westford Union, relative to the removal of Irish Poor from England, with a request that a similar petition may be adopted by this Board,

Resolved that the Clerk be instructed to inform the Clerk of Westford Union, that the Board has it in contemplation to prepare a Petition to Parliament on the same subject,

Resolved that pending the Vacancy in the Office of Roman Catholic Chaplain, the Master be directed not to send for the late Chaplain, or either of his Curates, to perform any religious duty in the Workhouse, unless at the special request of some Member of the House,

Resolved that Collector Thos. Russell be authorized to issue a duplicate Poor Rate Receipt, to Patt Seary for 8/2, being the amt. of a Rate paid by him to the Collector, for his premises situated in the Neel E Division, the Rate having been struck on the 31st Dec^r 1855, and Patt Seary having fully satisfied the Board as to the loss of the Original Receipt,

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

| | | | |
|---|---|---|-----|
| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was | - | - | 2 |
| Ditto, disallowed | - | - | nil |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | - | - | 4 |

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

| | | | |
|--|---|---|-----|
| The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered | - | - | nil |
|--|---|---|-----|

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

*Wm. Ligon
Doubtless Blake
Wm. Drake Jr*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *fifth*
day of *February* 1857
(Signed) *Thomas Nass*

Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the *Ballinacree*
UNION, on *Thurs* day, the *29* day of *January* 1857
—continued.

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

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the *Ballinacree*
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 Estimate was approved of, and the Clerk directed
to order the Medicines, &c. therein specified, 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 £ _____

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

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

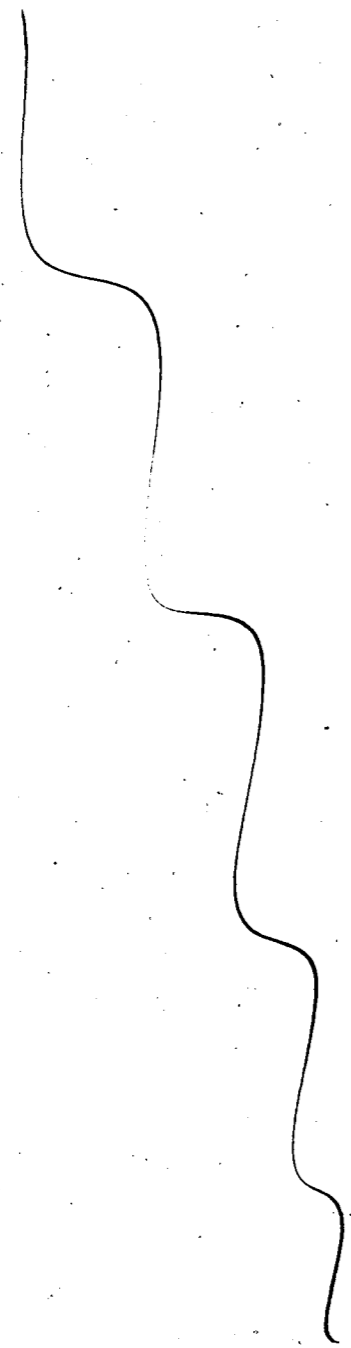
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The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from _____ stating that _____ dated _____



Wm. G. G. G.
D. B. B.
W. H. H. (Signed)

Thomas May
Clerk of the Union.

Ballinacorney Union

An Extraordinary Meeting of the Board of Guardians of Ballinacorney Union, held on Tuesday the 10th day of February 1857.

Present in the Chair, Geoffrey Moulton Esq
other Guardians:- Col. Knox, R. Y. G. H., Myles, M. D. O'Connell, D. E. Blake, John McCarney junr, and Christopher Bowen Esq.

The Clerk reports that he received the following Requisition to convene the present Meeting, and that in accordance therewith, he sent a notice (Form B) to each Member of the Board of Guardians by the Post of the 8th Inst:—

Form A, 1
Requisition for an Extraordinary Meeting of Guardians,

To the Clerk to the Guardians of the Ballinacorney Union,
We, the undersigned, being two of the Guardians of the Poor of the Ballinacorney Union, do hereby require an Extraordinary Meeting of the Guardians of the said Union to be summoned, to be holden at Ballinacorney Workhouse on Tuesday the 10th day of February 1857, at 12 o'clock noon, to take into consideration a proposition received from the Guardians of the Clonmore Union, that the Male and Female Children of the Clonmore Workhouse, between the Ages of 5, and 15 Years, be admitted into the Ballinacorney Workhouse, to be there maintained and instructed in the Schools, for the term of one Year, at a rate per head, per week, to be hereafter determined upon,

Dated 7th February 1857.

Charles Knox, } Guardians
Robert G. G. }

The Clerk read for the Board the following copy of a Resolution of the Board of Guardians of Clonmore Union on the 4th Inst, containing the proposition adverted to in the Requisition:—

Copy
Board Meeting, 4th February 1857
Clonmore Union,

Resolved,
That all Male and Female Children between the Ages of 5 and 15 Years, be removed to the Ballinacorney Workhouse

Workhouse for one year, until the Board should see how the change may act, and that the Clerk be directed to communicate with the Ballinacorney Board of Guardians, and ascertain if they would be willing to receive the children of the Union, and if so, at how much per head.

Signed:
 Geoffrey Browne
 Chairman,

With reference to the foregoing, it was Unanimously Resolved, that the Board consent to receive the children between the ages of 5 and 15 years, to be maintained and educated in the Ballinacorney Workhouse, at the rate of 2/6 per head per week, which is 1/6 lower than the rate for head, per week, paid to the Guardians of Ballinacorney Union, for the School-children of Belmullet and Kellala Unions.

That Mr. O'Ghee, Deputy Vice Chairman of the Board, be requested to wait upon the Board of Guardians of Claremorris Union, at their next Ordinary Meeting to be held on the 11th Inst, with a view of laying before that Board the above Resolutions, and reporting the decision which may be arrived at in reference thereto.

That our Clerk be directed to accompany Mr. O'Ghee, in order to afford to the Claremorris Board of Guardians, such explanations as may be required of him.

That if upon sufficient reasons shown, it can be made to appear, that the sum of 2/6 per head, per week, is too high a rate to be charged for the children who may be sent from the Claremorris Union, the Board will again entertain the subject at the Meeting which will be held on the 12th Inst.

[Handwritten signature]
 Robert O'Ghee
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Signed
 Thomas May, Clerk of Union
 10th February 1857

Population in 1851, 27,703.

Present Net Annual Value, £38,725.7.3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 31st day of January 1857

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 9 and under 15 years of age | Children above 2 and under 9 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | Total | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|---|---|--|-------------|-----------|--|-----------|--|-----------|--|---|------------------------------|------------|--------------------------------------|---|--------------|--|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | |
| Workhouse, | 1000 | 192 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 1000 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 2148 | 192 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 14 | 27 | 21 | 38 | 35 | 31 | 15 | 7 | 10 | 193 | In Workhouse Hospital, 40 | In separate Wards, 10 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | | 11 | | | | | | | | 1 | In Fever Hospital, 1 | In other Innates, 1 | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 14 | 38 | 21 | 38 | 35 | 31 | 15 | 7 | 10 | 194 | Total, 40 | Total, 11 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | 1 | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | 1 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 1 | | | 1 | | | | | | 2 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 13 | 28 | 21 | 32 | 35 | 31 | 15 | 7 | 10 | 192 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 31st day of January 1857, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday the 5th day of February 1857.

PRESENT: In the Chair, Robert O'Ghee Esq
 Other Guardians: D. Blake, and John Keane junior Esqs.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 61.

and the examination thereof adjourned

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined and authenticated for the present Board, dated 18th, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersigned by the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated for the present Board, dated 18th, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersigned by the Clerk.

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

That he forwarded to Mr. Moore M.P. the Petition signed on last day of Meeting, with a request that he would present it to the House of Commons, and that he wrote to Mr. Higgins M.P. to support its prayer.

That he wrote to the Clerk of Westford Union, to the effect that the Board of Guardians of this Union would prepare a Petition to Parliament, praying for an Amendment of the Laws which regulate the Removal from England or Scotland, of Destitute Poor Persons born in Ireland.

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

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

Paid during the week

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was £ 517. 17.

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. |
| Adams et al | Rollinake Rollinshalla Owenbrim Rostropal | | | | | | | 154 | 15 | 13 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 17 | 13 | 10 1/4 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 44 | 43 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 0 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 201 | 15 | 8 1/2 |
| Thomas Pettledge | Burincara Cornard Hollymoat Tilhammon Newhook Rostee Shule Dalgin Bahrain Stade | | | | | | | 80 | 1 | 1 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 20 | 4 | 7 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 92 | 0 | 2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 91 | 6 | 9 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 49 | 15 | 13 1/4 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 32 | 2 | 5 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 127 | 11 | 3 1/4 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 66 | 15 | 4 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 110 | 11 | 2 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 57 | 6 | 9 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 718 | 5 | 10 3/4 |
| Thomas Grady | Long Harriscourt | | | | | | | 130 | 2 | 10 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 62 | 12 | 4 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 172 | 15 | 2 1/4 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 1132 | 16 | 9 1/2 |

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 Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 7. 10. 7 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 22. 1 s. 3 1/4.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 19-9-1 1/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 4-8 1/4

Average Cost in Infirmary, 2-6 1/4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, nil

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:

5 Yards of printed Cotton, 2 1/2 Yards of
 Mamel, 2 1/2 Yards of Calico, 1 1/2 Yards of Lining
 Calico, 1 woad Shawl, 1 1/8 lb of Tea, 7 1/2 lb
 of Sugar, 12 lb of pepper, 1 Bottle of Port Wine,
 8 lb of dipht Candles, 2 lb of Mould Candles,
 2 1/2 lb of Yellow Soap, 2 lb of Starch, 1 1/2 lb
 of Soda, 2 lb of Blue, 1 Bottle of Calcewells
 Wine, 65 lb of Meat, 150 Gallon of Squatmill
 210 Stone of Potatoes, 350 lb of White Bread,
 70 Boxes of Soap,

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 31st day of Jan^r 1857: whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, Nil
 In kind, Nil
 Total, Nil

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

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

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. | | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. |
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| Car. fwd. | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.
John Donahoe for Bread & Stuffs

£ 17 4 6

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

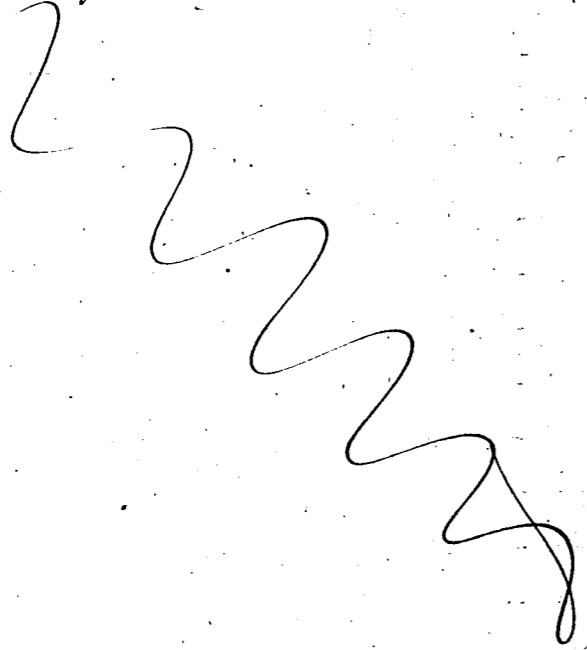
Number of successful cases:

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

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

No report from the Master this day.

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



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

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners N^o 28 of 57, dated 2^d February 1857 requesting a Return of the particulars of the Rates made, and agreed upon, in the Union, during the Month of January 1857.

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners N^o 3048/1857, dated 4th February 1857, stating that they presume that the Master will not consider the direction given to him on last Board-day, as requiring him to cease to afford all due facility to the Roman Catholic Clergymen who may allude to the discharge of the religious duties of the inmates of the Workhouse, until the formal appointment of a chaplain is made; and that as regards the appointment the Commissioners are awaiting a further communication from the Rev. Mr. O'Malley, which he has promised in reply to their Letter inquiring if he was willing to undertake the chaplaincy.

Ordered, that a copy of the foregoing Letter be forwarded to the Workhouse Master for his information.

Resolved that the Clerk be directed to procure a copy of Thomas Smith's Almanac and Official Director for the Year 1857.

Resolved that the following Petition to the House of Commons be adopted, and forwarded for presentation to Mr. Moore M.P., and that Col. Higgins M.P. be requested to support its prayers.

To the Right Honorable and Honorable the Commons of the United Kingdom of Great Britain and Ireland, in Parliament assembled,

The Petition of the Guardians of the Poor of Ballinobee Union in Ireland,

Respectfully sheweth,

That the Law under which a Native of Ireland is liable to be removed from England or Scotland, together with his wife and family, should he become destitute there, although he may have left Ireland in childhood, resided in England or Scotland ever since, and have contributed during a long life time to the increase of English or Scotch capital, and although his wife and children may be natives of England or Scotland, is most harsh and cruel towards the poor, and unjust towards the Rate-payers of Ireland,

That the Law under which persons, while in a Parish in which they have resided for five years, and only while in such Parish, are irremovable therefrom, is arbitrary and unjust in principle, and affords little or no protection to the poor in practice, inasmuch as it is constantly defeated by accident, and other causes.

That the only remedy for such grievous hardships consists in the assimilation of the Law as to irremovability of a poor person from any one of the three Kingdoms to that of the Law as to irremovability from any parish, and applying the same Law equally to all parts of the United Kingdom,

Yours,

Your Petitioners therefore humbly pray that it may be enacted that whereas now by Law any poor person having resided in any parish in England or Scotland, is irremovable from such parish; that hereafter any person having resided in any one of the three Kingdoms, should be irremovable from such Kingdom,

And Petitioners as in duty bound will ever pray,
Signed at a Meeting of the Board of Guardians of Ballinacorney Union, held on Thursday the 5th day of February 1857.

Robt. Hyde, Chairman of the Meeting
Dom. N. E. Blake } Guardians present at the Meeting, signing on behalf of the Magistrate.
John Keane pmr.

Countersigned, Thomas May
Clerk of the Union.

Denis Cormeely having fully satisfied the Board of Guardians, as to the loss of two Poor Rate Receipts given him by Collector J. Reath, for Rates of the Newbrook Divⁿ, paid W. P. 11 1856, on 21st Jan^y 1857, and 5th January 1856. It is Resolved that the Collector

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was . . . 1
Ditto, disallowed . . . Nil
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was . . . Nil

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

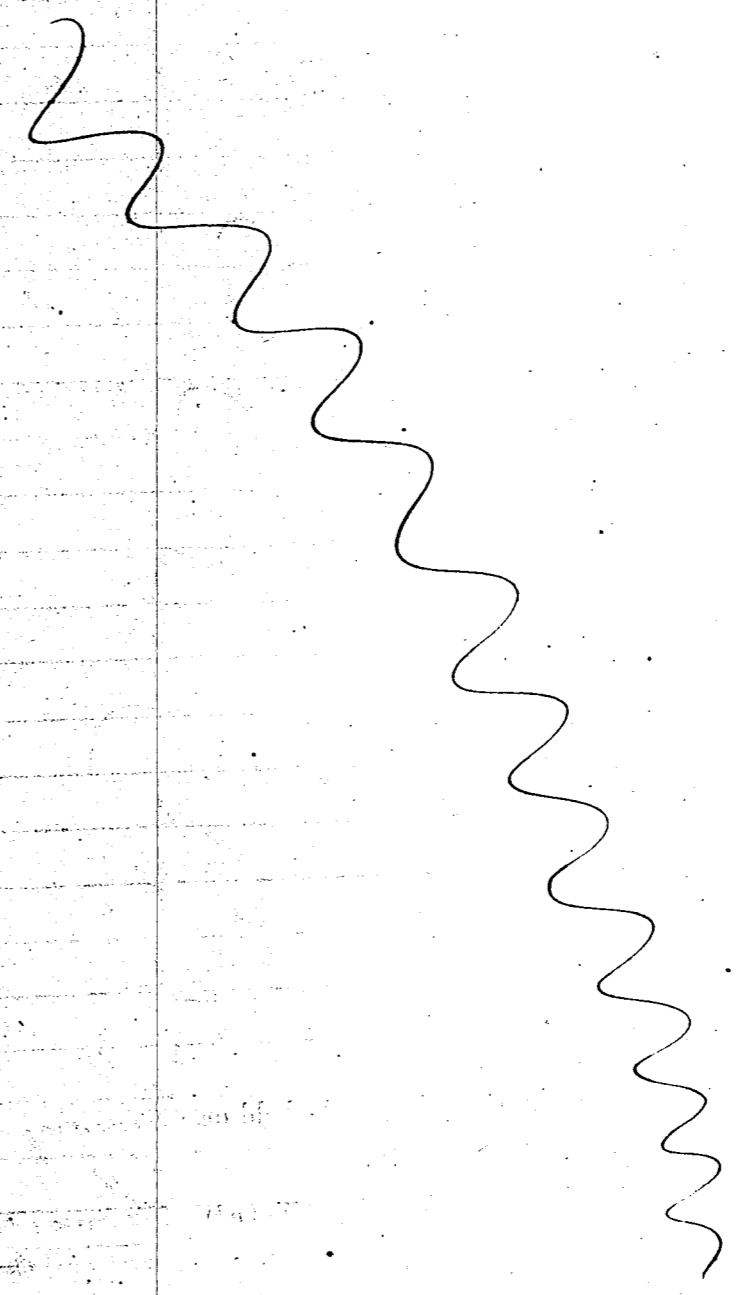
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered . . . Nil

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

be authorised to issue to Denis Cormeely duplicates of the Receipts lost,

William Stanton having fully satisfied the Board of Guardians, as to the loss of two poor Rate Receipts given him by Collector Adam Neal, for Rates of the Portmoyall Divⁿ, paid W. P. 11 on the 3rd February 1857. It is Resolved that the Collector be authorised to issue to William Stanton duplicates of the Receipts lost,

Resolved a pauper named Bridget Fleming, be granted a pass from 12th Nov^r on the 6th Inst. to 5th Dec^r 1856, on the 7th Inst. for the purpose of seeing her uncle on particular business,



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[Handwritten signatures]
W. W. W.
Robt. Light
Geo. W. W.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *12th*
day of *February* 1857

(Signed) *Thomas May*
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the *Ballymore*
UNION, on *Thurs* day, the *fifth* day of *February* 1857
—continued.

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

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

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the *Carry* and *Ballymore*
Dispensary Districts in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of 15th Ult^o, read 29th 51st,
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoices 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 Districts, retaining a Copy of the Invoices for the use of the Guardians.*

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

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

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

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

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

District, £ _____
District, £ _____

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

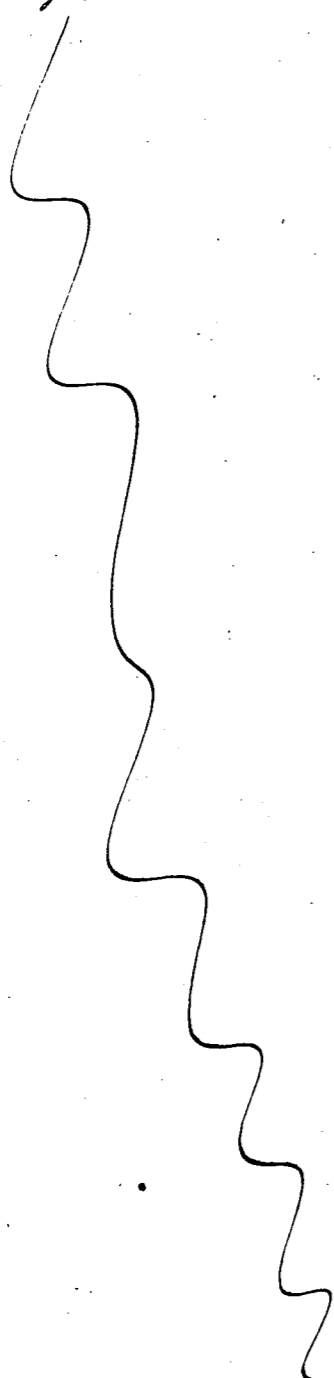
The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order dated _____ (state subject,)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Pauper 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



G. Huston
Not. High
Sh. W. W. W.

(Signed)

Thomas Mall
Clerk of the Union.

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Baltimore UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,703

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,725. 7. 3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 7th day of February 1857

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. of cases in which the inmates are suffering from 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, | 1050 | 182 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 1068 | 04 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | 04 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Rheda, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL , | 2148 | 192 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 13 | 28 | 21 | 32 | 35 | 31 | 15 | 7 | 10 | 192 | In Workhouse Hospital, 44 | In separate Wards, 4 | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | 1 | In Fever Hospital, 2 | In other inmates, 3 | |
| TOTAL , | | | 13 | 28 | 22 | 32 | 35 | 31 | 15 | 7 | 10 | 193 | Total, 44 | Total, 3 | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | 1 | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | 1 | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE , | | | 13 | 28 | 21 | 32 | 35 | 31 | 15 | 7 | 10 | 192 | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 7th day of February 1857, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|---|---|---|---|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|---|---|---|---|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
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| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| Car. forward | | | | | | | TOTAL , | | | | | | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday the 12th day of February 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, Geoffrey Martyn Esq.
 Other Guardians: Colonel Snow, Robert Gight, D. Blake, and Thomas Walsh Esquires,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriages between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 61.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 1000 to No. 1001, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersigned by the Clerk.
The Outdoor Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 1000 to No. 1001, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersigned by the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

That he forwarded to the Workhouse Master a copy of the Poor Law Commissioners Letter of the 14th Inst. No. 3043/57,

That he forwarded to Mr. New MP. the Petition signed on last day of Meeting, with a request that he would present it to the House of Commons; and that he writes to Mr. Higgins MP. to support its prayer,

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

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

Paid during the week,

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

The ledgers 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. |
| Adam Neal | Rollins & Co | 7 | 10 | 7 | | | | 147 | 4 | 11 3/4 | | | |
| | Ballinahalla | | | | | | | 17 | 13 | 10 1/4 | | | |
| | O'Donnell's | | | | | | | 40 | 4 | 3 | | | |
| | Parrygal | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 0 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | 7 | 10 | 7 | | | | 914 | 5 | 1 1/2 |
| Thomas Rutledge | Quinn's Cross | 1 | 17 | 8 1/2 | | | | 78 | 2 | 5 1/4 | | | |
| | Corran | 5 | 3 | 1 1/2 | | | | 15 | 1 | 6 | | | |
| | Ballinacorney | 9 | 3 | | | | | 91 | 10 | 11 | | | |
| | Kilbrannigan | | | | | | | 91 | 6 | 2 1/4 | | | |
| | Keel | 1 | 6 | 3 1/2 | | | | 48 | 8 | 10 3/4 | | | |
| | Keel | | | | | | | 32 | 2 | 5 1/2 | | | |
| | Shrule | | | | | | | 127 | 1 | 1 1/4 | | | |
| | Quinn | 2 | 1 | 9 1/2 | | | | 59 | 14 | 7 | | | |
| | Kilbrannigan | 7 | 11 | 9 1/2 | | | | 104 | 19 | 5 1/2 | | | |
| | Keel | 4 | 5 | 0 1/2 | | | | 47 | 1 | 9 | | | |
| | | | | | 22 | 14 | 9 | | | | 675 | 11 | 1 3/4 |
| Thomas Gandy | Conry | 15 | 0 | 0 1/2 | | | | 115 | 2 | 10 1/4 | | | |
| | Harold's Wood | | | | | | | 62 | 10 | 4 | | | |
| | | | | | 75 | 0 | 0 | | | | 777 | 15 | 2 1/4 |
| | | | | | 145 | 5 | 4 | | | | 1087 | 11 | 5 1/4 |

Notes to be inserted in the Tab at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.
Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 24 2 s. 10 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 19 2 10 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ 1 8

Average Cost in Infirmary £ 2 1/4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital £ 2 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:

17 1/2 lbs of Tea, 7 lbs of Sugar, 1 lb of Pepper,
 8 lbs of Dept Candles, 2 lbs of Mordel Corns,
 2 1/2 lbs of Yellow Soap, 2 lbs of Starch, 1 1/2 lbs of Soda,
 1 lb of Blew, 60 lbs of Meat, 140 Gallons of Sweetmilk,
 230 Stone of Potatoes, 370 lbs of White Bread,
 70 Bunches of Yarn, One Ton of Oat Straw,
 3 Loads of Scouring Sand, 2 lbs of Lime,
 17 Boards, 1 1/2 lbs of White Lead, 6 Smoothing Irons,
 10 Dozens of Screws, 1 Barrel of Roman Cement,
 2 Best Padlocks,

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 7th day of January 1857, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, £ 4 10 0
 In kind, £ 1 10 0
 Total, £ 5 10 0

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

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

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. | | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. |
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| Car. fwd. | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

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

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

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners N^o 140 M/57, dated 6th February 1857 stating that 200 Copies of the Elecⁿ Notice, (Form D) will be forwarded to the Returning Officer by that day's post,

Letter from same N^o 39 M/57, dated 5th February 1857, requesting to be informed of the amount of Establishment Charges included in the expenditure of the Ballinolee Union, for the Half Year ended 29th September last,

The Clerk reports that he attended at Clamorris on Yesterday, Mr. Eigh being unable to go there, owing to indisposition, and that he laid before the Board of Guardians of that Union, copies of the Resolutions agreed to at the Extraordinary Meeting held on the 10th Inst.

The Clerk submitted the following copies of Resolutions adopted by the Board of Guardians of Clamorris Union at their Meeting held on Yesterday,
Clamorris Union. Board Meeting, 11th February 1857

Resolved,

That the offer contained in the foregoing Resolution of the Ballinolee Board be accepted, and that the Board beg to return their thanks to the Ballinolee Board for the prompt and courteous manner in which they have attended to their request,

Resolved, That the Poor Law Commissioners be requested to give their immediate attention and sanction to the united Resolutions of the Ballinolee and Clamorris Boards, and to issue their Seal Order for the combination of both Unions into a School District, Ballinolee being the Receiving Union and Clamorris the Contributing Union

(Signed, James Dillon
Chairman)

Resolved Unanimously, that in the opinion of the Board the combination of the Unions of Ballinolee and Clamorris, for the purposes of a School District, in pursuance of Secⁿ 2 of Act 11 & 12 Vic Capⁿ 25, would be attended with mutual advantages for both Unions, inasmuch as it would be a means of reducing the Establishment Charges in each,

That therefore, the Poor Law Commissioners be requested to issue as soon as possible, the necessary Order under the Seal to enable the Boards of Guardians of Ballinolee and Clamorris Unions, to make the requisite arrangements for the transfer of the School Children from Clamorris Workhouse, to Ballinolee Workhouse, to be there maintained and educated, for the rate agreed upon by both Boards, namely. 2/6 per head.

per week, which is to cover all charges of Maintenance, Clothing, Education, and every other charge contingent on their being inmates of the Ballinacorney Workhouse,

The Clerk submitted the following statement of his travelling Expenses in going to Claremorris on the 21st Inst. by the direction of the Board of Guardians.

| | |
|----------------------------|------|
| To Car fare to Claremorris | 7-0 |
| " Dinner Fees | 2-0 |
| " His own expenses | 2-0 |
| Total | 11-0 |

Resolved that a sum of 11s be paid to the Clerk for his expenses provided the Poor Law Commissioners sanction the payment,

Resolved, that Gentles be invited by the Board

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 4

Ditto, disallowed 0

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 4

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was 0

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians 0

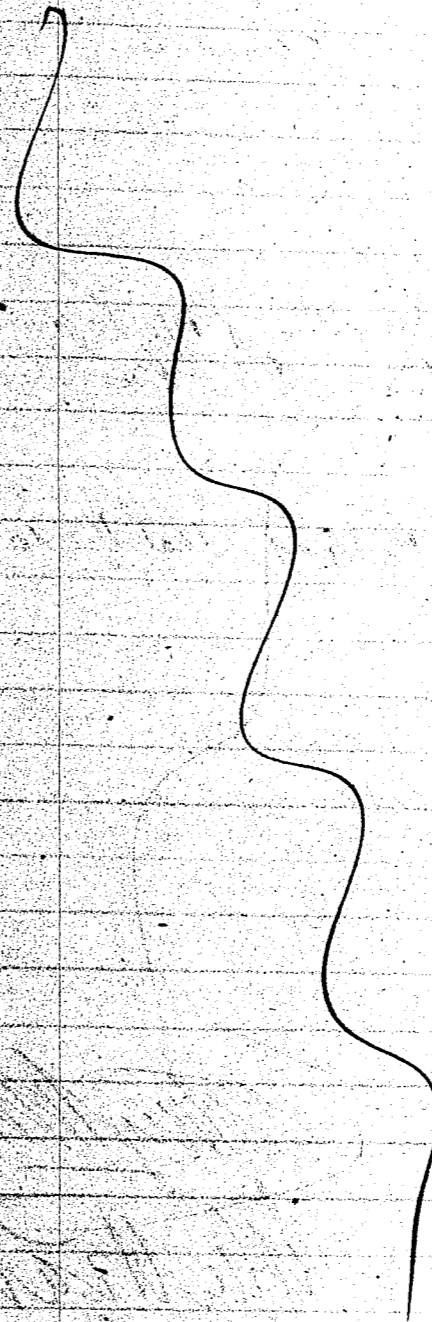
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books returned by order of the Guardians was 0

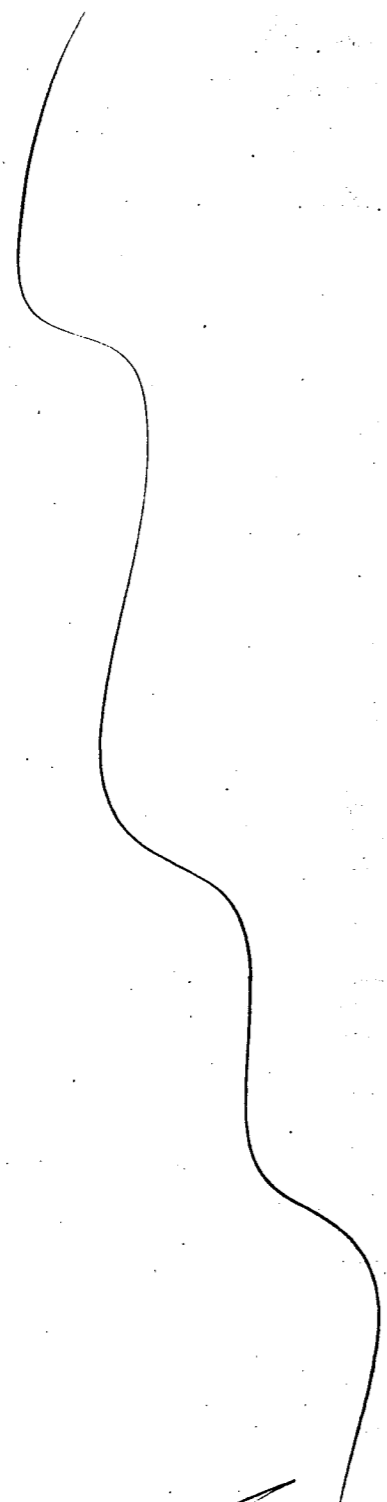
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered 0

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the 1st of January every year.)

Handbill, and in the Mayo Constitution for supplying to the Workhouse from the 26th of March to the 1st of Sept. 1857, some Merchantable Potatoes; to be delivered in the usual state,

London to be concluded on the 26th Inst.





William Murray
John W. Adams Esq
Don't E. Blake

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Sunday* the *19th*
day of *February* 1857

(Signed) *Thomas Murray*
Clerk of the Union.

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

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

—continued.

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

District, £
District, £

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

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

Dispensary District, No. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, on the 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 such as were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Bollinobee UNION.

Population in 1851, *37,703*.

Present Net Annual Value, £ *38,725.7.3*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *14th* day of *February* 185*7*

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each building | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 9 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 9 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | Total | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|---|---|--|------------------|------------------|---|------------------|--|------------------|---|---|------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------------|---|--------------|--|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | |
| Workhouse | <i>1000</i> | <i>193</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | <i>1068</i> | <i>2</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | <i>80</i> | <i>1</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | <i>2168</i> | <i>194</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | | | <i>13</i> | <i>28</i> | <i>21</i> | <i>32</i> | <i>35</i> | <i>31</i> | <i>15</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>10</i> | <i>192</i> | In Work-house Hospital, <i>12</i> | In separate Wards, <i>27</i> | | |
| Admitted during the Week | | | <i>1</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>1</i> | | | | | | | <i>4</i> | In Hospital, <i>1</i> | In Wards with other inmates, <i>3</i> | | |
| TOTAL | | | <i>14</i> | <i>28</i> | <i>23</i> | <i>33</i> | <i>35</i> | <i>31</i> | <i>15</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>10</i> | <i>196</i> | Total, <i>48</i> | Total, <i>3</i> | | |
| Discharged during the Week | | | <i>1</i> | | | | | | | | | <i>1</i> | | | | |
| Died | | | | | | <i>1</i> | | | | | | <i>1</i> | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead | | | <i>1</i> | | | <i>1</i> | | | | | | <i>2</i> | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | | | <i>13</i> | <i>28</i> | <i>23</i> | <i>32</i> | <i>35</i> | <i>31</i> | <i>15</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>10</i> | <i>194</i> | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *14th* day of *February* 185*7* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Thursday* the *19th* day of *February* 185*7*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Courtney Henry Esq*
 Other Guardians: *Robert High, D. Etchells, and John Heane*
Junior Esquires

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1002 to No. 1005, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk. The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. to No. inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk. The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day. The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ n.d. said during the week, - - - - - £ 56.11.6 and that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - - - - - £ 465.12.9 The Book was signed by the Chairman. The Weekly Balances-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. | | |
| Adam Seal | Ballinacree Ballinchalla Osculism Portroyal | | | | | | | 147 | 4 | 10 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 17 | 13 | 10 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 10 | 4 | 8 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 0 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 214 | 5 | 0 1/2 | |
| Thomas Rutledge | Berriscarra Coonard Hollymount Kilcormac Keshook Roele Shrule Dalgin Kilmaine Seale | | | | | | | 78 | 3 | 6 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 15 | 7 | 6 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 91 | 10 | 11 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 91 | 6 | 9 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 48 | 8 | 1 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 32 | 0 | 5 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 127 | 1 | 1 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 59 | 14 | 7 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 104 | 17 | 5 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 47 | 1 | 9 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 695 | 11 | 1 1/2 | |
| Thomas Grady | Bong Hardswood | | | | | | | 115 | 2 | 10 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 62 | 12 | 4 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | 177 | 15 | 2 1/2 |
| Totals. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 0. 1. 8 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 11- 10 s. 5 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ . . . d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 19-2-10 3/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1-7 3/4

Average Cost in Infirmary. 2-7 3/4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital. 5-3

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:

178 ll. of Tea, 72 ll. of Sugar, 12 ll. of Pepper, 2 Bottles of Port Wine, 8 ll. of Oil Candles, 2 ll. of Mould Candles, 24 ll. of Yellow Soap, 2 ll. of Starch, 14 ll. of Soda, 2 ll. of Blue, 60 ll. of Meat, 150 Gallons of Sweet Milk, 220 Stone of Potatoes, 380 ll. of White Bread, 70 Boxes of Soap, 20 Bunches of Lard, 2 doz. pieces of Paper, 4 ll. of white thread, 3 ll. of Black Thread, 3 pieces of Sticks,

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 entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 14 day of January 1857, whereof it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, £ 10
In kind, 0

Total. £ 10
Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

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

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

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

1. Clothing Account. £ . . . d.
Petty Disbursements to 'Acct',
Clerk of Union to provide for payment of - 10 0 0

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

2. Establishment Account.
Henry Looskan Relieving Officer for Acct. of Salt 3 0 0

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

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

£ s. d.

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

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

£ s. d.

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

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

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

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

No report from the Master this day

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

Resolved that Anne Garry a Pauper spinster, be allowed a Pass from 12th Room on the 29th inst to 5th of PM on same day, in order to enquire after the reported death of her Husband who resided in America,

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 from Poor Law Commissioners N^o 4193/1857, dated 18th February 1857, stating that the Commissioners do not object to the proposed payment of a sum of 12s to the Clerk of the Union in respect of the expense incurred by him in travelling to Claremorris on the 11th Inst; also stating that such expenses should be avoided in future,

Letter from same N^o 4193/1857, dated 18th February 1857, transmitting therein, a copy of a Letter addressed to the Board of Guardians of Clonmore Union on the subject of the suggested formation of a District School at Ballinakee Workhouse, for the reception of the Children of the Workhouses of both Ballinakee and Clonmore Unions,

Letter from Col. Higgins M.P. dated 17th February 1857, acknowledging receipt of Clerk's Letter of the 6th Inst, and stating that when the Petition to which it refers is before the House, it shall receive his best consideration

Resolved that the Clerk be directed to inform Col. Higgins, that the Board of Guardians feels much obliged for his prompt attention to its request,

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The Clerk read a Letter which he received from the Secretaries of the Education Commissioners, of which the following is a copy:—

22. Education Office
18th February 1857.

Sir,

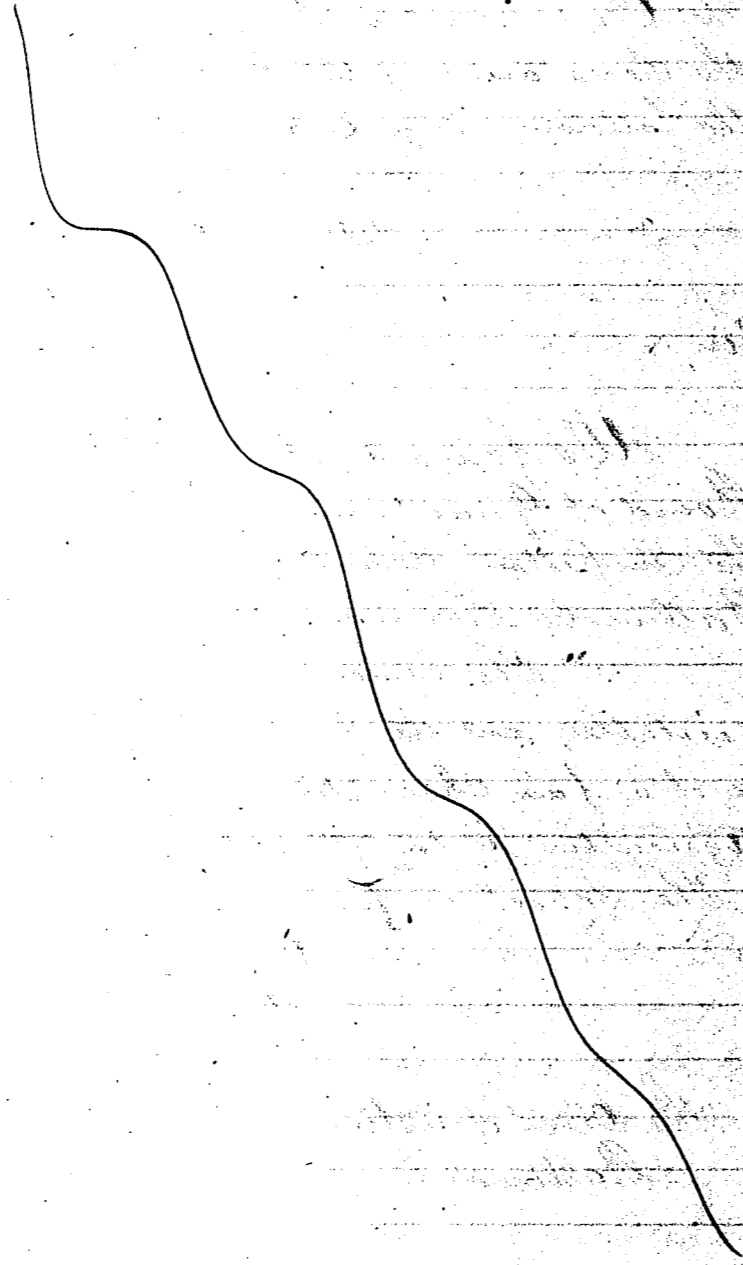
We forward, for the information of the Board of Guardians, the following extracts from the Inspector's Report of the 3rd instant, on the Ballinakee Poor Law Union National School,
"The course in the literary department is suitable, and the proficiency attained by the pupils is of a fair character, in the Industrial department, Agriculture is taught with a moderate degree of success. The school is progressing"

We are, Sir,

Your obedient Servants
Hereward Croft

To the Clerk of the Union
Ballinakee,

James Kelly, Secretary



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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 4

Ditto, disallowed Nil

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was Nil

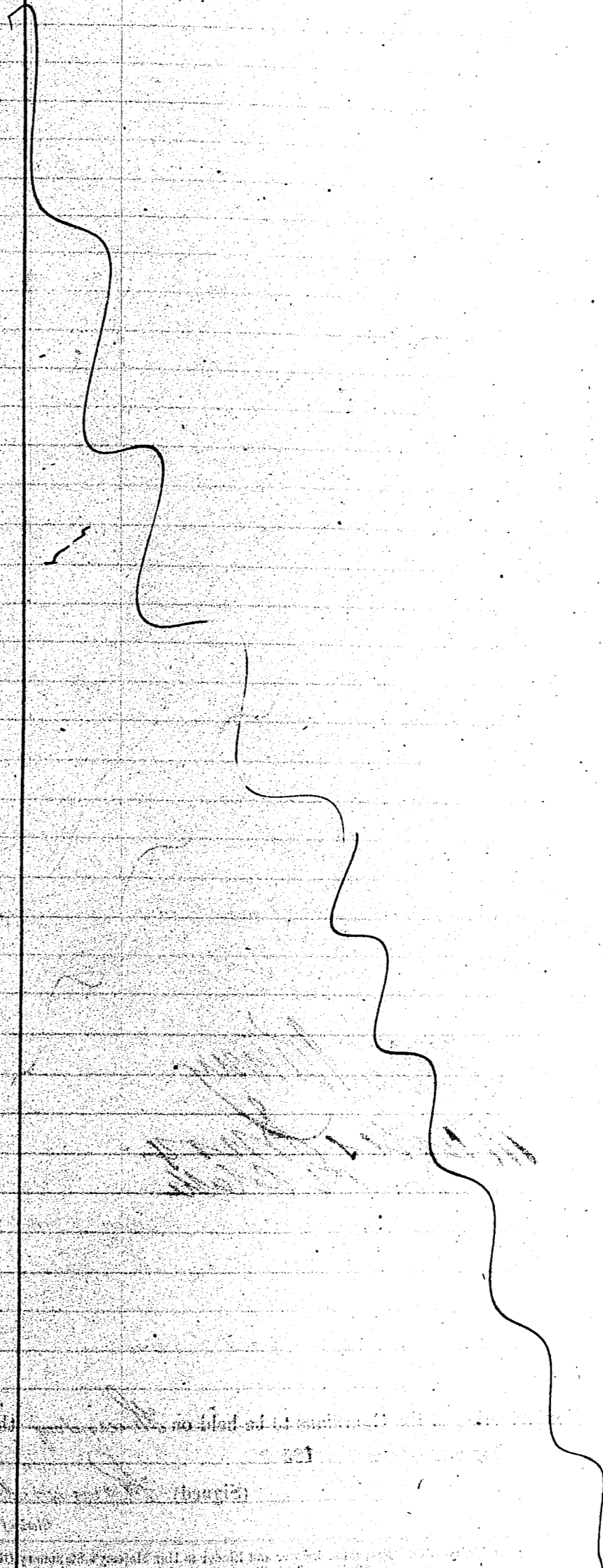
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was Nil

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered Nil

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



Wm. J. P. M. J.
James J. M. J.
James J. M. J.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *26th*
day of *February* 1857

(Signed) *Thomas J. M. J.*

Clerk of the Union.

By Authority—JOHN FALCONER, Printer and Binder to Her Majesty's Stationery Office,
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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____

UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____

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

District, £
District, £

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

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

Dispensary District, No. _____ of _____

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

Order dated: _____ (state subject)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Nuisance 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

[Faint, illegible handwriting]

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Rathfriland UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,703.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,725.7.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 21st day of February 1857

| Number of Houses for which accommodation is provided | No. of cases in each house on the above date | Total | Able-bodied | | Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS |
|--|--|------------|-------------|------|--|------|--|-------|---|---|------------------------------|--------------------------------------|---|--------------|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | |
| Workhouse | 1000 | 187 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | 1000 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | 1000 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 2000 | 187 | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return | | | 18 | 28 | 23 | 30 | 31 | 15 | 7 | 11 | 19 | | | |
| Admitted during the Week | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | 18 | 28 | 23 | 31 | 31 | 15 | 7 | 10 | 19 | | | |
| Discharged during the Week | | | | | | 4 | | 1 | | 1 | | | | |
| Died | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead | | | | | | 4 | | 1 | | 1 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | | | 18 | 28 | 23 | 29 | 30 | 15 | 6 | 10 | 18 | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 21st day of February 1857, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

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

the 26th day of February 1857
 Present: In the Chair, *Country Kenny* and *Gooffrey Martyn Esq.* Successively
 Other Guardians:

*Colonel Sturges, Robert Yeats, D. Blake, and
 John Keame junior Esq.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

and the examination thereof postponed

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, - - - - - £ 118.17.8

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 29.16.5

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 554.14.11

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. |
| Adam Neal | Ballinacree | 36 | 6 | 11 | | | | 110 | 18 | 5 1/2 | | | |
| | Ballinacree | | | | | | | 17 | 13 | 10 1/2 | | | |
| | Owenbrinn | | | | | | | 40 | 4 | 3 | | | |
| | Portroyal | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 0 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | 36 | 6 | 6 | | | | 177 | 18 | 7 1/2 |
| Thomas Rutledge | Burris curra | | | | | | | 78 | 3 | 8 1/4 | | | |
| | Coonard | | | 8 | | | | 15 | 0 | 10 | | | |
| | Hollymount | 1 | 7 | 3 | | | | 90 | 3 | 8 | | | |
| | Kilcommond | 2 | 12 | 8 | | | | 88 | 14 | 1 1/2 | | | |
| | Newbrook | 7 | 2 | 4 | | | | 41 | 6 | 1 1/2 | | | |
| | Roslea | | | 16 | | | | 31 | 6 | 2 1/2 | | | |
| | Shrule | 29 | 17 | 2 | | | | 97 | 3 | 11 1/2 | | | |
| | Dalgint | 6 | 19 | 0 | | | | 52 | 15 | 7 | | | |
| | Kilnasine | 3 | 11 | 10 | | | | 101 | 7 | 1 1/2 | | | |
| | Noble | 12 | 4 | 0 | | | | 34 | 17 | 9 | | | |
| | | | | | 64 | 11 | 2 | | | | 630 | 17 | 11 1/4 |
| Thomas Gorman | Conq | 5 | 16 | 8 | | | | 109 | 6 | 2 1/4 | | | |
| | St. Ann's wood | 12 | 3 | 4 | | | | 50 | 9 | 0 | | | |
| | | | | | 18 | 0 | 0 | | | | 159 | 15 | 2 1/4 |
| | Totals | | | | 118 | 17 | 8 | | | | 968 | 13 | 9 1/2 |

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 Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 3:17:9 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 16. 1. 5 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 19-2-0

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ 1-6

Average Cost in Infirmary £ 2-9

Average Cost in Fever Hospital £ 8-12

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

Estimate for Week ending 7th March 1857

1 Cwt of Meal, 5 Cwt of Oatmeal, 1 7/8 lbs of Tea, 7 1/2 lbs of Sugar, 12 lbs of pepper, 6 Bottles of Porter, 6 Cwt of dipht Candles, 2 lbs of Mould Candles, 2 lbs of Yellow Soap, 2 lbs of Starch, 1 1/2 lbs of Soda, 2 lbs of Mould Candles, 2 lbs of Blue, 6 Bottles of Porter, 1 Bottle of Calowella Soap, 2 lbs of Starch, 1 1/2 lbs of Soda, 11 lbs of Wax Candles, 60 lbs of Meat, 1 1/2 lbs of Blue, 65 lbs of Meat, 150 Gallons of Sweetmilk, 210 Stone of Potatoes, Gallons of Sweetmilk, 230 Stone of White Bread, 70 Boxes of Surf, 100 Stone of Potatoes, 370 lbs of White Bread, 18 Boards, 18 Screws, 1 70 Boxes of Surf, 3 Dy. spikes, 2 lbs of Copper Wire, 4 Hurdles, and screws for Crays, 3 1/2 lbs of Nails, 500 Slating Nails

Estimate for Week ending 14th March 1857

1 1/8 lbs of Tea, 7 1/2 lbs of Sugar, 12 lbs of pepper, 6 Bottles of Porter, 6 Cwt of dipht Candles, 2 lbs of Mould Candles, 2 lbs of Yellow Soap, 2 lbs of Starch, 1 1/2 lbs of Soda, 2 lbs of Mould Candles, 2 lbs of Blue, 6 Bottles of Porter, 1 Bottle of Calowella Soap, 2 lbs of Starch, 1 1/2 lbs of Soda, 11 lbs of Wax Candles, 60 lbs of Meat, 1 1/2 lbs of Blue, 65 lbs of Meat, 150 Gallons of Sweetmilk, 210 Stone of Potatoes, Gallons of Sweetmilk, 230 Stone of White Bread, 70 Boxes of Surf, 100 Stone of Potatoes, 370 lbs of White Bread, 18 Boards, 18 Screws, 1 70 Boxes of Surf, 3 Dy. spikes, 2 lbs of Copper Wire, 4 Hurdles, and screws for Crays, 3 1/2 lbs of Nails, 500 Slating Nails

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 27th day of February 1857, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, £ 0

In kind, £ 0

Total, £ 0

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

Collector's Remuneration Account £ s d.

Thomas Ruddle Collector for Act of Tax 10 0 0

Collector's Remuneration

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

2. Establishment Account.

Provision for Calowella Wine - 2 9

Mary M. Gowers for Rooms - 13 11

P. Gagner for Timber, Cement, &c. 3 10 11

Doctor Roughton for Act of Salary 10 0 0

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

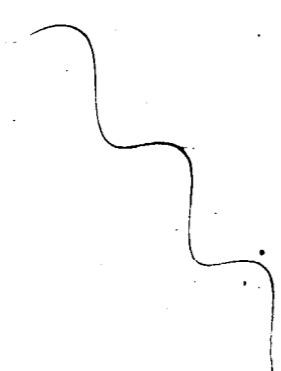
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|---------------------------------------|---|----|----|----|
| Patrick Monahan for Groceries | £ | 11 | 10 | 6 |
| Matthew Moran for Meat | £ | 4 | 7 | 11 |
| Markus Higgins for Milk | £ | 15 | 10 | 3 |
| Thomas Sample for Bread and Potatoes | £ | 25 | 11 | 9 |
| Mary M ^r : Givens for Soap | £ | 10 | 4 | 2 |

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above
 Petty Disbursements
 4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

| | | | |
|--|----|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. |
| Clerk of Union to provide for payment of | 16 | 17 | 4 |

Petty Disbursements

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.
 The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every month.)—
 Number of successful cases:
 The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:



The Report of the Workhouse Master was read as follows:

Gentlemen,
 Ballymolee Workhouse
 26th February 1857

I will immediately require to put down vegetable seeds, and therefore request your permission to procure them, of Parsnip, Onion, Leek, Cabbage, and other seeds, also seed Potatoes, and liberty to employ a few labourers,

A Gallon of Black Marking Ink, and two Razors for the Infirmary (one for the Men), and another for shaving sow heads) are much required

The Provisions and Necessaries now being delivered to me, are good,

Daniel Madden requests a pass for 2 days, in order to go see his Aunt who is preparing to go to America, from whom he expects a sum which will enable him to take his discharge from the House,

Yours obedient Servant,
 John Mullen Master,

Y. The Board of Guardians
 Ballymolee Union,

With reference to the Master's report it is Resolved, that he be authorized to procure such seeds as he may require for the Workhouse grounds, and also to employ a few labourers as requested, The Clerk is directed to pay the expenses incurred by the Master in pursuance of this Resolution, and to charge same in Petty Disbursements, (to be) That the Master be authorized to procure one Gallon of black Marking Ink, and two Razors, That Daniel Madden be granted a Pass for 2 days,

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

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

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners No. 4028/57, dated 18th February 1857, stating that the Commissioners have received a report from their Inspector Mr. Broune, in which he observes that the amount of Arrears brought into the current Rates, still remains uncollected, and suggesting that the Board of Guardians should require the Collectors to collect the arrears in question, without further delay; and drawing the attention of the Board of Guardians to a Letter which they address to the Board on the 12th April last, in which the Commissioners pointed out the importance of enforcing a close collection of the outstanding Rates,

In accordance with the suggestion of the Poor Law Commissioners, as contained in their Letter of the 18th Feb^r 1857, it is Resolved, that each Poor Rate Collector in the Union, be required to make out a detailed Return of the Arrears of last Rates due in his District, showing the steps taken for the recovery of such Arrears, and in the event of there having been no proceedings instituted for that object, showing who the Arrears have not been collected;

The Returns to be laid before the Board of Guardians on the 19th proximo,

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners No. 4028/57, dated 24th February 1857, stating for the information of the Guardians, that they have received a Communication from the Reverend Mr. O'Malley, dated the 19th Inst. stating that he cannot accept the Office of Roman Catholic Chaplain to the Workhouse as he is prohibited from acting in that capacity by his Ecclesiastical Superior; also stating that Mr. O'Malley expresses his thanks for the offer of the appointment, and that the Commissioners very much regret his inability to accept the Chaplaincy, and will be glad to receive the further views of the Guardians on the subject,
Notice of Motion,

A Letter having been read from the Poor Law Commissioners, requesting the view of the Board, on the subject of the appointment of Roman Catholic Chaplain to the Workhouse; and as this Board is a small one, and the matter deserving of serious attention, I will on this day three weeks, move that the Commissioners Letter be considered, and that the Board do then express its view on the point requested by the Poor Law Commissioners = etc.

I would have proposed my Motion on this day fortnight, but that it is more than probable, the Assizes for the County will be holden on that day,

Charles Knox,

Kilmore February 25th 1857

The Medical Officer of the Workhouse, Dr. Ronghan, having represented that he was summoned to attend at the Galway Assizes as a Witness in the case of the Queen v. Dydon, it is Resolved that Dr. Ronghan be appointed to take charge of the Workhouse Infirmary and Fever Hospital, until Dr. Ronghan returns from the Galway Assizes,

Resolved that, inasmuch as the Grand Jury of this County will assemble for the discharge of the Fiscal business of the County, on Thursday next the 5th proximo, Orders be made on the Contractors for the provisions and necessaries required for the ensuing fortnight, so that in the event of their being no Meeting of the Board on the 5th proximo, inconvenience may not result therefrom,

The Clerk having represented, that he ~~was~~ required to absent himself from the Workhouse on Saturday the 28th Inst. on urgent private business, it is Resolved that leave be granted to the Clerk for that day, and that Mr. Middleton, Workhouse Master, be appointed to act as Clerk and Retaining Officer for Saturday the 28th Inst.

Resolved that the Board accept of the Tender of Thomas Sample to supply from 2nd March to 1st September 1857, good sound Potatoes at 1s per stone, to be delivered in a washed state; and that Mr. Charles Malley of Caalbar, and Mr. John Armstrong of Ballinolea, be approved of as his Securities in a Bond for the sum of £100.
The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

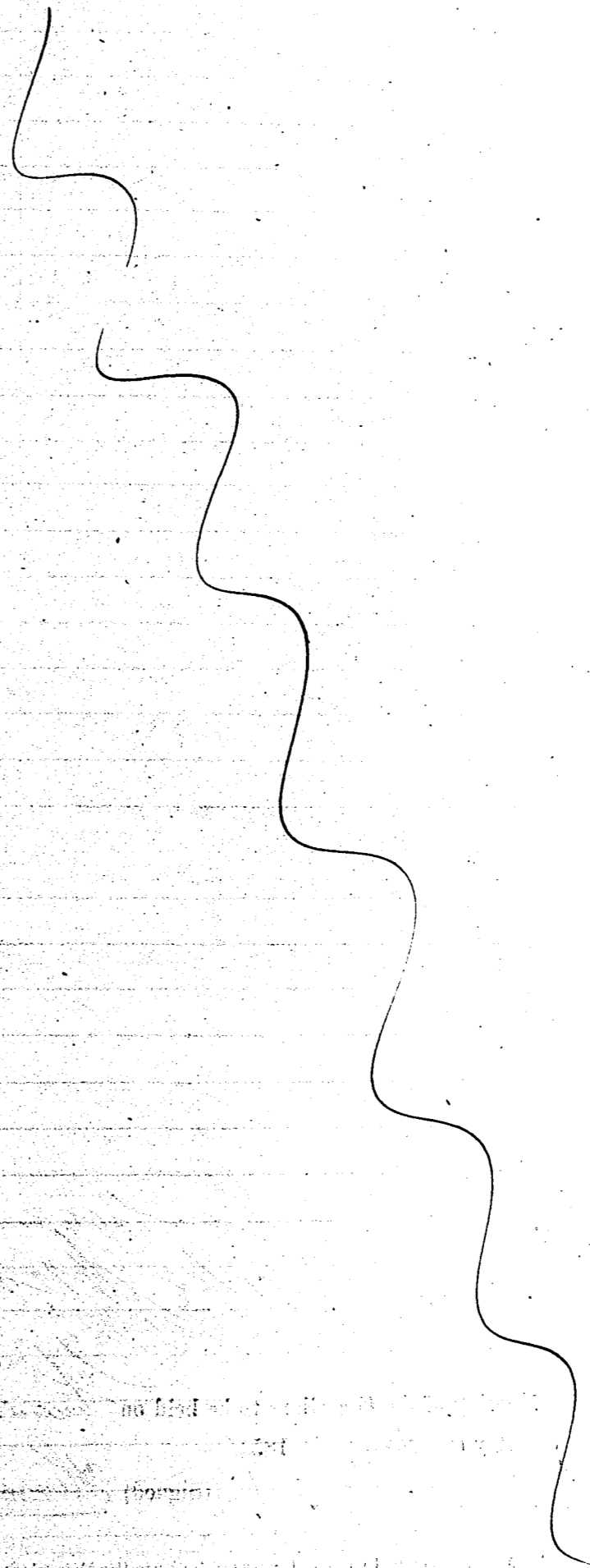
The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 1
Ditto, disallowed Nil
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was Nil

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered Nil

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

Resolved, that the Clerk be directed to advertise by printed Handbill, and by Advertisement in the "Mayo Constitution" for the usual Workhouse Supplies, &c. &c. Tenders to be considered on the 19th prox.



*G. Hartigan
Master
Clerk of the Union*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *5th*
day of *March* 1857

(Signed) *Thomas May*
Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the Parliamentary
UNION, on Monday day, the 26th day of February 1857
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

1859 Dispensary District.
Account of Mr. D. Rouphar for Salary: Amount £ 10-0-0

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

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

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

Dispensary District, No. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Assistance, 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

G. Hartley
James May
Wm. May (Signed)

James May
Clerk of the Union.

Ballinacree UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,703.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,705. 7. 3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 28th day of February 1857

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | Total | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|---|---|--|-------------|-----------|--|-----------|--|-----------|---|---|------------------------------|------------|--------------------------------------|---|--------------|--|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | |
| Workhouse, | 1000 | 188 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 1000 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 2148 | 190 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 13 | 28 | 23 | 29 | 35 | 30 | 15 | 6 | 10 | 189 | In Workhouse Hospital, 140 | Incapacitate Wards, 3 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 1 | | | | 2 | | | | | 3 | In Fever Hospital, 2 | In Wards with other inmates, 3 | | |
| Total, | | | 14 | 28 | 23 | 29 | 37 | 30 | 15 | 6 | 10 | 192 | Total, 142 | Total, 3 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | 2 | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | | 2 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 13 | 27 | 23 | 29 | 37 | 30 | 15 | 6 | 10 | 190 | | | | |

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 28th day of February 1857, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on the _____ day of _____ 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:

None of the Guardians of the Poor of the Union, Ballinacree, were present at the Board Room of the Workhouse this day after one hour had elapsed since - went to the time appointed for the meeting,
Thomas Claff,
Care of Union,
5th March 1857,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

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

The 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 they had been received during the week, - - - - - £ m
Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 60-12-1
And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 196-1-11
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. | |
| Adam Noel | Ballinacree Ballinchalla Disabinn Portonaf | | | | | | | 110 | 18 | 8 1/4 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 17 | 3 | 10 1/2 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 40 | 4 | 3 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 0 1/2 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 177 | 18 | 7 1/2 | |
| Mrs. Bettleage | Ruriscree Cornard Hollington The Common Newbrook Roolee Spindle Dalgin Kilmaine Keele | | | | | | | 78 | 3 | 8 1/4 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 15 | 0 | 10 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 90 | 3 | 8 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 88 | 14 | 1 1/4 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 41 | 6 | 13 1/4 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 31 | 6 | 2 1/4 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 97 | 3 | 12 1/4 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 52 | 5 | 7 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 101 | 7 | 7 1/2 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 34 | 1 | 9 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 630 | 19 | 11 3/4 | |
| Thomas Grady | Long Hoinlawood | | | | | | | 109 | 1 | 2 1/4 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 50 | 9 | 0 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 159 | 15 | 2 1/4 | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 968 | 13 | 9 1/2 | |

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| | |
|---------------------|-------------|
| In money, | £ 0 - 0 - 0 |
| In kind, | Nil |
| Total, | Nil |

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

| £ | s. | d. |
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Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurers with the several sums as above

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

| £ | s. | d. |
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Credit Treasurers and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

Number of successful cases:

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

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

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

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

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

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

Ditto, disallowed . . .

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

Clerk of the Union.

By Authority—JOHN FALCONER, Printer and Binder to Her Majesty's Stationery Office,
53, Upper Sackville-street, Dublin.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

District, £
District, £

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Ballinrobe UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,703.

Present Net Annual Value, £38,725.7.3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 7th day of March 1857

| 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, | 1004 | 186 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 1068 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 2152 | 188 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 13 | 27 | 23 | 29 | 37 | 30 | 15 | 6 | 10 | 190 | In Workhouse Hospital, 39 | In separate Wards, 7 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | " | " | " | 1 | 1 | " | " | " | " | 2 | In Fever Hospital, 2 | In Wards with other inmates, 3 | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 13 | 27 | 23 | 30 | 38 | 30 | 15 | 6 | 10 | 192 | Total, 41 | Total, 3 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 1 | 2 | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | 3 | | | | |
| Died, | | | " | " | " | " | " | " | 1 | " | " | 1 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 1 | 2 | " | " | " | " | 1 | " | " | 4 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 12 | 25 | 23 | 30 | 38 | 30 | 14 | 6 | 10 | 188 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 7th day of March 1857 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

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

PRESENT: In the Chair, the day of 1857
Other Guardians:

As two only of the Guardians of the Ballinrobe Union, namely, Constance Kemmy and Robert White Esq. were present at the Board Room of the Workhouse this day, after one hour had elapsed subsequent to the time appointed for the Meeting, no Meeting was therefore held,

Thomas May
Chair of Union

12th March 1857.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

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

The 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, - - - - - £ 153. 14 5
Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 34. 11 0
And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 618. 5 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. | | |
| Adam Seal | Ballinrobe | | 15 | 2 | | | | 110 | 3 | 3 1/4 | | | | | |
| | Ballinacorney | 115 | 4 | 10 | | | | 1 | 9 | 1/4 | | | | | |
| | Queenstown | | | | | | | 40 | 4 | 3 | | | | | |
| | Portroyal | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 0 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | 17 | 0 | | | | 160 | 18 | 7 1/2 | |
| Mr. Reathledge | Buniseara | 37 | 18 | 9 | | | | 40 | 4 | 1 1/4 | | | | | |
| | Coonard | 2 | 19 | 4 | | | | 12 | 1 | 1/4 | | | | | |
| | Hollymount | 15 | 10 | 8 | | | | 74 | 13 | 0 | | | | | |
| | Kilcommon | 8 | 8 | 9 | | | | 80 | 5 | 1 1/4 | | | | | |
| | Steebrook | | | 13 1/2 | | | | 40 | 13 | 1 3/4 | | | | | |
| | Roslee | | | | | | | 31 | 6 | 2 1/4 | | | | | |
| | Shrule | | | | | | | 97 | 3 | 1 3/4 | | | | | |
| | Dalgin | 4 | 8 | 0 | | | | 48 | 7 | 7 | | | | | |
| | Kilmaline | 43 | 0 | 1/2 | | | | 58 | 7 | 1 1/2 | | | | | |
| | Nale | 2 | 3 | 11 | | | | 22 | 13 | 1 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 115 | 3 | 1 | | | 515 | 16 | 10 1/4 |
| Thomas Grady | Cong | 15 | 7 | 7 | | | | 93 | 18 | 7 1/4 | | | | | |
| | St. Michaelswood | 6 | 3 | 9 | | | | 44 | 5 | 3 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | 24 | 11 | 4 | | | 138 | 3 | 10 1/4 | |
| | Totals | | | | | | | 753 | 14 | 5 | | | 814 | 17 | 1 1/2 |

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 24. 16 s. 3³/₄

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ s. d. 18. 17. 2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ s. d. 1. 8

Average Cost in Infirmary. £ s. d. 2. 7¹/₂

Average Cost in Fever Hospital. £ s. d. 3. 11¹/₂

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

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 7th day of March 1857 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, £ s. d. *Nil*
In kind, £ s. d. *Nil*
Total, £ s. d. *Nil*

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

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

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

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

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

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

the

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the

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

—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District, Account of Mr. for : Amount £

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

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

District, £
District, £

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. of

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

Order dated (state subject)

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

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Pallinlee UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,703.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,725.7.3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 14th day of March 1857

| 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, : | 1009 | 178 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, : | 1068 | 7 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, : | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, : | 80 | 4 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 2148 | 182 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 12 | 25 | 23 | 30 | 38 | 30 | 14 | 6 | 10 | 188 | In Work-house Hospital, 38 | In separate Wards, 4 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | " | " | " | 1 | " | " | " | " | " | 1 | In Fever Hospital, 4 | with other inmates, 3 | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 12 | 25 | 23 | 31 | 38 | 30 | 14 | 6 | 10 | 189 | Total, 42 | Total, 7 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | " | 2 | 1 | " | 1 | " | " | " | 2 | 6 | | | | |
| Died, | | | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | 1 | " | 1 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | " | 2 | 1 | " | 1 | " | " | 1 | 2 | 7 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 12 | 23 | 22 | 31 | 37 | 30 | 14 | 5 | 8 | 182 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 14th day of March 1857 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

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

PRESENT: In the Chair, Courtnay Kenny and Geoffrey Martyn Esq. the 15th day of March 1857
 Other Guardians:

Col. Knox, Robert Rutledge, Robert Vigho, Francis Louvie
Benjamin W. Jennings, Thomas Walsh, John Griffin, C. Brown,
John Neumejster and Nicholas Walsh Esq's.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 61.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1006 to No. 1112, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Outdoor Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 10 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:

That he wrote to each Poor Rate Collector in the Union, requesting a detailed Return of the Areas carried into the current Rate due in his District, and at the same time forwarded for the information of each Collector, a copy of the Resolution passed on the 26th Ult., with reference to these Areas.

The Clerk reports that inasmuch as there was no Meeting of the Board on the 12th Inst. he (the Clerk) signed and issued Orders to the Contractors to supply the following Articles required in the Workhouse for the week ending 21st Inst. namely:—

- | | |
|--|----------------------------|
| One Gallon of Black Marking Ink, | 150 Gallons of Sweet Milk, |
| 2 Razors, 3 large plates, 1/2 | 210 Sticks of Potatoes, |
| Gallons of Sweet Oil, 1 1/8 lbs of Tea, | 360 lbs of white Bread |
| 7 1/2 lbs of Sugar, 1 1/2 lbs of pepper, | 70 Boxes of Soap, |
| 10 Bottles of Nails, 6 lbs of light | |
| Candles, 2 lbs of Mould Candles, | |
| 2 1/2 lbs of Yellow Soap, 2 lbs of | |
| Starch, 1 1/2 lbs of Soda, 2 lbs of | |
| Blue, 65 lbs of Meat, | |

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, - - - - - £ 7 11
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 16 17 4
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 596 7 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. | | | |
| Adam Neal | Ballinacree | | | | | | | 110 | 3 | 3 1/4 | | | | | | |
| | Ballinshalla | | | | | | | 1 | 9 | 0 1/2 | | | | | | |
| | Owensbrinn | | | | | | | 40 | 4 | 3 | | | | | | |
| | Partrypal | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 0 1/2 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 160 | | | 18 1/2 | | |
| Thomas Rutledge | Kerrisarra | | | | | | | 40 | 14 | 11 1/2 | | | | | | |
| | Boonard | | | | | | | 12 | 1 | 6 | | | | | | |
| | Hollymount | | | | | | | 74 | 13 | 0 | | | | | | |
| | Kilcommon | | | | | | | 80 | 5 | 4 1/4 | | | | | | |
| | Naobrook | | | | | | | 40 | 13 | 4 1/4 | | | | | | |
| | Roskeel | | | | | | | 31 | 6 | 2 1/4 | | | | | | |
| | Shrule | | | | | | | 97 | 3 | 1 1/4 | | | | | | |
| | Dalgin | | | | | | | 48 | 7 | 7 | | | | | | |
| | Kilmaine | | | | | | | 58 | 7 | 1 1/2 | | | | | | |
| | Stonew | | | | | | | 32 | 13 | 10 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 515 | | | 16 10 1/4 | | |
| Thomas Grady | Bong | | | | | | | 93 | 18 | 7 1/4 | | | | | | |
| | Strandwood | | | | | | | 44 | 5 | 8 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 138 | | | 3 10 1/4 | | |
| Totals, | | | | | | | | | | | 814 | | | 17 4 1/2 | | |

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 11:3:9 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 11-2 s. 5p.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 18-16-10 1/2
 Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1-6 1/2
 Average Cost in Infirmary. 2-8
 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:

4 lb of Tea, 1 lb of Sugar Sceptilem outal, 17/8 lb, 30 Boxes of Beef, of Tea, 7 lb of Sugar, 15 lb of pepper, 7 Bottles of Porter, 2 Bottles of Port Wine, 6 lb of Sift Candles, 2 lb of Mould Candles, 2 lb of Yellow Soap, 2 lb of Starch, 14 lb of Soda, 2 lb of Blue, 50 lb of Meat, 10 Gallons of Sweetmilk, 90 Stone of Potatoes, 180 lb of White Bread, 40 Boxes of Soap, 30 Cart loads of Sand, small work and repairs, Repairs of Tin Work, 4 New handles, 25 lb of Meat, 10 Gallons of Sweetmilk, 90 Stone of Potatoes, 150 lb of White Bread,

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 21st day of March 1857 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, £ 111
 In kind, 1/2
 Total, 111 1/2

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

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

The Clerk and Returning Officer, laid before the Board of Guardians, a certified copy of the List of the several qualified Candidates duly nominated for the Office of Guardian in Ballinacorney Union for the Year ending 25th March 1858.

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

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners N^o. 54-7/57 dated 28th Feb^r. 1857, transmitting therewith, a copy of the Form on which the account of expenses attending the Election of Guardians is to be made out, and also enclosing a copy of their Circular Letter of the 10th February 1852, relating to the remuneration to the Returning Officer.

Circular Letter from same, N^o. 55 7/57, dated 2nd March 1857, requesting particulars respecting the Rates made, and agreed upon, in the Union, during the month of February 1857.

Circular Letter from same, N^o. 56 7/57, dated 7th March 1857, on the subject of the right of Immediate Access to vote in the Election of Guardians, and forwarding for the information of the Returning Officer, copies of the Decree submitted to the Attorney and Solicitor General, and of the opinions given thereon, in relation to that question.

Circular Letter from R. Griffith Esq. Commissioner of Valuation, dated 7th March 1857, stating that 25 Copies of the Primary General Valuation of the Union of Ballinacorney have been forwarded for the inspection of the Rate-payers, and all other persons interested therein,

The Clerk reports that he received the 25 Copies of the Primary General Valuation of the Union on the 9th Ins^t, and that on the 10th and 11th Ins^t: he caused copies to be deposited for inspection at the places pointed out by the 18th Section of the Act 15th & 16th Vic, Cap 63, due notice of which, he also caused to be given.

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners N^o. 60 7/57, dated 7th March 1857, requesting a Return showing the number of persons who were admitted to the Workhouse, during the Year ended 29th Sept^r. last, distinguishing being the numbers who were sick at the time of their admission.

The Clerk laid before the Board of Guardians Abstracts of Union Accounts for the Half Year ended 29th Sept^r. last, (Forms 5 A and 5 B and Form 4 A and B) certified by the Auditor James Marlow Esq., upon which the said Abstracts were adopted by the Board and signed by the Chairman.

Proposed by Colonel Knox,
Seconded by Courtney Kemmy Esq.

That having had under consideration a Letter received from the Poor Law Commissioners N^o. 46 23/57, dated 24th Ultimo, requesting the views of the Board of Guardians as to the appointment of a Roman Catholic Chaplain to the Ballinacorney Workhouse,

It is Unanimously Resolved, that the Board is of opinion, that the Commissioners took the proper steps for the due performance of Religious Service for the Roman Catholic Inmates of the Workhouse.

That the Board concurs in the regret expressed by the Commissioners, that the Reverend James O'Malley was unable to accept the Office of Chaplain.

The Board has to add, that Religious Service is performed as regularly as when there was a paid Chaplain to the Workhouse.

The Clerk reports the death of Mr. Patrick Tierney one of the Secretaries of Annual Poor Rate Collector, and of Charles Burke Relieving Officer,

Resolved that Messrs. Tierney and Burke, be called upon respectively, to submit on Thursday next the 26th Inst. for the approval of the Board of Guardians the names of other persons, willing to become their Secretaries in Bonds for the due discharge of the duties of their several offices, in room of Mr. Tierney deceased.

Resolved that the Clerk be authorized to procure a new covering of green Baize for the Board Room Table, and to get the Arm Chair repaired,

The Representatives of the late Robert Fair Esq. having fully satisfied the Board of Guardians as to the laps of a Poor Rate Receipt given to Mr. Fair by Collector Thos. Ruttledge on 26th Jan^r. 1856 for Rates of the Newbrook Divⁿ. of the Year 1855 paid Mr. Ruttledge.

It is Resolved that the Collector be authorized to issue a duplicate of the Receipt which has been lost

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was . . . Nil
 Ditto, disallowed . . . Nil
 The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was . . . 4

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

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

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

Resolved that the several parties named in the Schedule hereunder written, be declared contractors for the supply of the several Articles placed opposite their respective names, at the prices, and for the period, in the said Schedule set off; and that the Secretaries also named therein be approved of.

- Schedule referred to in the above Resolution

| Names of persons declared Contractors | Description of Articles & contracted for, | Price of each Article | Period for which the Contract is to be in force | Names of persons approved of as Securities |
|---------------------------------------|---|-----------------------|---|--|
| Patrick Mallonahan | Sea. 1 st quality | 4-0 per lb | From 25 th March 1857 | James Starnes of Ballinole, and W ^m Ryan of Ballinole |
| | Sea. 2 nd " | 3-4 " " | | |
| | Soft Sugar | 7-0 " Stone | to 25 th Sept 1857 | |
| | Black pepper (best quality) | 1-4 " lb | | |
| | Best Old Pot Wine | 26-0 " Ogon | | |
| | Best White well Wine | 26-0 " " | | |
| | Best xx Pale | 4-0 " " | | |
| | Best Yellow (Quintons) Soap | 4-6 " Stone | | |
| | Yellow Soap | 4-0 " " | | |
| | Washing Soda | 11-0 " Cwt | | |
| | Starch best Wheaten | 5 " lb | | |
| | Blue | 7 " " | | |
| | Best Dipht Candles | 7 " " | | |
| | Best Mould Candles | 7 " " | | |
| Rice No. 1- | 25-0 " Cwt | | | |
| Rice No. 2 | 21-0 " " | | | |
| Matthew Moran | Good Beef on a cwt | 3s per lb | | D ^r John Henahan and Michl. Moran of Ballinole, |
| Marlow Higgins | Pure Sweet Milk | 6 per Amp per Gallon | From 25 th March 1857 to 25 th March 1858 | Patrick Wards of Ballinole and John Brown of Amieshaman |
| Mary M ^{rs} Gorman | Grass | 8s per Statute Row | | D ^r W ^m Egan of Ballinole and Bryan Henmelly of Kilkeeran, |
| John Malloy | Health Brooms | 5-8 per Doz | | D ^r no security required |
| | Birch Brooms | 5-2 " " | | |
| Martin Burke | Scouring Sand | 3-0 per Sand | | D ^r no security required |
| | Playing | 3s per Doz | | |

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 - Schedule referred to in the above Resolution

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|---------------------------------------|--|------------------------|---|--|
| Patrick Nathaniel | Sea. 1 st quality | 5-0 per lb | From 25 th March 1857 | James Stammers of Ballinolee, and W ^m Ryan of Ballinolee |
| | Sea. 2 nd | 3-4 " " | to 25 th Sept 1857 | |
| | Soft Sugar | 7-0 " " | | |
| | Black pepper (best quality) | 1-4 " lb | | |
| | Best Old Port Wine | 36-0 " Ogen | | |
| | Best White-castles Wine | 36-0 " " | | |
| | Best xx Port | 4-0 " " | | |
| | Best Yellow (Quadrant) Soap | 4-6 " Stone | | |
| | Yellow Soap | 4-0 " " | | |
| | Washing Soda | 11-0 " Cwt. | | |
| | Starch best white | 5 " lb | | |
| | Blue | 7 " " | | |
| | Best Dipht Candles | 7 " " | | |
| | Best Mould Candles | 7 " " | | |
| | Rice No. 1- | 25-0 " Cwt. | | |
| | Rice No. 2 | 21-0 " " | | |
| Matthew Moran | Good Beef and Mutton | 3 rd per lb | | Do. John Henahan and Michl. Moran of Ballinolee, |
| Marlow Higgs | Pink Sweet Milk | 6 per cwt | From 25 th March 1857 to 25 th March 1858 | Patrick Warrle of Ballinolee and John Browne of Amies town |
| | Yellow | 6 per cwt | | |
| Mary M ^{rs} Govern | Teap | 8 th per | | Do. W ^m Egan of Ballinolee and Bryan Hennelly of Killeeran, |
| | Straw Bed | 5-8 per Day | | |
| | Heath Brooms | 5-8 " " | | |
| | Rich Brooms | 5-10 " " | | |
| John Malloy | Scouring Sand | 5-0 per Load | | Do. no security required |
| | | of 16 Cwt. | | |
| Marlow Burke | Playing | 3 rd per | Diamonds 0 ^o | no security required. |
| | | pane, and | | |
| | | square pane, | | |
| | | at 1 st per | | |
| | | square foot. | | |

Schedule continued

| Name of persons declared Contractors | Description of Articles, &c. contracted for | Price of each Article | Period for which the Contract is to be in force | Name of persons appointed as Securities |
|---|--|--|---|--|
| James O'Keefe James Hall of Ireland John O'Hara | Medicines, &c. &c. Sweeping Chimneys of Workhouse & Fever Hospital | At the prices specified in the Schedule to 25 th March 1857 | From 26 th March 1857 to 25 th March 1858 | Stephen Donegan of No. 4 St. James Street, and Daniel P. Ryan of No. 2, Princes Street No security required |
| Michael Moran | Repair and adjustment of the Smiths work Wrought iron of every description | £2. 10-0 per Year | Do | Thomas Sample and Matthew Moran |
| Patrick Bergus | Sweeping Brushes No. 8 White Wash Brushes No. 1 Scouring Brushes Whalebone Brushes Black Horse Brushes Iron Spoons Sweet Oil Prepared Oil Linseed Oil Varnish White Lead No. 2 Black Lead Red Lead Best Roman Cement Best White Lead No. 1 | 3 per lb 36-0 per Day 33-0 " " 22-0 " " 14-0 " " 1-4 per Set 9-0 per Gross 6-6 per Gallon 4-4 " " 4-2 " " 4-9 " Quart 4-8 " Stone 4-0 " " 4-6 " " 13-0 " Barrel 5-0 " Stone | Do Do | Messrs. John Kelly and Wm. Ryan of Pall Mall |

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Resolved that the Schoolmaster be granted leave of absence from the 23rd to the 26th Inst.

Resolved that Tenders be invited by printed Handbill, and by Advertisement in the "Mayo Constitution" for painting externally and internally, the wood, Iron and Metal Work of the Workhouse and Fever Hospital. — The external Work to be covered with three Coats of paint, and the internal Work with two Coats. The Board of Guardians will provide all Materials except Brushes, and other working Tools.

Tenders to be considered on the 9th proximo,

Resolved that Tenders be invited by printed Handbill, and by Advertisement in the "Mayo Constitution" for supplying the Workhouse with the following Articles to 29th Sept. 1857: — White Bread. Yellow Irish Meal. Oatmeal. Patent Straw, sticks of all sizes — and also for the Workmanship connected with replacing 12 decayed Window Sills.

Tenders to be considered on 2nd proximo,

Resolved that the examination of the current Lists, which the Clerk laid before the Board, be adjourned to the day week.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the 26th day of March 1857

(Signed) Thomas May Clerk of the

Thomas May
Clerk of the Union

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the *Parish of*
 UNION, on *Thurs* day, the *19th* day of *March* 185*7*
 —continued.

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

_____ District, £
_____ District, £

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

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

_____ Dispensary District, No. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject,)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Assistance, 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 Secretary of Committee dated of Management stating that

of Hong Dispensary District dated 3^d March 1857
 Stating that the Medical Officer of the District, Dr. Harrigan,
 would be obliged to attend at the Galway Assizes, as
 a Witness for the Crown in the case of the Queen v Lydon
 for Wilful Murder,

Mrs. Inoy.
 Robt. Coghlin
 Mr. Hume &c

(Signed)

Thomas Meay

Clerk of the Union.

Ballinacree UNION.

Population in 1851 *7713*, Present Net Annual Value, £ *38,725.7.3*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *24th* day of *March* 185*7*

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in the above date | Total No. in the above date | 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 | | | Total | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|---|--|-----------------------------|--|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|--|----------|---|------------|---|------------------------------|--------------|--------------------------------------|
| | | | Able-bodied | | Males | | Females | | Boys | Girls | Children above 5 and under 9 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 | <i>1000</i> | <i>182</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | <i>100</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | <i>80</i> | <i>4</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | <i>2100</i> | <i>186</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday as per last Return | | | <i>10</i> | <i>28</i> | <i>20</i> | <i>31</i> | <i>27</i> | <i>30</i> | <i>14</i> | <i>5</i> | <i>8</i> | <i>182</i> | | | | |
| Admitted during the Week | | | <i>2</i> | | | | | | | | | | <i>38</i> | <i>3</i> | | |
| TOTAL | | | <i>12</i> | <i>28</i> | <i>20</i> | <i>31</i> | <i>27</i> | <i>30</i> | <i>14</i> | <i>5</i> | <i>9</i> | <i>188</i> | <i>42</i> | <i>3</i> | | |
| Discharged during the Week | | | | <i>2</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Died | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | <i>2</i> |
| Total Discharged and Dead | | | | <i>2</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | <i>2</i> |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE | | | <i>12</i> | <i>24</i> | <i>20</i> | <i>31</i> | <i>27</i> | <i>30</i> | <i>14</i> | <i>5</i> | <i>9</i> | <i>186</i> | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *24th* day of *March* 185*7* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
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| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| Bt. forward | | | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Thursday* the *26th* day of *March* 185*7*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Colonel Knox*
 Other Guardians: *Robert G. G. G., D. E. Blake, J. H. Walsh, and John Steane junr Esqrs.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1213 to No. 1222, 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. 16 to No. 21, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk. The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:

That to wit to Messrs. Seal and Burke, calling on each of them, to submit for the approval of the Board, the name of a person willing to become a surety in room of P. Henry deceased; That he advertised for tenders for painting the Workhouse, and for Andrew Mead & Co. as directed,

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, - - - - - £76-18-3 Paid during the week, - - - - - £45-11-9 And that the Balance on the Account in Favour of the Guardians was - £627-14-3 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. |
| Adam Seal | Ballymore | 18 | 0 | 0 | | | | 92 | 3 | 3 1/4 | | | |
| | Ballymohall | | | | | | | 1 | 9 | 0 1/4 | | | |
| | Oxsubinn | | | | | | | 40 | 4 | 8 | | | |
| | Portroyal | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 0 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | 18 | | | | | | 142 | 18 | 7 1/2 |
| Thomas R. Mottage | Berriscurra | | | | | | | 40 | 4 | 11 1/4 | | | |
| | Boonard | | | | | | | 11 | 3 | 10 1/4 | | | |
| | Hallymount | | | | | | | 74 | 13 | 0 1/4 | | | |
| | Stilcannon | 3 | 10 | 8 1/2 | | | | 76 | 14 | 8 1/4 | | | |
| | Newbrook | 1 | 15 | 0 1/4 | | | | 38 | 18 | 1 1/4 | | | |
| | Roslee | 4 | 16 | 1 1/4 | | | | 26 | 10 | 1 1/4 | | | |
| | Shrule | 2 | 12 | 1 1/4 | | | | 94 | 11 | 5 1/4 | | | |
| | Dalgin | 25 | 5 | 5 1/4 | | | | 232 | 2 | | | | |
| | Kishnane | 1 | 8 | 0 1/4 | | | | 56 | 19 | 1 1/4 | | | |
| | Stonk | 8 | 12 | 11 1/4 | | | | 24 | 0 | 11 1/4 | | | |
| | | | | | 48 | 18 | 3 | | | | 466 | 18 | 7 1/4 |
| Thomas Grady | Clong | 2 | 10 | 8 1/4 | | | | 91 | 7 | 11 1/4 | | | |
| | St. Michaels | 7 | 9 | 4 1/4 | | | | 34 | 15 | 11 1/4 | | | |
| | | | | | 10 | | | | | | 128 | 3 | 10 1/4 |
| Totals, | | | | | 76 | 18 | 3 | | | | 738 | 1 | 1 1/2 |

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 3. 11. | was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 11. 3 s. 9 3/4

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 18 15 7

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1 8 3

Average Cost in Infirmary. 2 8

Average Cost in Fever Hospital. 3 8 1/2

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

7 1/2 Yards of Coarse Woollen, 3 Yards of Calico,
 1/2 Yards of Linen Calico, a Cap, 1 1/8 lbs
 of Yeast, 7 lbs of Sugar, 1 lb of Pepper,
 12 Bottles of Water, 2 Bottles of Peppermint
 Oil, 6 lbs of Scented Candles, 2 lbs of Scented
 Candles, 2 lbs of Yellow Soap, 2 lbs of Starch, 1 lb
 of Soda, 1 lb of Blue, 380 lbs of White
 Bread, 210 Stone of Potatoes, 65 lbs of Meat,
 140 Gallons of Milk, 70 Boxes of Beer,
 9 1/2 Yards of Green Bays,

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 March 1857; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, £ 11 3 9 3/4
 In kind, 18 15 7
 Total. 29 18 6 3/4

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

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

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. | | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. |
| No. I. | | | | | By forward | | | | |
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| No. IX. | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | |
| Car. fwd. | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

Mary M: Govern for Shew £ 1 11 8

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

2. Establishment Account.

| | | | | | | | |
|-----------------------------|----|----|---|-------------------------------|---|----|----|
| Thomas as Mary Clark Salary | 27 | 19 | 0 | Colonel Knox for Rent | 6 | 15 | 0 |
| John McNeill Master Salt | 10 | 0 | 0 | John Falconer for Books | 6 | 16 | 6 |
| Mary Semings Water Salt | 7 | 10 | 0 | R. J. Graham for Office | 4 | 3 | 11 |
| John McAlloy Schoolm | | | | Alex. Pole for Advertisements | 3 | 12 | 0 |
| Wess Salary | 3 | 1 | 0 | Pellorahaw for Calowell Stone | | 7 | 9 |
| G. J. Ranshani Medical | | | | Mary M: Govern for Rooms | | 13 | 11 |
| Officer Salary | 7 | 10 | 0 | | | | |
| P. Ralph Apothecary Salt | 5 | 0 | 0 | | | | |
| Ellen W. Lane Nurse Salt | 3 | 15 | 0 | | | | |
| Walter Kelly Civil or Salt | 4 | 11 | 3 | | | | |
| C. J. Bonte R. Officer Salt | 3 | 15 | 0 | | | | |

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

3. Warehouse Invoice Account.

| | | | |
|---|----|----|----|
| Patrick Honahan for Groceries | £ | s. | d. |
| Martin Higgins for Malt | 17 | 0 | 7 |
| John Donahoe for Bread stuff | 10 | 11 | 3 |
| May M. Gouern for Soap | 11 | 13 | 6 |
| Matthew Moran for Meat | 5 | 4 | 1 |
| Thomas Sample for Bread and Potatoes | 28 | 9 | 11 |
| Debit Warehouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurers with the several sums as above | | | |

4. Collector's Remuneration Account

| | | | |
|---------------------------------------|----|----|---|
| Adam Steel Collector for Fees | 9 | 12 | 2 |
| Thomas R. Milledge Collector for Fees | 11 | 6 | 5 |
| Thomas Gady Collector for Fees | 7 | 0 | 0 |

Collector's Remuneration Debit Warehouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurers with the several sums as above

5. Petty Disbursements

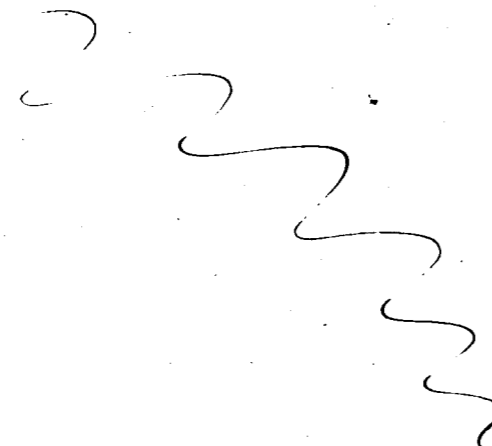
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|--|----|----|----|
| Clerk of Union for to provide for payment of | £ | s. | d. |
| | 24 | 10 | 1 |

Petty Disbursements

Credit Treasurers and Debit ~~Warehouse Invoice~~ Account with the several sums as above

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

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



The Report of the Master was read as follows—

Ballinacree Workhouse
26 March 1857

Gentlemen,

In pursuance of the Commissioners Regulations, I request you will appoint a Committee to take stock of all provisions, Necessaries, & other in the House, for the half year ended 25th March 1857

The provisions and necessaries supplied during the week were good.

Yours obedt. Servt.

John Mullen

Master,

The Board of Guardians
Ballinacree Union,

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

With reference to the Master's report it is Resolved, that the consideration of appointing a Committee to take stock, be adjourned to the 16th proximo,

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

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

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners N^o. 6. 670/57 Miscellaneous, Dated 23^d March 1857, stating that copies of the Rates for the Relief of the Poor which may be in force on the 5th of April next, will shortly be required for the purpose of the Income Tax Act; and directing the Clerk's attention to his duties under those Acts,

Resolved that Mr. Joseph Mayne be approved of as one of the Secretaries of Charles M. Burke's Relieving Office in room of Mr. P. Gentry deceased,

Resolved that Mr. Edward Seming be approved of as one of the Secretaries of Adam Steal Poor Rate Collector in room of Mr. P. Gentry deceased,

Resolved that the consideration of the Avenues Bill brought into the current Rate, be adjourned to the day three weeks,

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

| | |
|---|-----|
| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was | 2 |
| Ditto, disallowed | nil |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | 4 |

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

| | |
|--|-----|
| The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered | nil |
|--|-----|

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

Wm. Murray
James Hoag
Robt. Figh

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *2^d*
 day of *April* 1857

(Signed) *Thomas May*

Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the *Pallauole*
UNION, on *Thursday* day, the *26th* day of *March* 1857
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

Ballinacree Dispensary District.
 Account of Mr. J. Swift for *Salary* : Amount £ 18:15:0
 Robert Spraham for *Medicines* : " 7:14:8

Long Dispensary District
 Account of Dr. Roughton for *Salary* amt. £ 8:15:0
 Robert Spraham for *Medicines* " 15:0:2
 Isaac Mayne for *Rent* " 4:0:0

Hollymount Dispensary District
 Account of Dr. Little for *Salary* : Amount £ 18:15:0
 W. S. Lindsay for *Rent* " 4:0:0
 Robert Spraham for *Medicines* " 10:12:1

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

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

— District, £
 — District, £

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

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

Dispensary District, No. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, on 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 28 March 1857 stating that

N^o 71-1857 related to the appointment of Disputing Committees and Wardens, and enclosing a copy of their Circular of the 22^d March, 1856, together with an Extract from their Circular of the 30th March 1852, in reference to that subject.

*Wm. Henry
Miles Esq.
Prot. Secy*

(Signed)

Thomas Hall
Clerk of the Union.

Rathfriland

UNION.

Population in 1851, 87,708.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,725. 7. 3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

28th day of *March* 1857

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 9 and under 2 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, | 1000 | 189 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 1066 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 50 | 0 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL , | | 2145 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 12 | 26 | 22 | 31 | 37 | 30 | 14 | 5 | 9 | 186 | In Work-house Hospital, 41 | In separate Wards, 7 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | | | 1 | 2 | | | | | | 3 | In Fever Hospital, 2 | with other inmates, 3 | | |
| TOTAL , | | | 12 | 26 | 23 | 33 | 37 | 30 | 14 | 5 | 9 | 189 | Total, 44 | Total, 3 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 2 | 2 | | | | | | | | 187 | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 2 | 2 | | | | | | | | 188 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 10 | 24 | 23 | 33 | 37 | 30 | 14 | 5 | 9 | 185 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 28th day of *March* 1857 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|
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| No. VIII. | | | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| Car. forward | | | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | | |

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

the *2nd* day of *April* 1857
 PRESENT: In the Chair, *W. Courtney Stenny Esq*
 Other Guardians:

W. Nixon, Robert Fyfe, D. Blake, Francis Laurie, Thomas Walsh, Christopher Power, and John Kearney junior Esquires

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated by the Chairman and countersigned by the Clerk, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk, 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, — — — — — £ 12 11

Paid during the week, — — — — — £ 18 1 6

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was — £ 679 12 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. |
| Adam Neal | Ballinslee | | | | | | | 92 | 3 | 3 3/4 | | | |
| | Ballinchalla | | | | | | | 1 | 9 | 0 1/2 | | | |
| | Owmbroom | | | | | | | 40 | 4 | 3 | | | |
| | Portrayal | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 0 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 111 | 2 | 18 7/2 |
| Thomas Rulledge | Buriscarra | | | | | | | 140 | 4 | 1 1/2 | | | |
| | Coonard | | | | | | | 11 | 3 | 10 | | | |
| | Hollymair | | | | | | | 74 | 18 | | | | |
| | Milcommon | | | | | | | 76 | 14 | 8 1/2 | | | |
| | Stewbrant | | | | | | | 38 | 18 | 4 1/2 | | | |
| | Roeled | | | | | | | 26 | 10 | 1 1/2 | | | |
| | Shrule | | | | | | | 94 | 11 | 5 1/2 | | | |
| | Dagin | | | | | | | 23 | 2 | 0 | | | |
| | Kilmicinn | | | | | | | 56 | 19 | 1 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | 24 | 0 | 11 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 466 | 18 | 7 1/4 |
| Thomas Grady | Cony | | | | | | | 91 | 7 | 1 1/2 | | | |
| | Strahdswood | | | | | | | 36 | 15 | 11 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 128 | 3 | 10 1/2 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 738 | 1 | 1 1/2 |

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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 £ 16 . 17 s. 4d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 19 . 6 - 0 4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average Cost in Infirmary 2 . 7 3/4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital 4 - 4 1/2

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

1 1/2 lbs of Tea, 7 1/2 lbs of Sugar, 12 lbs of pepper,
 6 Bottles of Porter, 2 Bottles of Port Wine, 6
 lbs of dipht Candles, 2 lbs of Mould Candles,
 24 lbs of Yellow Soap, 2 lbs of starch, 1 1/4 lbs
 of Soda, 5 lb of Blue, 1/4 lb of Yew. 1 lb of
 Sugar supplemental, 1 Bottle of Calcevelia
 Wine, 2 lbs of Wax Candles, 2 10 stone of
 Potatoes, 65 lbs of Meat, 140 Gallons of
 Mackerel, 70 Boxes of Lard, 100 Heads
 of Onions, 10 Cwt. of fine Meal, 5 Cwt. of
 Calmeal, 360 lbs of white Bread,

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 March 1858, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, Nil
 In kind, Nil
 Total. Nil

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

Clerk of Union to provide for — £ 10 0 0

2. Establishment Account.

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

Joseph Ward & Co for Services of Workmen
 and Fever Hospital up to 25th March 1858 £ 13 12 3

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

Number of successful cases:

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

Baltimore Workhouse
2^d April 1857

Gentlemen,

I require 3 Cwt. of Guano, as a manure for an
acre of Potatoes I am planting, which I request you
will order,

Bridget Thornton aged 14, an Orphan
from the Dublin Dist^{ry}, admitted in August 1850,
would be taken out of the House by her sister, if you
grant her a suit of new clothes, she has none of her
own,

A gallon of Ink is required for the use of
the Schools,

I remain Gentlemen,

Your obed^t. Serv^t.

J. The Board of Guardians
Baltimore Union

John Miller
Master,

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

With reference to the Master's report— it is Resolved,
that he be authorized to procure, 3
Cwt. of Guano, a suit of new Clothes for Bridget
Thornton, and a Gallon of Ink,

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

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

Circular Letter from James Gas
Commissioner, dated 26th March 1857, N^o 1. 013/57
requesting the Clerk to prepare as his earliest convenience
immediately after the 5th of April 1857, copies of the
last Rates made for the Relief of the Poor in Ballinrobe
Union, and to forward same to Mr. J. W. Shaw, of
Galway the Surveyor of the District, in pursuance of
Sec^{ns} 12 of Act 11th + 17th Vic caps 34, and Section 5 of Act
17th Vic caps 24,

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners
N^o 76 m/57, dated 1st April 1857, requesting a Return
showing the particulars of the current Rates, and new
Rates agreed upon, in the Union, for the month of
March 1857,

The Clerk laid before the Board his own Bond duly
perfected by himself and his sureties J. Mayne and
J. Gillies. The Bond was approved of, and the Clerk
directed to forward it for safe custody to Geoffrey
Mortimer Esq. Chairman of the Board of Guardians; it
was also ordered that the Clerk does get up his old
Bond,

Resolved that the Clerk be allowed five days leave
of absence from this date, and that Mr. Millar the
Workhouse Master, be appointed to act in his place
during that period,

Resolved that the Board accept of the Tender of Mayne
to supply to 29th Sept. 1857, Best White Bread at 11/8 per
lb, Best Oatmeal, at 12/6 per Cwt, and Best Yellow
Andr^e Meal at 11/6 per Cwt.

Resolved that Messrs James Beattie, and Joseph Mayne
of Ballinrobe be approved of as sureties for J. Mayne contractor
for white Bread, &c. in advance for the sum of £100,

Resolved that the Board accept of the Tender of Michael
Gill to supply to 29th Sept. 1857, 2/6 Maib. at 6/2 per lb,
3/6 Maib. at 6/6 per lb, 4/6 Maib. at 7/0 per lb, 5/6 Maib. at 7/4 per lb,
6/6 Maib. at 7/8 per lb, 7/6 Maib. at 8/2 per lb, and 8/6 Maib.
at 8/6 per lb,

Resolved that Bridget Doog and be granted a pass for
two days to enable her to see her son, who is
about emigrating to America,

The Board of Guardians having had under
consideration the question of making Rates at an earlier
period of the Year than that in which the Rates
have been hitherto struck in this Union, it was
Unanimously Resolved, that the Board is of opinion
the Rates should be made and in course of Collection
on the first day of September in each Year. It was
also Unanimously Resolved, with a view of carrying
the object into effect for the present Year,

That

That the Clerk be directed to submit to the Board on Thursday the 16th Inst, an Estimate of the Rates, which will be required to provide for the expenditure of the Union up to 29th Sept. 1858,

That as a Revision of the present Poor Law Valuation is rendered necessary, owing to changes in the occupancy of land, since last year, and a variety of other causes, the Poor Law Commissioners be requested to issue a sealed Order authorizing the Board of Guardians to appoint a Revising Valuator for that purpose,

That the Clerk do a meeting in the Mayor's Court stating that the Board of Guardians will, on Thursday the 16th Inst, proceed to the appointment of a Revising Valuator, and that the person appointed to that office, will be required to attend at the several Quarter Sessions at his own expense, in order to defend the Valuation against all Appeals, and that he will be bound to finish the Revision, and to deliver to the Clerk of the Union a new set of Valuation Books as revised and corrected by him, on or before the 1st day of June next.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 1
 Ditto, disallowed Nil
 The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 2

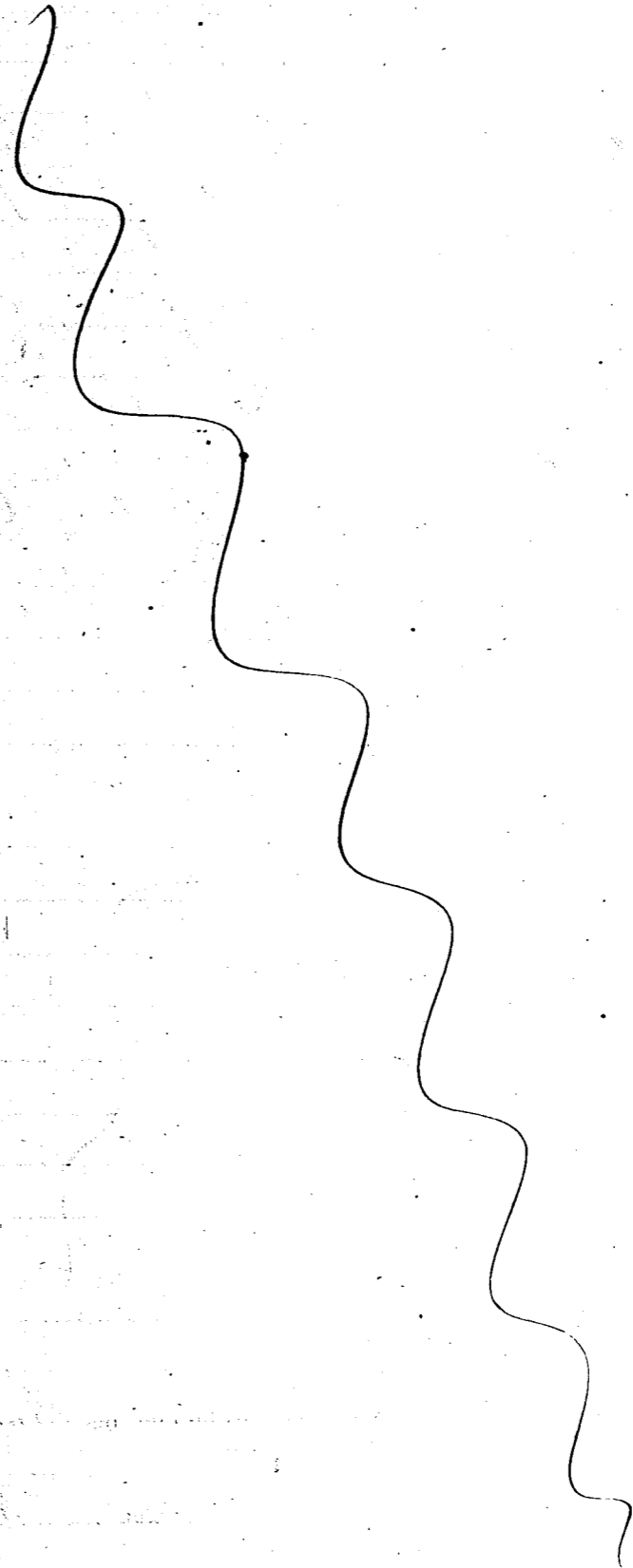
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was Nil
 Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians Nil
 The number of other applicants in the Postmaster's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was Nil

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered Nil

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

That the Clerk be directed to give Notice by printed Standbill and by advertisement in the Mayor's Court that objections from Rate-payers against the existing Poor Law Valuation of the Union, will be received by him up to the 23rd Inst,

That the Clerk be authorized to procure the necessary Collecting, Field, Valuation, and Rate Books, Rate Receipt-Check Books, and Rate Receipt Abstracts,



*Murphy's No. 4 -
Linn & Co. Ltd.
Wentworth St*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *9th*
day of *April* 1857 (Signed) *Thomas May*

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the *Ballymore*
UNION, on *Thursday*, the *Second* day of *April* 1857
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District, Account of Mr. for. Amount £

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 25th March 1857, 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 25th March 1857

| | |
|---------------------|-------------|
| Ballinrobe District | £ 49. 8. 5 |
| Cony District | £ 59. 10. 2 |
| Malbinnis District | £ 56. 2. 1 |

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. of

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from
stating that

dated _____

Mr. J. May
Comptroller
Mr. H. A. Dr.

(Signed)

Thomas May
Clerk of the Union.

Rollinole UNION.

Population in 1851. *37,703*

Present Net Annual Value, £ *38,725.7.3*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *4th* day of *April* 1857

| 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 | | | | | | | | | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|---|---|--|--|-----------|--|-----------|---|-----------|---|----------|------------------------------|-----------------------------|----------------------------------|--|--|---|
| | | | Able-bodied | | Boys and Girls above 8 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 | Number in Hospital on the above date | | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date |
| Workhouse, . . . | <i>1000</i> | <i>180</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, . . . | <i>1068</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital, . . . | <i>80</i> | <i>5</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, . . . | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, . . . | <i>2148</i> | <i>185</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | <i>10</i> | <i>24</i> | <i>23</i> | <i>33</i> | <i>37</i> | <i>30</i> | <i>14</i> | <i>5</i> | <i>9</i> | <i>185</i> | In Workhouse Hospital, <i>37</i> | Inseparate Wards in Fever Hospital, <i>5</i> | In Wards with other Inmates, <i>74</i> | <i>3</i> |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | | <i>1</i> | | <i>8</i> | | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | | | <i>7</i> | | | | |
| TOTAL, | | | <i>10</i> | <i>25</i> | <i>23</i> | <i>36</i> | <i>37</i> | <i>31</i> | <i>15</i> | <i>6</i> | <i>9</i> | <i>192</i> | <i>42</i> | | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | <i>1</i> | | <i>2</i> | | | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | | | <i>5</i> | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | | | | | | <i>2</i> | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | <i>1</i> | | <i>3</i> | <i>1</i> | | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | | | <i>7</i> | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | <i>9</i> | <i>25</i> | <i>20</i> | <i>35</i> | <i>37</i> | <i>30</i> | <i>14</i> | <i>6</i> | <i>9</i> | <i>185</i> | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *fourth* day of *April* 1857 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Thursday* the *9th* day of *April* 1857

PRESENT: *Edw. White*, *Colonel Knox*, *D. Blake*, *Johnstone junr.* and *Wm. Charles*: *Nicholas Walsh* Esqrs.

This being the first Meeting after the Annual Election of Guardians for the year ending 25th March 1858, it was proposed by *D. Blake Esq.* seconded by *Johnstone junr. Esq.* and Resolved that *Col. Knox* takes the Chair at this Meeting, *Col. Knox* having taken the Chair, it was proposed by *Col. Knox*, seconded by *D. Blake Esq.* and Unanimously Resolved, that *Geoffrey Marlow*, *Conway Kenny*, and *Robert High Esq.* be elected respectively, Chairman, Vice Chairman, and Deputy Vice Chairman, of the Board of Guardians for the year ending 25th March 1858, The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1024 to No. 1128, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 1 to No. 1 inclusive by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

That he ordered for the appointment of Revising Valuers, and for objections from Rate-payers against the existing Valuation of the Union, in the manner directed by the Board of Guardians,

The Clerk laid before the Board of Guardians, a certified copy of the Return of Guardians Elected in Ballinacree Union, for the Year ending 25th March 1853, in accordance with Article 36 of the General Order for Regulating the Election of Guardians,

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, - - - - - £17.4.4

Paid during the week, - - - - - £117.8.8

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £509.11.5

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. | |
| Adam Seal | Ballinacree Ballinacalla Disenbrim Partrayal | | | | | | | 92 | 3 | 3 ³ / ₄ | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 1 | 9 | 0 ¹ / ₄ | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 40 | 4 | 3 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 0 ¹ / ₂ | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 142 | 18 | 7 ¹ / ₂ |
| Thomas Ruddle | Reeriscarra Coolard Hollymasunt Mecumron Newbrook Roslee Shirley Dalgin Kilmacne Keale | 1 | 13 | 0 | | | | 38 | 11 | 11 ¹ / ₄ | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 11 | 3 | 10 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 74 | 13 | 0 | | | |
| | | 8 | 10 | 10 | | | | 78 | 8 | 10 ¹ / ₂ | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 88 | 18 | 4 ¹ / ₄ | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 26 | 10 | 1 ¹ / ₄ | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 94 | 11 | 5 ³ / ₄ | | | |
| | | 2 | 2 | 6 | | | | 20 | 19 | 8 | | | | |
| | | 2 | 18 | 0 | | | | 54 | 1 | 1 ¹ / ₂ | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 24 | 0 | 11 | | | |
| | | | | | 10 | 4 | 4 | | | | 456 | 14 | 3 ³ / ₄ | |
| Thomas Gady | Cong Stamildwood | | | | | | 7 | | | | | | | |
| | | 7 | 0 | 0 | | | | 91 | 7 | 11 ¹ / ₄ | | | | |
| | | | | | | | 29 | 15 | 11 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 121 | 3 | 10 ¹ / ₄ | |
| Totals, | | | | | | | 17 | 4 | 4 | | | 720 | 16 | 7 ¹ / 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 Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 17 . 3 s. 2 3/4

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 19 . 10 . 9 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1 - 8 3/4

Average Cost in Infirmary 2 . 8

Average Cost in Fever Hospital 4 - 10 1/2

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

5 Yards of Printed Cotton, 2 1/2 Yards of
Muslin, 2 Yards of Calico, 1 1/2 Yards of
Lining Calico, a Wool-shawl, 50 Yards of
Imitation Calico, 176 lb of Tea, 7 1/2 lb of
Sugar, 12 lb of pepper, 2 Bottles of Port Wine
& 6 Bottles of Porter, 1 lb of dipt Candles, 2
lb of Mould Candles, 2 lb of Yellow Soap,
2 lb of Maud, 14 lb of Soda, 2 lb of Blue
260 lb of 10s. Bread, 200 stoned of
Potatoes, 65 lb of Meat, 145 Gallons
of Saccharine. 70 Boxes of Soap, 3 Pounds
of Scouring Sand

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 4 day of April 1837 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,
In kind,
Total,

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

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

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s d. | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s d. | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|
| | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s d. | | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s d. |
| No. I. | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | No. X. | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | No. XI. | | | | |
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| Car. fwd. | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

| £ | s. | d. |
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Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurers with the several sums as above

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

| £ | s. | d. |
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Credit Treasurers and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

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

Number of successful cases:

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

The Reports of the Master and other Officers ^{were} read and Orders made thereon, as follows.

Ballinacorney Workhouse
9th April 1857.

Gentlemen,

Bridget Jennings aged 16 Years of the Ballinacorney Electoral Division, who was admitted in July 1853, would obtain service, if you grant her a suit of new clothes, she has none of her own,

John and Sarah Kennelly aged respectively 15 and 10 Years, from the Ballinacorney Div^{ion}, who were admitted upwards of two Years ago, would take their discharge from the House, if you grant them new clothing, John Kennelly left the House for a short time after his first admission

Yours obed^t Serv^t
John Mullen
Workhouse Master,

To The Board of Guardians
of Ballinacorney Union,

With reference to the Master's report it is Resolved that he be authorised to procure suitable clothing for Bridget Jennings, John Kennelly, and Sarah Kennelly —

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

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

Circular Letter from Income Tax Commissioners, dated 2^d April 1857, N^o. 1,026/57 stating that it has been arranged that the Copies of Poor Rates required for Income Tax purposes shall be made upon forms provided by the Income Tax Department and not upon the paper usually supplied by Messrs. Thom,

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 4th April 1857, N^o. 89 m/57, with reference to the Release of Guardians elected in Falkirk & Union for the year ending 25th March 1858,

Letter from S. P. Greene Esq^r Superintendent of Valuation, dated 8th April 1857, requesting the Clerk to forward to the Valuation Office any Notices of Appeal which he may have received up to the 10th inst,

Resolved Unanimously
That the Chairman, Vice Chairman, and Deputy Vice Chairman, be ex-officio; Members of all Committees,

Resolved Unanimously
That Col. Knox, D. Blake, James Kettlebridge, Nicholas Walsh, James Gillier, John Griffin, and John Heame jun^r be appointed a Finance Committee to 25th March 1858,

Resolved Unanimously
That Col. Knox, D. Blake, James Kettlebridge, Nicholas Walsh, James Gillier, John Griffin, and John Heame jun^r be appointed a Visiting Committee to 25th March 1858,

Resolved that the Board accept of the Tender of John W. Demmeby to execute the entire amount of printing &c; named in the specification, for the sum of Forty Five pounds stating; the Board of Guardians to supply all Materials, except Brushes and other Working Tools,

Mr. Demmeby having handed to the Board an estimate of the Materials which he at present required, it was ordered that the Clerk be directed to procure them from Mr. Ferguson Contractor, as follows:—

- 24 Ton of white Lead,
- 10 Gallons of Linseed Oil
- 5 Gallons of Turpentine
- 5 Gallons of Boiled Oil (prepared)
- 12 lbs of Patent Dryers
- 7 lbs of Turkey Rubber
- 3 1/2 lbs of Venetian Red
- 1/2 Cwt of Whiting;

The Schoolmaster having informed the Board, that he was summoned by the National Education Inspector, to attend at the written examination of Teachers which will be held at Clevenories on the 16th and 17th Inst, it was

Resolved

Resolved that leave of absence be granted to the
 Schiester, for the purpose of enabling him to
 attend such examination,

In pursuance of Section 50 of the Irish Poor Relief
 Act, 1 + 2 Vic, c, 56, it was Resolved—

That the Rev. R. D. Falkner, be appointed
 a Warden for that portion of the Parish of Kilsannon
 situate in Ballinacree Union,

That the Rev. E. Waldron P.P, be appointed
 a Warden for the portions of the Parishes of Ballinacree,
 Ballinchalla, Cong and Schmolara, which are
 situate in the North Electoral Division of Ballinacree
 Union,

That the Rev. Michl. Waldron P.P, be appointed
 a Warden for that portion of the parish of Cong which
 is situate in the Cong Electoral Division of Ballinacree
 Union,

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

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| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was | 2 |
| Ditto, disallowed | Nil |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | 5 |

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

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| The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered | Nil |
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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together
 with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in
 every year.)

Wm. W. W. W.
Wm. W. W. W.
Wm. W. W. W.
 Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *11th*
 day of *April* 1857
 (Signed) *Th. O'Malley*
 Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the *Ballinacree*
UNION, on *Thurs* day, the *9th* day of *April* 1857.
—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District, for : Amount £

Account of Mr.

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

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 1853, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended

| | |
|----------|---|
| District | £ |
| District | £ |

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

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

- Ballymore Dispensary District, Rev. G. R. Gillet of Kilmorie Rectory
- Rev. Hamilton Townsend of Cappaduff
- Rev. James Anderson of Ballymore
- Rev. S. M. Clintock of Nauls Rectory
- E. P. Power Esq. of Conalough
- George Reithford Esq. of Terin
- W. W. Evans of Ballymore
- W. Adam Stone of Ballymore
- W. Michael Keane of Ballymore
- W. Thomas Burke of Berrinacree
- W. Anthony Byrne of Fortville
- W. Patrick Mellett of Knockahard
- W. David Connor of Caherobert

- Conry Dispensary District Lieut. Col. H. 198ims of Glencorrib
- Rev. E. A. Moore of Conry Rectory
- Ormsby Elwood Esq. of Packabuma
- James M. Donnell Esq. of Oglahard
- Patrick Moran Esq. of Conry
- M. S. Mayne of Dowagh
- W. Henry Mayne of Dowagh
- W. John Connors of Threle
- W. Michl. Donahoe of Hill
- W. Walter Jennings of Crop East

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 No. 1. Rev. Thomas Gady of Ballymacph...

Hollymount Dispensary District W. Willis Esq. of Hollymount,

- Resolved that Thursday the 16th Inst. at 11 o'clock AM, be the day fixed upon, for the first Meeting of the Committee of Management of Ballymore Dispensary District,
- That Tuesday the 5th proximo, at 10 o'clock PM, be the day fixed upon, for the first Meeting of the Committee of Management of Conry Dispensary District,
- That Saturday the 18th Inst. at 12 o'clock Noon be the day fixed upon, for the first Meeting of the Committee of Management of Hollymount Dispensary District.

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

Arthur Wemyss
Musselburgh -
Rt. Lieut.

(Signed)

Thomas May
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851, *37,703.*

Present Net Annual Value, £

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *11* day of *April* 185*7*

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each Building | Total No. in each Building on the above date | Able-bodied | | | | | | | Children above 2 and under 9 years of age | Children above 9 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | Total | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS |
|---|---|--|-----------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|------------------|--------------------------------------|---|-------------------------------|------------------------------|----------------------------------|---|--|--------------|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | Number in Hospital on the above date | | | | | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | |
| Workhouse, | <i>1008</i> | <i>177</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | <i>1068</i> | <i>17</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | <i>80</i> | <i>3</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | <i>2148</i> | <i>189</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | <i>9</i> | <i>25</i> | <i>20</i> | <i>35</i> | <i>37</i> | <i>30</i> | <i>14</i> | <i>6</i> | <i>9</i> | <i>185</i> | In Workhouse Hospital, <i>37</i> | In separate Wards, <i>210</i> | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | | | | <i>1</i> | | | | | | <i>1</i> | In Fever Hospital, <i>3</i> | In Wards with other inmates, <i>3</i> | | |
| TOTAL, | | | <i>9</i> | <i>25</i> | <i>20</i> | <i>36</i> | <i>37</i> | <i>30</i> | <i>14</i> | <i>6</i> | <i>9</i> | <i>186</i> | Total, <i>40</i> | Total, <i>3</i> | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>6</i> | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>6</i> | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | <i>8</i> | <i>24</i> | <i>19</i> | <i>35</i> | <i>37</i> | <i>29</i> | <i>14</i> | <i>5</i> | <i>9</i> | <i>180</i> | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *11th* day of *April* 185*7* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Thursday* the *10th* day of *April* 185*7*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Donatray Henry Esq*
 Other Guardians: *Colonel Stone, Robert Gight, Francis Paine, Joseph White, Thomas Walsh, John Heame junr., and James Graham Esq.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 13th section of the 7th & Vic., c. 81.

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

The 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, - - - - - £ 7.4
 Laid during the week, - - - - - £ 59. 12. 7
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 449. 18. 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 arranged in Collectors' Districts

| Name of each Collector | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts | | |
|------------------------|---|----|--------------|
| Adam Keale | Balding | | |
| | Baldingha la | | |
| | Overton | | |
| | Parryal | | |
| | | | 142-18 7/2 |
| Thomas Rutledge | Buriscara | 38 | 11 1/2 |
| | Boonard | 11 | 3 10 |
| | Hollymount | 74 | 18 0 |
| | Kelsumon | 73 | 3 10 1/2 |
| | Stewbrook | 38 | 18 4 1/4 |
| | Raslee | 26 | 10 1/4 |
| | Shule | 94 | 11 5 1/4 |
| | Dolgen | 29 | 19 8 |
| | Ribmaine | 54 | 1 1/2 |
| | Keale | 24 | 0 11 |
| | | | 456 14 3/4 |
| Thomas Grady | Bong | 91 | 7 1/4 |
| | Sturids wood | 29 | 15 11 |
| | | | 121 3 10 1/4 |

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

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Collectors

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £. 10. 0. 0. s. 4. 0. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £. 18. 17. 9 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1. 8 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary. 2. 7 1/2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital. 3. 5 1/2

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

1 1/4 Yards of Frize, 3 Yards of Carduoy, 3 Yards of Union Calico, 4 1/2 Yards of Calico, 6 1/2 Yards of Lining Calico, a Cap, 2 Wool Shirts, 19 Yards of French Cotton, 6 Yards of Hamel, 1 1/2 lbs of Tea, 7 1/2 lbs of Sugar, 1 1/2 lbs of Pepper, 1 lb of soft Peas, 2 lbs of Mould Candles, 2 1/2 lbs of Yellow Soap, 2 lbs of Starch, 14 lbs of Soda, 1/2 lb of Blue, 400 lbs of white Bread, 200 Stone of Potatoes, 70 lbs of Meat, 140 Gallons of Sweet milk, 70 Pounds of Beef, 1 lb of Tea, 2 lbs of Sugar & Supplemental,

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 11th day of April 1857: whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

| | | |
|---------------------|---|-----|
| In money, | £ | Nil |
| In kind, | | Nil |
| Total. | | Nil |

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

L s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

L s. d.

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

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

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

The Report of the ...
Gentlemen,

I am that the Painter is painting the House, when he commenced on last Monday, it is necessary to have the 12 decayed Window frames repaired (for which you invited Tander a fortnight ago, but accepted none) I would therefore respectfully suggest to you, as it is necessary to expedite the Work, to authorize myself to get the work done, and to provide the requisite Materials &c. which I would in the most economical Manner,

I request you will allow me to employ an experienced Whitewasher, to enable me to expedite the Whitewashing, which it is necessary to have done, before the painting; and also to procure 4 White Wash Brushes

The provisions and necessaries delivered to me

The Report of the ... was read and Orders made thereon as follows

during the week were good, the Cook asked for Ind^s Meal not allowing any during the week; he sent good Oatmeal in lieu

The following are very much required for immediate use in the House and Infirmary,

- 12 Sweeping Brushes
- 4 Sets of Black-lead Brushes
- 3 Dozen of Racks and 3 Dozen of Combs
- One Ton of Oaten Straw
- One Cart of Lime,

I am Gentlemen,
Your Obedt Servt.

To the Board of Guardians
of Ballinacorney Union,

With reference to the Master's report it is Resolved, that he be authorized to get the 12 Window frames repaired, and to procure the necessary materials for this work

That he be authorized to employ whitewashers, and to procure 4 white wash Brushes,

That he be authorized to procure, 12 Sweeping Brushes, 4 Sets of Black-lead Brushes, 3 Dozen of Racks and 3 Dozen of Combs, One Ton of Oaten Straw, and One Cart of Lime,

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 from Poor Law Commissioners N^o 8887/57, dated 11th April 1857, requesting the Clerk to state whether the Bonds and other Documents in force in the Union, were laid before the Board of Guardians at their Meeting held on the 2^d Inst.

Circular Letter from Same N^o 9411/57, dated 11th April 1857, requesting a Return of the Number of Emigrants who had been sent out or assented to Emigrate by the Board of Guardians of Ballinacole Union, from the 1st of April 1856, to the 31st March 1857.

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners N^o 9622/57, dated 15th April 1857, stating that they do not propose to issue an Order for the appointment of a Revisor, as they have been informed by Mr Griffith, Commissioner of Valuation, that the Valuation of the Union conducted under his directions will be available for rating purposes by the 1st of September next.

Proposed by Mr Griffith,
Seconded by Mr Griffith.

Resolved Unanimously that the Board of Guardians of Ballinacole Union cannot concur in the reasons assigned by the Commissioners for not issuing their Order for the appointment of a Revisor as requested in a Resolution adopted at a large meeting of the Board held on the 2^d Inst, and the Board trusts the Commissioners will be pleased to alter the determination at which they have arrived for the following causes:—

1st Admitting that the Commissioners of Valuation will be in a position to furnish the Lists of Ballinacole Union on the first of September next, it would take at least two Months to prepare the Rate Books, and the Board could not hope to have the Rates in course of Collection before the middle of November; a period of the Year, which the Board has found from experience to be far too late to ensure a satisfactory collection,

2^d That altho' the Legal Appeals against the primary Tenement Valuation of the Union may be decided by the first of September next, yet there are a very considerable number of errors in that Valuation which have not been appealed against, in respect of changes in occupancy, Buildings in Towns, erected subsequent to the date on which Mr Griffith's Valuator performed their work, which require Revision and Amendment, before the Valuation can be safely adopted as the basis of a new Rate, particularly as the Assistant Registrar for this County, holds and has decided, that an error in the name of an Occupier or Lessor, in the Rate Books, operates as a complete bar, against any Legal proceedings being taken for the recovery of the Stamp of Rate where such error exists,

3^d That apart from the above considerations, it will be the duty of the Board of Guardians before making a new Rate on Mr Griffith's Valuation, to ascertain whether the Commission in that behalf made under S^t 4, hold in force made prior to 24th August

1843, so that they may be rated in the Column for occupiers, and that the Summer and Seasons be not rated for such persons; this inquiry will necessarily occupy a good deal of time, and ought to satisfy the Commissioners that it would not be conducive to the interests of the Union to defer settling the new Rate until such time as Mr. Griffiths Valuation will be available for Rating purposes.

Under the foregoing Circumstances the Board hopes the Commissioners will at once issue their Order for the appointment of a Review,

Resolved that Mr. Knox, Mr. Kemmy, Mr. High and Mr. Stearns, or any two of them, be appointed a Committee to take stock of the Provisions, Clothing &c; in the Workhouse,

Resolved that the consideration of the Areas List be further adjourned to the day week,

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 1
Ditto, disallowed Nil
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was Nil

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered Nil

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

Gentlemen,

Securities in force on the 1st of January 1843, and my own Bond is deposited in safe custody in the hands of Geoffrey Hartley Esq; Clerk of the Board of Guardians, whose receipt therefor is now produced,

With reference to the Bonds and Securities submitted this day for your inspection, I have to report, that according to the best of my belief the Suresties of each Officer and Contractor, are alive and solvent,

Shew the Honors to be,

Gentlemen,
Yours obed^t. Serv^t,
Thomas May
Clerk of Union

To The Board of Guardians
of the Ballinacorney Union,

The Clerk of the Union reports that the Collection of the Rates made in the former Union has been finally closed, and the Debts and Credits to the several Townlands of the said Union ascertained

He also reports that the following credits arising from Rates and other Receipts lodged subsequent to the date to which they have been included in the Final Adjustment Order, after deducting the Cost of Collection, now appear in favor of the Townlands of the former Union viz:—

townlands comprised in Ballinacree E. Divⁿ of former Union

do in Ballindine do
 do in Ballinchalla do
 do in Berriscarra do
 do in Clonmerris do
 do in Cong do
 do in Hollymount do
 do in Kilmacree do
 do in Kilmolara do
 do in Mayo do
 do in Rahoon do
 do in Rathay do
 do in Rats do
 do in Strule do

| £ | s | d |
|--|----|--------------------------------|
| 175 | 10 | 0 ¹ / ₂ |
| 29 | 7 | 9 ¹ / ₂ |
| 1 | 17 | 6 |
| 3 | 8 | 7 ¹ / ₂ |
| 86 | 11 | 2 ¹ / ₂ |
| 98 | 11 | 1 ¹ / ₂ |
| 53 | 14 | 10 |
| 147 | 12 | 10 ¹ / ₂ |
| 4 | 6 | 9 ¹ / ₂ |
| 14 | 10 | 10 |
| 22 | 16 | 10 |
| 274 | 2 | 8 |
| 8 | 18 | 3 ¹ / ₂ |
| 145 | 14 | 1 ¹ / ₂ |
| Total Credits to Townlands of former Union £ 1067 6 11 ¹ / ₂ | | |

He further reports that he is in a position to introduce into the next Rate the Credits in favor of the Townlands comprised in Ballinacree Union as constituted subsequent to 23rd February 1850, by reducing the poundage of such Rates on each Townland, by the Poundage of the amount of the Credit in its favor, and which Poundage he will ascertain,

In accordance with a direction contained in a Resolution passed at a Meeting of the Board of Guardians held on the 2nd Inst. the Clerk of the Union submitted an Estimate of the Rates which will be required to provide for the expenditure of the Union up to 29th September 1858,

Proposed.

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

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Proposed by the Board
 Resolved by the Board

Resolved That the Estimate laid before the Board be approved of and adopted; and that the several Poundage Rates specified in Column 12 of said Estimate, be agreed upon as the Rates required to provide for the ordinary Expenditure of each Electoral Division of Ballinacree Union up to 29th September 1858, such Poundage Rates to be reduced by the Poundage of the Credits to each Townland, arising from Rates of former Union, lodged subsequent to the date to which they have been included in the Final Adjustment Orders,

A Copy of the Estimate referred to in the above Resolution accompanies these Minutes,

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the 23rd day of April 1857.

(Signed) Thomas May
 Clerk of the Union,

Thomas May
Thomas May
 William Beane or

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.

[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the

UNION, on *Thurs* day, the *16th* day of *April* 1857

—continued.

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

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

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the
 Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of
 having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (as 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 1853, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended

District, £
District, £

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

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be the following Dispensary Districts respectively, and to issue the provisions of the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the provisions of the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, and to issue the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts, and to issue the Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms C, D, and E) and to issue 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 Nuisance, Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

(Signed)

Howe May

Clerk of the Union.

Rathfriland UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,703

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,725.73

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of April 1857

| 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 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, | 1000 | 178 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 1000 | 178 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 89 | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 2118 | 183 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 8 | 24 | 19 | 35 | 37 | 29 | 14 | 5 | 9 | 180 | | | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | " | " | 3 | 3 | 1 | " | " | " | " | 7 | In Work-house Hospital, 41 In Fever Hospital, 5 | Inseparate Wards, 24 In Wards with other inmates, 3 | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 8 | 24 | 22 | 38 | 38 | 29 | 14 | 5 | 9 | 187 | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 1 | 1 | " | 1 | " | " | " | " | " | 4 | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 1 | 1 | " | 1 | " | " | " | " | " | 4 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 7 | 23 | 22 | 37 | 38 | 28 | 14 | 5 | 9 | 183 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 18th day of April 1857 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

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

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Courtesy Henry Esq* the 23rd day of April 1857

Other Guardians: *Colonel Knox, Robert Giche; Benjamin W Semings, Thomas Walsh and John Shearn Esq.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1029 to No. 1034, 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, - - - - - £ 8. 6. 0
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 58. 5. 1
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 398. 19. 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. |
| Adam Neale | Ballinroole | | | | | | | 72 | 3 | 3/4 | | | |
| | Ballinshalla | | | | | | | 1 | 9 | 1/4 | | | |
| | Owanbrinn | | | | | | | 40 | 4 | 3 | | | |
| | Portroyal | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 112 | 18 | 7/4 |
| Thomas Rutledge | Binniscara | | | | | | | 38 | 11 | 11/4 | | | |
| | Conrad | | | | | | | 11 | 3 | 10 | | | |
| | Inlynnant | | | | | | | 74 | 13 | 0 | | | |
| | St. Bonimon | 7 | 17 | 6/4 | | | | 65 | 6 | 4/4 | | | |
| | Newbrook | | | | | | | 38 | 18 | 4/4 | | | |
| | Roslee | | | | | | | 26 | 10 | 7/4 | | | |
| | Shrule | | | | | | | 94 | 11 | 5/4 | | | |
| | Dalgin | | | | | | | 20 | 11 | 2 | | | |
| Kilnane | | | | 8 | 6 | | 54 | 7 | 1/2 | | | | |
| Stoole | | | | | | | 24 | 0 | 11 | | | | |
| | | | | | 8 | 6 | 0 | | | | 448 | 8 | 3/4 |
| Thomas Gandy | Conq | | | | | | | 91 | 7 | 11/4 | | | |
| | St. Andrews | | | | | | | 29 | 15 | 11 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 121 | 3 | 10/4 |
| | Totals. | | | | 8 | 6 | 0 | | | | 712 | 19 | 7/4 |

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

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

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 21. 19. s. 10d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 19. 4. 3d

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ 1. 9

Average Cost in Infirmary, £ 2. 8

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, £ 3. 10d

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

7. 1/2 of white lead, 10 Gallons of Linseed sugar, 1 1/2 lbs of pepper,
 Oil, 1 Gallon of Turpentine, 5 Gallons of 1 Bottle of Port Wine, 4 lbs of
 prepared Oil, 1 1/2 lbs of prudent dyes, 7 lbs light Candles, 2 lbs of 720 weight
 of Yellow Cakes, 3 lbs of Venetian Red, Candles, 2 1/2 lbs of Yellow Soap
 3 lbs of Raw Seamed, 3 Cwt. of Whiting 2 lbs of Starch, 1 1/2 lbs of Soda
 1 Gallon of Curious, 1 lb of Red Lead, 1 1/2 lb of Blue, 4 1/2 lbs of White
 of pure and good of Scurvy Brushes, Bread, 10 Cwt of Ind: Meal,
 4 white Wash Brushes, 4 Sels of Black 4 Cwt of Oatmeal, 200
 lead Brushes, 3 Cwt of Potatoes, 3 Stone of Potatoes, 75 lbs of
 1/2 of Cambs, 7 lbs of Black Black, 11 Meat, 145 Gallons of Sweet
 1/2 of Memel, 1 1/2 lbs of Tea, 7 1/2 lbs of 70 Boxes of Turf,
 Paper

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 18 day of Apr. 1857: whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, £ ind d.
 In kind, ind
 Total, ind

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

Number of successful cases:

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

The Report of the Workhouse Master was read as follows:—
Ballinacree Workhouse
Gentlemen,
23 April 1857.

On last Board day you referred to me to report on an application made by Sally Moughan, and I went to her two days pass, to see her sister whom she stated to be sick, I beg to inform you that on inquiry I have ascertained that her sister is sick and wishing to see her.
Another inmate Sally M. Dermott requests a day pass to see a sick friend.

Mary Gilmore a widow with 2 children states that it is likely she would obtain service if you allowed her a pass for two days, to apply for a situation which she is informed is vacant.

The Provisions and Necessaries delivered to me during the week were good.
The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon, as follows

I am Gentlemen,
Yours obed^t Serv^t,
John M. Dow Master

To the Board of Guardians
of Ballinacree Workhouse,

With reference to the Master's report it is Resolved that Sally M. Moughan be granted a pass for 2 days, Sally M. Dermott for one day, and Mary Gilmore for 2 days.

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

Sealed Order N^o 10211/57 dated 21st April 1857 - Order to appoint a Revising Valuator of Ballinrobe Union,

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

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners N^o 9442/57 dated 18th April 1857, relating to preparing the postage of all communications addressed to the Office of the Commissioners on the public service as heretofore,

Letter from Same N^o 9887/57 dated 20th April 1857, calling the attention of the Board of Guardians to the very slow progress of the Collectors, and requesting that the Guardians will urge them to a more active discharge of their duty in this respect.

Letter from Same N^o 10211/1857 dated 21st April 1857, acknowledging receipt of Minutes of proceedings of the 16th inst, containing a Resolution on the subject of the proposed appointment of a Reviser of the existing Valuation of the Union, and in reference thereto, stating that it appears from the Minutes it would be inconvenient to defer making the Rate until the General Permanent Valuation is ready, and that under these circumstances the Commissioners will not withhold the Order authorizing the appointment of a Reviser; and forwarding a Form of

Queries respecting the person whom any be appointed to the Office of Reviser.

Resolved that Mr. Thomas R. Rutledge be appointed to Review and correct the existing Valuation of the Ballinrobe Union, at a remuneration of £20. The Revision to be completed on or before the first day of June next.

Resolved that Messrs. Gavel & ally of Cregduff, and John Hughes of Carroneel be appointed as assessors for Mr. Thomas R. Rutledge, appointed Revising Valuator in all Bond for the sum of £200.

Resolved that the Board concurs with the views of the Poor Law Commissioners as to the slow progress of the collection of Rates in Ballinrobe Union, and as it is most desirable to have all the outstanding Rates collected as soon as possible, the Board now fixes upon the second day of July next, as the day, upon which the collection must be finally closed, The Clerk is therefore directed to intimate to the Poor Rate Collectors that the Board requires that all Rates and arrears due in their respective Districts be collected and lodged with the Union Treasurer on or before the 2^d of July next; and the Board pledges itself that it will not re-appoint any of the present Collectors to collect the New Rates about being made in the Union, unless the Board is perfectly satisfied with the state of the collection,

The Board of Guardians having examined the Great Debt funds, that a considerable amount of Arrears came forward into the current Rates has either been collected, or is irrecoverable, the Board however trusts that the collectable portion of these Arrears will be made available before the 2^d of July next, the period limited for the final close of the Collection,

Resolved that the Tender of Thomas Sample to pay to the Guardians a sum of 5⁰ per week for the distal of the Potatoes of the Workhouse, be accepted of.

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

| | |
|---|-----|
| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was | 3 |
| Ditto, disallowed | Nil |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | 4 |

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

| | |
|--|-----|
| The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered | Nil |
|--|-----|

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

Mrs. Smyth

*Wm. P. P. P.
Wm. P. P. P.*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *30th*
day of *April* 1857

(Signed) *Thomas May*

Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the *Rathmore*
UNION, on *Thurs* day, the *23* day of *April* 1857
—continued.

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

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Rathmore 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 was directed to Order the Medicines, &c., from the Contractors,

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

District. £
District. £

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

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

Dispensary District, No. _____ of _____

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

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from stating that

dated

(Signed)

Thomas Clary
Clerk of the Union.

Pallincho UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,703.

Present Net Annual Value, £38,725.7.0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 25th day of April 1857

| 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 16 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, | 1000 | 178 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 1068 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | 5 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 2148 | 183 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 7 | 23 | 20 | 37 | 38 | 28 | 14 | 5 | 9 | 183 | In Workhouse, Hospital, In Fever Hospital, Total, 49 | In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, Total, 3 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 7 | 23 | 22 | 37 | 38 | 28 | 14 | 5 | 9 | 183 | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 7 | 23 | 22 | 37 | 38 | 28 | 14 | 5 | 9 | 183 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 25th day of April 1857 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | | | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | | | |
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| No. VIII. | | | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| Car. forward | | | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | | |

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

PRESENT: In the Chair, Colonel Knorr the 30th day of April 1857

Other Guardians: Robert Light, Joseph S. Blake, Tho. Wall, and John Means Junr. Esquires

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7th & Vic., c. 61.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1 to No. 10, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk. The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 1 to No. 10, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk. The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:

That he forwarded to each Poor Rate Collector in the Union, a copy of the Resolution adopted at last Board Meeting, requiring each Collector to close the collection of the Rates and return in his District on the 2nd of July next

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 they had been received during the week, - - - - - £ 70/- Laid during the week, - - - - - £ 10:0:0 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 385-19-9 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. | | |
| Adam Stone | Ballinshel | | | | | | | 92 | 3 | 3/4 | | | | | |
| | Ballinshalla | | | | | | | 1 | 9 | 1/2 | | | | | |
| | Droichead | | | | | | | 40 | 4 | 3 | | | | | |
| | Portlough | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | 142 | 18 | 7/2 |
| Thomas Brettidge | Reviscra | | | | | | | 38 | 11 | 1/4 | | | | | |
| | Coonard | | | | | | | 11 | 3 | 10 | | | | | |
| | Hollymoat | | | | | | | 74 | 13 | 0 | | | | | |
| | Kilcommon | | | | | | | 65 | 6 | 1/4 | | | | | |
| | Keelbrook | | | | | | | 38 | 18 | 1/2 | | | | | |
| | Roskeel | | | | | | | 26 | 10 | 1/4 | | | | | |
| | Shrule | | | | | | | 94 | 11 | 3/4 | | | | | |
| | Dalgin | | | | | | | 20 | 11 | 2 | | | | | |
| | Kilmacine | | | | | | | 57 | 1 | 1/2 | | | | | |
| Steele | | | | | | | 24 | 0 | 11 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | 448 | 8 | 3/4 |
| Thomas Brady | Corry | | | | | | | 91 | 7 | 1/4 | | | | | |
| | Howlands | | | | | | | 29 | 15 | 11 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | 121 | 3 | 10/4 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | 712 | 10 | 9/2 |

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 Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 10 10 0 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 16 - 15 s. 5 1/2 d.

| | | | | |
|--|--|----|---|-------|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. | | | | |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | | 19 | 9 | 6 1/4 |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account, | | | | |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | | — | 1 | 9 |
| Average Cost in Infirmary, | | — | 2 | 6 3/4 |
| Average Cost in Fever Hospital, | | — | 3 | 8 |

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

1 1/2 lbs of Tea, 7 1/2 lbs of Sugar, 1 1/2 lbs of
 pepper, 1 Bottle of Port Wine, 6 Bottles
 of Water, 4 lbs of soft Candles, 2 lbs of
 Mould Candles, 2 1/2 lbs of Yellow Soap
 2 lbs of Starch, 1 1/2 lbs of Soda, 5 lbs of
 Lard, 400 lbs of white Bread, 200 stone
 of Potatoes, 75 lbs of Meat, 150 Gallons of
 sweetened Milk, 70 Boxes of Soap, Glazing,
 11 lbs of spike Nails, 4 lbs of 12 Nails,
 6 lbs of 8 Nails, 6 lbs of 6 Nails, 600 of
 1 1/2 Springs, 600 of 8 Springs, 600 of 6 Springs,

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 April 1854; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. | | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. |
| No. I. | | | | | Bi.forward | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | No. X. | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | No. XI. | | | | |
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| No. VIII. | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | |
| Car. frwd. | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account

| | | | |
|---|---|----|----|
| | £ | s. | d. |
| 20 th Reg and for Clothing Materials | 1 | 18 | 7 |

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

2. Establishment Account.

| | | | |
|---|----|----|----|
| 20 th Reg and for Green Baize for Board Room | 2 | 12 | 3 |
| P. Monahan for Wax Candles & for Sticks | " | 8 | 0 |
| Mary M ^r . Govern for Brooms | " | 13 | 11 |
| P. Ferguson for Timber, Oils, paints, & Brushes | 27 | 17 | 3 |
| Thomas Sample for Beans and Seed Potatoes | 3 | 11 | 3 |
| John W. Pennehy for Act of Painting Workhouse | 15 | 0 | 0 |
| Guestelly for Books and Stationery | 3 | 15 | 4 |
| Martha B. Wake for Glazing | 4 | 11 | 0 |
| Michl. Manion for carpenter work | 4 | 0 | 0 |
| Francis Gellies for Whitewashing | 4 | 10 | 0 |
| Peter M. Coy for Plumber's Work | 1 | 5 | 0 |

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

| | | | | |
|--|----|----|----|---|
| Patrick Monahan for Groceries | £ | 6 | 19 | 6 |
| Isaac Mayne for White Bread, Ind ^d Meal & Oatmeal | 17 | 10 | 8 | |
| Thomas Sample for Bread and Potatoes | 20 | 2 | 7 | |
| Matthew Morice for Meal | 6 | 8 | 1 | |
| Arthur Higgins for Milk | 15 | 10 | 5 | |
| Henry M ^r for Soap | 11 | 6 | 0 | |

Debit Workhouse Invoice Acct, and Credit Treasurers with the several sums as above, 4, Bural Account

W^m Rogan for Threading - 8 10

Bural

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

Unpaid Bills
5. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

John M^r Gray for Plumbers Work £ 13 15 0

Debit Unpaid Bills Account, and Credit Treasurers with the above sum,
6 Petty Disbursements Acct

Check of Union, to provide for payment of. 5 7 0

Petty Disbursements

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

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

Number of successful cases:

The Report of the ~~Visiting~~ Committee ~~was read and referred to the following.~~

appointed to take stock of Clothing, &c. was read as follows:—

We the Committee appointed to take stock, report, that we have done so, and that the provisions, clothing, and necessaries, in the House agreed with what is stated in the Union Books,

Dated the 30th of April 1857

(signed), Charles Knox
Robert Dight
John Macneil &c.

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

no report from the Master this day

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

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

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners No. 108 of 1857, dated 25th April, 1857, requesting to be informed, of the total Expenditure of the Union for the Half Year ended 25th March last, distinguishing the amount expended under the Medical Charities Act.

Letter from same No. 11. 060/1857, dated 25th April 1857, approving of the appointment of Mr. Thomas Buelledge as Revising Valuator of the Ballinacole Union,

1. Letter from the Clerk was read of which the following is a copy:—
Office Workhouse Ballinacole
30th April 1857.
Gentlemen,

May I request that you will be so kind as to grant me fourteen days leave of absence from Monday next, to enable me to go to my Father's, in order to see one of my Brothers, who is, I regret to say, dangerously ill,

Mr. Mullen the Workhouse Master, will act for me, until I shall return,

The Board of Guardians
Ballinacole Union,

I have the honor to be,
Thomas May
Clerk of Union

Resolved that the Clerk be allowed fourteen days leave of absence from Monday the 14th inst, and that Mr. Mullen Workhouse Master, be appointed to act as Clerk during that period,

Referring to an Order made on the Master's report of the 16th of April 1857, authorising him to get 12 Window Frames repaired, and to procure the necessary materials for the work, it now appears from the Master's explanation, that more than 12 Window Frames require repair, it is therefore Resolved that the Master be authorised to get as many of the Window Frames repaired as may be found necessary,

The Clerk read for the Board observations entered on the District Book, by John Donaghy Esq Sub. Agt. Insp. of which the following is a copy:—
April 30th 1857.

I inspected the grounds attached to the House and examined the Agricultural Class, present in the Class & pupils - The cultivation of the land and the Agricultural instruction of the pupils continue to be very satisfactorily attended to, I shall therefore have much pleasure in recommending a gratuity to the Officers in charge of the Agricultural training of the pupils,

John Donaghy
Sub. Agt. Inspector,

Resolved that the Board accept of the Tender of Mr. Peter M^o Coy of Managhaw, to keep in repair the Plumber's Work of the Workhouse and Fever Hospital, from 1st May 1857 to 25th March 1858, inclusive for a sum of £13: 15: 0

Resolved that the Board do on its rising a day over to Saturday the 2^d proximo, for the purpose of examining a Bill of Sewer Costs furnished by D & R Ltd Esq Solicitor, and paying same if found correct,

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - - - - Nil

 Ditto, disallowed - - - - - Nil

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - - - Nil

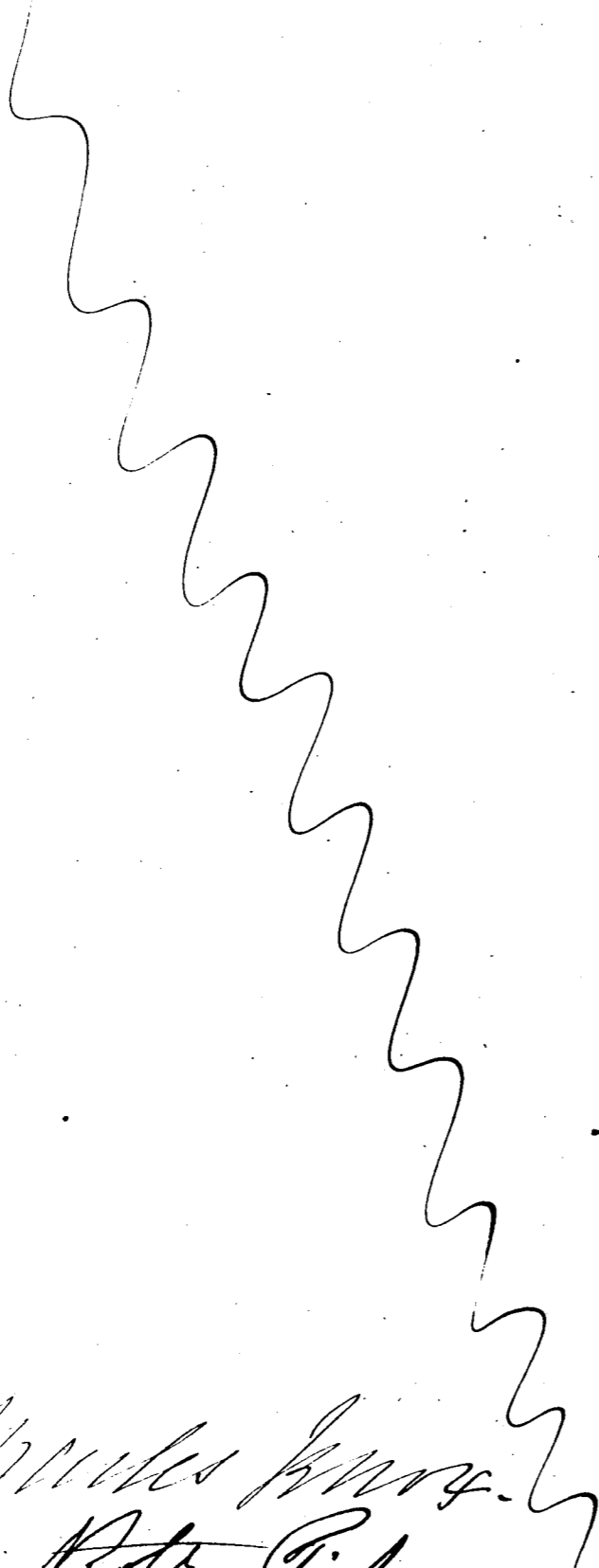
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - - - Nil

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

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered - - - - - Nil

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



Minutes May 4.
Robt. Tighe
Francis Lawrie.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the 7th
day of May 1857

(Signed) Thomas May
Clerk of the Union.

Now adjourned Meeting of the Board of Guardians of Ballinacole Union held on Saturday the 2^d of May 1857.

Present in the Chair, Colonel Knox, the Members, Robert Tighe, and John Lawrence Esquires,

Mr. D. E. Blake Solicitor's Bill of Law Costs amounting to £9.16.7, incurred for proceedings taken by Mr. Blake in pursuance of the directions of the Board, against John Browne, and others, having been examined, and found to be correct, it was Resolved that a cheque in favour of Mr. Blake be drawn on the Union Treasurers in amount;—

Former Union Acct.

D. E. Blake Esq, Solicitor for Law Costs in the case of the Guardians & Mr Browne £ 5 d 8-1-0

Elections Law, & other Expenses Acct. (Mount Union)

D. E. Blake Esq, Solicitor for Law Costs in the case of the Guardians & Roy and £ 5 d 1-15-7

Total £ 9-16-7

Signed
Thomas May
Clerk of the Union

Francis May
Robt. Tighe
Francis Lawrie.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the *Baltimore*
UNION, on *Thursday*, the *30th* day of *April* 185*7*
—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 service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 185 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended

District, £
- District, £

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. of

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

Order dated (state subject)

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

Recd Letter from
stating that

dated

(Signed)

Harmon May
Clerk of the Union.

Pallincho

UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,703.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,725.7.3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 2^d day of *May* 1857

| 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 16 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 16 years of age | | Children above 9 and under 14 years of age | Children above 2 and under 9 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | Total | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|---|---|--|-------------|-----------|---|-----------|--|-----------|--|---|------------------------------|------------|--------------------------------------|---|--------------|--|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | |
| Workhouse, | 1078 | 189 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 1068 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 2146 | 189 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 7 | 28 | 22 | 37 | 38 | 28 | 14 | 5 | 9 | 183 | In Work-house Hospital, 46 | In separate Wards with other inmates, 3 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 2 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | 3 | 2 | | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 9 | 23 | 23 | 37 | 38 | 28 | 14 | 5 | 9 | 186 | 48 | 3 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 2 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | 4 | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 2 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | 4 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 7 | 28 | 22 | 37 | 38 | 28 | 14 | 5 | 9 | 182 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 2^d day of *May* 1857 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | | | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | | | No. X. | | | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | | | No. XI. | | | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | | | No. XII. | | | | | | |
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| No. VIII. | | | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| Car. forward | | | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | | |

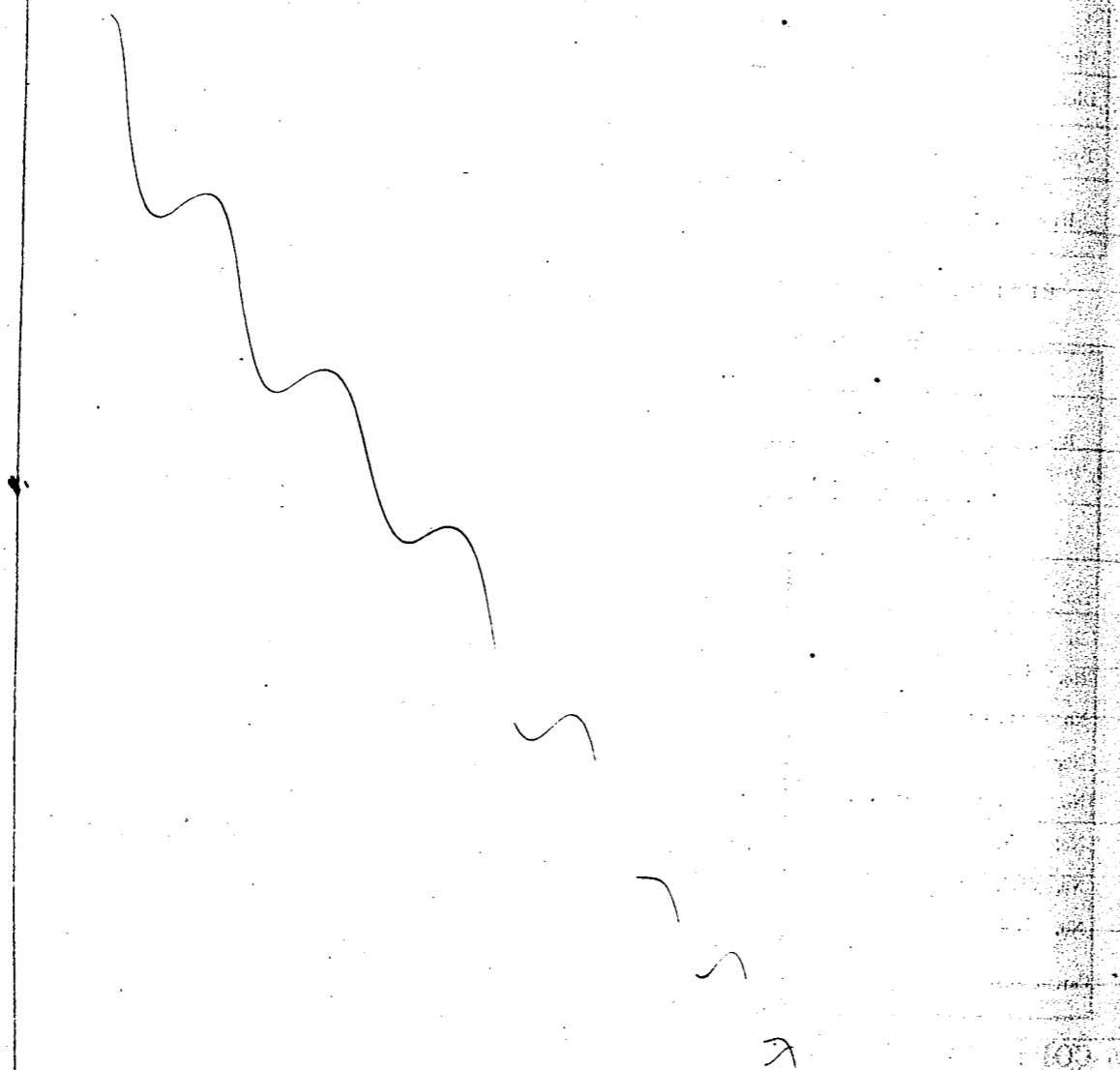
COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Thursday* the 7th day of *May* 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Colonel Knapp*
 Other Guardians: *Robert Leigh and Francis Laurie Esqrs*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1137 to No. 1140, 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, - - - - - £ 57.9.6
 Laid during the week, - - - - - £ 19.8.7
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 428.0.8
 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. |
| Adam Seal | Kallinroche | 3 | 15 | 9 | | | | 88 | 7 | 13/4 | | | |
| | Ballincharla | 6 | 3 | | | | | 11 | 2 | 9/4 | | | |
| | Quadrant | 18 | 9 | 9 | | | | 21 | 14 | 6/4 | | | |
| | Bartroughal | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 0/2 | | | |
| | | | | | 22 | 11 | 9 | | | | 120 | | 10/2 |
| Thomas Chettleidge | Purricarra | | | | | | | 38 | 11 | 11/4 | | | |
| | Coonard | | | | | | | 11 | 3 | 10 | | | |
| | Hollymount | | | | | | | 74 | 13 | 0 | | | |
| | Kilcommon | 1 | 5 | 4 | | | | 64 | 1 | 0/4 | | | |
| | Newbrook | | | | | | | 38 | 18 | 4/4 | | | |
| | Ruslee | | | | | | | 26 | 10 | 1/4 | | | |
| | Shrule | 2 | 17 | 9 | | | | 91 | 13 | 8/4 | | | |
| | Dalgis | | | | | | | 27 | 11 | 2/4 | | | |
| | Kilmone | 18 | 0 | 11 | | | | 36 | 0 | 2/4 | | | |
| | Stoale | | | | | | | 24 | 0 | 11 | | | |
| | | | | | 22 | 4 | 0 | | | | 426 | | 4 3/4 |
| Thomas Grant | Conq | | | | | | | 91 | 7 | 10/4 | | | |
| | Handsworth | | | | | | | 29 | 15 | 11 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 121 | | 3 10/4 |
| Totals, | | | | | 44 | 15 | 9 | | | | 667 | | 15 0/2 |

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 14- 15 s. 3 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was - - - 19- 6- 2 3/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

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

Average Cost in Infirmary. - - - - - 2- 6 1/2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital. - - - - - 3- 8 1/2

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

17 1/2 lb Tea. 7 1/2 lb of Sugar. 1 1/2 lb of Pepper
 3 Bottles Port Wine. 12 Bottles Porter
 4 lb of Dipt Candles. 2 lb of Moulds.
 24 lb of yellow Soap. 2 lb of Starch. 14 lb
 of Soda. 1/2 lb Blue. 1 Bottle Coloured Wine
 400 lb of white Bread. 190 stone of
 Potatoes. 75 lb of Meat. 150 gallons of
 Sweet Milk. 70 Boxes of Lard. 3 pass
 of Chas. 3 lb of black thread. 200 of
 Needles. 50 yards of lining Calico.
 1/4 lb of Tea. 1 lb of Sugar. (Supplemental)

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 May 1857; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

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

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

The Report of the Master of the Workhouse was read as follows:—

Ballymore, Workhouse
7th May 1857

Gentlemen
Now that it is summer and the weather very fine, I am as usual allowing the school children to take a walk for the purposes of air and exercise, outside the Workhouse premises, in charge of their respective Teachers—

The Provisions and necessaries supplied during the week were good

Margt. Gonnally aged 10 years an orphan of the Ballymore B.D. who is for the last 5 years in the House, would be taken out by her sister, if you grant her a suit of new clothes, to which she is entitled having none of her own

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

I am gentlemen your Obedt Servt

The Board of Guardians
Ballymore Union

John Mallin
Master

With reference to the above Report it is Resolved that the Master's arrangements for allowing the school children to take exercise outside the Workhouse premises be approved of—

That he be authorized to procure suitable new clothing for Margt. Gonnally.

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

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

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commrs. No. 109-11/57, dated 1st May 1857, requesting a Return respecting the Rates made, & any new Rates assessed upon, in the Union, during the Month of April 1857

Letter from same No. 8949/57, of date 6th May 1857 - forwarding the account of expenses (amt. £5.19.9) incurred by the Returning Officer for the General Election of Guardians in Ballinacree Union, in March last, and sanctioning the payment of same by the Board of Guardians, in the ordinary manner in which payments are required to be made -

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - - 2
 Ditto, disallowed - - - - - nil
 The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 1

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

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered - - - nil

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

Matthew Conway
Master of the Union
Joseph Mallin

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *14th*
day of *May* 1857

(Signed) *John Mallin*
acting Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE

UNION, on *Thurs* day, the *7th* day of *May* 185*7*

—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 service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 1853, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended

District, £
District, £

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. of

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

Order dated (state subject)

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

Read Letter from Poor Law Commissioners dated 1st May 1857 stating that
No. 119- 1857. Transmitting herewith, for the use of the Board of Guardians, two copies of the 5th Annual Report of the Commissioners in pursuance of the provisions of the Medical Charities Act, 14 & 15 Vic. Cap. 68,

Matthew Power
Master of Work -
Joseph Blake

(Signed)

John Mullin
Acting Clerk of the Union.

Ballinrobe UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,703.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,725.7.3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 9th day of May 1857

| 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, | 1000 | 178 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 1068 | - | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 2148 | 181 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 7 | 23 | 22 | 31 | 38 | 28 | 14 | 5 | 9 | 182 | In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital, Total, 48 | In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, Total, 3 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | - | - | - | 3 | - | - | - | - | - | 3 | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 7 | 23 | 22 | 39 | 38 | 28 | 14 | 5 | 9 | 185 | | | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | " | " | 1 | 2 | 1 | - | - | - | - | 4 | | | | |
| Died, | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | - | - | 1 | 2 | 1 | - | - | - | - | 4 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | 7 | 23 | 21 | 37 | 37 | 28 | 14 | 5 | 9 | 181 | | | | | | |

RETURN of ~~DESTITUTE~~ PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 9th day of May 1857, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday the 14th day of May 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, Countess Henry Esq
 Other Guardians: Colonel Stuart, Robert Ligon and Joseph S. Blake Esqs

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

[Handwritten signature]

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1041 to No. 1042, 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. 1043 to No. 1044, 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:

[Large handwritten signature]

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, - - - - - £ nil

And during the week, - - - - - £ 148 " 14 " 11

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 279 " 5 " 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. | | | |
| Adam Neal | Ballinrobe | | | | | | | 88 | 7 | 1/4 | | | | | | |
| | Ballinshalla | | | | | | | 1 | 2 | 9/4 | | | | | | |
| | Quenubin | | | | | | | 21 | 14 | 6 | | | | | | |
| | Portnagal | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 0/2 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 120 | 6 | 10 1/2 | | | |
| Thomas Rattledge | Binnacana | | | | | | | 38 | 11 | 11/4 | | | | | | |
| | Coronard | | | | | | | 11 | 3 | 10 | | | | | | |
| | Hollymount | | | | | | | 74 | 13 | 0 | | | | | | |
| | Kilcumnow | | | | | | | 64 | 1 | 0/4 | | | | | | |
| | Newbrook | | | | | | | 38 | 18 | 4/4 | | | | | | |
| | Roslea | | | | | | | 26 | 10 | 1/4 | | | | | | |
| | Shrule | | | | | | | 91 | 13 | 8/4 | | | | | | |
| | Dalgin | | | | | | | 20 | 11 | 2 | | | | | | |
| | Killmaine | | | | | | | 36 | 0 | 2/2 | | | | | | |
| Keale | | | | | | | 24 | 0 | 11 | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 426 | 4 | 3/4 | | | |
| Thomas Grady | Long | | | | | | | 91 | 7 | 11/4 | | | | | | |
| | Houndwood | | | | | | | 29 | 15 | 11 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 121 | 5 | 11/4 | | | |
| Totals, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 557 | 10 | 5/2 |

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

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 16 u 19 s. 3 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 19 u 11 u 5

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ 1 u 9 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary £ 2 u 8

Average Cost in Fever Hospital £ 4 u 10 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:

4 1/2 cwt. and United Cotton, 2 1/2 qrs of flannel
 3 cwt. of Calico, 1 cwt. 5 fells
 1 cwt. of Carpeting, 2 pieces Beaulieu Tinsles,
 1 cwt. of Sewing Machine, 1/2 lb. of glass paper,
 1 cwt. of Black paper, 1/2 lb. of Black paper
 1/2 gallon Sweet oil, One gallon Varnish
 1/2 lb. of Glycerine, 4 lb. of Bandyke Brown,
 1 lb. of Blue Bead, 14 lb. of Turkey Umber
 1 1/2 lbs. of Ochre, 1/2 cwt. of Putty, 3 Box. Screws
 1 cwt. of Whiting, 20 yards of Rope
 50 of Lacks, Rose pink & Chamir,
 1 lb. of Tea, 1/2 lb. of Sugar, 1/2 lb. of
 Pepper, 2 Bottles of Wine
 6 Bottles of Porter, 4 lb. of
 Opt. Candles, 2 lb. of Kemels
 24 lb. yellow Soap, 2 lb. starch
 14 lb. of Soda, 1/2 lb. of Blue
 400 lb. of White Bread, 190 lbs.
 of Potatoes, 70 lb. of Meat
 145 Gallons of Sweet Milk,
 70 Boxes of Surf and
 100 Broom Brooms

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 7th day of May 1857; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, Nil
 In kind, Nil
 Total, Nil

Debit each Relieving Officers, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

The Master's Report was read as follows—

Balliniske Workhouse
14 May 1857.

Gentlemen, I beg to bring under your notice the disorderly Conduct of two Pauper Men Henry O'Flaherty and Michl. Moran, who on Yesterday, as I am informed, were quarrelling and being abusive in the Infirmary Ward, to the Annoyance of the other Inmates.

The Provisions and Necessaries supplied during the week were good.

I request you will be good enough to order two Stenders and two Irons, one for

~~The Purposes of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon as follows:~~
the Master, and one for myself, it being so dangerous to have a fire place without one—

I am gentlemen
your obt. Servant
John Mullin
Master
The Board of Guardians
Balliniske Union

On the Master's report as above:— Henry O'Flaherty and Michl. Moran, together with their respective witnesses, were called before the Board, and their Conduct investigated, — upon which by the unanimous desire of the Board, Henry O'Flaherty was reprimanded for his Conduct and informed that if he again acts in the same manner, he will be compelled to perform the duty of removing the right soil—

Resolved that the Master be authorized to procure two Stenders and fire Irons,

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

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

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commission
 No. 12,553 - M/57 - dated 12th May 1857
 Desiring to ascertain the Ratings of Distresses
 if any, within the Ballinakee Union -

Resolved that leave of absence be granted to the Clerk of the Union, to the 28th Instant, in consequence of the illness of his Brother, and that Mr. Mallin the Master of the Workhouse, do continue to perform the Clerk's duties, during that time -

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

| | | | |
|---|---|---|-----|
| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was | - | - | 1 |
| Ditto, disallowed | - | - | nil |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | - | - | 1 |

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

| | | | |
|--|---|---|-----|
| The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered | - | - | nil |
|--|---|---|-----|

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

*James Smyth -
Robt. Lynch
Nicholas Walsh*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *21st*
day of *May* 1857

(Signed) *John Mallin*
acting Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the
UNION, on *Thurs* day, the *14th* day of *May* 185*7*
—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 service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____

District, £
District, £

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

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

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

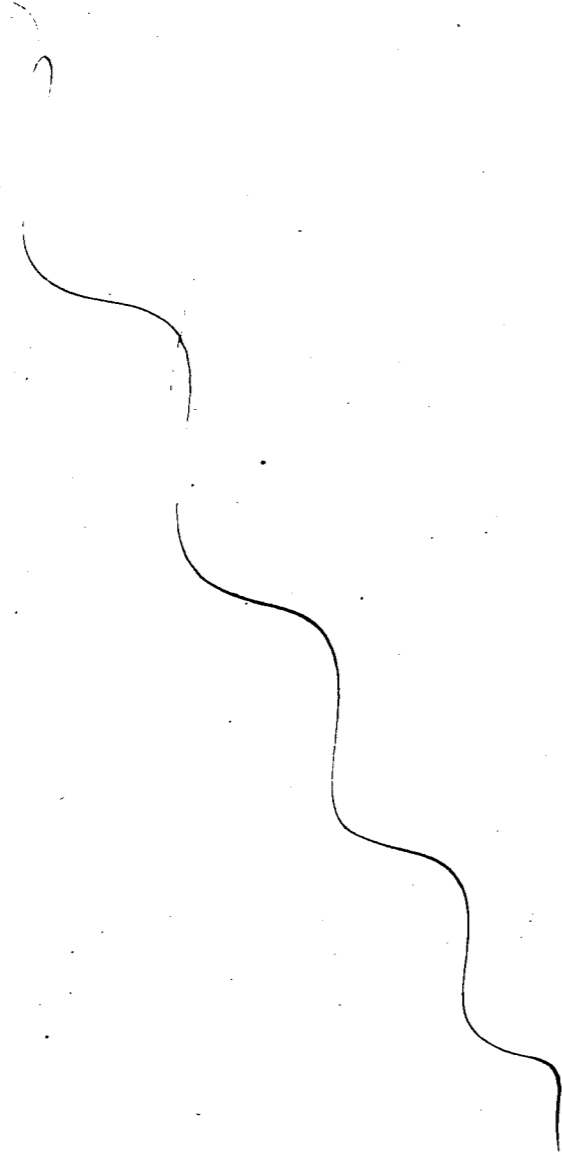
The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order dated _____ (state subject)

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

Read Letter from
stating that

dated



(Signed)

John Mullin
Acting Clerk of the Union.

Ballerule UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,703.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,725. 7-3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 16th day of May 1857

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each Building | Total No. in each Building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 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, . . . | 1000 | 778 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, . . . | 1068 | - | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, . . . | 80 | 8 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, . . . | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, . . . | 2148 | 181 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . | | | 7 | 23 | 21 | 37 | 37 | 28 | 14 | 5 | 9 | 181 | In Workhouse Hospital, 45 | In separate Wards, 3 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, . . . | | | 1 | 2 | " | " | 1 | " | " | " | " | 4 | In Hospital, 3 | In Wards with other inmates, 3 | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 8 | 25 | 21 | 37 | 37 | 29 | 14 | 5 | 9 | 185 | Total, 48 | Total, 3 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, . . . | | | 1 | " | " | 1 | 1 | " | " | " | " | 3 | | | | |
| Died, . . . | | | " | " | 1 | " | " | " | " | " | " | 1 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, . . . | | | 1 | " | 1 | 1 | 1 | " | " | " | " | 4 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 7 | 25 | 20 | 36 | 37 | 28 | 14 | 5 | 9 | 181 | | | | |

RETURN of ~~DESTITUTE~~ PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 16th day of May 1857 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday the 21st day of May 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, Colonel Sturt
 Other Guardians: Robert Sighe and Nicholas Kestw Esqrs.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

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The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1043 to No. 1046, 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. 1047 to No. 1050, 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, - - - - - £ 0/1

Laid during the week, - - - - - £ 38-13-4

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 240-12-5

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. |
| <i>Adam Neal</i> | <i>Ballinacree</i> | | | | | | | 88 | 7 | 1/4 | | | |
| | <i>Ballinshannon</i> | | | | | | | 1 | 2 | 9/4 | | | |
| | <i>Quemurra</i> | | | | | | | 24 | 14 | 6 | | | |
| | <i>Portroyal</i> | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 0 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 12 | | |
| <i>Thomas Ruttledge</i> | <i>Bynnacree</i> | | | | | | | 38 | 11 | 11/4 | | | |
| | <i>Coonard</i> | | | | | | | 11 | 3 | 10 | | | |
| | <i>Hollymount</i> | | | | | | | 74 | 13 | 0 | | | |
| | <i>Kilcorrumon</i> | | | | | | | 64 | 1 | 0 1/4 | | | |
| | <i>Newbrook</i> | | | | | | | 38 | 18 | 1/4 | | | |
| | <i>Roslee</i> | | | | | | | 26 | 10 | 1/4 | | | |
| | <i>Shulo</i> | | | | | | | 91 | 13 | 5/4 | | | |
| | <i>Dalquin</i> | | | | | | | 20 | 11 | 2 | | | |
| | <i>Milnamine</i> | | | | | | | 36 | 0 | 2 1/2 | | | |
| | <i>Keale</i> | | | | | | | 24 | 0 | 11 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 126 | 4 | 5 1/4 |
| <i>Thomas Grady</i> | <i>Long</i> | | | | | | | 91 | 7 | 11/4 | | | |
| | <i>Woodside</i> | | | | | | | 29 | 15 | 11 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 121 | 5 | 10 1/4 |
| <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 Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ *17 4 5 1/2* was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ *17 4 5 1/2*.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was *£ 19 8 2 3/4*

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average Cost in Infirmary. *2 6 3/4*

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:

*17 lb of Tea 7 1/2 lb of Sugar. 1 1/2 lb Pepper
5 Batts Pot Mice. 4 lb of Dipt Candles
2 lb of Moulds. 24 lb of yellow Soap,
2 lb of starch, 14 lb of Soda, 1/2 lb Blue.
400 lb of White Bread, 12 ^{cut} Indian Meal
2 1/2 cut of Satawal, 190 Stone of Potatoes,
55 lb of Meat. 145 Gallons of Sweet Milk
and 65 Batts of Lard*

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 May 1857; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, *nil*
In kind, *nil*
Total, *nil*

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

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

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. *£ s d.*

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

£ s. d.

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Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

£ s. d.

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Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every month.)—

Number of successful cases:

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon, as follows

Nil

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

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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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Resolved that extension of leave to the 8th Proximo be granted to the Clerk of the Union, in consequence of the death of his Brother, Mr. Melvin the Master of the Workhouse continuing to discharge the duties of the Clerkship —

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The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - - 1

Ditto, disallowed - - - - - Nil

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - - 3

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - - Nil

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - - Nil

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - - Nil

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered - - - Nil

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

*Wm. P. ...
Wm. Puffus
Wm. W. ...*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *28th*
day of *May* 1857 (Signed) *John Mallin*
clerk, Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the

UNION, on *Thurs* day, the *21st* day of *May* 1857

—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the
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to forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to
the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites
were ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of expenses (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Dispensary District, _____
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____

District, £ _____
District, £ _____

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Post-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms B 1 and B 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

(Signed)

John Mallin
acting Clerk of the Union.

Ballymore UNION.

Population in 1851, *37,703*

Present Net Annual Value, £ *38,725. 7. 3*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *23rd* day of *May* 1857

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each Building | Total No. in each Building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | Total | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|---|---|--|-------------|-----------|---|-----------|--|-----------|---|---|------------------------------|------------|--------------------------------------|---|--------------|--|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | |
| Workhouse, | <i>1000</i> | <i>176</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | <i>1058</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | <i>80</i> | <i>3</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | <i>2168</i> | <i>179</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | <i>7</i> | <i>25</i> | <i>20</i> | <i>36</i> | <i>37</i> | <i>28</i> | <i>14</i> | <i>5</i> | <i>9</i> | <i>181</i> | In Workhouse Hospital, <i>44</i> | In separate Wards, <i>Nil</i> | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | | | | <i>1</i> | | | | | | <i>1</i> | In Fever Hospital, <i>3</i> | In Wards with other inmates, <i>3</i> | | |
| TOTAL, | | | <i>7</i> | <i>25</i> | <i>20</i> | <i>37</i> | <i>37</i> | <i>28</i> | <i>14</i> | <i>5</i> | <i>9</i> | <i>182</i> | Total, <i>47</i> | Total, <i>3</i> | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | | | | | | | <i>3</i> | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | | | | | | | <i>3</i> | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | <i>6</i> | <i>24</i> | <i>19</i> | <i>37</i> | <i>37</i> | <i>28</i> | <i>14</i> | <i>5</i> | <i>9</i> | <i>179</i> | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *23rd* day of *May 1857*, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | | | | | | | BL. FORWARD | | | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | | | No. X. | | | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | | | No. XI. | | | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | | | No. XII. | | | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | | | No. XV. | | | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| Car. forward | | | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Thursday* the *28th* day of *May* 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Robert Sighe Esq*

Other Guardians: *Benjamin W Jennings, John Griffin, Thomas Walsh, and John Kearne Junr Esqrs*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

and its examination postponed to next Board 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. , both 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, - - - - - £ nil

Laid during the week, - - - - - £ nil

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 240 a 12 a 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. | | | |
| Adam Neal | Ballinacree | | | | | | | 88 | 7 | 1/4 | | | | | | |
| | Ballinacullen | | | | | | | 1 | 2 | 9/4 | | | | | | |
| | Queenin | | | | | | | 21 | 14 | 6 | | | | | | |
| | Postroyal | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 0/2 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 120 | 6 | 10 1/2 | | | |
| Thomas Rutledge | Buniscana | | | | | | | 38 | 11 | 11/4 | | | | | | |
| | Conard | | | | | | | 11 | 3 | 10 | | | | | | |
| | Hollymount | | | | | | | 74 | 13 | " | | | | | | |
| | Kilconnor | | | | | | | 64 | 1 | 0/4 | | | | | | |
| | Newbrook | | | | | | | 38 | 18 | 4/4 | | | | | | |
| | Aslee | | | | | | | 26 | 10 | 11/4 | | | | | | |
| | Shrule | | | | | | | 91 | 13 | 8 3/4 | | | | | | |
| | Dalgin | | | | | | | 20 | 11 | 2 | | | | | | |
| | Killmaine | | | | | | | 36 | 0 | 2 1/2 | | | | | | |
| Keale | | | | | | | 24 | 0 | 11 | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 426 | 4 | 5 1/4 | | | |
| Thomas Grady | Long | | | | | | | 91 | 7 | 11/4 | | | | | | |
| | Konsawood | | | | | | | 29 | 15 | 7 1/2 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 121 | 5 | 10 1/4 | | | |
| Totals, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 557 | 15 | 1 1/2 |

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 Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ *---* was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 17 ⁵ s. 11 ² d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ s. d.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 19 ¹⁴ s. 5 ² d.

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1 ⁹ s. 3 ⁴ d.

Average Cost in Infirmary. 2 ¹¹ s. 8 ² d.

Average Cost in Fever Hospital. 4 ¹¹ s. 9 ² d.

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

*2 lb of Tea, 8 lb of Sugar, 1 1/2 lb of Pepper
4 Bottles of Wine, 3 Bottles of Porter.
4 lb of tapt Candles, 2 lb of Monies,
24 lb of yellow Soap, 2 lb of starch,
14 lb of soda, 1/2 lb of Blue, 400 lb of
White Bread, 190 Stone of Potatoes,
70 lb of meat, 145 Gallons of sweet
Milk, and 65 Boxes of Linn -*

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 May 1837; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, nil
In kind, nil

Total. nil

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. | | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. |
| No. I. | | | | | Btforward | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | No. X. | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | No. XI. | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | No. XII. | | | | |
| No. V. | <i>Nil</i> | | | | No. XIII. | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | No. XIV. | <i>Nil</i> | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | No. XV. | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | |
| Car. fwd. | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

*J. W. Deunhy, for acct. of painting Workhouse 15 0 0
Nicht. Mambon for Repairing Window frames. 5 10 0*

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every month.)—
Number of successful cases:

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Master's Report was read as follows,

Ballinacorney Workhouse
28th of May 1857

Gentlemen, I beg to report to you that Daniel Madden a Pauper Man, has refused to comply with any directions of mine—particularly he has refused to help another Man in removing a night soil Bucket altho' it being his turn to do so.

The Provisions and Necessaries delivered to me during the week were as usual food
I am gentlemen your obt. Servt
John Mullin
Master

The Report of the Master and other Officers was read and Orders made thereon as follows:

To
The Board of Guardians
Ballinacorney Union.

With respect to the above Report of the Master; Daniel Madden on being called before the Board, conducted himself so disorderly, and having used threatening language towards the Guardians; The Master swore information to this effect against him, upon which he was committed to jail for trial at Ballinacorney Petty Sessions—

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or Orders made on them respectively as follows:)

The Medical Officer having submitted to the Board an estimate of Medicines required for the Workhouse Infirmary, it was "approved of," and the Clerk directed to order same from the Apothecaries Hall of Dublin - viz -

Linseed Meal 1 ^{cut}/₄
 Castor oil one Dozen Bottles
 Colomba root 2 lb
 Chloroform 8 ounces
 Tincture Rhatany 1 lb
 Citric Acid 18 ounces
 Litharge Plaster 2 lb

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

| | |
|---|-----|
| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was | 1 |
| Ditto, disallowed | nil |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | nil |

| | |
|--|-----|
| The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was | nil |
| Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians | nil |
| The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was | nil |

| | |
|--|-----|
| The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered | nil |
|--|-----|

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

Misses Brody.
Hotel, Dublin
Dorset E. Blake

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *14th*
day of *June* 1857. (Signed) *John Mallin*

Acting Clerk of the Union.
By Authority—JOHN FALCONER, Printer and Binder to Her Majesty's Stationery Office,
53, Upper Sackville-street, Dublin.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
[No. 27.]

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the *Ballinacorney*
UNION, on *Thurs* day, the *28th* day of *May* 185*7*
—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management was laid before the Board
with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given
thereon, as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed
to forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to
the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.
On application of the Committee of Management of the
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites
were ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of expenses (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Dispensary District, Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £

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[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____

District, £
District,) £

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[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

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The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

[Faint, illegible handwritten notes or scribbles]

(Signed)

John Mullin
Acting Clerk of the Union.

Ballymore UNION.

Population in 1851, 27,703

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,725. 7. 3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 30th day of May 1857

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated 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 9 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | Total | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|---|---|-------------|----------|--|-----------|--|-----------|--|---|------------------------------|----------|--------------------------------------|---|--------------------------------|--|
| | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | |
| Workhouse, | 1000 | 171 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 1068 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | 80 | 3 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 2168 | 174 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 6 | 24 | 19 | 37 | 37 | 28 | 14 | 5 | 9 | 179 | In Work-house Hospital, 39 | In separate Wards, 3 | |
| Admitted during the Week; | | | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | In Fever Hospital, 3 | In Wards with other inmates, 3 | |
| TOTAL, | | | 7 | 25 | 19 | 37 | 37 | 28 | 14 | 5 | 9 | 181 | Total, 42 | Total, 3 | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | | | |
| Died, | | | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | - | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 1 | 2 | 1 | 1 | - | - | - | - | - | 2 | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 6 | 23 | 18 | 36 | 37 | 28 | 14 | 5 | 7 | 174 | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 30th day of May 1857 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | | | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | | | No. X. | | | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | | | No. XI. | | | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | | | No. XII. | | | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | | | No. XV. | | | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| Car. forward | | | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on

the day of 185

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:

I have waited for more than one hour after the time appointed for holding the ordinary Meeting of the Board of Guardians of this Union on this day, and only one Guardian Colonel Hunt, having attended, the Meeting therefore stands adjourned to Thursday the 11th day of June instant

John Mullin
Acting Clerk of the Union
11th June 1857.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & Vic., c. 81.

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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 Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ -

Laid during the week, - - - - - £ 20-2-7

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 238-1-8

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. |
| Adam Neal | Ballinrobe | | | | | | | 88 | 7 | 6 3/4 | | | |
| | Ballinacorney | | | | | | | 1 | 2 | 9 1/4 | | | |
| | Breacnain | | | | | | | 21 | 14 | 6 | | | |
| | Portagal | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 0 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 120 | 6 | 10 3/4 |
| Thomas Rutledge | Burriscarra | | | | | | | 38 | 11 | 11 1/4 | | | |
| | Comard | | | | | | | 11 | 3 | 10 | | | |
| | Killymount | | | | | | | 74 | 13 | 0 | | | |
| | Kilcommoon | | | | | | | 64 | 1 | 0 1/4 | | | |
| | Keelbrook | | | | | | | 38 | 18 | 4 3/4 | | | |
| | Boolee | | | | | | | 26 | 10 | 1 1/4 | | | |
| | Shrule | | | | | | | 91 | 13 | 8 3/4 | | | |
| | Dalgin | | | | | | | 20 | 11 | 2 | | | |
| | Killmaine | | | | | | | 36 | 0 | 3 1/2 | | | |
| Keel | | | | | | | 24 | 0 | 11 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 426 | 4 | 3 3/4 |
| Thomas Grady | Long | 18 | 0 | 10 | | | | 73 | 7 | 1 1/4 | | | |
| | Woodwood | " | " | " | | | | 29 | 15 | 11 | | | |
| | | | | | 18 | 0 | 10 | | | | 103 | 3 | 0 1/2 |
| Totals, | | | | | 18 | 0 | 10 | | | | 649 | 14 | 2 1/2 |

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 Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 25 ⁵/₄ s. 11/4 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ s. d.
 19 ⁵/₂ 5 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1 ⁹/₂

Average Cost in Infirmary. 2 8

Average Cost in Fever Hospital. 4 ⁹/₂

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

[Handwritten scribbles and signatures]

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 May 1857: whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

£ s. d.
 In money,
 In kind,
 Total.

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. | | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. |
| No. I. | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | No. X. | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | No. XI. | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | No. XII. | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | No. XV. | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | |
| Car. fwd. | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

| | £ | s. | d. |
|-------------------------------|---|----|----|
| <i>[Handwritten scribble]</i> | | | |

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

| | £ | s. | d. |
|-------------------------------|---|----|----|
| <i>[Handwritten scribble]</i> | | | |

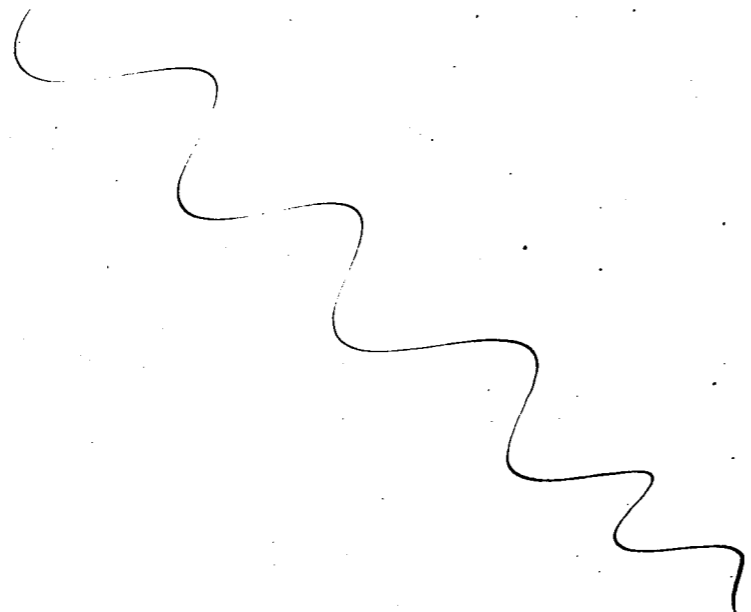
Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every month.)—
Number of successful cases:

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon, as follows:

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:



The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or Orders made on them respectively as follows:)

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commrs
 No 141 - M 157, dated 3rd June 1857, requesting
 a return respecting the Rates made, and any
 new Rates agreed upon in the Union, during
 the Month of May 1857



The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was - - -

Ditto, disallowed - - -

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was - - -

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was - - -

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians - - -

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was - - -

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered - - -

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on _____ the
day of _____ 185

(Signed) _____

Clerk of the Union.

By Authority—JOHN FALCONER, Printer and Binder to Her Majesty's Stationery Office,
53, Upper Sackville-street, Dublin.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.)
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185
—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management was laid before the Board
with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given
thereon, as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed
to forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to
the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.
On application of the Committee of Management of the _____
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites
were ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of expenses (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Dispensary District, _____
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____

District, £
District, £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms C 1 and C 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order dated _____ (state subject,)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Pallinrobe UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,703.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,725.7.3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 6th day of June 1857

| 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, | 1000 | 171 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 1000 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | 2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | | 2148 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 6 | 23 | 18 | 36 | 37 | 28 | 14 | 5 | 7 | 174 | In Workhouse Hospital, 42 | In separate Wards, 3 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | " | 2 | 4 | " | " | " | " | " | " | 6 | In Fever Hospital, 2 | In Wards with other inmates, 3 | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 6 | 25 | 22 | 36 | 37 | 28 | 14 | 5 | 7 | 180 | Total, 44 | Total, 3 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | " | " | 1 | 1 | " | " | " | " | " | 2 | | | | |
| Died, | | | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | " | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | " | " | 1 | 1 | " | " | " | " | " | 2 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 6 | 25 | 21 | 35 | 37 | 28 | 14 | 5 | 7 | 178 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6th day of June 1857 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | | | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | | | No. X. | | | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | | | No. XI. | | | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | | | No. XII. | | | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | | | No. XV. | | | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| Car. forward | | | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Tuesday* the 11th day of June 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, Colonel Charles Fox,

Other Guardians:

Robert Hyde, Wm Birtle, D & Blake, Thomas Walsh and Nicholas Walsh Esquires,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 11-14-0 was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 16-14-0

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 19-4-0

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ 1-9 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary £ 2-10 1/2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital £ 5-7

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

176 lbs of Tea, 75 lbs of Sugar, 12 lbs of Pepper,
 2 Bottles of Wine, 3 Bottles of Porter, 4 lbs of
 Candles, 2 lbs of Moulded Candles, 24 lbs
 of Yellow Soap, 2 lbs of Starch, 14 lbs of
 Soda, 1/2 lb of Blue, 3 balls of White Bread,
 1/4 stone of Potatoes, 70 lbs of Meat, 140
 Gallons of Sweet Milk, 65 Boxes of Sturf.

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 6th day of June 1857, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, £ 1-9-0
 In kind, Nil
 Total, Nil
 Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. | | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. |
| No. I. | | | | | By forward | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | No. X. | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | No. XI. | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | No. XII. | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | No. XV. | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | |
| Car. frwd. | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

[Handwritten signature]

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Mary M^{rs} Gorman for Rooms - 13 11
 P^r M^r A^rmond for Calcewell Wine - 6 0
 P^r G^reg^ries for Oils, Paints, &c. 30 8 5
 G^rene Kelly for Books 4 9 5

[Handwritten signature]

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

| | | | |
|---------------------------------|----|----|----|
| Isaac Wayne for Bread and Meal | £ | s. | d. |
| Thomas Sample for Potatoes | 34 | 10 | 11 |
| Matthew Marcus for Meat | 20 | 6 | 1 |
| Marion Higgins for Milk | 9 | 10 | 9 |
| Mary M. Green for Surf | 21 | 7 | 3 |
| Palmer & Marchant for Groceries | 14 | 18 | 11 |
| | 11 | 1 | 1 |

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

| | | | |
|---|---|----|----|
| Elections, Law, and other Expenses Acct. | £ | s. | d. |
| Clerk of Union to pay parties named in Returning Officers Acct. of expenses attending Election of Guardians in March 1857 | 5 | 19 | 9 |

Debit Elections, Law, and other Expenses Acct.,

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every month.)—

Number of successful cases:

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

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The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon, as follows:

no report from the Master this day.

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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 Letter from Poor Law Commissioners 11^o 141 M/57, dated 3^o June 1857, requiring a Return respecting the Rates made, and any new Rates agreed upon in the Union, during the Month of May 1857.

Resolved that the Schoolmaster be allowed two days leave of absence,

Resolved that Passes be granted to the undersigned paupers on urgent private business, 14/-

Anthony Tallow - for one day,
 Jolly Scrimm for one day
 Henry O'Hallahan for one day

Michael Tierick having fully satisfied the Board of Guardians as to the loss of a Poor Rate Receipt given to him by Collector Adam Noale on 18th April 1857, for Rates of the Ballinacole Divⁿ amounting to 18/8^d paid Mr. Noale,

It is Resolved that the Collector be authorised to issue a duplicate of the Receipt which has been lost,

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|-----|
| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was | - | - | 2 |
| <i>Idem</i> , disallowed | - | - | nil |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | - | - | 4 |

| | | | |
|--|---|---|-----|
| The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was | - | - | nil |
| <i>Idem</i> , in which relief was continued by the Guardians | - | - | nil |
| The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was | - | - | nil |

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered Nil

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

Matthew Quincy
Charles King
Robt. Tigh

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *18th*
day of *June* 1857

(Signed) *Thomas May*

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.)
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the *Raffinville*
UNION, on *Friday* day, the *11th* day of *June* 185*7*
—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management was laid before the Board
with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given
thereon, as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of
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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 service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____

District, £
District, £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Poole-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

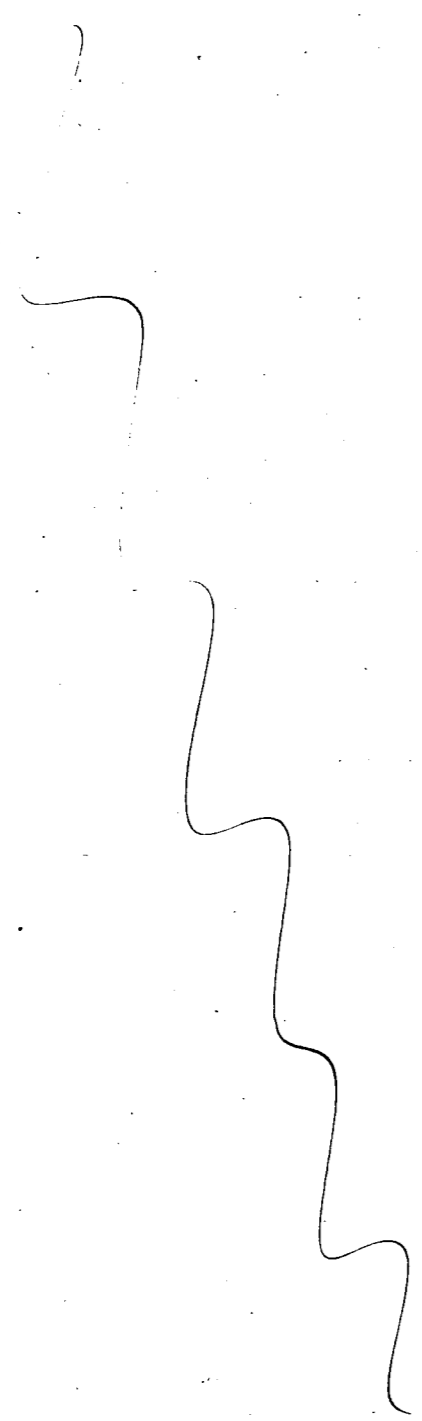
The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the 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):

Read Letter from
stating that

dated



(Signed)

Thomas May
Clerk of the Union.

Baltimore UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,793.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 36,725.7.3.

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 13th day of June 1857

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each Building | Total No. in 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, | 1000 | 174 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 1068 | 74 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | 24 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 2148 | 174 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 6 | 25 | 21 | 35 | 37 | 28 | 14 | 5 | 7 | 178 | In Workhouse Hospital, 40 | In separate Wards, 10 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | " | " | 1 | 2 | " | " | " | " | 1 | 4 | In Hospital, 11 | In Wards, 3 | | |
| TOTAL, | 6 | 25 | 6 | 25 | 22 | 37 | 37 | 28 | 14 | 5 | 8 | 182 | Total, 42 | Total, 3 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | " | 2 | 2 | " | " | " | " | " | 2 | 6 | | | | |
| Died, | | | " | " | " | 2 | " | " | " | " | 2 | 2 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | " | 2 | 2 | 2 | " | " | " | " | 2 | 8 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | 6 | 23 | 6 | 23 | 20 | 36 | 37 | 28 | 14 | 5 | 6 | 174 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 13th day of June 1857 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | | | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | | | No. X. | | | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | | | No. XI. | | | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | | | No. XII. | | | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | | | No. XV. | | | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| Car. forward | | | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Thursday* the 13th day of *June* 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Wm. May* Esq. *the* 13th day of *June* 1857

Other Guardians:

Colonel Stans, *Robert G. Ghe*, and *W. Walsh*
Esq.

[Signatures]

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7th & Vic. c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1056 to No. 1057, 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, - - - - - £ 104-6-0
 Laid during the week, - - - - - £ nil
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 367. 0. 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. |
| Edmund Nettle | Ballinacree | 15 | 19 | 11 | | | | 72 | 7 | 7/4 | | | |
| | Ballinacallee | | | | | | | 1 | 2 | 5/4 | | | |
| | Queenstown | 19 | 16 | 0 | | | | 1 | 18 | 1/4 | | | |
| | Portroyal | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 0/2 | | | |
| | | | | | 35 | 15 | 11 | | | | 84 | 10 | 11/4 |
| Thomas R. White | Berriscurra | 7 | 16 | 9 | | | | 30 | 15 | 2/4 | | | |
| | Coonard | " | 19 | 8 | | | | 10 | 4 | 2 | | | |
| | Hallymourt | " | " | " | | | | 45 | 2 | 8 | | | |
| | Kilconnor | 7 | 9 | 5 | | | | 42 | 17 | 7/4 | | | |
| | Keelbrook | " | " | " | | | | 34 | 14 | 13/4 | | | |
| | Roslee | " | " | " | | | | 26 | 10 | 12/4 | | | |
| | Shrule | 18 | 19 | 0 | | | | 71 | 13 | 8/4 | | | |
| | Dalgin | " | 9 | 9 | | | | 19 | 11 | 10 | | | |
| | Kilmaine | " | " | " | | | | 30 | 13 | 10/4 | | | |
| Keale | 1 | 13 | 6 | | | | 19 | 17 | 5 | | | | |
| | | | | | 37 | 10 | 1 | | | | 332 | 0 | 8/4 |
| Thomas Gandy | Cung | 20 | | | | | | 57 | 7 | 1/2 | | | |
| | Stamondsword | 9 | | | | | | 20 | 15 | 11 | | | |
| | | | | | 31 | 0 | 0 | | | | 72 | 3 | 0/4 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Totals, | | | | 114 | 16 | 11 | | | | 488 | 14 | 8/4 |

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.
 Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 11 14 s. 10 1/2 d. was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 11 14 s. 10 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 19 0 7/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1 9

Average Cost in Infirmary, 2 9 3/4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, 2 1/2

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

1 1/2 lb of Fine Tea, 1/2 lb of Tea, 2 9 quality,
 7 lb of Sugar, 1 1/2 lb of pepper, 2 1/2 lb of
 Mustard, 3 lb of Butter, 1 lb of Lard
 Candles, 2 lb of Mould Candles, 2 1/2 lb
 of Yellow Soap, 2 lb of Starch, 1 1/2 lb of
 Soda, 1/2 lb of Olive, 5 Cent of Rice, 400
 of White Bread, 12 Cent of Irish Meal,
 4 Cent of Oatmeal, 190 stone of Potatoes,
 75 lb of Meat, 140 Gallons of Sweet Milk
 1/2 Bar of Steel, 3 Loads of Scouring sand
 12 Bunches of Lime,

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 13th day of June 1857 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, £ 10 1/2 d.
 In kind, £ 10 1/2 d.
 Total, £ 21 1/2 d.
 Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s d. | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s d. | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|
| | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s d. | | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s d. |
| No. I. | | | | | Bl. forward | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | No. X. | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | No. XI. | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | No. XII. | | | | |
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| No. VI. | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | No. XV. | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | |
| Car. frwd. | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every month.)—
Number of successful cases:

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

Visited the Workhouse this day, and found it exceedingly clean and orderly—Examined the Children in the Boys and Girls School, their answering was most creditable. The Master deserves much credit for his excellent management in having such a large supply of fine Vegetables and Crops in the Workhouse grounds,

(Signed) Charles Knox

Baltimore

June 16th 1857

The Report of the Workhouse Master was read and Orders made thereon as follows:—

Baltimore Workhouse
18th June 1857

Gentlemen,

I beg to inform you that the Beams and Boarding of the Straw House and Straw Stove, being in a very bad state, and having the necessary materials for their repair, I employed the Carpenters to repair them,

John Hubit an able-bodied inmate refused to work on yesterday morning, and disobeyed my directions; I would also ask you to investigate a charge which I have heard against this Boy Hubit and two other inmates Griffin, and Garvey, that of conspiring to abscond from the House, and enter the Workhouse premises at night for the purposes of

The Reports of the ²Robbers ~~Master~~ and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon, as follows:

James Carney aged 11 years of the Baltimore Disp^y, who was admitted in July 1853, would if you grant him a suit of new clothes, be now taken out by his Mother, who applies for him,

The Altar of the Workhouse Chapel requires to be painted, which not being included in the present Contract for painting the Workhouse, I would respectfully suggest that you take the matter into consideration, it would be done in a proper manner for a sum of three pounds,

I am Gentlemen,

Your obed^t. Serv^t.

The Board of Guardians
John Mullen Master,

The Board investigated the charge against John Hubit for refusing to work, which was clearly proved, as well as the charge against himself, Griffin and Garvey, for the conspiracy, which was also clearly proved, it is therefore ordered that Hubit and Griffin be discharged from the Workhouse, they being able-bodied paupers, Garvey is not now an inmate of the House,

Resolved

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

Resolved that as John Yebot has no clothes, he being an inmate for the last six years, the Workhouse Master be authorised to procure clothes for him, suitable to his wants,

Resolved that the Master be authorised to procure a suit of new clothes for James Carney,

Resolved that the Master be authorised to get the Workhouse Chapel painted, at an expense not exceeding £3,

Resolved that the Board approves of the employment of a Carpenter by the Master to execute the repairs stated by him in his report

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or Orders made on them respectively as follows:)

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners No. 15, 150 - Dated 13th June 1857, requesting a Return showing the Number of Pauper Inmates in the Workhouse on 25th March last, &c. &c.

Resolved that Margaret Cullenane, gets one day leave of absence to see her mother who is ill,

Mat of

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

| | |
|---|-----|
| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was | 1 |
| Ditto, disallowed | nil |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | 3 |

| | |
|--|-----|
| The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was | Nil |
| Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians | Nil |
| The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was | Nil |

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|--|-----|
| The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered | Nil |
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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

W. Minns
Christopher Bowen

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *25th*
day of *June* 1857 (Signed) *Thomas May*

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the
UNION, of *Free* day, the *18th* day of *June* 185 *7*
—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET.—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management was laid before the Board
with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given
thereon, as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed
to forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to
the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians
On application of the Committee of Management of the
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites
were ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of expenses (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Dispensary District.
Account of Mr. for : Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 185, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended

District £
District £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. of

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order dated (state subject)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

(Signed)

Romanellay
Clerk of the Union.

Baltimore UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,708.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,725.73

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the ¹⁶ 20 day of *June* 1857

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each Building on the above date | Total No. in each Building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | Total | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|---|---|--|-------------|------|---|------|--|-------|---|---|------------------------------|-------|--------------------------------------|---|--------------|--|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | |
| Workhouse, | 1000 | 175 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 1068 | 21 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | 21 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | | 2148 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 6 | 23 | 20 | 35 | 37 | 28 | 14 | 5 | 6 | 174 | In Workhouse Hospital, 40 | In separate Wards, 2 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | " | 1 | 1 | 2 | " | " | " | " | " | 4 | In Fever Hospital, 2 | With other inmates, 3 | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 6 | 24 | 21 | 37 | 37 | 28 | 14 | 5 | 6 | 178 | Total, 46 | Total, 3 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | " | 1 | 1 | 1 | " | " | " | " | " | 3 | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | " | 1 | 1 | 1 | " | " | " | " | " | 3 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 6 | 23 | 20 | 36 | 37 | 28 | 14 | 5 | 6 | 175 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20 day of *June* 1857 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | | | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | | | No. X. | | | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | | | No. XI. | | | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | | | No. XII. | | | | | | |
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| No. VII. | | | | | | | No. XV. | | | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| Car. forward | | | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Monday* the 25 day of *June* 1857

PRESENT! In the Chair, *Robert Sighe Esq*
 Other Guardians: *D. Blake, G. Bowen, and Benjamin W. Jennings Esq's*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 10112 to No. 10142, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk. The Outdoor Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 10112, 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, - - - - - £ *nil*
 Laid during the week, - - - - - £ 100-18-3
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 266-2-0
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Weekly Balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

| Name of each Collector | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts | Collected and Lodged | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | | |
|-------------------------|---|----------------------|----|----|-------|----|-----------|-----------|-----------|-----------|-------|------------|-----------|-----------|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | |
| <i>Adam Neale</i> | <i>Ballinrothe</i> | | | | | | | <i>72</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>7</i> | | | | |
| | <i>Ballinicholla</i> | | | | | | | <i>1</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>9</i> | | | | |
| | <i>Owenbrinn</i> | | | | | | | <i>1</i> | <i>18</i> | <i>6</i> | | | | |
| | <i>Partnygal</i> | | | | | | | <i>9</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>0</i> | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | <i>84</i> | <i>10</i> | <i>11</i> |
| <i>Thomas Reultedge</i> | <i>Borris carra</i> | | | | | | | <i>30</i> | <i>15</i> | <i>2</i> | | | | |
| | <i>Coonast</i> | | | | | | | <i>10</i> | <i>4</i> | <i>2</i> | | | | |
| | <i>Hollymount</i> | | | | | | | <i>45</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>8</i> | | | | |
| | <i>Kilcommon</i> | | | | | | | <i>42</i> | <i>17</i> | <i>7</i> | | | | |
| | <i>Newbrook</i> | | | | | | | <i>34</i> | <i>14</i> | <i>1</i> | | | | |
| | <i>Roslee</i> | | | | | | | <i>26</i> | <i>10</i> | <i>7</i> | | | | |
| | <i>Shule</i> | | | | | | | <i>71</i> | <i>13</i> | <i>8</i> | | | | |
| | <i>Dalgin</i> | | | | | | | <i>19</i> | <i>11</i> | <i>10</i> | | | | |
| <i>Kilmairie</i> | | | | | | | <i>30</i> | <i>73</i> | <i>10</i> | | | | | |
| <i>Neale</i> | | | | | | | <i>19</i> | <i>17</i> | <i>5</i> | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | <i>332</i> | <i>0</i> | <i>3</i> |
| <i>Thomas Grady</i> | <i>Bong</i> | | | | | | | <i>51</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>1</i> | | | | |
| | <i>Handwood</i> | | | | | | | <i>20</i> | <i>15</i> | <i>11</i> | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | <i>72</i> | <i>3</i> | <i>0</i> |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | <i>413</i> | <i>13</i> | <i>11</i> |
| | <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 Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 23 4s 1d, was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Abaster of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 16 11s 7d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 18 18 0

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1 9

Average Cost in Infirmary 2 9 4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital.

The Abaster's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

11 1/2 lbs of Card soap, 7 Yards of Canning Candles, 2 lbs of Calico, 10 Yards of Calico, 2 Caps, 3 lbs of Yellow Soap, 2 lbs of White Soap, 3 Gals of Starch, 13 Day of March, 14 lbs of Soda, 2 Spikes, 12 Day of do, 9 lbs of 20 Nails, 9 lbs of Blue, 400 lbs of Flour, one Hammer, one spring bit, one White Bread, 190 stone of Finners, 1 Ball for door, 1/2 lb of Greenish Seed, Potatoes, 75 lbs of Meat (and for the pot), 3 Gallons of Mustard, 140 Gallons of Sweetmilk, 2 Gallons of Oil, 1/2 lb of Rose pink, 500 of 65 Bars of Turf, 1 1/2 lbs of Tea, 7 1/2 lbs of Sugar, 1 lb of pepper, 2 Bottles of Wine, 3 Bottles of Porter, 4 lbs of ditto Candles, 2 lbs of Mould Candles

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 25 day of November 1857 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, £ s. d.
 In kind,
 Total.
 Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. | | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. |
| No. I. | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | No. X. | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | No. XI. | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | No. XII. | | | | |
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| No. VII. | | | | | No. XV. | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | |
| Car. frwd. | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

| | | | |
|--|-----------|--|--------|
| Mr. Mary Clark Salary | £ 27 10 0 | Henry Leonard Relieving Officer Salary | 3 15 0 |
| John McIlvenn Master do | 10 0 0 | Colbourne Relieving Officer Salary | 3 15 0 |
| Harf. Jennings Malron do | 7 10 0 | W. Darnley for Renting Workhouse | 15 0 0 |
| Johnanna Molloy Temp ^l | | | |
| Schoolmistress Salary | 3 15 0 | | |
| Doctor Ranshawn Medical Officer Salary | 17 10 0 | | |
| Doctor Ralph Apothecary Sal ^y | 5 0 0 | | |
| Ellen Kane Nurse Salary | 3 15 0 | | |
| Walker Kelly Tailor Salary | 4 11 3 | | |

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Patrick Monahan for Groceries
 Isaac Mayne " Bread
 Matthew Moran " Meat
 Martin Higgins " Milk
 Mary M^{rs} Gorman " Turf
 Thomas Temple " Potatoes

| £ | s | d |
|---|----|---|
| | 10 | 7 |
| 5 | 17 | 6 |
| 3 | 4 | 0 |
| 6 | 18 | 3 |
| 4 | 14 | 9 |
| 6 | 16 | 7 |

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurers with the several sums as above

4. ~~Out-door Relief~~ Petty Invoice Account.

Petty Disbursements

£ s d

Order of Union to provide for payment of 20 5 0

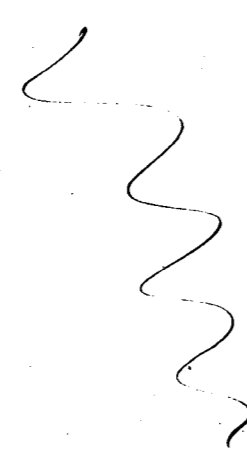
Petty Disbursements

Credit Treasurers and Debit ~~Out-door Relief~~ Petty Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every month.)—

Number of successful cases:

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:



The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon, as follows.

Ballinacree Workhouse

25th June 1857

Gentlemen,

I beg to report to you that Palt Gavey an able-bodied inmate is generally insubordinate, on last Monday he refused to work, and became violent towards the Porter, and threatened him, until I had to put him two hours in solitary confinement.

The Provisions and Necessaries delivered to me during the week were good

I am, Gentlemen,

Yours obed^t. Serv^t

John Mullin

Master,

To The Board of Guardians
Ballinacree Union

Palt Gavey was called before the Board and the complaint against him investigated, it appearing that he was guilty of the charge preferred against him by the Master, it was Resolved that the punishment of two hours in solitary confinement be approved of, and that he be severely reprimanded and admonished as to his future conduct,

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 from Valuation Commissioners dated 22nd June 1857, forwarding therewith, supplemental Valuation Lists, containing statements of all the cases in every Township or other Denomination comprised in the Union of Ballinrobe in which the Commission has altered, or refused to alter, the Primary Valuation,

Letter from Dr. Roughton Medical Officer of Workhouse dated 25th June 1857. relative to the Hospital at use,

The Clerk laid before the Board of Guardians a Certificate from the Education Commissioners, stating that Miss Hanley the Workhouse Teacher, having attended the ordinary Course of Lectures given to Teachers, has, upon examination by the Professors, been placed in the second Division of Second Class.

The Clerk read for the Board a Circular Letter which he received from the Education Office of which the following is a copy:—

Ballinrobe Workhouse, &c— Office of N. Education
19th June 1857

Sir,

We are directed to inform you, that, on the recommendation of the Agricultural Inspector, the Commissioners of National Education have awarded a gratuity of £3, to John Maher Teacher and of £2, to John Mullin Agriculturist in the above school for the year ended 31st March 1857. The amount will be remitted in due course,

We are, Sir,

Your obedt. Servants,
Maurice O'Leary,
James Kelly,

To, The Clerk of the Poor Law Union Secretaries,
Ballinrobe,

The Clerk submitted for inspection of the Board, Receipts with the Bills attached as vouchers, from the several parties named in the Returning Officer's Account of Expenses attending Election of Guardians in Ballinrobe Union in March last,

The Hospital Nurse M^r. Kane, having tendered her Resignation of that Office, it was Resolved that it be accepted, and that the Clerk be directed to advertise in the "Genl Advertiser" and "Mayo Constitution" for a successor, at a salary of £15, per Annum, with Rations, Appointment to be made on this day forth.

Resolved that the Matron Miss Semings, be required to take charge of the Hospital pending the appointment of a successor to M^r. Kane, and that M^r. Kane do cease to act as an Officer of the Union from this date,

The Clerk of the Union reports, that up to the present date, he has only received from the Review, the Valuation Books of the following Electoral Divisions as corrected by the Officer:—

- Burriscaun
- Doonard
- Roslee
- Hollymount
- Stilmeerie

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 3
 Ditto, disallowed 2
 The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 1

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was Nil
 Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians Nil
 The number of other applicants in the Deceiving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was Nil

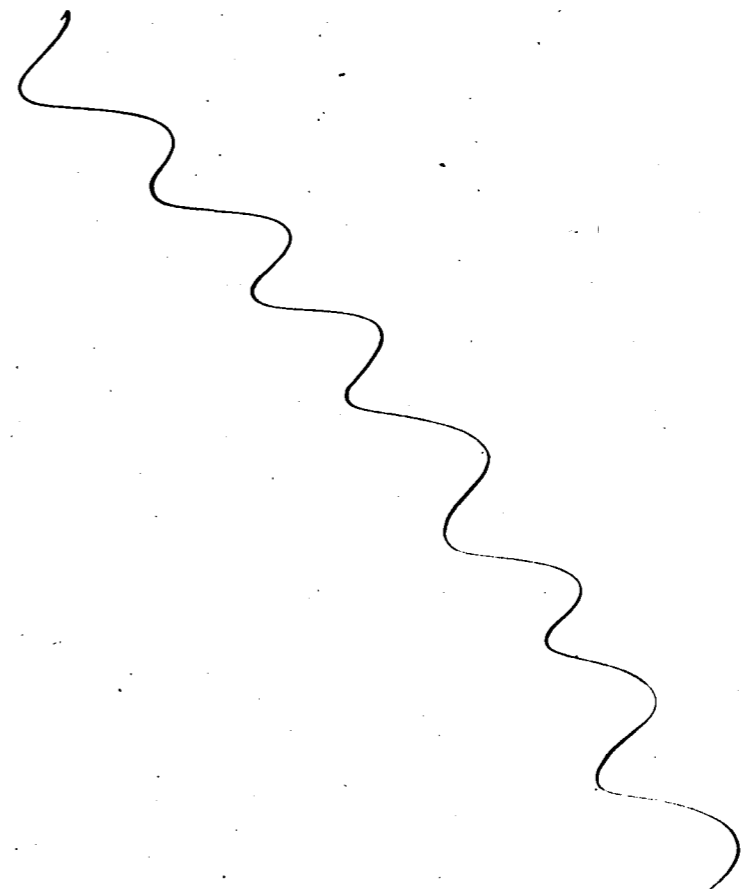
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered Nil

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

The Clerk of the Union, begs to draw the attention of the Board of Guardians to a Resolution passed on the 23^d of April last, appointing the second proximo, as the date, upon which the Poor Rate Collectors of the Union, are required to have the collection of the Rates closed in their respective Districts. The Clerk suggests the expediency of directing the several Collectors to attend the Board Meeting which will be held on the 9th proximo, and to produce to the Board at that Meeting their Collecting Warrants, so that the Board may be in a position to ascertain from an examination of the Warrants, whether or not, all Rates lawfully recoverable have been collected, and lodged with the Union Treasurer.

Resolved that the Collector be required to attend the Board Meeting to be held on the 9th proximo, and to produce to the Board of Guardians at that Meeting, their several Collecting Warrants,

That the Clerk be directed to give notice to each Member of the Board of Guardians to attend on the 9th proximo,



Wm. High
Christopher Thomas
Wm. Kearney &c

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *second*
day of *July* 1857

(Signed) *Thomas Hall*

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the

UNION, on *Thurs* day, the

Ballinacree
25th day of *June* 185

—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management was laid before the Board
with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given
thereon, as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and was directed
to forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be, to
the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians
On application of the Committee of Management of the
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites
were ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of expenses (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Ballinacorney Dispensary District.
 Account of Mr. D. Givis for Salary : Amount £18-15-0

Connaught Dispensary District
 Account of Dr. Roughan for Salary : " £18-15-0

Hollymount Dispensary District
 Account of Dr. Lello for Salary : " £18-15-0

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 25 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 185 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended

District. £

District. £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2.) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Recd Letter from
stating that

dated

Wm. T. Fisher
Christopher Baven
Wm. Keane & Co

(Signed) *Romas May*
Clerk of the Union.

Baltimore UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,703,

Present Net Annual Value, £ 36,725.7 3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *27th* day of *June* 185*7*

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each Building | Total No. in each Building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 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, | 1000 | 179 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 1000 | ml | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | onl | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 2168 | 179 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 6 | 23 | 20 | 36 | 37 | 28 | 14 | 5 | 6 | 170 | In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital, Total, 42 | In separate Wards in Wards with other inmates, Total, 3 | 4 | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 3 | 3 | 1 | " | " | 1 | 2 | 2 | 1 | 13 | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 6 | 26 | 23 | 37 | 37 | 29 | 16 | 7 | 7 | 7 | 188 | | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 3 | " | " | 3 | 1 | " | " | " | 1 | 8 | | | | |
| Died, | | | " | " | 1 | " | " | " | " | " | " | 1 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 3 | " | 1 | 3 | 1 | " | " | " | 1 | 9 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | 3 | 26 | 22 | 34 | 36 | 29 | 16 | 7 | 6 | 7 | 179 | | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *27th* day of *June* 185*7* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | | | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | | | No. X. | | | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | | | No. XI. | | | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | | | No. XII. | | | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | | | No. XV. | | | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| Car. forward | | | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on

the _____ day of _____ 185

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

I have waited for more than one hour after the time appointed for the Meeting of the Board to be held this day, and only two Guardians, Estlin, and Tho. O'Flaherty Esq. having attended, the Meeting therefore stands adjourned to the 9th Inst.

Thomas May
Ch. Sec. Union

2^d July 1857

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. _____ 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, - - - - - £ 89. 0. 8
 Laid during the week, - - - - - £ 12. 12. 3
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 305. 10. 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. |
| Adam Neal | Ballinrobe | 53 | 17 | 34 | | | | 18 | 10 | 4 1/4 | | | |
| | Ballinchalla | 1 | 2 | 9 1/2 | | | | " | . | 3 1/4 | | | |
| | Owenbrinn | | | | | | | 1 | 18 | 6 | | | |
| | Partroyal | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 0 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | 55 | 0 | 0 | | | | 29 | 10 | 11 1/2 |
| Thomas Ruttledge | Burricarra | | | | | | | 30 | 15 | 2 1/4 | | | |
| | Boonard | | | | | | | 10 | 4 | 2 | | | |
| | Hollymount | | | | | | | 43 | 2 | 8 | | | |
| | Kilbournmon | 1 | 12 | 11 1/2 | | | | 41 | 4 | 8 1/4 | | | |
| | Keelbrook | | | | | | | 34 | 14 | 1 3/4 | | | |
| | Roskeel | | | | | | | 26 | 10 | 1 1/4 | | | |
| | Strick | 10 | 0 | 0 1/2 | | | | 61 | 13 | 8 3/4 | | | |
| | Dalgin | 3 | 1 | 3 1/2 | | | | 16 | 10 | 7 | | | |
| | Kilmaine | 1 | 6 | 6 1/2 | | | | 29 | 7 | 1 1/2 | | | |
| | Keale | 11 | 0 | 0 1/2 | | | | 8 | 17 | 5 | | | |
| | | | | | 27 | 0 | 8 | | | | 305 | 0 | 0 3/4 |
| Thomas Grady | Cong | | | | | | | 51 | 7 | 1 1/4 | | | |
| | Haroldswood | | | | | | | 20 | 15 | 11 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 72 | 3 | 1 1/4 |
| | Totals. | | | | 82 | 0 | 8 | | | | 406 | 14 | 5 1/2 |

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 Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 95. 15 s. 3 1/4 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 19-1-7 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was — 1-9

Average Cost in Infirmary 2-9 1/2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital,

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 27th day of ~~June~~ ^{June} 1857; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

| | |
|---------------------|---|
| In money, | £ 5 ^l 10 ^s 0 ^d |
| In kind, | Nil |
| Total. | 5 ^l 10 ^s 0 ^d |

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. | | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. |
| No. I. | | | | | BT. forward | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | No. X. | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | No. XI. | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | No. XII. | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | No. XV. | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | |
| Car. fwd. | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or Orders made on them respectively as follows:)

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Little, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

The number of other applicants in the Prolieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on
day of 185

the

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

By Authority—JOHN FALCONER, Printer and Binder to Her Majesty's Stationery Office,
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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the

UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____

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—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 Resolution 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 service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 185 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended

District. £
District. £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. of

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order dated (state subject)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Ballinrobe UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,708

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,725.7.3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 4th day of July 1857

| 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 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, | 1000 | 188 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 1068 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 2148 | 188 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 3 | 26 | 22 | 34 | 36 | 30 | 15 | 6 | 7 | 179 | In Workhouse, 47 | In separate Wards, 3 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | " | 1 | " | 1 | | | | | | 2 | In Hospital, 2 | In other Innates, 3 | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 3 | 27 | 22 | 35 | 36 | 30 | 15 | 6 | 9 | 183 | Total, 47 | Total, 3 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 3 | 27 | 22 | 35 | 36 | 30 | 15 | 6 | 9 | 183 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 4th day of July 1857 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|--|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|--|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | | | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | | | No. X. | | | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | | | No. XI. | | | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | | | No. XII. | | | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | | | No. XV. | | | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| Car. forward | | | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on

the _____ day of _____ 185

PRESENT: In the Chair,
Other Guardians:

I have waited for more than one hour after the time appointed for the meeting of the Board to be held this day, and only two Guardians, Robert Sigler and Francis Lavin Egger having attended, the Meeting therefore stands adjourned to the 15th instant!

*John Mullin
acting Clerk of the Union
9th July 1857*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., p. 81.

[Handwritten signature]

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:

[Large handwritten signature]

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, - - - - - £ 20 - 0 - 0

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 160 - 17 - 3

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 164 - 13 - 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

| Name of each Collector | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts | Collected and Lodged | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | |
|-------------------------|---|----------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|-----------|----|--------|--------------|----|-------|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| <i>Adam Neale</i> | <i>Ballymole</i> | | | | | | | 18 | 10 | 17 1/4 | | | |
| | <i>Ballyincholla</i> | | | | | | | | | 4 | | | |
| | <i>Oionlirim</i> | | | | | | | 1 | 18 | 0 | | | |
| | <i>Portroyal</i> | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 0 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 29 10 11 1/2 | | |
| <i>Thomas Pultledge</i> | <i>Buriscarra</i> | | | | | | | 30 | 15 | 2 1/4 | | | |
| | <i>Coonard</i> | | | | | | | 10 | 4 | 2 | | | |
| | <i>Hollymount</i> | | | | | | | 15 | 2 | 8 | | | |
| | <i>Kilcommon</i> | | | | | | | 41 | 4 | 6 1/4 | | | |
| | <i>Newbrook</i> | | | | | | | 34 | 14 | 1 3/4 | | | |
| | <i>Roslee</i> | | | | | | | 26 | 10 | 1 1/4 | | | |
| | <i>Spurle</i> | | | | | | | 61 | 13 | 8 3/4 | | | |
| | <i>Dalpin</i> | | | | | | | 16 | 10 | 7 | | | |
| | <i>Kilmaine</i> | | | | | | | 29 | 7 | 4 1/2 | | | |
| <i>Knole</i> | | | | | | | 8 | 17 | 5 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 305 0 0 3/4 | | |
| <i>Thomas Gray</i> | <i>Long</i> | | | | 18 | 1 | 7 | | | | 33 | 5 | 1 1/4 |
| | <i>Howdwood</i> | | | | 1 | 18 | 5 | | | | 15 | 17 | 6 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 20 0 0 | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 523 0 1/4 | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 20 0 0 | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 286 14 0 1/4 | | |

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.

Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 16 - 12 s. 0 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ s. d.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 19 - 2 - 5 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1 - 9 1/4

Average Cost in Infirmary. 2 - 10 3/4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital.

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

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 Positioning Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of : whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, £ s. d.
 In kind,
 Total,

Debit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. | | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. |
| No. I. | | | | | Bl. forward | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | No. X. | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | No. XI. | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | No. XII. | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | No. XV. | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | |
| Car. fwd. | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

3. *Workhouse Invoice Account.*

L s. d.

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above

4. *Out-door Relief Invoice Account.*

L s. d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

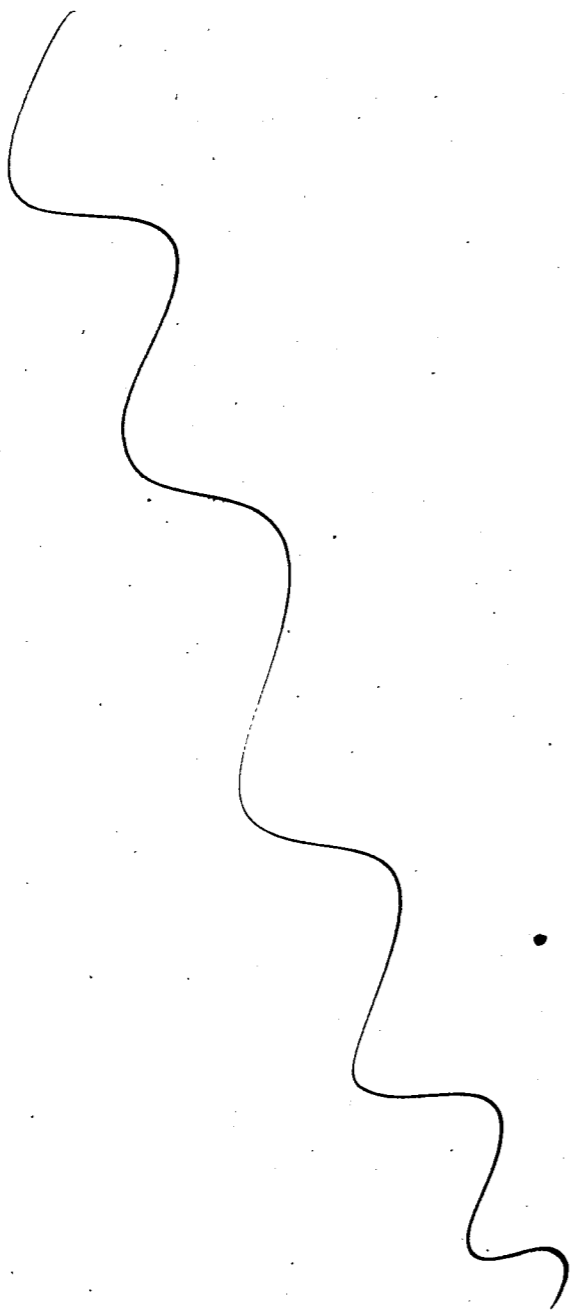
The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every month.)—
Number of successful cases:

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Reports of the Masters and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon, as follows.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or Orders made on them respectively as follows:)



The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Passport Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was

Ditto, disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was

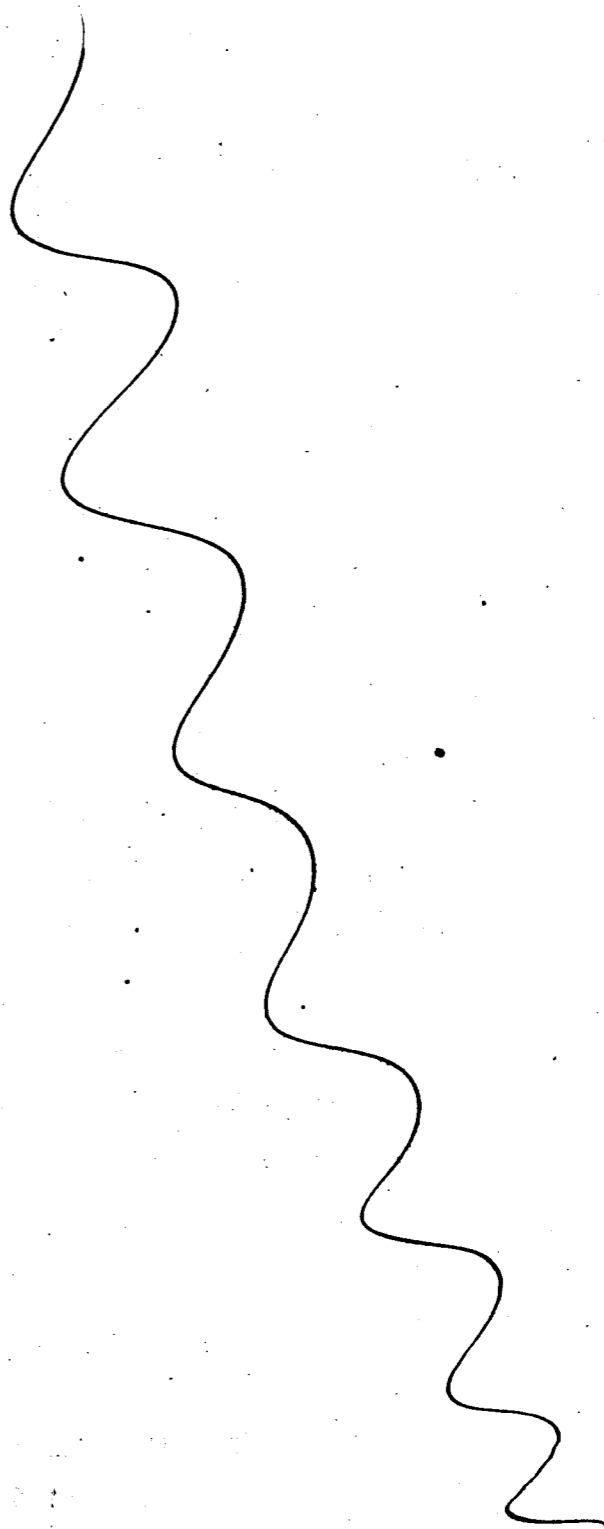
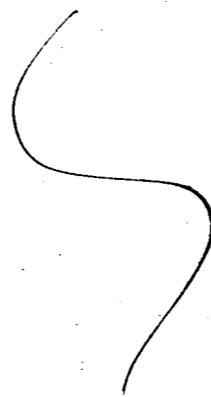
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was

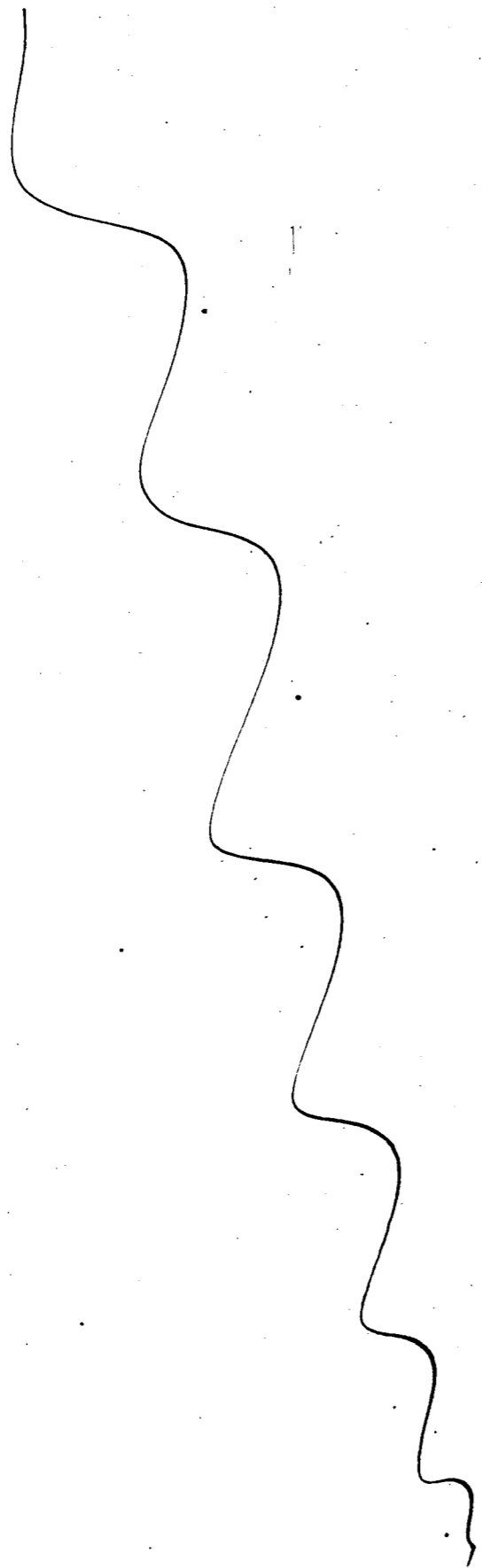
Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)





Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the
day of 185

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

By Authority—JOHN FALCONER, Printer and Binder to Her Majesty's Stationery Office,
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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185
—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board
with a Resolution from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given
thereon, as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed
to forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to
the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the _____
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites
were ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of expenses (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Dispensary District, _____
Account of Mr. _____ for _____: Amount £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____

District. £
District. £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2.) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

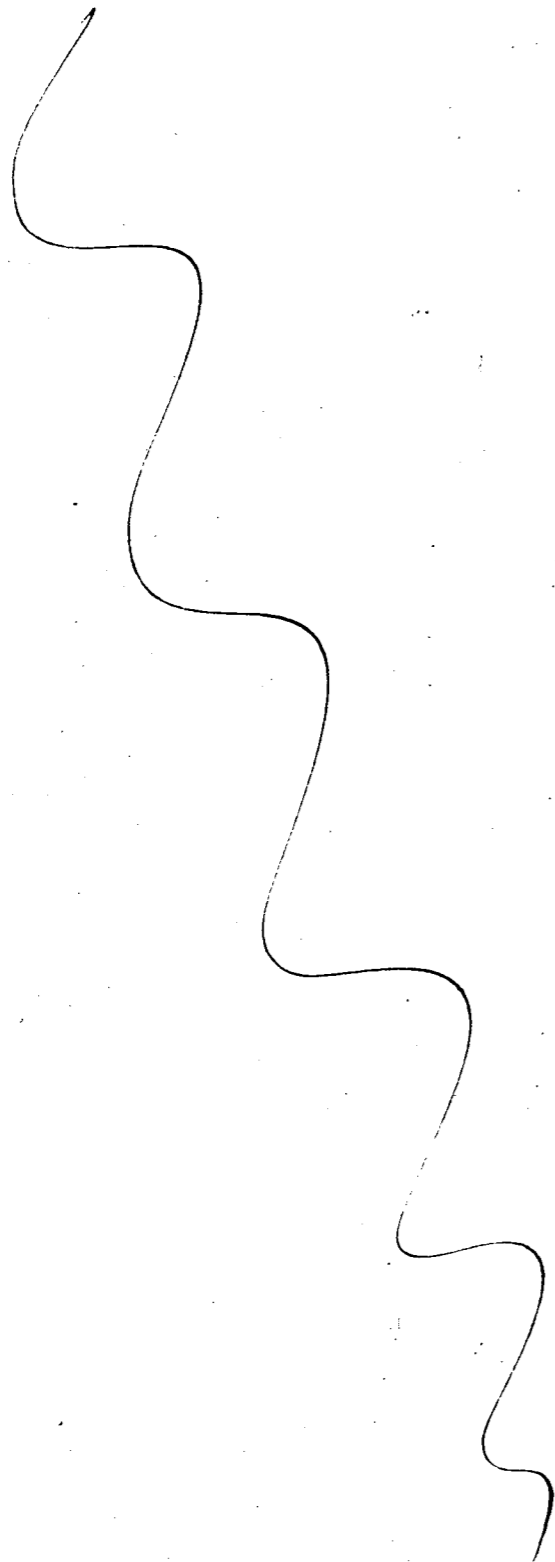
The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from
stating that

dated



Signed

Clerk of the Union.

Baltimore UNION.

Population in 1851, *37,703*

Present Net Annual Value, £ *38,725.7.3*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *11th* day of *July* 185*7*

| Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each Building | Total No. in each Building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | Total | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS |
|---|---|--|-----------------|------------------|--|------------------|--|------------------|---|---|------------------------------|-------------------|---|---|--------------|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | |
| Workhouse, | <i>1000</i> | <i>184</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | <i>1068</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | <i>80</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | <i>2148</i> | <i>184</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | <i>3</i> | <i>27</i> | <i>22</i> | <i>35</i> | <i>36</i> | <i>30</i> | <i>15</i> | <i>6</i> | <i>9</i> | <i>183</i> | In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital, | In separate Wards, with other inmates, | <i>24</i> |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | <i>1</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>6</i> | Total, <i>49</i> | Total, <i>3</i> | |
| TOTAL, | | | <i>4</i> | <i>27</i> | <i>24</i> | <i>37</i> | <i>36</i> | <i>30</i> | <i>15</i> | <i>6</i> | <i>10</i> | <i>189</i> | | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>4</i> | | | |
| Died, | | | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>1</i> | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>"</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>5</i> | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | <i>3</i> | <i>26</i> | <i>24</i> | <i>35</i> | <i>36</i> | <i>30</i> | <i>15</i> | <i>6</i> | <i>9</i> | <i>184</i> | | | |

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *11th* day of *July* 185*7* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|---|---|---|---|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|---|---|---|---|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | | | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | | | No. X. | | | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | | | No. XI. | | | | | | |
| No. IV. | <i>del</i> | | | | | | No. XII. | <i>del</i> | | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | | | No. XV. | | | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| Car. forward | | | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Thursday* the *16th* day of *July* 185*7*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Robert Sighe Esq*
 Other Guardians: *Christopher Brown and John Heane junr.*

Esq.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7^g & Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1014 to No. 1102, 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:

Mr. Thomas May Clerk of Union, reports that he received a subpoena in the case of Colonel Charles Knox v Mary Luffe, to attend on tomorrow at Castlebar Assizes, and produce the Rate Books of the Ballinrobe Division for the years 1854 - 1855 - 1856,

He further reports that he is unable to attend from illness, and hands in a Medical Certificate to that effect,

Resolved that Mr. Charles Burke, Relieving Officer be directed to attend the Assizes in room of the Clerk, in order to produce the Rate Books, and that he be held responsible for their safe custody,

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, - - - - - £ 37-13-0

Laid during the week, - - - - - £ 43-15-4

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 158-10-10

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. |
| Adam Steele | Ballinrobe Ballinchalla Owenbrinn Partinagal | 10 | 13 | 0 | | | | 7 | 17 | 13 | | | |
| | | | | | 10 | 13 | 0 | | | | 18 | 17 | 13 |
| Thomas Ruttledge | Berriscurra Roanard Killymorecut Kilcommon Newbrook Roslee Struel Dalgin Trehannine Steale | | | | | | | 30 | 15 | 2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 10 | 4 | 2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 46 | 2 | 8 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 41 | 4 | 8 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 34 | 14 | 13 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 25 | 10 | 12 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 61 | 13 | 8 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 16 | 10 | 7 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 29 | 7 | 10 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 8 | 17 | 3 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 305 | 0 | 1 |
| Thomas Grant | Conry The underwood | 21 | 2 | 8 | | | | 7 | 3 | 14 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 17 | 19 | 11 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 25 | 3 | 0 |
| | | | | | | | | 27 | 0 | 0 | | | |
| Totals, | | | | | 37 | 13 | 0 | | | | 377 | 1 | 0 |

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 18 ; 8 ; 9 was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 16- 10 s. 9 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ s. d.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 18- 18 - 8

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1- 9 1/4

Average Cost in Infirmary. 2- 9

Average Cost in Fever Hospital. 7 1/2

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

17 1/2 lbs of Tea, 7 1/2 lbs of Sugar, 12 lbs of Vermillion, 6 lbs of green paint
pepper, 4 Bottles of Wine, 3 Bottles of 1/2 Gallon of Varnish, 10
Candles, 3 lbs of dect Candles, 2 lbs of Mould Gallon of Black paper, 1 lb
Candles, 2 1/2 lbs of Yellow Soap, 2 lbs of oil lamp black, 1 lb of Emerald
Starch, 1 1/2 lbs of Soda, 1/2 lb of Blue, Green, 2 Locks for desks, Card
400 lbs of White Bread, 12 Cwt. of Ind^o for Maps, 12 Boards
Meal, 4 Cwt. of Oatmeal, 200 stone of 3 Doyon of Racks, 3 Doyon
Potatoes, 75 lbs of Meat, 150 Gallons of fine Combs, 1/4 lb of Tea,
Sweetmilk, 60 Boxes of Teaf, 2 Gallons of Sugar supplemental,
of Carpenter, 4 Gallons of Linseed Oil
1 Gallon of prepared Oil, 3 1/2 lbs of Patent
dryers, 2 lbs of Ultramarine Blue, 5 lb

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 July 1857 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

| | |
|-------------|--|
| In money, - | £ 41 |
| In kind, - | d 1 |
| | Total. 41 |

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. | | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. |
| No. I. | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | No. X. | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | No. XI. | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | No. XII. | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | No. XV. | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | |
| Car. fwd. | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every month.)—
Number of successful cases:

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Report of the Workhouse Master was read as follows:—

Baltimore Workhouse

16th July 1857

Gentlemen,

I beg to report to you that Divine Service was not celebrated here on Monday the 29th June,

I require about 3 stone of Guano for Hemps which I am sowing as a stolen crop,

On the evening of the 25th Ultimo, according to your instructions to me, I took up charge of the Infirmary from the late Hospital Nurse (M^{rs} Kane) who has since left, and I have put the Matron (Miss Jennings) in charge of it,

I am to receive aged 10 years of the Kilcommon Dist^{ry}, who was admitted in 1852, would now be taken out by her Aunt, if you be good enough to grant her a suit of new clothes, to which she is

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon, as follows:

entitled having none of her own,

I request your permission to procure for the Workhouse Altar, 5 Yards of Scarlet Moresen, and 10 Yards of long Cloth,

I am, Gentlemen,

Your obedt. Servt.

John Miller

Master,

To
The Board of Guardians
Baltimore Union,

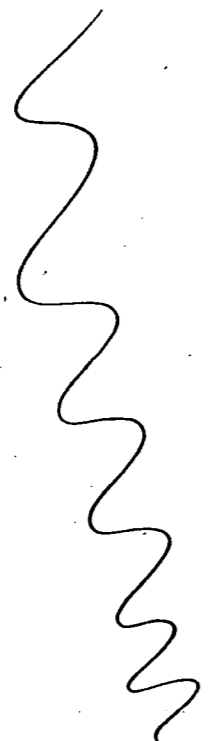
With reference to the Master's report it is Resolved—

That he be authorised to procure 3 stone of Guano,

That he be authorised to procure suitable clothing for Jane Sweeney,

That he be authorised to procure for the Workhouse Altar, 5 Yards of Scarlet Moresen, and Ten Yards of long Cloth,

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:



The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or Orders made on them respectively as follows:)

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners N^o. 157/m/57, dated 30th June 1857 transmitting therewith, for the use of the Board of Guardians 4 Copies of their Tenth Annual Report,

Circular Letter from Same N^o. 156-m/57 dated 1st July 1857, requesting a Return respecting the Rates made, and any new Rates agreed upon, for the Union, during the Month of June 1857,

Letter from Same N^o. 17097/1857, dated 3rd July 1857, transmitting therewith, questions for answers to be signed by the Clerk and the person who may be appointed Hospital Nurse in the Workhouse,

Resolved that the Workhouse Meadow, be sold to Dr. Roughan for a sum of £10,

Resolved that the Clerk be directed to continue the Advertisement for the Office of Hospital Nurse, appointment to be made on this day fortnight,

It appearing to the Board that Thomas Walsh a pauper inmate of the Workhouse has been improperly charged to the Electoral Division of Ballinacalla, and that he should have been charged to the Union at large, It is therefore Resolved that the Master be directed to discharge Thomas Walsh from the Relief List of the Ballinacalla Division, and place him on the Relief List of the Union at large,

The following Letter was received from the Medical Officer,

Ballinacalla, July 16th 1857

Gentlemen,

Having been summoned to the Galway Assizes, I request you will be so good as to permit Dr. Ralph to discharge my duties during my absence,

Your obed^t Servt.

George Roughan, Medical Officer

To the Board of Guardians
Ballinacalla Union,

Resolved that Dr. Ralph be permitted to discharge the duties of Medical Officer to the Workhouse during Dr. Roughan's absence at the Galway Assizes,

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

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| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse conformed was | 6 |
| <i>Do.</i> , disallowed | nil |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | nil |

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| The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was | nil |
| <i>Do.</i> <i>do.</i> in which relief was continued by the Guardians | nil |
| The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was | nil |

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| The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered | nil |
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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

William Henry Chapman
James Henry
Don't E. Blake

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *23*
day of *July* 1857 (Signed) *Thomas May*

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the *Ballinacree*
UNION, on *Thurs* day, the *16th* day of *July* 1857
—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Hallgarrett 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 Estimate was approved of, and the Clerk directed to order the Medicines, &c., therein specified, from the Contractors

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 _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____

District. £

District. £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, No. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

William Henry O'Connell
Master Mag.
John H. Blake

(Signed)

Thomas May
Clerk of the Union.

Ballinacree UNION.

Population in 1851, 34,703

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,725.7.3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 18th day of July 1857

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each Building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 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, . . . | 1000 | 181 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, . . . | 1068 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, . . . | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 89 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, . . . | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, . . . | 2148 | 181 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, . . . | | | 4 | 26 | 24 | 35 | 35 | 39 | 15 | 6 | 9 | 184 | In Workhouse, Hospital, in Fever Hospital, . . . | In separate Wards, in Wards with other inmates, . . . | |
| Admitted during the Week, . . . | | | " | 1 | " | 2 | " | 1 | " | " | 1 | 5 | | | |
| TOTAL, . . . | | | 4 | 27 | 24 | 37 | 35 | 31 | 15 | 6 | 11 | 190 | | | |
| Discharged during the Week, . . . | | | 1 | " | 1 | 2 | | | | | | 4 | | | |
| Died, . . . | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, . . . | | | 1 | | 1 | 2 | | | | | | 4 | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . . | | | 3 | 27 | 23 | 35 | 35 | 31 | 15 | 6 | 11 | 186 | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 18th day of July 1857 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | | | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | | | |
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| No. III. | | | | | | | No. XI. | | | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | | | No. XII. | | | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | | | No. XV. | | | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| Car. forward | | | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday the 23 day of July 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Courtnay Kemmy Esq*
 Other Guardians: *Colonel Knox, Robert High, and D. Blake and Nicholas Walsh Esquires,*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7th & Vic., c. 61.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1281 to No. 1299, 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. 1281 to No. 1299 inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk. The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:

That he had entered for candidates to fill the vacant Office of Asst. Nurse, as directed by the Board of Guardians,

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, - - - - - £ 115-9-0 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 39-0-0 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 284-19-10 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. |
| Adam Steele | Ballinacree | | | | | | | 7 | 17 | 17 | | | |
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| | Owensinn | | | | | | | 1 | 18 | 0 | | | |
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| Thomas Rutledge | Gerris carra | 7 | 1 | 8 | | | | 23 | 13 | 17 | | | |
| | Coonard | 1 | 11 | 6 | | | | 8 | 12 | 8 | | | |
| | Kilghinnit | 32 | 18 | 4 | | | | 12 | 4 | 4 | | | |
| | Kilcommon | 19 | 6 | | | | | 21 | 18 | 8 | | | |
| | Newbrook | 1 | 3 | 4 | | | | 38 | 10 | 9 | | | |
| | Roslee | | | | | | | 26 | 10 | 12 | | | |
| | Shrule | 33 | 11 | 2 | | | | 28 | 2 | 4 | | | |
| | Dalgin | | | | | | | 16 | 10 | 7 | | | |
| | Kilmaine | 19 | 9 | 0 | | | | 9 | 18 | 12 | | | |
| | Keale | | | 5 | | | | 8 | 9 | 6 | | | |
| | | | | | 115 9 0 | | | | | | 189 11 0 1/4 | | |
| Thomas Gandy | Bong | | | | | | | 7 | 3 | 14 | | | |
| | Howlandswood | | | | | | | 17 | 19 | 11 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 25 3 0 1/4 | | |
| Totals, | | | | | 115 9 0 | | | | | | 333 12 0 1/2 | | |

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 Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature.

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 15- 14 s. 2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ s. d.
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 18- 17- 3/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1- 9
 Average Cost in Infirmary. 2- 7/6

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:

42 Yards of printed Cotton, 26 Yards of Flannel,
 2 Yards of Calico, a Wool stand, 3 lbs of
 White Thread, 1 lb of Black Thread, 5 Yards
 of Scarlet Moreson, 10 Yards of long Cloth,
 1 1/2 lbs of Tea, 62 lbs of Sugar, 12 lbs of pepper
 5 bottles of Wine, 4 Bottles of Porter, 3 lbs of
 Dip. Candles, 2 lbs of Mould Candles, 2 1/2
 lbs of Yellow Soap, 2 lbs of Starch, 14 lbs of
 Soda, 2 lb of Blues, 540 lbs of White Bread,
 170 Stone of Potatoes, 50 lbs of Meat, 179
 Gallons of Sweet Milk, 60 Boxes of Beef,
 Loads of covering Sand

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 July 1857: whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, £ s. d.
 In kind,
 Total,

to credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. | | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. |
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| No. VIII. | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | |
| Car. fwd. | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

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Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

J. W. Dermody for Printing Work on 3 0 0

[Handwritten signature]

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

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Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

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Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every month.)—
Number of successful cases:

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon, as follows:

no report from the M as to this day

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or Orders made on them respectively as follows:)

Letter from M^{rs} Trane, late Hospital Nurse, dated 6th July 1857, applying for one month's salary, on the grounds that the Board of Guardians did not permit her to return her situation for one month subsequent to the date on which she tendered her resignation of the office of Hospital Nurse,

Resolved that the Board considers M^{rs} Trane has a fair claim to a month's salary, and the Board is willing to pay her that sum of £5.0/0 provided the Poor Law Commissioners do not object to the payment,

Letter from M^r John Maher Schoolmaster, dated 23rd July 1857, stating his intention to apply for the office of Master of the Castlebar Union Workhouse, and applying for a Testimonial of his qualifications for that office, as well as for permission to absent at Castlebar on the day of Election,

Resolved

Resolved that the Board does not now consider M^r Maher qualified for the Office of Workhouse Master, and cannot therefore give him the Testimonial which he requires,

Resolved that M^r Maher be granted leave of absence to enable him to attend at Castlebar on the day upon which the Election for Master will be held,

M^r Thomas Sample having resigned his Contract for the offal of the Potatoes of the Workhouse, it was Resolved that it be accepted of, and it appearing that M^r Sample only took the offal up to the 30th May last, he is to be charged 2^½ a week from the 23rd of April, the date on which his Tender was accepted of, up to the 30th of May,

James Glynn having fully satisfied the Board of Guardians as to the loss of a Poor Rate Receipt given to him by Collector Thomas Grady on 19th December 1856 for Rates of the Long Electoral Division of the Year 1856 paid by him to M^r Grady,

It is Resolved that the Collector be authorised to issue a duplicate of the Receipt which has been lost,

M^r Thomas R. Stodge Poor Rate Collector having appeared before the Board, to explain with reference to the large amount of Rates uncollected in his District at this date viz. £189-10-10⁴. - he promised to collect the whole of that amount, and to hand up his Warrants to the Board of Guardians on the 13th proximo,

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 1

Ditto, disallowed Nil

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 3

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was Nil

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians Nil

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books referred by order of the Guardians was Nil

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered Nil

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

Wm. W. W. W.
Wm. W. W. W.
Wm. W. W. W.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *30th*
day of *July* 1857
(Signed) *Thomas May*

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the *Hallamshire*
UNION, on *Thurs* day, the *23* day of *July* 1857
—continued.

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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
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Account of No. _____ for _____ : Amount £ _____

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District, £
District, £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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Dispensary District, No. _____ of _____

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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 22nd July 1857
stating that

N^o 18356/57, transmitting therewith to be laid before the Board of Guardians a copy of a communication which the Commissioners have received from Mr. Jolly, enclosing a Memorial of the Rate-payers of the Dalgin Electoral Division in Ballinrobe Union respecting the want of Dispensary accommodation in that Division, and requesting that the Board of Guardians will take the subject into consideration and favour the Commissioners with their views thereon,

Resolved that the Clerk be directed to give Notice to each Guardian of the Union, that on this day fortnight the Board will take the Commissioners Letter, as well as the Enclosures which accompanied it, into consideration, with a view of placing before the Commissioners, the views of the Board, with respect to the want of Dispensary Accommodation in the Dalgin Electoral Division.

Wm. J. Jolly
Rate-payer

(Signed)

Wm. J. Jolly
Clerk of the Union.

Population in 1851, 37,703

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,725.7.3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 25th day of July 1857

| 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, | 1000 | 184 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 1068 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 2148 | 184 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 3 | 27 | 23 | 35 | 35 | 31 | 15 | 6 | 11 | 186 | In Workhouse Hospital, 54 | In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital, with other inmates, 3 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 1 | | | 1 | 1 | | | | 2 | 2 | Total, 54 | Total, 3 | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 3 | 28 | 23 | 36 | 36 | 31 | 15 | 6 | 13 | 191 | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | | 2 | | | | 1 | 1 | | 1 | 6 | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | 1 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | | 2 | 1 | | | 1 | 1 | | 1 | 7 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 3 | 26 | 22 | 35 | 35 | 30 | 14 | 6 | 12 | 184 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 25th day of July 1857 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | | | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | | | No. X. | | | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | | | No. XI. | | | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | | | No. XII. | | | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | | | No. XV. | | | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| Car. forward | | | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday

the 30th day of July 1857
 PRESENT: In the Chair, Courtney Kenny Esq
 Other Guardians: Robert Dighe, DeBlake, and John Keane junr Esq.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & Vic. c. 61.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1923 to No. 1927, 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. 10 to No. 11 inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:

The 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, - - - - - £ 31-0-3

Laid during the week, - - - - - £ nil

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 266-0-1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

| Name of each Collector | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts | Collected and Lodged | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | |
|------------------------|---|----------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|-----------|----|--------------------------------|-------|----|--------------------------------|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| Adam Neale | Bollinroche | | | | | | | 7 | 17 | 4 ¹ / ₄ | | | |
| | Bollinshalla | | | | | | | | | 4 | | | |
| | Owenbinn | | | | | | | 1 | 18 | 6 | | | |
| | Bartroughal | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 0 ¹ / ₂ | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 18 | 17 | 11 ¹ / ₂ |
| Thomas Prettidge | Berriscarra | 5 | 14 | 0 | | | | 17 | 19 | 11 ¹ / ₂ | | | |
| | Connard | | | | | | | 8 | 12 | 8 | | | |
| | Hollymount | | 6 | 6 | | | | 11 | 17 | 10 | | | |
| | Rilcommon | 5 | 10 | 0 | | | | 16 | 8 | 8 ¹ / ₂ | | | |
| | Keelbrook | 17 | 9 | 5 | | | | 16 | 1 | 4 ¹ / ₂ | | | |
| | Roslee | 2 | 0 | 4 | | | | 24 | 9 | 9 ¹ / ₂ | | | |
| | Shrule | | | | | | | 28 | 2 | 5 ¹ / ₂ | | | |
| | Dalgin | | | | | | | 15 | 10 | 7 | | | |
| | Kilmaine | | | | | | | 9 | 15 | 11 ¹ / ₂ | | | |
| | Keale | | | | | | | 8 | 9 | 5 | | | |
| | | | | | 31 | 0 | 3 | | | | 158 | 10 | 9 ¹ / ₂ |
| Thomas Grady | Bong | | | | | | | 7 | 3 | 14 | | | |
| | Hamm do wood | | | | | | | 17 | 19 | 11 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 25 | 3 | 0 ¹ / ₂ |
| Totals. | | | | | 31 | 0 | 3 | | | | 183 | 13 | 11 ¹ / 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 Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 10 was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 25. 17 s. 9d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 18-19-26

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1-9d

Average Cost in Infirmary. 2-7

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:

1 1/2 lbs of Tea, 7 lbs of Sugar, 1 lb of
Pepper, 3 Bottles of Wine, 1/2 Bottles of
Port, 3 lbs of soft Candles, 2 lbs of tallow
Candles, 24 lbs of Yellow Soap, 2 lbs of
Tarch, 14 lbs of Soda, 5 lb of Blue,
450 lb of White Bread, 190 stone of
Potatoes, 70 lbs of Meat, 100 Gallons
Sweetmilk, 60 Boxes of Yers.

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 July 1857; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, £ 31d
In kind, 11d
Total, 42d
Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. | | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. |
| No. I. | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | No. X. | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | No. XI. | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | No. XII. | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | No. XV. | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | |
| Car. fwd. | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every month.)—

Number of successful cases:

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon, as follows.

no report from the Master this day

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or Orders made on them respectively as follows:)

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners No 175 of 1857, dated 22nd July 1857, requiring a Return relative to the Expenditure of the Union, as called for by an Order of the House of Commons dated 17th July 1857,

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners No 17576/1857, dated 29th July 1857, requesting to be informed of the reasons which called for the discontinuance of M^{rs} Kane in the Office of Hospital Nurse,

In reply to the above Letter, it was Resolved that the Commissioners be informed, that M^{rs} Kane tendered her Resignation, in consequence of the Medical Officer having reported that she discharged her duties in an unsatisfactory manner, The Board of Guardians on her tendering her Resignation dispensed with her services as they were of opinion it would not be advisable to allow

Nurse, reported for irregularities, to continue in charge of the Hospital; the Board must however add, that M^{rs} Kane was willing to continue in her Office for one Month after resigning if she were permitted to do so, the Board that the Commissioners will under the circumstances of the case, approve of the payment of one Months Salary to M^{rs} Kane, particularly as she is at present in a most reduced state, as regards her pecuniary means,

Proposed by Courtney Mummy Esq
Seconded by D. E. Blake Esq and Resolved
that Julia Dempsey be appointed Hospital Nurse to the Workhouse at a Salary of £15, per Annum, with Rations,

Resolved that Collectors Adam Neal and Thomas Grady, be called upon to collect all outstanding Rates and Arrears due in their Districts, and to clear the Collection; and that they be required to attend the Board of Guardians on the 13th proximo, and hand up to the Board their respective Collecting Warrants,

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|-----|
| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was | - | - | 2 |
| Ditto, disallowed | - | - | nil |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | - | - | 3 |

| | | | |
|--|---|---|-----|
| The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was | - | - | nil |
| Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians | - | - | nil |
| The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was | - | - | nil |

| | | | |
|--|---|---|-----|
| The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered | - | - | nil |
|--|---|---|-----|

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

James May
Robert Light
John M. O'Keefe

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the 16th
day of August 1857
(Signed) Thomas May

Clerk of the Union.

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MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185
—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management was laid before the Board
with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given
thereon, as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed
to forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to
the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the _____
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites
were ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of expenses (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Dispensary District, Account of Mr. . . . for . . . : Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 185 . . . having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended . . .

District, £
District, £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. . . . of . . .

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order dated (state subject)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Nurses Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Baltimore UNION.

Population in 1851, *37,703,*

Present Net Annual Value, £ *38,725.7.3*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *first* day of *August* 185*7*

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each building | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | Total | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|---|---|--|-----------------|------------------|---|------------------|--|------------------|---|---|------------------------------|-------------------|--------------------------------------|---|--------------|--|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | |
| Workhouse, | <i>1000</i> | <i>184</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | <i>1068</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | <i>89</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | <i>2157</i> | <i>184</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | <i>3</i> | <i>26</i> | <i>22</i> | <i>36</i> | <i>35</i> | <i>30</i> | <i>14</i> | <i>6</i> | <i>12</i> | <i>184</i> | In Workhouse Hospital, <i>50</i> | In separate Wards, <i>3</i> | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | <i>1</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>6</i> | <i>6</i> | In Fever Hospital, <i>2</i> | In Wards with other inmates, <i>3</i> | | |
| TOTAL, | | | <i>3</i> | <i>27</i> | <i>22</i> | <i>38</i> | <i>35</i> | <i>30</i> | <i>15</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>13</i> | <i>190</i> | Total, <i>50</i> | Total, <i>3</i> | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>6</i> | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | <i>1</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>6</i> | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | <i>3</i> | <i>26</i> | <i>20</i> | <i>36</i> | <i>35</i> | <i>30</i> | <i>15</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>12</i> | <i>184</i> | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *first* day of *August* 185*7* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | | | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | | | No. X. | | | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | | | No. XI. | | | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | | | No. XII. | | | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | | | No. XV. | | | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| Car. forward | | | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Thursday*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Colonel Charles Knive,* the *6th* day of *August* 185*7*

Other Guardians:

Robert Rottledge, Courtney Kenny, Robert Tiche, Joseph S Blake, Thomas M. O'Hara, Dominick S Blake, John Keane junr, Nicholas Walsh and James Graham Esquires,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 61.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1278 to No. 1123, 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. 7 to No. 1, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk. The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

That he furnished Collectors Neal and Grady, with a copy of the Resolutions requiring them to finish the collection of the Rates in their respective Districts,

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, - - - - - £ nil

Laid during the week, - - - - - £ nil

And that the Balance on the Account in Favour of the Guardians was - £ 266-0-1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

| Name of each Collector | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts | Collected and Lodged | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | | | |
|------------------------|---|----------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|-----------|----|-------|-------|----|--------|----|-------|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | | |
| Adam Neale | Ballinakee Ballinchalla Diontrin Portroyal | | | | | | | 7 | 7 | 42 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 1 | 18 | 0 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 02 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 18 | 17 | 11 1/2 | | |
| Thomas Rittledge | Berriscarra Coonard Hollymount Kilcommon Newbrook Rorlee Strule Togin Kilnash Kool | | | | | | | 17 | 19 | 6 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 8 | 12 | 8 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 11 | 17 | 10 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 16 | 8 | 8 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 16 | 1 | 1 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 24 | 9 | 9 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 28 | 2 | 1 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 16 | 10 | 7 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 9 | 18 | 1 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 8 | 9 | 6 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 158 | 10 | 9 1/4 | | |
| Thomas Grady | Cong Harlandswood | | | | | | | 7 | 3 | 1 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 17 | 19 | 11 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 25 | 3 | 0 1/2 | | |
| Totals, | | | | | | | | | | | | | 222 | 11 | 9 1/2 |

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 Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 22. 17 s. 11/4 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ s. d.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 19-0-5

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was - 1-8/4

Average Cost in Infirmary. - 2-6/4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital. nil

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:

10 lbs of 20 Nails, 7 lbs of 12, and 2 lbs of 8 Nails, 12 Yards of Scarlet Doreen, 1/8 lb of Tea, 7 lbs of Sugar, 1 lb of Pepper, 2 Bottles of Wine, 4 Bottles of Porter, 8 lbs of Sifted Powder, 2 lbs of Mount Candles, 2 1/2 lbs of Yellow Soap, 2 lbs of Starch, 1 lb of Soda, 1/2 lb of Blue, 1 Bottle of Calceverella Wine 400 lbs of whole Bread, 197 Sticks of Potatoes, 70 lbs of Meat, 150 Gallons of Sweetmilk, 60 Boxes of Soap.

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 1st day of August 1861, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, £ Nil
 In kind, Nil
 Total. Nil

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board; checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. | | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. |
| No. I. | | | | | Btforward | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | No. X. | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | No. XI. | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | No. XII. | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | No. XV. | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | |
| Car. fwd. | | | | | Total, | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.
 Richard Perks for Straw, 2-17-6

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Pellonihan for Calceverella Wine, 8-0
 Mary M. Green for Provisions 13-11
 Patrick Fergan for Paints, &c; 3-13-1

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

Isaac Monahan Groceries
 Isaac Mayne for Bread and Meal
 Thomas Temple for Potatoes
 Matthew Moran for Meat
 Martin Higgins for Milk
 Mary M^r: Green for Surf

| £ | s. | d. |
|-----|----|----|
| 17 | 2 | 9 |
| 137 | 2 | 8 |
| 120 | 3 | 7 |
| 9 | 0 | 4 |
| 22 | 8 | 0 |
| 13 | 9 | 9 |

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above

4 Burial Account,
 Isack Targus for Timber for Coffins

18 4

Burial Account

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above

5. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

Polity Disbursements Account £ s. d.

Clk of Union to provide for payment of.

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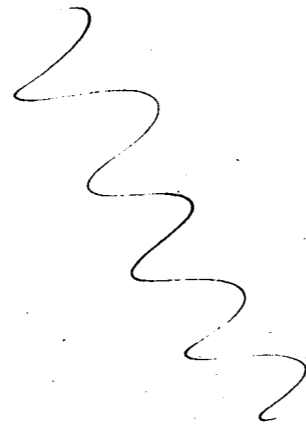
Polity Disbursements

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every month.)—

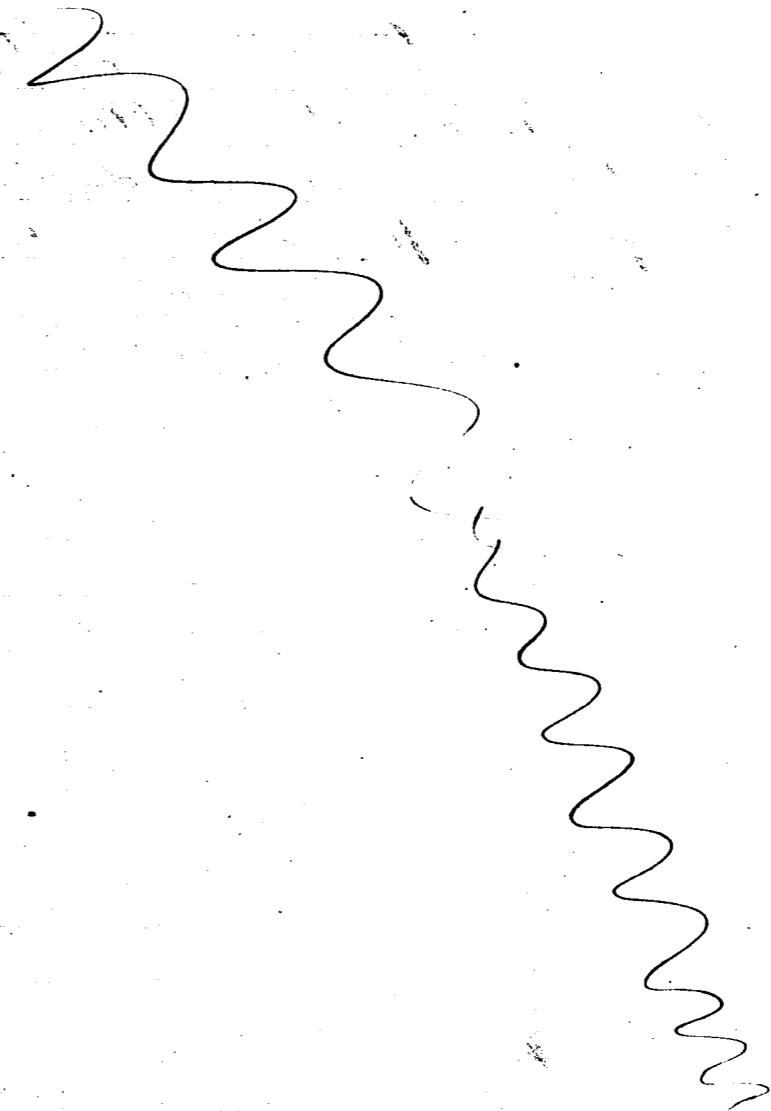
Number of successful cases:

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:



The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon, as follows.

No report from Workhouse Master this day



The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or Orders made on them respectively as follows:)

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners N^o 177 - W/1857, dated 1st Aug. 1857, requesting a Return respecting the current Rates, and any new Rates agreed upon, in the Union, during the Month of July 1857

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners N^o 20, 207/1857 dated 5th August 1857, stating that the Commissioners are not disposed to sanction the proposed payment of a Month's Salary to the late Hospital Nurse,

The Clerk laid before the Board of Guardians Abstracts of Union Accounts for the Half Year ended 25th March last, certified by James Martin Esq. Auditor, upon which the said Abstracts were adopted by the Board and signed by the Chairman

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 3

Ditto, disallowed Nil

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 3

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was Nil

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians Nil

The number of other applicants in the Poor-law Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was Nil

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered Nil

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

Muster Book.
Robt. Coghlin
Geo. Watsche

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *13th*
day of *August* 1857 (Signed) *Thomas May*
Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.)
(No. 27.)

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the *Ballinacree*
UNION, on *Thurs* day, the *6th* day of *August* 185*7*
—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management was laid before the Board
with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given
thereon, as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed
to forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to
the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites
were ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of expenses (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Dispensary District, _____
Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____

District, £
District, £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms C 1 and C 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order dated _____ (state subject,)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

Referring to the Poor Law Commissioners Letter of the 22^d Ult^o. 72^o 1835/1837, relative to the want of dispensary accommodation in the Dalgin Electoral Division

It is Resolved, that the Commissioners be informed, that Mr. Soly agent to the Baronesse St. Clifford, attended the Board on this day, and having inspected the Maps of the Union, expressed himself as satisfied with the arrangement of the Dispensary Districts in Ballinacorney Union, which he considered to be a fair one.

Mr. Soly stated to the Board his willingness to withdraw the application made by him for a Dispensary at Strule in the Dalgin Division, as contained in his Letter to the Poor Law Commissioners of the 9th Ultimo, observing that he was under an erroneous impression in respect to the number and location, of the Dispensary Stations in the Union, when he wrote that Letter,

It is Resolved that the Board does not see any reason to alter the Cong Dispensary District in which the Dalgin Electoral Division is situated, as up to the present date, adequate means to obtain Medical Relief is afforded to the sick poor residing therein,

(Signed)

Roman May

Clerk of the Union.

Gallinree UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,703

Present Net Annual Value, £38,725.7-3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 8th day of August 1857

| Number of Dwellings for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each Building | Total No. in each Building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 8 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 8 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | Total | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|---|---|--|-------------|-----------|---|-----------|--|-----------|---|---|------------------------------|------------|--------------------------------------|---|--------------|--|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | |
| Workhouse | 1000 | 182 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings | 1068 | 24 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 87 | 24 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | | 2168 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 3 | 26 | 20 | 36 | 35 | 30 | 15 | 7 | 12 | 184 | In Workhouse Hospital, 45 | In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital, 24 | 3 | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 3 | | | 1 | | | | | | 4 | | | | |
| TOTAL | | | 6 | 26 | 20 | 37 | 35 | 30 | 15 | 7 | 12 | 188 | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | 6 | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | 6 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 3 | 25 | 19 | 36 | 35 | 30 | 15 | 7 | 12 | 182 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 8th day of August 1857 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | | | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | | | No. X. | | | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | | | No. XI. | | | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | | | No. XII. | | | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | | | No. XV. | | | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| Car. forward | | | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday

PRESENT: In the Chair, Colonel Charles Snow, the 13th day of August 1857

Other Guardians: Robert Leghe and Thomas Walsh Esquires,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1104 to No. 1107, 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. 1107 to No. 1110, 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, £ 57. 13. 11 Paid during the week, £ 6. 15. 0 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 317. 5. 0 The Book was signed by the Chairman. The Weekly Balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

| Name of each Collector | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts | Collected and Lodged | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | |
|------------------------|---|----------------------|----|-------|-------|----|--------|-----------|-------|--------|-------|----|--------|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| Adam Neale | Ballymore Ballyshanna Oxenrims Poboyal | | | | | | | 7 | 17 | 4 3/4 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | " | " | 1/4 | | | |
| | | 1 | 18 | 6 | | | | " | " | " | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 6 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | 1 | 18 | 6 | | | | 16 | 19 | 5 1/2 |
| Thomas Rutledge | Barri-carra Cornard Hollymount Kilconnor Newrath Ruslee Strule Dalpin Kilmorie Seale | 16 | 11 | 9 1/4 | | | | 1 | 7 | 9 1/4 | | | |
| | | 2 | 8 | 8 1/2 | | | | 6 | 1 | 4 0 | | | |
| | | 4 | 1 | 4 1/2 | | | | 7 | 1 | 6 1/2 | | | |
| | | 6 | 18 | 2 1/2 | | | | 9 | 10 | 6 1/2 | | | |
| | | 1 | 1 | 3 1/2 | | | | 9 | 15 | 1 3/4 | | | |
| | | 8 | 3 | 1 1/2 | | | | 16 | 6 | 8 1/4 | | | |
| | | 7 | 8 | 6 1/2 | | | | 20 | 16 | 7 1/4 | | | |
| | | 18 | 3 | 1 1/2 | | | | 18 | 12 | 4 1/4 | | | |
| 3 | 5 | 5 1/2 | | | | 6 | 10 | 15 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | 8 | 9 | 5 1/2 | | | | |
| | | | | | 56 | 15 | | | | | 102 | 9 | 4 3/4 |
| Thomas Grady | Cong Hundred | | | | | | | 7 | 3 | 1 1/4 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 17 | 19 | 11 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 25 | 3 | 0 1/4 |
| Totals | | | | | 57 | 19 | 11 1/2 | | | | 144 | 11 | 10 1/2 |

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 Treasurers and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 11 7 9 was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 11 7 9

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . 18 12 11

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . 1 8 2

Average Cost in Infirmary . . . 2 7

Average Cost in Fever Hospital . . . 7 1/2

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

20 lbs of Tea, 8 lbs of Sugar, 1 lb of Pepper,
 2 Bottles of Wine, 4 Bottles of Port
 3 lbs of Scented Candles, 2 lbs of Mould
 candles, 2 1/2 lbs of Yellow Soap, 2 lbs of
 Hard, 1 1/2 lbs of Soda, 1/2 lb of Blue
 400 lbs of white Bread, 10 Cwt of Ind.
 Meal, 4 Cwt of Patmeal, 190 Stone of
 Potatoes, 79 lbs of Meat, 150 Gallons
 of Sweetmilk, 60 Boxes of Soap, 10 1/2
 Healt Bricks, 1/2 lb of Yew, 2 lbs of
 Sugar Supplemental,

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 8 day of October, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money, £ 10 10 0
 In kind, 10 10 0
 Total. 20 20 0

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. | | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. |
| No. I. | | | | | By forward | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | No. X. | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | No. XI. | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | No. XII. | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | No. XV. | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | |
| Car. fwd. | | | | | TOTAL | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.
 1. Collector's Remuneration Account 6 7 4
 Thomas Grealy for Fees

Collector's Remuneration Paid.
Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every month.)—

Number of successful cases:

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

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follows:—
Gentlemen,

The Report of the Master was read as follows:
Ballinrobe Workhouse
13th August 1857

Thomas Ruane aged 16 years of the Ballinrobe Divⁿ, who was admitted in April 1856, would obtain service from Mr. Graham, if you be good enough to grant him new clothes, to which he is entitled having none of his own,

Ellen Kennedy aged 17 years of the Shule Divⁿ, admitted in August 1856, would I think soon obtain service, if you order her new clothes, to which she also is entitled having no clothes of her own,

The Hospital Nurse requires the following Articles, which she thinks you will be good enough to order for her use viz:— 3 Cups and Saucers, 3 plates,

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon, as follows:

2 Egg Cups, 1 Salt Stand, 1 Bowl, 1 Jug, 1 Kettle and Tea pot, 2 Spoons, 2 Table Cloths, 1 Table-Cover, and 1 Dish,

I request you will allow me to employ sawyers for a few days, to cut some plank, which will be required for various uses in the House, as well as for Coffins,

I had to request that you will permit me to expend a sum not exceeding £2, in procuring Articles of Furniture &c, which I require for my own use, a list of which I shall lay before you,

The Provisions, &c, delivered to me during the week were good.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your obed^t Serv^t
John Mullen

By the Board of Guardians
Ballinrobe Union,

Workhouse Clerk,

worth,

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:

with reference to the Master's report, it is Resolved that he be authorized to proceed with suitable Clothing for Thomas Pucane and Ellen Kennedy,

That he be authorized to procure the Articles applied for by the Hospital Nurse, to employ Lawyers for the purposes stated by him in his report, and to expend a sum not exceeding £2, for providing articles of Furniture which the Master requires for his own accommodation,

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or Orders made on them respectively as follows:)

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners N^o 181 M/57, dated 6th August 1857, relative to the practice of admitting a class of persons to the Workhouse who are termed "Night Lodgers" the admission being allowed for one night only.

The Clerk reports that he furnished the Relieving Officers of the Union and the Workhouse Masters, with copies of the foregoing Circular,

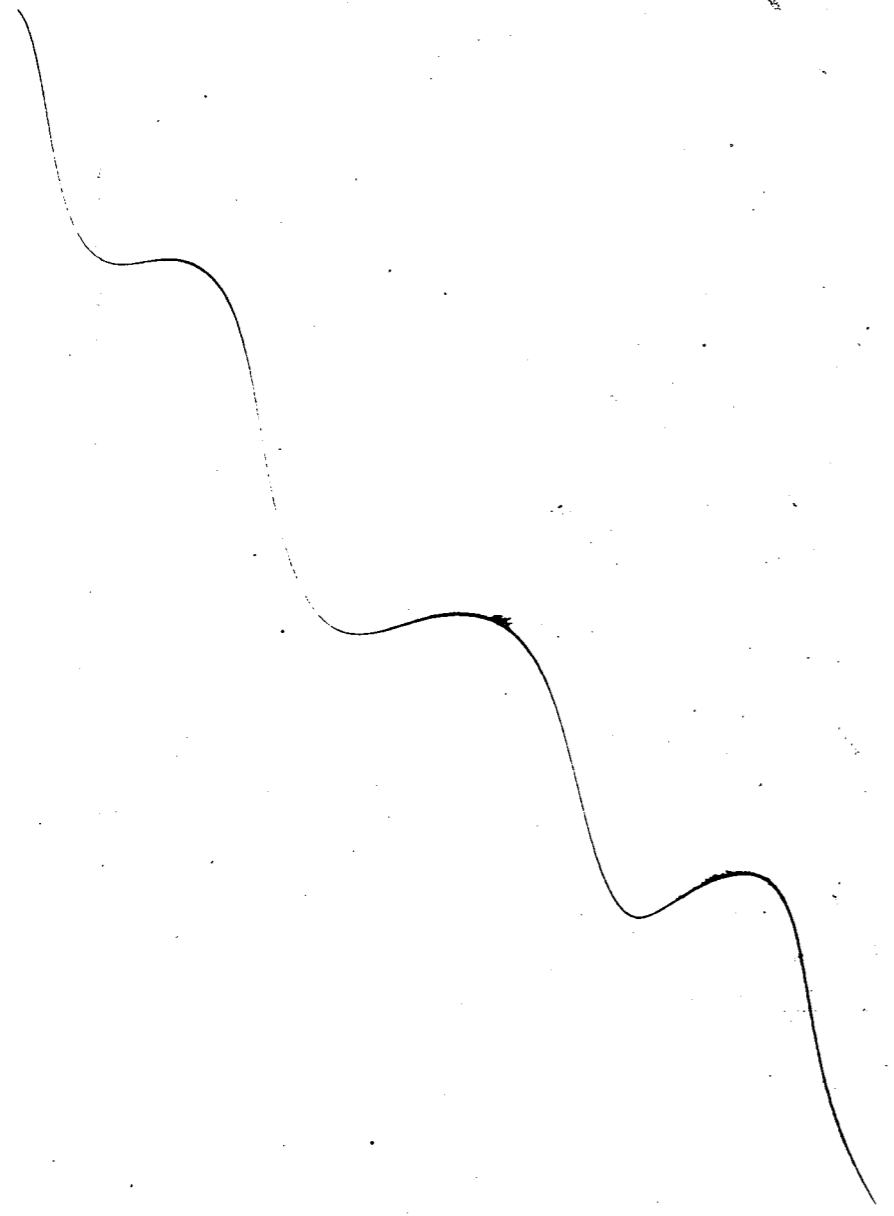
Letter from Poor Law Commissioners N^o 20875/1857, dated 8th August 1857, approving of the appointment of Julia Dempsey to the Office of Hospital Nurse in the Workhouse, at the Salary of £15, per Ann, with Rations,

Messrs Grady, Pullidge and Neal, Poor Rate Collectors, attended the Board, and submitted for examination their several Collecting Warrants, upon which it was Resolved that the Board is satisfied with the collection made by Mr Grady, he having collected the amount of his Warrants excepting an item of 15/24 which is to be brought forward as an Arrear into the next Rate,

Resolved that Mr Grady's Warrants be taken up from him, and handed to the Clerk for safe custody, and that a cheque be drawn on the Treasurer in favor of Mr Grady for a sum of £6. 7. 4, being the amount of Poundage Fees due him to this date,

Resolved that Messrs Pullidge, and Neal be allowed another fortnight to finally close their respective collections, and be directed to hand up to the Clerk of the Union their several Warrants on that date,

This Resolution was read for Collectors Pullidge and Neal, each of whom promised to comply with its terms,



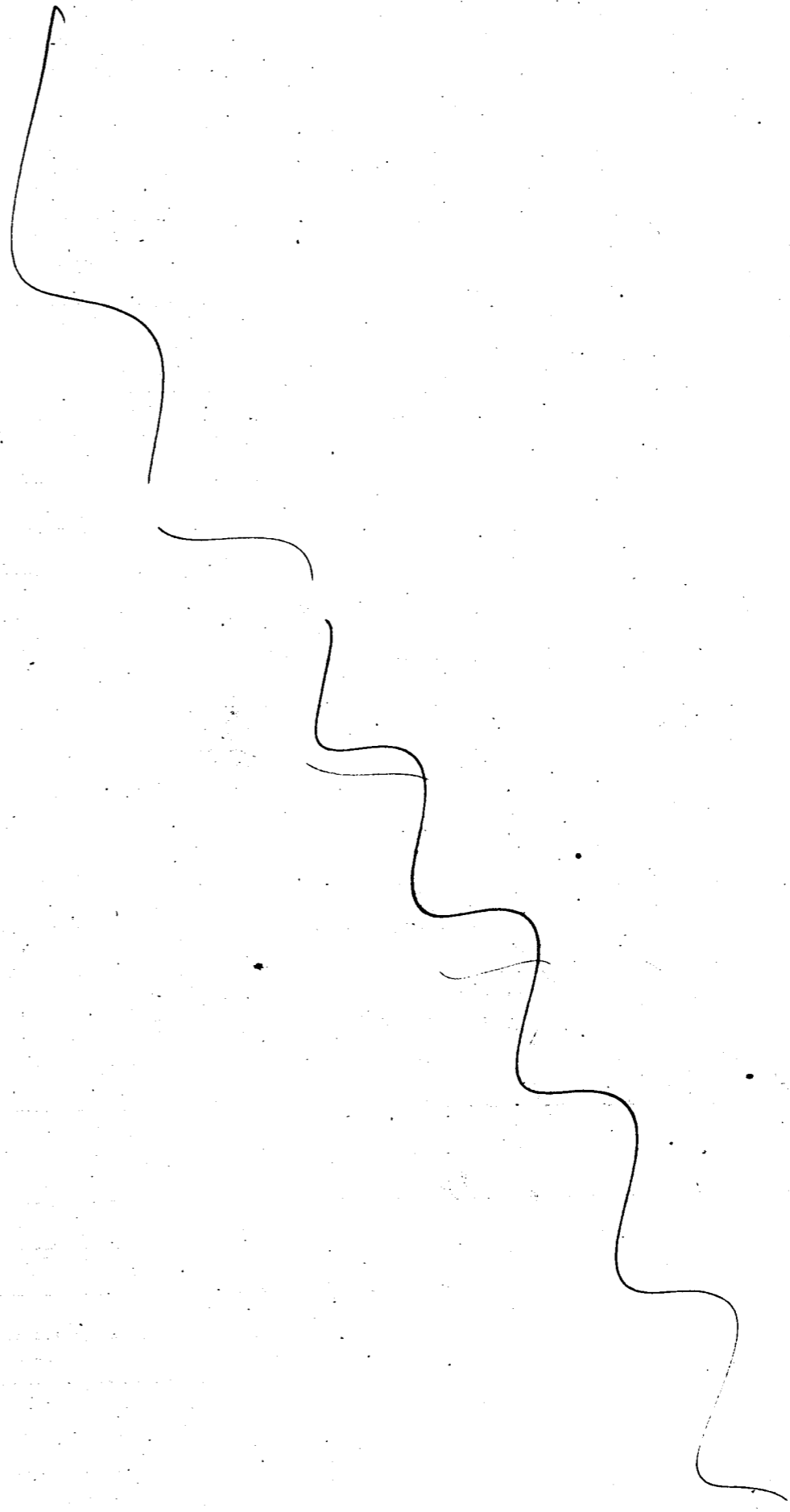
The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|-----|
| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was | - | - | 2 |
| Ditto, disallowed | - | - | nil |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | - | - | 2 |

| | | | |
|--|---|---|-----|
| The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was | - | - | nil |
| Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians | - | - | nil |
| The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was | - | - | nil |

| | | | |
|--|---|---|-----|
| The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered | - | - | nil |
|--|---|---|-----|

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)



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Matthew Murray
Robert Taylor
William Anderson

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

Sunday the 20th

day of *August* 1857

(Signed) *Thomas May*

Clerk of the Union.

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the
 UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185
 —continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.; and
 NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

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 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 25 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 185, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended:

District, £
District, £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms B. 1 and B. 2.) in pursuance of Article 127 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees:—namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. of

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order dated (state subject)

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The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

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Ballinrook UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,703.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,725.73

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 15th day of August 1857

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each Building | Total No. in each Building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 2 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, | 1000 | 180 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 1068 | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | — | — | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 2168 | 180 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 3 | 25 | 19 | 36 | 35 | 30 | 15 | 7 | 12 | 182 | In Workhouse Hospital, 42 | In separate Wards, 42 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 1 | 2 | 1 | " | 1 | " | 2 | 1 | 2 | 10 | In Hospital, 4 | In Fever Hospital, 4 | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 4 | 27 | 20 | 36 | 36 | 30 | 17 | 8 | 14 | 192 | Total, 42 | Total, 3 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | " | 1 | 1 | 2 | 12 | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 2 | 3 | 1 | 1 | 1 | " | 1 | 1 | 2 | 12 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 2 | 24 | 19 | 35 | 35 | 30 | 14 | 7 | 12 | 180 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 15th day of August 1857 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | | | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | | | No. X. | | | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | | | No. XI. | | | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | | | No. XII. | | | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | | | No. XV. | | | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| Car. forward | | | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday

the 20th day of August 1857
 PRESENT: In the Chair, Courtney Kenny Esq
 Other Guardians:

Robert Fyfe and John Heane junior Esquires

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7^g & Vic., c. 8:

and the examinations hereof mentioned
 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 - - - - - £ nil
 Laid during the week. - - - - - £ 150-2-6
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 67-2-0
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Weekly Balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

| Name of each Collector | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts | Collected and Lodged | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | |
|------------------------|---|----------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|-----------|----|-----|-------|----|------|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| Adam Neale | Ballinrobe | | | | | | | 7 | 17 | 4/4 | | | |
| | Ballinacolla Queenstown Portroyal | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 0/2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 16 | 19 | 5/3 |
| Thomas Rutherford | Berris carra | | | | | | | 1 | 7 | 9/4 | | | |
| | Coonard | | | | | | | 6 | 4 | 0 | | | |
| | Hollymount | | | | | | | 7 | 16 | 6 | | | |
| | Kilcommon | | | | | | | 9 | 10 | 6/4 | | | |
| | Stewhook | | | | | | | 9 | 16 | 7/4 | | | |
| | Rake | | | | | | | 16 | 6 | 8/4 | | | |
| | Shrule | | | | | | | 20 | 14 | 0/3 | | | |
| | Dalgin | | | | | | | 15 | 12 | 4 | | | |
| | Kilmaine | | | | | | | 6 | 12 | 0/4 | | | |
| | Steele | | | | | | | 8 | 9 | 5 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 102 | 9 | 4/7 |
| Thomas Grady | Conq | | | | | | | 7 | 8 | 1/4 | | | |
| | Stranlsured | | | | | | | 17 | 19 | 11 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 25 | 3 | 0/7 |
| Totals, | | | | | | | | | | | 144 | 24 | 10/2 |

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 Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 10 was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse; and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 16 - 14 s. 11 1/2 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 18 - 14 - 0 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1 - 8 3/4

Average Cost in Infirmary 2 - 9

Average Cost in Fever Hospital 2

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

2 1/2 Yards of Corduroy, a Boy's Cap, 6 Yards Sweetmilk, 60 Paces of Colton, 3 1/2 Yards of Hemmel, 6 Yards of Surf, seeds for 6 Calico, 6 Yards of lining Calico, a Workhouse Grounds - Wool Shawl, 2 Table Cloths, 2 Towels, Furniture for Hospital Nurses, 1 Oil Table Cover, 7 Yards of Holland, 20 Yards of Tape, 2 lbs of Tea, 8 lbs of Sugar, 1 lb of pepper, 2 Bottles of Wine, 4 Bottles of Porter, 3 lbs of Dept Candles, 2 lbs of Mould Candles, 2 1/2 lbs of Yellow Soap, 2 lbs of Starch, 1 1/2 lbs of Soda, 1 lb of Blue, 400 lbs of White Thread, 150 Stone of Potatoes, 70 lbs of Meat, 140 Gallons of

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 Decr. 1857 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money £ s. d.
 In kind
 Total
 Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. | | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. |
| No. I. | | | | | By forward | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | No. X. | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | No. XI. | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | No. XII. | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | |
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| No. VII. | | | | | No. XV. | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | |
| Car. fwd. | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every month.)—

Number of successful cases

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon, as follows.

Resolved that the Master be authorized to procure the following Articles for use in the Store viz;—

- 60 Quart Jins
- 60 Pint Jins
- 1 Gallon Measure
- 1/2 Gallon "
- 2 Quart Measures
- 2 Pint "
- 4 1/2 Pint "

Anne Garry an Inmate of the Workhouse, with two Children dependent upon her, applied for her discharge and it appearing that the clothes which she and her Children wore on their admission to the Workhouse in October 1853, are not now in store, it is Resolved that the Master be authorized to procure new Clothing for Anne Garry and her Children applicable to their respective requirements,

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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Resolved that Collector Thomas Gady be called upon to lodge immediately with the Union Treasurers a sum of £24.7.9 Rates collected by him and retained on his hands and if not, that he be summoned before the Magistrates for disobedience to the Commission or Regulations

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The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|----|
| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was | - | - | 6 |
| Do. do. disallowed | - | - | 27 |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | - | - | 4 |

| | | | |
|--|---|---|---|
| The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was | - | - | 1 |
| Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians | - | - | 1 |
| The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was | - | - | 1 |

| | | | |
|--|---|---|---|
| The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered | - | - | 1 |
|--|---|---|---|

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

William Henry Chapman
Robert Eggle
Nancy Lawrence

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *27th*
 day of *August* 1857
 (Signed) *Thomas Lewis*

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
(No. 27.)

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185
—continued.

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District. £
 District. £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

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Dispensary District, No. of

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stating that

date

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Baltimore UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,703

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,725.7.3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *22^d* day of *August* 185*7*

| Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that are in each building on the above date | Total No. in such building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|---|---|--|-------------|-----------|---|-----------|--|-----------|---|---|------------------------------|-----------------------------|--|--------------|---|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | Total | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Hospital on the above date | | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date |
| Workhouse, | 1007 | 1173 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 106 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 00 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL | 2168 | 1173 | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 2 | 24 | 19 | 85 | 35 | 39 | 16 | 7 | 12 | 180 | | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | | 2 | 1 | 1 | | | | | | 1 | 5 | | |
| TOTAL | 2 | 2 | 2 | 26 | 20 | 86 | 35 | 39 | 16 | 7 | 13 | 185 | 44 | 3 | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 1 | 5 | 2 | | | 2 | | | | 2 | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 1 | 5 | 2 | | | 2 | | | | 2 | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 1 | 21 | 18 | 86 | 35 | 38 | 16 | 7 | 11 | 173 | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *22^d* day of *Aug. 1857* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | | | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | | | No. X. | | | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | | | No. XI. | | | | | | |
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| No. VIII. | | | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| Car. forward | | | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Thursday*

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Courtnay Keeney Esq* the *27th* day of *August* 185*7*
 Other Guardians: *Colonel Noyes, Robert Light, Thomas Walsh*
and Francis Laurie Esq.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & Vic., c. 61.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1108 to No. 1129 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. 1108 to No. 1129, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ 27. 17. 0

Laid during the week, - - - - - £ 10. 13. 9

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 184. 5. 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

| Name of each Collector | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts | Collected and Lodged | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | |
|------------------------|---|----------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|-----------|----|--------|-------|----|-------|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
| Adam Seril | Ballinobe | 8 | 9 | 5 | | | | 11 | 7 | 11 3/4 | | | |
| | Ballinchilla | - | - | - | | | | - | - | - | | | |
| | Queenbrim | - | - | - | | | | - | - | - | | | |
| | Portroyal | | | | | | | 9 | 2 | 0 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | 3 | 9 | 5 | | | | 13 | 10 | 0 1/2 |
| Thomas Brettledge | Beviscarr | | | | | | | 1 | 7 | 9 1/4 | | | |
| | Boonard | | | | | | | 6 | 4 | 0 | | | |
| | Hollymount | | | | | | | 7 | 16 | 0 | | | |
| | Kilcommon | | | | | | | 9 | 10 | 1 1/4 | | | |
| | Kewbrook | | | | | | | 9 | 15 | 1 1/4 | | | |
| | Roslee | | | | | | | 16 | 6 | 5 1/4 | | | |
| | Shrule | | | | | | | 20 | 14 | 0 1/4 | | | |
| | Dalpin | | | | | | | 15 | 12 | 4 | | | |
| | Kilmaine | | | | | | | 6 | 12 | 1 1/2 | | | |
| Stone | | | | | | | 8 | 9 | 5 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 102 | 9 | 1 1/4 |
| Thomas Grady | Cong | 7 | 3 | 1 | | | | " | " | 1/4 | | | |
| | Howlandswood | 17 | 4 | 8 | | | | " | " | 3 | | | |
| | | | | | 24 | 7 | 9 | | | | " | 6 | 3 1/4 |
| Totals. | | | | | 27 | 7 | 9 | | | | 116 | 14 | 8 1/2 |

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 Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

- 1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
- 2. The Provision Check Accounts.
- 3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 23 18 s. 7 1/2

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 18 - 4 - 1 1/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1 - 9

Average Cost in Infirmary. 2 - 8 1/2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital. 1 - 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:

50 Yards of Spruinding & 1 lb of Black Thread, 60 Boxes of Yarn,
 11 Yards of Sticks, 11 Yards of Cotton, 6 1/2
 Yards of Mummel, 7 Yards of Calico, 5 Yards
 of Linens Calico, 2 Wool Shaws, 6 Yards
 of Cambrury, 1/2 Doz Caps, 3 lbs of white
 Thread, 2 lbs of Tea, 8 lbs of Sugar, 1 lb
 of Pepper, 2 Bottles of Wine, 4 Bottles
 of Porter, 3 lbs of dip Candles, 2 lbs
 of Mould Candles, 2 1/2 lbs of Yellow Soap,
 2 lbs of Starch, 1 1/2 lbs of Soda, 5 lb of
 Blue, 4 1/2 lb of white Bread, 70 lbs
 1 Meat, 10 1/2 Gallons of Sweetmilk,

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature:

- 1. The several Clothing Accounts
- 2. The Medical Officers' Books

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 22 day of Oct 1857 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money £ 5 11 1/2
 In kind 1 11 1/2
 Total £ 6 13 1/4
 Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. | | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. |
| No. I. | | | | | Blforward | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | No. X. | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | No. XI. | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | No. XII. | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | No. XV. | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | |
| Car. fwd. | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

William Regan for Clothing Material £ 2 13 8

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Robert Monahan for Calcavella Wine 3 0
 Robert Seizer for Utensils 2 10 11
 William Regan for Furniture for Officers 1 7 4

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above,

3. Period Account,

William Regan for Stationery " 8 10

Period Act

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

By Workhouse Invoice Account.

| | £ | s. | d. |
|--------------------------------|----|----|----|
| Isaac Hannah for Groceries | 5 | 4 | 1 |
| Isaac Mayne for Bread and Meal | 17 | 0 | 10 |
| Thomas Schupke for Potatoes | 10 | 0 | 0 |
| Mathew Morain for Meat | 4 | 9 | 4 |
| Martin Steppers for Milk | 10 | 19 | 1 |
| Mary M. G. Green for Beef | 6 | 11 | 3 |

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurers with the several sums as above,
 5. Petty Disbursements Acct
 Clerk of Union to provide for payment of 575

Petty Disbursements

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurers with the several sums as above

~~Out-door Relief Invoice Account.~~
 Collectors Remuneration Acct £ s. d.

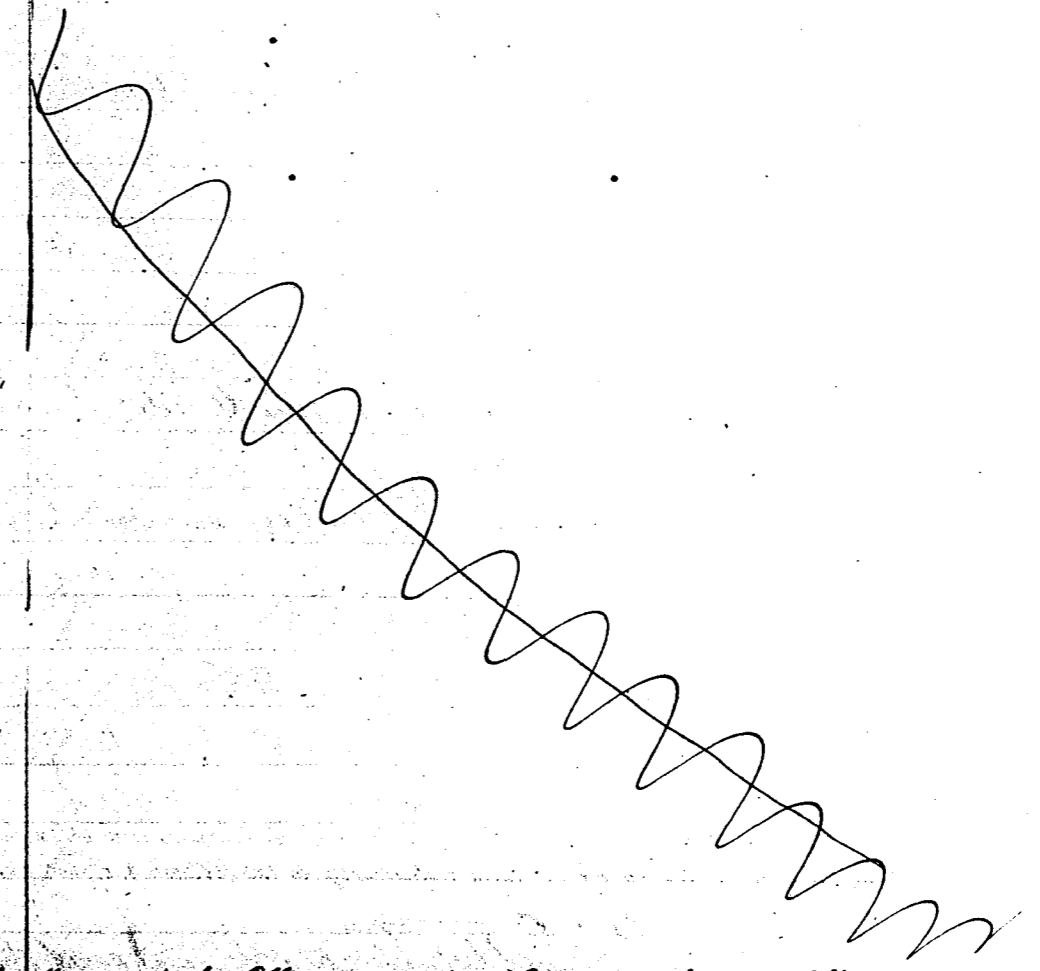
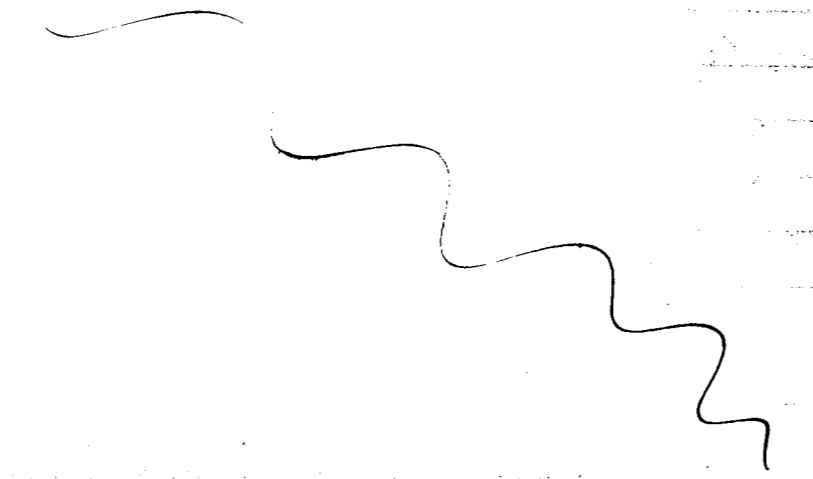
Thomas Collet for Fees, 6 18 0

Collectors Remuneration

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

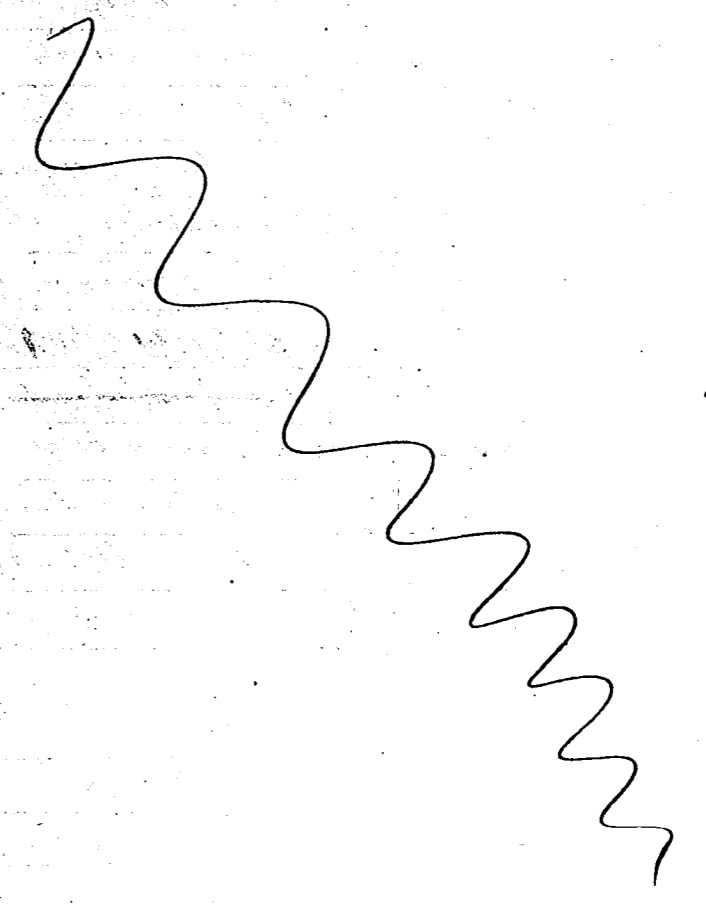
The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every month.)—
Number of successful cases.

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

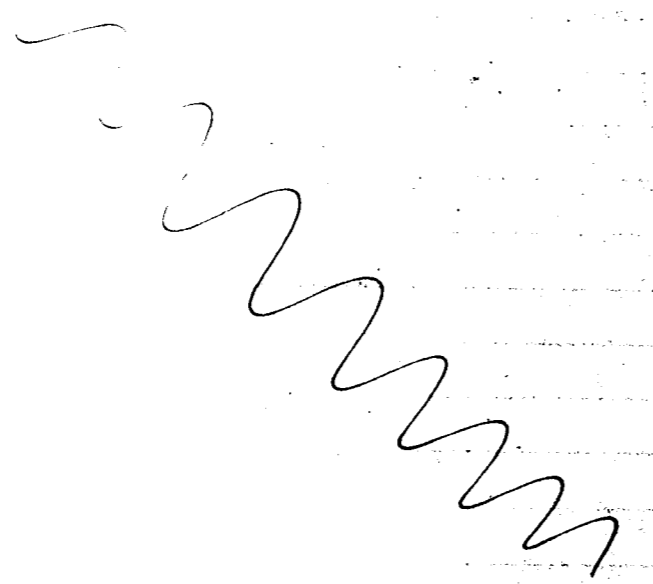


The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon, as follows.

no report from the Master this day



The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:



The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or Orders made on them respectively as follows:)

Letter from M^{rs}. Anne Laid Hospital Nurse dated 26th August 1857 applying for a Testimonial

Resolved that under the circumstances stated in a report which the Board received from the Medical Officer on the 25th of June last regarding the unsatisfactory manner in which M^{rs}. Anne discharged the duties of Hospital Nurse, and the neglect of discipline which was observable in the Hospital under her charge, the Board would not feel justified in acceding to M^{rs}. Anne's request, and that the Clerk be directed to inform her accordingly, and at the same time to forward to M^{rs}. Anne a copy of the Medical Officer's Report

Resolved that the Master be authorized to procure a suit of new Clothing for Paddy Hines aged 18 years, who has been inmate of the Workhouse for upwards of six years, his wife having rendered aid to maintain him,

Resolved that the Clerk be authorized to employ persons to post notices of the Rate Book being open for the inspection of the Rate-payers at an expense not exceeding £1.

Resolved that the Clerk be directed to advertise in the "Mayo Constitution" Newspaper, and by printed Handbills for tenders for Workhouse Supplies, &c; to be considered on the 24th proximo,

The Clerk laid before the Board an Estimate of Medicines required by the Medical Officer of the Workhouse; the Estimate was approved of and the Clerk directed to order the Medicines specified therein from the Contractor,

Resolved that on the day of our next meeting (the 24th proximo,) the Board will proceed to appoint a Collector for the new Rates about being made on the several Electoral Divisions of the Union, and the Clerk is directed to cause the usual notice of such appointments to be inserted as an advertisement in the "Mayo Constitution" Newspaper

Resolved that the following Rates be declared uncollectable for the reasons hereunder stated,

£2. 18. 7 1/2

Electoral Division of Ballinrobe 11th in Rate Book 500 and 736, Amt. £2. 18. 7 1/2, Rates due by subsequent Occupiers not legally recoverable from them, The Board of Guardians are of opinion that these Rates could not at any time have been collected from the persons primarily liable,

Electors

£ 0 - 0 - 11 3/4

Electoral Division of Portugal No in Rate Book 74. Amt. £ 3. 0. 11 3/4. - Rates due by subsequent Occupier, not legally recoverable from him, The Board of Guardians are of opinion that these Rates could not at any time, have been recovered from the person primarily liable,

£ 0 - 18 - 6 3/4

Electoral Division of Neal No in Rate Book 312 Amt - 18/6 3/4 - Rates due by subsequent Occupier not legally recoverable from him, The Board of Guardians are of opinion that these Rates could not at any time, have been recovered from the person primarily liable,

£ 1 - 12 - 9

Electoral Division of Newhook Nos in Rate Book 275 and 323, Amt. £ 12. 9, Rates due by subsequent Occupier, not legally recoverable from them, The Board of Guardians are of opinion that these Rates could not at any time have been recovered from the persons primarily liable,

That

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

| | |
|---|-----|
| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was | 2 |
| Ditto, disallowed | 3 |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | nil |

| | |
|--|-----|
| The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was | nil |
| Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians | nil |
| The number of other applicants in the Poorhouse Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was | nil |

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered. Nil

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

That as the Percentage of the new Rates about to be made in the Union will differ in Amount on Townlands comprised in an Electoral Division, in consequence of the reduction of the poundage for the ordinary expenditure of an Electoral Division by the poundage of the sums standing to credit of the several Townlands, such sums accruing from old Union Rates lodged to credit of former period, subsequent to date to which Rates have been included in the Final Adjustment Order, and it is necessary that the Rate payers should have every facility to make themselves acquainted with the Rates to be levied on each Townland - it is Resolved that the Clerk be directed to get Lists showing the poundage Rates which will be actually levied off the several Townlands in the Union, printed by Mr Fox Kelly and circulated amongst the Rate payers.

Resolved that the Board is satisfied with the Collection made by Mr Adam Neal, and that his Warrants be taken up and a charge for his poundage fees be granted to Mr Neal.

Resolved that the Board considers it expedient to adjourn the examination of Mr Phelton's Collecting Warrants to Saturday the 29th Inst, and the Board will meet on Saturday the 29th Inst for that purpose

The Clerk of the Union applied for leave of absence to go to Wexford from the 29th Inst to the 24th proximo, and read for the Board a certificate from Dr. Barrington of which the following is a copy: -

Mr May has consulted me about delicacy of his throat, and I have advised him to seek change of Air and to abstain from duty for some time,
Geo: J. Barrington - M.D.

Ballinacorney August 27th 1857.

Resolved that leave of absence be granted to the Clerk from the 29th Sept. to the 24th proximo, and that Mr. Muller ^{from his usual duties} be appointed to act as Clerk during that period, —

It was adjourned Meeting of the Board at 11 o'clock on Saturday the 29th day of August 1857

Present in the Chair, Co. Charles Knox
The Members, Robert Tigh and Whisthame
James Espiner

Mr. Pritchard Collector, attended the Board and submitted his Warrants for examination, from which it appeared that Mr. Pritchard has collected the whole amount of his Warrants with the exception of a sum of £3.18.10 — Mr. Pritchard's Warrants amount to £1030.2.5⁶, of which the current rate was £1004.15.0 and the arrears of previous rates £25.7.5⁶,

Resolved that the Board is very well satisfied with the collection made by Mr. Pritchard and that his Warrants be taken up, and a cheque for the amount of poundage fees due to him to this date, namely £17.5.4, drawn in his favor,

James May.

Robert Tigh
Nicholas Walsh

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Sunday the 3rd
day of Sept. 1857

(Signed)

Thomas Muller

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
[No. 27.]

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE

UNION, ON *THIS* day, the

27th day of

August 1857

—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the *Ballinacole*
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management was laid before the Board
with a Petition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given
thereon, as follows:

The Estimate was approved of, and the
Clerk was directed to order the Medicines, &c. specified
therein 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 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 _____ 1853, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____

District, £
District, £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, No. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from -
stating that

date

Wm. Knox.
Wm. Taylor
Messrs. Walsh

(Signed)

Thomson
Clerk of the Union.

Ballinacorney UNION.

Population in 1851, *27,703*

Present Net Annual Value, £ *38,725* 7 3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *29th* day of *August* 1857

| Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each Building | Total No. in each Building at the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | Total | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|---|---|--|-------------|-----------|---|-----------|--|-----------|---|---|------------------------------|------------|--------------------------------------|---|------------------------------|---------------------------------------|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Workhouse, | <i>1000</i> | <i>172</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | <i>1000</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | <i>50</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | <i>2148</i> | <i>172</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | <i>9</i> | <i>21</i> | <i>18</i> | <i>36</i> | <i>35</i> | <i>28</i> | <i>16</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>11</i> | <i>173</i> | In Workhouse Hospital, <i>43</i> | In Fever Hospital, <i>3</i> | In separate Wards, <i>16</i> | In Wards with other inmates, <i>3</i> |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | <i>2</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | | | | | <i>1</i> | <i>6</i> | | | | |
| TOTAL, | | | <i>3</i> | <i>22</i> | <i>19</i> | <i>37</i> | <i>35</i> | <i>28</i> | <i>16</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>12</i> | <i>179</i> | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | | | | | <i>6</i> | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | <i>1</i> | | | | | | | <i>1</i> | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>2</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | | | | | <i>7</i> | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | <i>2</i> | <i>21</i> | <i>17</i> | <i>36</i> | <i>34</i> | <i>27</i> | <i>16</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>12</i> | <i>172</i> | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *29th* day of *August* 1857, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 21, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 21, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|---|---|---|---|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|---|---|---|---|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | | | | | | | By forward | | | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | | | No. X. | | | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | | | No. XI. | | | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | | | No. XII. | | | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | | | No. XV. | | | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| Car. forward | | | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Thursday*

the *3rd* day of *September* 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Colonel Knox*
 Other Guardians: *Robert Light, John Kearie Junr, and Nicholas Walsh Esqrs*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 61.

[Handwritten signature]

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1123 to No. 1128, 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. 10 to No. 11, inclusive by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk. The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

[Large handwritten signature]

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, - £ 95. 19. 0

Laid during the week, - £ 17. 5. 4

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 263. 19. 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. | | | | |
| <i>Adam Neal</i> | <i>Ballymore</i> | | | | | | | | | 1 | 9 | 4 1/4 | | | | | |
| | <i>Ballynicholla</i> | | | | | | | | | " | " | 1/4 | | | | | |
| | <i>Overbrim</i> | | | | | | | | | " | " | " | | | | | |
| | <i>Carbonyl</i> | | | | | | | | | 6 | 1 | 0 3/4 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 7 | 10 | 5 1/2 | |
| <i>Thomas Pottle</i> | <i>Americana</i> | 1 | 7 | 9 | | | | | | " | " | 4 | | | | | |
| | <i>Coonard</i> | 6 | 4 | 0 | | | | | | " | " | " | | | | | |
| | <i>Stallpiment</i> | 7 | 16 | 6 | | | | | | " | " | " | | | | | |
| | <i>St. Common</i> | 9 | 10 | 6 | | | | | | " | " | 4 | | | | | |
| | <i>Newbrook</i> | 8 | 2 | 4 | | | | | | " | " | 3/4 | | | | | |
| | <i>Roslee</i> | 16 | 0 | 8 | | | | | | " | " | 4 | | | | | |
| | <i>Shrule</i> | 17 | 9 | 9 | | | | | | 3 | 4 | 8 1/4 | | | | | |
| | <i>Dalpin</i> | 15 | 12 | 4 | | | | | | " | " | " | | | | | |
| | <i>Kilmaine</i> | 6 | 12 | 11 | | | | | | " | " | 6 | | | | | |
| <i>St. Nile</i> | 6 | 16 | 3 | | | | | | " | " | 14 7/8 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | 95 | 19 | 0 | | | | | 3 | 19 | 1 | |
| <i>Thomas Pady</i> | <i>Coony</i> | | | | | | | | | | | 4 | | | | | |
| | <i>St. Andrews</i> | | | | | | | | | | | 15 | 3 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 15 | 3 1/4 |
| <i>Totals</i> | | | | | | | 95 | 19 | 0 | | | | | | | 12 | 11 1/2 |

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 Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 15 ⁰/₁₅ s. 8 ¹/₂ d.

| | | | |
|--|----|----|-----|
| Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. | £ | s. | d. |
| The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was | 17 | 17 | 11 |
| Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account, | | | |
| And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was | 1 | 8 | 3/4 |
| Average Cost in Infirmary, | 2 | 7 | 1/2 |
| Average Cost in Fever Hospital, | | | nil |

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:

6 yards of Corduroy, 2 1/2 yds Calico
 4 yards of lining Calico, a Boys Cap
 2 lb of Tea, 8 lb of Sugar, 1 lb of Pepper
 4 Bottles of Porter, 3 lb of tallow Candles
 2 lb of Bones, 2 1/4 lb of yellow soap
 2 lb of Starch, 1 1/4 lb of Soda
 1/2 lb of Blue, 360 lb of White
 Bread, 70 lb of Meat, 140 Gallons
 of Sweet Water, and 60 Boxes
 of soap

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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 29 day of August 1857; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

| | |
|----------|-----|
| In money | nil |
| In kind | nil |
| Total. | nil |

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. | | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. |
| No. I. | | | | | By forward | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | No. X. | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | No. XI. | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | No. XII. | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | No. XV. | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | |
| Car. fwd. | | | | | Total, | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

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| | £ | s. | d. |
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Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurers with the several sums as above

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Credit Treasurers and Debit Outdoor Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every month.)—
Number of successful cases:

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Master's Report was read as follows.

Ballinacree Workhouse

3rd September 1857

Gentlemen,

Marie and James Kevin aged respectively 10 and 11 years, chargeable to the Union at Large and admitted here in July 1855, received a letter a few days ago from their mother who is in England, stating that on next Monday she will remit them £1. to defray their expenses to England, their own clothes are unfit to be worn, therefore they request you will be good enough to order them new clothes, to enable them to proceed to their mother.

That you will inquire into the conduct of William Bowen, a blind man, of whom it has been reported to me, that while employed

~~The Report of the Master and other Officers was read and Orders made thereon as follows:~~

with another man, Michael Monan, removing night soil, he attempted to take 2 or 3 pence from Biddy Boyle, one of the Trustees of the Infirmary an idiot, who with another girl was depositing the contents of a night bucket in the manure pit,

On last Saturday the Potatoes Contract terminated; therefore on Sunday I commenced consuming for the House, the Potatoes of the Workhouse grounds, which I am glad to say are very superior both in quality and quantity—

The Provisions and necessaries delivered here during the week were good.

I try to bring before you, Judy Roe, with whom on next Monday, Miss Scumblings found a pocket concealed, (apparently made of part of a sheet, the property of the House, this woman, Judy Roe, is generally insubordinate—

(See page 9, of Minutes.)

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or Orders made on them respectively as follows:)

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commrs.
No. 190 - Dn/57, dated 1st September 1857,
requesting a return respecting the current
Rates, and any new Rates agreed upon in
the Union, during the month of August 1857.

(Master's Report Continued from page 7)

insubordinate, and was very violent on this
occasion on last Monday, so much so that
had to force her to the lock up -

Require 100 yards of lining Calico -

Sam Featherman

Your oth Servant

John Mullin

Master.

The Board of Guardians }
Ballinshelvin Union }

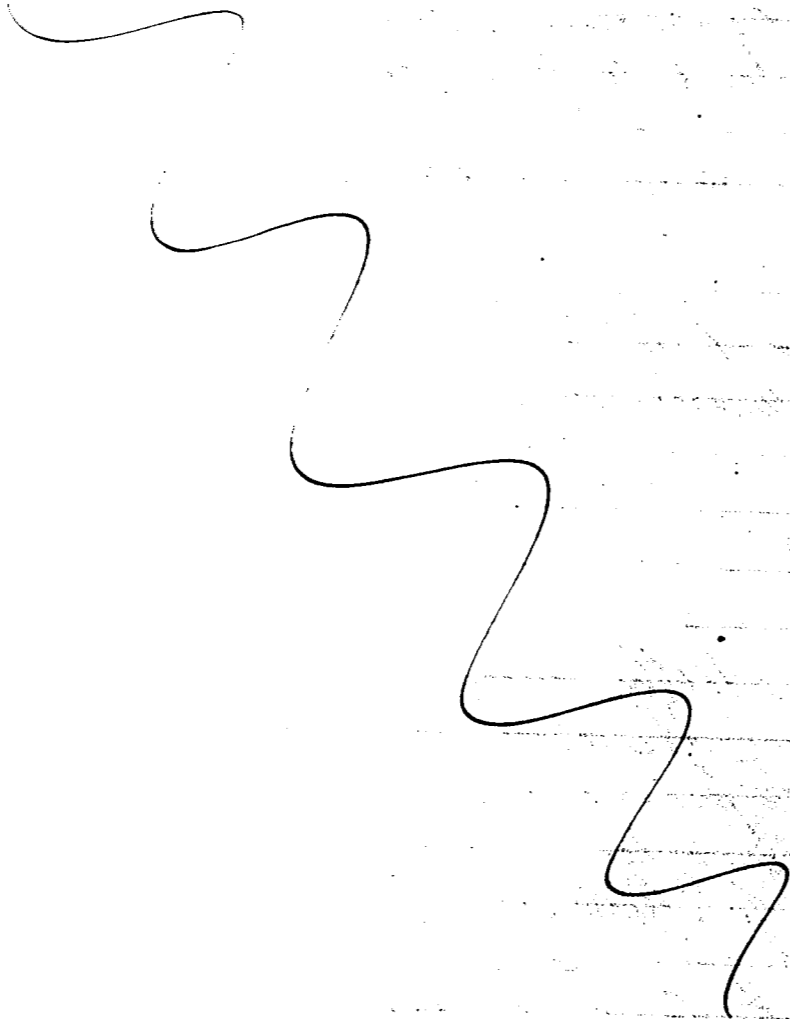
With reference to the Master's Report it was
Resolved that he (the Master) be authorized
to procure suitable new clothing for Maria Keerin
and James Keerin; and also a new Brown
for Mick Moran.

That he be authorized to procure from
the contractor 100 yards of lining Calico -

William Bowen and Biddy Boyle, were
called before the Board, and the Report inquired
into, but there was no evidence to prove
that William Bowen misconducted himself -

Lady Roe was called before the Board
and upon investigating the charge preferred
against her, she was reprimanded, and
informed that upon a recurrence of any
further impropriety on her part, she would be
discharged from the House -

Resolved that a pass for one day
be granted to Ellen Estates to see her friends,



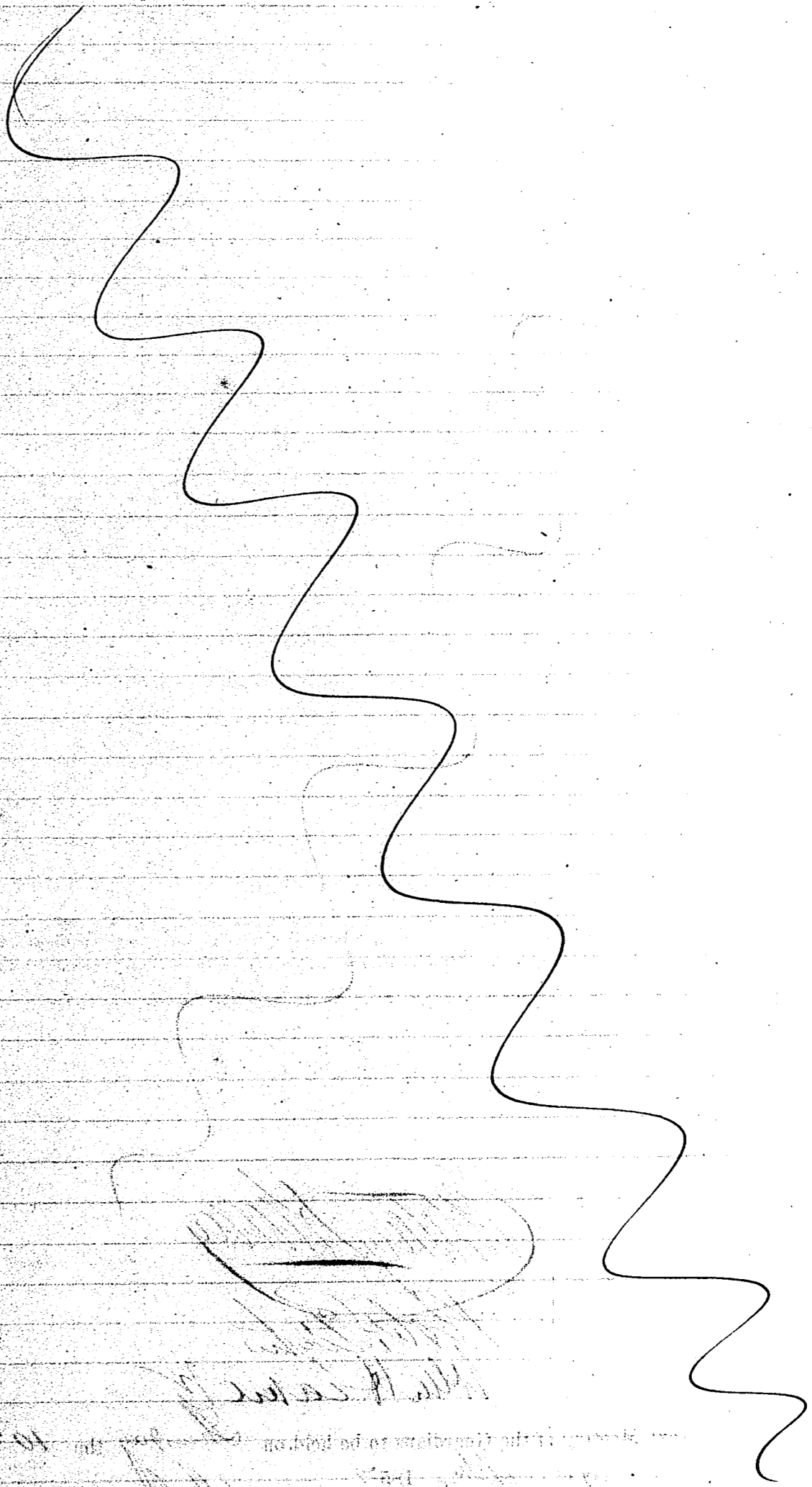
The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Passport Books.

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| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was | 3 |
| Ditto, disallowed | nil |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | 2 |

| | |
|---|-----|
| The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was | nil |
| Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians | nil |
| The number of other applicants in the Poor-relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was | nil |

| | |
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| The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered | nil |
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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)



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Wm. W. W. W.

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W. W. W.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *10th*
day of *Sept* - 1857

(Signed) *John Mallin*
acting Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
[No. 27.]

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE *B. Ballinacree*
UNION, ON *Thurs* day, the *3rd* day of *September* 1857
—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management was laid before the Board
with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given
thereon, as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed
to forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to
the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.
On application of the Committee of Management of the
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites
were ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of expenses (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be), under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Dispensary District, _____
Account of No. _____ 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 _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____

| | | |
|-----------------|-------|---|
| _____ District, | | £ |
| _____ District, | | £ |

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms B 1 and B 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, No. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that _____

(Signed) *John Mallin*
Acting Clerk of the Union.

Ballymore UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,703

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,725.7.3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 5th day of September 1857

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | Total | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|---|---|--|-------------|------|--|------|--|-------|---|---|------------------------------|-------|--------------------------------------|--|--------------|--|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | |
| Workhouse, | 1000 | 167 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 1068 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 2148 | 167 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 2 | 21 | 17 | 36 | 34 | 27 | 16 | 7 | 12 | 172 | In Work-house Hospital, 144 | Inseparate Wards, In Fever Hospital, with other inmates, 3 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | 1 | | | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 2 | 21 | 17 | 37 | 34 | 27 | 16 | 7 | 12 | 173 | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | | 1 | | 1 | 3 | | | | 1 | 6 | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | | 1 | | 1 | 3 | | | | 1 | 6 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 2 | 20 | 17 | 36 | 31 | 27 | 16 | 7 | 11 | 167 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 5th day of September 1857 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. 2. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1 | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1 | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|--|--|--|--|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | | | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | | | No. X. | | | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | | | No. XI. | | | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | | | No. XII. | | | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | | | No. XV. | | | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| Car. forward | | | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday the 10th day of September 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Christian Kenny Esq*
 Other Guardians: *Robert Lijke and John Kearne Junr. Esquires*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & Vic., c. 61.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1129 to No. 1133, 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, - - - - - £ m.

Laid during the week, - - - - - £ 25. 10. 6

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 237. 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. | | | |
| Adam Neal | Ballinacree | | | | | | | 1 | 9 | 1/4 | | | | | | |
| | Ballenachallen | | | | | | | " | " | 1/4 | | | | | | |
| | Recubrin | | | | | | | " | " | " | | | | | | |
| | Portugal | | | | | | | 6 | 1 | 3/4 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 7 | 10 | 5/4 | | | |
| Thomas Ruddle | Baniceara | | | | | | | " | " | 1/4 | | | | | | |
| | Leonard | | | | | | | " | " | " | | | | | | |
| | Hollymount | | | | | | | " | " | " | | | | | | |
| | Nicknunan | | | | | | | " | " | 1/4 | | | | | | |
| | Keilworth | | | | | | | " | " | 1/4 | | | | | | |
| | Naslee | | | | | | | " | " | 1/4 | | | | | | |
| | Shrule | | | | | | | 3 | 4 | 3/4 | | | | | | |
| | Dalgin | | | | | | | " | " | " | | | | | | |
| | Kilbraine | | | | | | | " | " | 1/2 | | | | | | |
| Keale | | | | | | | " | " | 14 | 7 | 1/4 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 3 | 19 | 1 | | | |
| Thomas Grady | Logan | | | | | | | " | " | 1/4 | | | | | | |
| | Strandwood | | | | | | | " | " | 15 | 3 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | 15 | 3 | 1/4 | |
| Totals, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 12 | 4 | 9 1/2 |

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 Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 16 s. 12 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 18 s. 13 d.

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ 1 s. 4 d.

Average Cost in Infirmary £ 2 s. 7 d.

Average Cost in Fever Hospital. Nil

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

7 yards Corduroy, 8 yards of Cotton, 5 yds flannel - yellow soap, 2 lb of starch, 12 yards of Calico, 2 Wool Charts, 2 Boys Cap, 100 yards lining Calico, 1/2 lb of Jam, 1 lb of Raisins, 1 pint, 1 pint Iron, 1/2 doz. Tumblers & Glasses - 8 Spoons, 1 Dish & 12 lay plates, 2 Eggs, 4 Egg cups, 1 Bowl, 2 Lattis, 3 Kitchens & Forks, snuffbox & tray, 6 Cups & Saucers, 1 Soup Bowl, one cream jug, one pair of Creamers, one Leaflet, 1/2 dozen small plates, & Bread Basket - 1 1/4 lb of Tea, 7 lb of Sugar, 1 lb of Pepper, 4 Bottles of Porter, 6 lb of Candles, 2 1/2 lb of =

14 lb of Soda, 1/2 lb of Blue, 1 Bottle of Calender Wine, 2 lb of Wax Candles, 300 lb of White Bread, 80 lb of Indian Meal, 2 1/2 Cwt of Oatmeal, 65 lb of Meat, 130 gallons of Sweet Milk, and 60 Bales of Linn.

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 5th day of Sept. 57; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

| | | | |
|----------|---|----|-----|
| In money | £ | s. | d. |
| In kind | | | |
| | | | Nil |
| | | | Nil |
| Total | | | Nil |

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. | | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. |
| No. I. | | | | | Bl. forward | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | No. X. | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | No. XI. | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | No. XII. | | | | |
| No. V. | Nil | | | | No. XIII. | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | No. XV. | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | |
| Car. frwd. | | | | | TOTAL | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every month.)—
Number of successful cases:

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

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The Reports of the Assistants and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon, as follows.

No Reports this day.

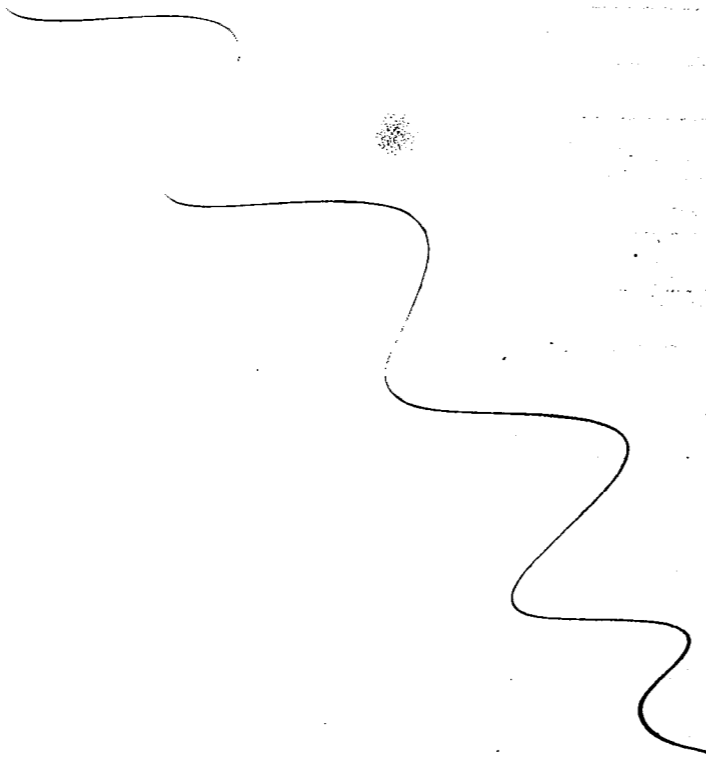
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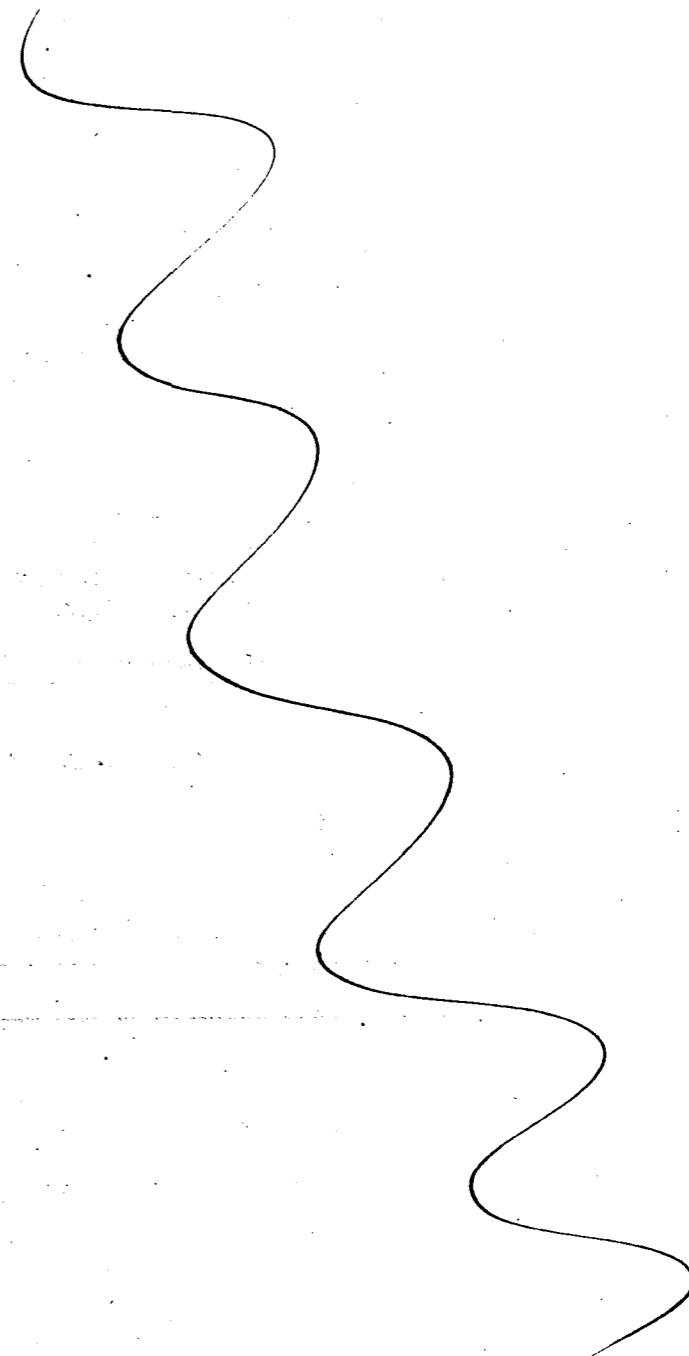
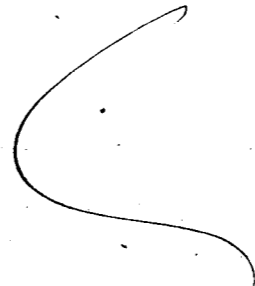


The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or Orders made on them respectively as follows:)

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners
No. 22, 281. - 1857. Dated 5th September 1857
transmitting Questions for answers to be
signed by the Clerk, and the persons who may
be appointed as Collectors of Poor Rates
in the Union -



Resolved that Mrs. Phately be allowed
to pass out of the Workhouse, for one day
to see her friends.



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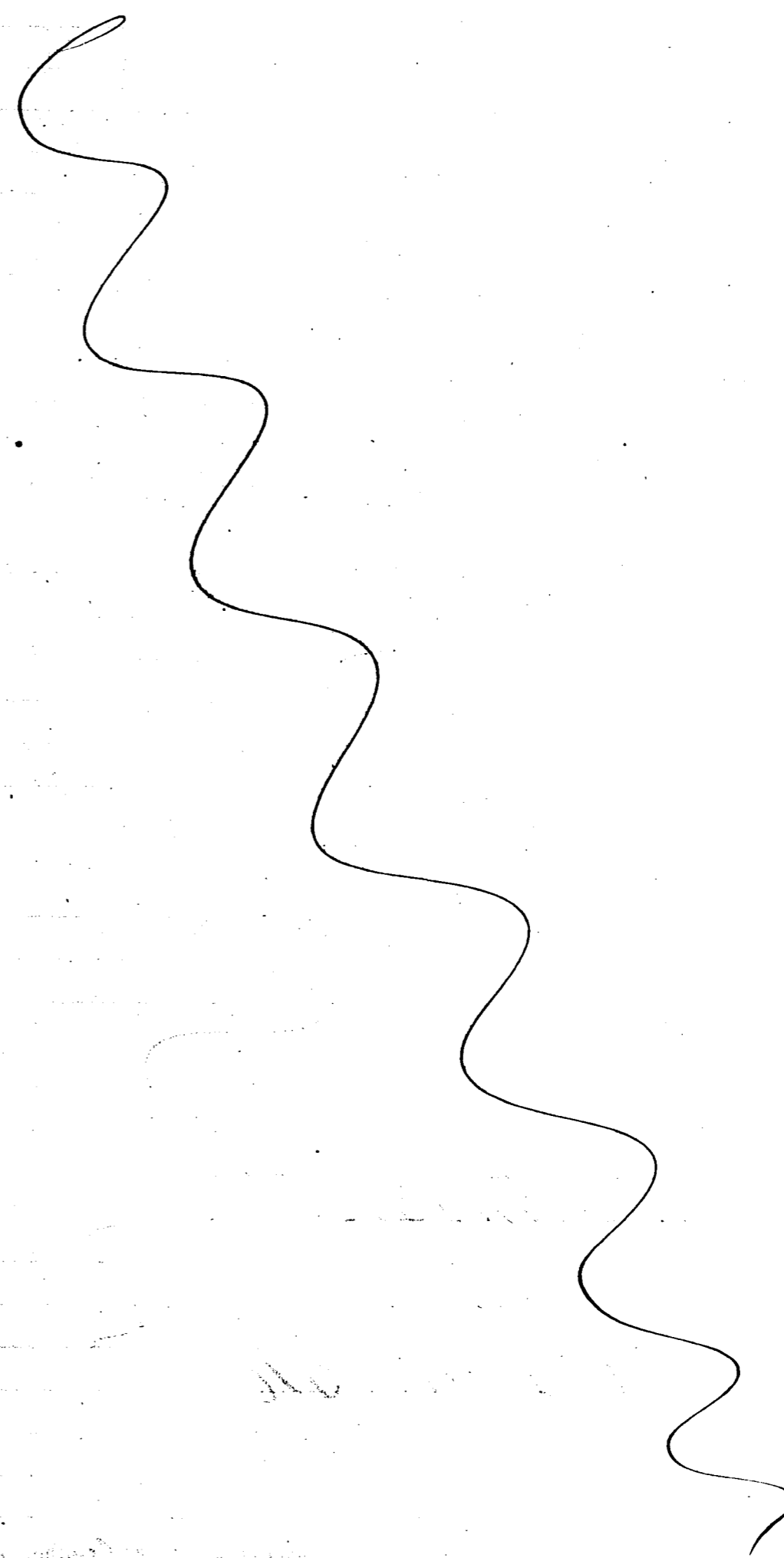
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| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|-----|
| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was | . | . | . | 2 |
| Ditto, disallowed | . | . | . | nil |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | . | . | . | 2 |

| | | | | |
|--|---|---|---|-----|
| The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was | . | . | . | nil |
| Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians | . | . | . | nil |
| The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was | . | . | . | nil |

| | | | | |
|--|---|---|---|-----|
| The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered | . | . | . | nil |
|--|---|---|---|-----|

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)



James Smyth.
John T. Lynch
Nicholas MacCulloch

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *17th*
day of *Sept* 1857 (Signed) *John Mullin*

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
[No. 27.]

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE

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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 25 and 27 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 185 . having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended

..... District. £
..... District. £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms B 1 and B 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, No. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

(Signed,

J. H. Mullin
Clerk of the Union.

Baltimore UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,703

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,725. 7. 3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 12th day of September 1857

| 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, | 1000 | 164 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 1068 | - | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | - | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 2148 | 164 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 2 | 20 | 17 | 36 | 31 | 27 | 16 | 7 | 11 | 167 | In Workhouse Hospital, 40 | In separate Wards, 2 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 2 | | | 2 | | | | | 2 | 4 | In Fever Hospital, - | In Wards with other inmates, 3 | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 2 | 22 | 17 | 38 | 31 | 27 | 16 | 7 | 13 | 173 | Total, 40 | Total, 3 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | | 2 | 2 | 2 | | | 1 | | 2 | 9 | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | | 2 | 2 | 2 | | | 1 | | 2 | 9 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 2 | 20 | 15 | 36 | 31 | 27 | 15 | 7 | 11 | 164 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 12th day of September 1857 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
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| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| Car. forward | | | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday the 17th day of September 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, Colonel Smith
 Other Guardians: Robert Ligon, and Nicholas Walsh Esqrs.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 61.

And its examination postponed to next week

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. ~~10~~ *11* 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. ~~10~~ *11* inclusive by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.

The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

The 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, - - - - - £ Nil

Laid during the week, - - - - - £ Nil

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 237¹¹/₄

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

| Name of each Collector | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts | Collected and Lodged | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | | | |
|------------------------|---|----------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|-----------|----|-----|-------|----|-----|-----|-----|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | | |
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| | Conard | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
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| Totals, | | | | | | | | | | | | | 12 | 4 | 1/2 |

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 Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 15 s 8 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 17 s 10 d ^{3/4}

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

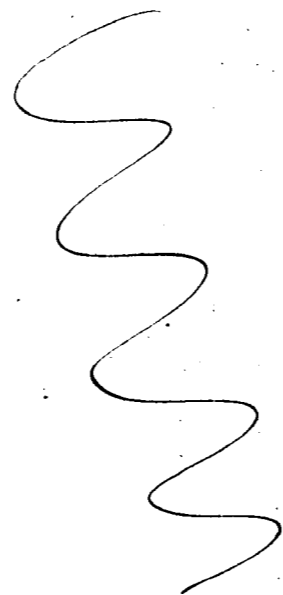
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1 s 4 d

Average Cost in Infirmary 2 s 7 d

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, *nil*

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:

17 1/2 lb of Tea, 6 1/2 lb of Sugar, 1/2 lb of Pepper, 4 Bottles of Porter, 4 lb of Dipt Candles, 2 lb of Bones, 24 lb of yellow Soap, 2 lb of Almonds, 14 lb of Soda, 1/2 lb of Blue, 360 lb of White Bread, 50 lb of Meat, 1130 gallons of Sweet Milk, 60 Boxes of Turp



The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature:

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
2. The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of the several Relieving Officers were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 12 day of *Sept* 1857 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money *nil*
 In kind *nil*
 Total *nil*

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s d. | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s d. | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|-----------------|---------------------------|---------------------------------|-------------------------|-----------------|
| | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s d. | | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s d. |
| No. I. | | | | | Btforward | | | | |
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| Car. fwd. | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

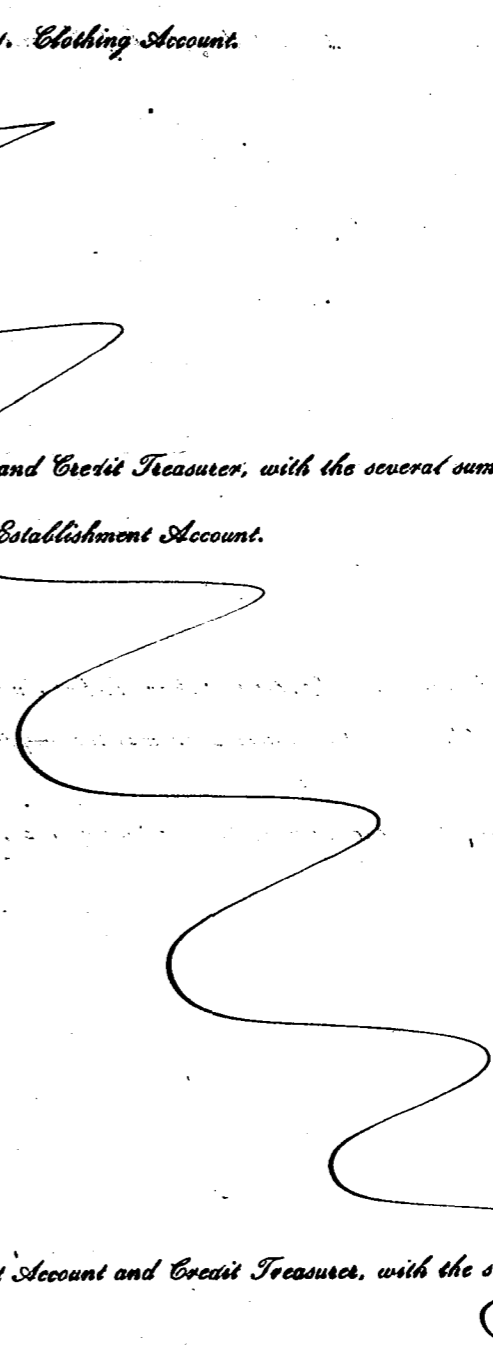
On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.



3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

| | £ | s. | d. |
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Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

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Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every month.)—

Number of successful cases:

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon, as follows:

No reports this day

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

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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:

[Faint, illegible handwritten notes]

Resolved that the Matron be allowed a fortnight's leave of absence, the Schoolmistress to take charge, and perform the duties of the Matronship during that period,

Resolved that John Heraghty be allowed to pass out of the Workhouse, for three days, to enable him to see his friends, and to make enquiries after his children,

[Large, wavy handwritten scribble]

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

| | | | |
|---|---|---|-----|
| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was | - | - | nil |
| Ditto, disallowed | - | - | nil |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | - | - | 3 |

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|--|---|---|-----|
| The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was | - | - | nil |
| Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians | - | - | nil |
| The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was | - | - | nil |

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|--|---|---|-----|
| The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered | - | - | nil |
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The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *24th*
day of *September* 1857

(Signed) *John Mullin*
acting Clerk of the Union.

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14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
[No. 27.]

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE

UNION, on *Thurs* day, the *17th* day of *September* 185*7*

—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 _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____

District, £
District, £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, No. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Sickness, Remedy and Diseases Prevention Acts, 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 were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from
stating that

dated



(Signed)

John Mullin
acting Clerk of the Union.

Ballinakee UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,703

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,725 7 3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 19th day of September 1857

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | Total | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|---|---|--|-------------|-----------|--|-----------|--|-----------|---|---|------------------------------|------------|--------------------------------------|---|--------------|--|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | |
| Workhouse, | 1000 | 1161 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 1000 | 1161 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 2148 | 1161 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 2 | 20 | 15 | 36 | 31 | 27 | 15 | 7 | 11 | 164 | In Work-house Hospital, 40 | In separate Wards, in Fever Hospital, 8 | | |
| Admitted during the Week; | | | | | | 1 | | | 1 | | 1 | 3 | Total, 40 | Total, 8 | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 2 | 20 | 15 | 37 | 31 | 27 | 16 | 7 | 12 | 167 | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | | 1 | 3 | 1 | | | | | | 5 | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | 1 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | | 1 | 3 | 2 | | | | | | 6 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 2 | 19 | 12 | 35 | 31 | 27 | 16 | 7 | 12 | 161 | | | | |

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 19th day of September 1857, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|--|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | | | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | | | |
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COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Thursday* the 24th day of September 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Geoffrey Martyn Esq*
 Other Guardians: *Col. Knox, Courtney Kenny, Robert Clarke, D. E. Blake, Thomas Walsh and John Stearns junior Esq.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7th & Vic., c. 61.

and the examined there of postponed to next Friday
 The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 10 to No. 11 inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 10 to No. 11 inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:

The 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, £ 7 11
 Paid during the week. £ 38. 5. 7
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 199-8-0
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Weekly Balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

| Name of each Collector | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts | Collected and Lodged | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | |
|------------------------|---|----------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|-----------|-----|-----|----------|----|-----|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. |
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| | Portroyal | | | | | | | 6 | 1 | 1/4 | | | |
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| Thomas Rutledge | Buriscama | | | | | | | " | " | 1/4 | | | |
| | Coonard | | | | | | | " | " | " | | | |
| | Hollymount | | | | | | | " | " | " | | | |
| | Likeannon | | | | | | | " | " | 1/4 | | | |
| | Newbrook | | | | | | | " | " | 1/4 | | | |
| | Roslee | | | | | | | " | " | 1/4 | | | |
| | Shrule | | | | | | | 3 | 4 | 3/4 | | | |
| | Dalgin | | | | | | | " | " | " | | | |
| | Kilmaine | | | | | | | " | " | 1/4 | | | |
| Keale | | | | | | | " | " | 1/4 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 3 | 19 | 1 |
| Thomas Grady | Long | | | | | | | " | " | 1/4 | | | |
| | Knudwood | | | | | | | " | " | 15 | 3 | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | " | 15 | 3/4 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 12 4 9/2 | | |

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 Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ ... was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

- 1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
- 2. The Provision Check Accounts.
- 3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 21 " 3 s. 5 1/2d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 17 6 7 1/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ 1 4 1/4

Average Cost in Infirmary £ 2 6 1/4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital.

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

100 lbs of Tea, 100 lbs of Sugar, 1/2 lb of
 Pepper, 2 Bottles of Wine, 4 Bottles of Porter,
 1/2 lb of Light Candles, 2 lbs of Moulded
 Candles, 2 1/2 lbs of Yellow Soap, 2 lbs of
 Suet, 1 1/2 lbs of Soda, 1/2 lb of Blue, 1/2 lb
 of White Bread, 20 lbs of Meat, 50
 Gallons of Milk, 25 Boxes of Tea
 60 Quart in, 100 Pint Gin, Repairs of
 100 lbs of White Bread, 30 lbs
 of Meat, 70 Gallons of Sweet Milk, 35
 boxes of Tea

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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 15th day of Sept. 1857 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In mine, *[Signature]*
 In him, *[Signature]*
 Total, *[Signature]*

Debit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. | | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. |
| No. I. | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | No. X. | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | No. XI. | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | No. XII. | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | No. XV. | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | |
| Car. fwd. | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

Valuation Account

Thomas Russell for Revising Valuation of Union -

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Valuation

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or Orders made on them respectively as follows:)

The Clerk produced the Rate Books for the Electoral Divisions of Ballinrobe, Ballinchalla, Berriscara, Cong, Coonard, Dalgin, Hallymaunt, Inundswood, Kilmaine, Kilkannon, Neale, Newbrook, Owenbrim, Partrayal, Roslee, and Strule, duly certified by him, upon which the said Rate Books were adopted by the Meeting and signed by the Presiding Chairman and two Guardians present thereat.

The Clerk was directed to give Notice of the Rates having been made on the above named Electoral Divisions, and authorised to employ a person to post the Notices and to pay him a sum of One pound as remuneration for his services in that respect.

The following Abstract shows the Total Amount of Rates and Areas on each Electoral Division as appears at foot of the Rate Books signed this day,

| Electoral Divisions | Number of Rates | | Net Annual Value | | | Amount of Rate | | | Amount of Areas | | | Total | | |
|---------------------|-----------------|----------|------------------|----------|----------|----------------|----------|----------|-----------------|----------|----------|----------|----------|----------|
| | £ | ¢ | £ | s | ¢ | £ | s | ¢ | £ | s | ¢ | £ | s | ¢ |
| Ballinrobe | 2 | 2 3/4 | 5233 | 8 | 6 | 450 | 18 | 7 1/4 | 1 | 9 | 3 1/4 | 452 | 7 | 11 |
| Ballinchalla | " | 7 | 277 | 17 | 6 | 6 | 16 | 2 3/4 | " | " | " | 6 | 16 | 2 3/4 |
| Berriscara | " | 19 1/2 | 2013 | 5 | 0 | 76 | 16 | 14 | " | " | " | 76 | 16 | 14 |
| Cong | 2 | 2 3/4 | 2155 | 2 | 0 | 197 | 18 | 9 | " | " | " | 197 | 18 | 9 |
| Coonard | 1 | 0 3/4 | 1157 | 12 | 6 | 51 | 2 | 1 1/2 | " | " | " | 51 | 2 | 1 1/2 |
| Dalgin | 1 | 8 | 2349 | 5 | 0 | 164 | 9 | 10 3/4 | " | " | " | 164 | 9 | 10 3/4 |
| Hallymaunt | " | 11 3/4 | 3296 | 5 | 0 | 115 | 6 | 6 3/4 | " | " | " | 115 | 6 | 6 3/4 |
| Inundswood | 1 | 6 | 2089 | 15 | 0 | 116 | 0 | 10 1/4 | " | 15 | 2 1/2 | 116 | 16 | 0 3/4 |
| Kilmaine | 1 | 3 1/4 | 4110 | 12 | 6 | 170 | 8 | 11 1/2 | " | " | " | 170 | 8 | 11 1/2 |
| Kilkannon | 1 | 0 3/4 | 3435 | 5 | 6 | 148 | 5 | 4 1/4 | " | " | " | 148 | 5 | 4 1/4 |
| Neale | " | 11 1/2 | 2912 | 14 | 0 | 133 | 17 | 1 | " | 14 | 6 3/4 | 134 | 11 | 7 3/4 |
| Newbrook | " | 6 | 2666 | 9 | 9 | 54 | 17 | 7 1/4 | " | " | " | 54 | 17 | 7 1/4 |
| Owenbrim | 2 | 0 | 364 | 2 | 0 | 34 | 17 | 5 1/4 | " | " | " | 34 | 17 | 5 1/4 |
| Partrayal | 3 | 7 | 1208 | 5 | 0 | 38 | 15 | 12 | 10 | 1 | 0 3/4 | 44 | 19 | 2 1/4 |
| Roslee | " | 8 3/4 | 1516 | 17 | 6 | 53 | 6 | 0 1/4 | " | " | " | 53 | 6 | 0 1/4 |
| Strule | 2 | 2 3/4 | 2437 | 15 | 0 | 157 | 1 | 3 1/2 | 3 | 4 | 3 1/4 | 162 | 5 | 6 3/4 |
| Total | £ | ¢ | £ | s | ¢ | £ | s | ¢ | £ | s | ¢ | £ | s | ¢ |
| | - | - | 37,324 | 12 | 3 | 1972 | 16 | 3 | 12 | 4 | 5 | 1985 | 0 | 8 |

Before proceeding with the appointment of Poor Rate Collectors it was Resolved that nine pence in the Pound be the maximum poundage to be allowed for the collection of the Rates now made,

Resolved that Mr. Thomas Reilly be appointed to collect the new Rates made on the Electoral Divisions of Beernis cana, Roske, Newbrook, Hallymount, Cornard, Kilcommon, Kilmaine, Dalgin, Strule and Steale, enclosing Areas of previous Rates, at a poundage of nine pence in the £, on the amount collected and lodged with the Union Treasurer.

Resolved that Messrs. P. Curmiffe and P. Henry both of Homeford, be approved of as his Securities in a Bond for the sum of £ 600.

Resolved that Mr. Thomas Grady be appointed to collect the new Rates made on the Electoral Divisions of Cong and Howlandswood, including Areas of previous Rates, at a poundage of nine pence in the £, on the amount collected and lodged with the Union Treasurer.

Resolved

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 3

Ditto, disallowed Nil

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was Nil

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was Nil

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians Nil

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was Nil

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered Nil

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

Resolved that Mr. William Gallaher of Ashford, and Mr. James Mayne of Davagh, be approved of as his Securities in a Bond for the sum of £ 150,

Mr. A. Neal having declined to accept of the collection of the Rates for the Divisions of Ballinvole, Ballinchara, Owenbrim and Portoyal, at the poundage offered by the Board of Guardians namely at nine pence in the Pound, It is Resolved that the Clerk be directed to advertise by printed handbill, and in the "Mayo Constitution" for a Collector for three Divisions, appointment to be made on this day fortnight,

Resolved, That the Clerk do advertise for Tenders for supplying the Union Workhouse with Potatoes up to the first of September 1858, — Tenders to be considered on this day fortnight. The Clerk is directed to advertise for the Contract by printed handbill and in the "Mayo Constitution",

Resolved that the Schoolmaster John Blake, be allowed three days leave of absence,

Resolved that the Tender of Alex. Pole to insert the Union Advertisements in the Mayo Constitution Newspaper for 12 Months to end on 31st Sept. 1858 for a sum of £ 7. 14. 0 be accepted of —

Resolved that the several parties named in the Schedule hereunder written, be declared Contractors for the supply of the several Articles placed opposite their respective names, at the prices, and for the period, in the said Schedule set forth, and that the Securities also named therein, be approved of,

Article referred to in the foregoing Resolution

| Name of Person Declared Contractor | Description of Articles to be supplied | Price of each Article | Period for which the Contract is to be in force | Name of Person approved of as Security |
|---------------------------------------|---|--------------------------|---|---|
| William Moran | Printed Cotton | 2s per yard | From 29 th Sept 1857 to 25 th Sept. 1858. | Patrick Bergus and James Stammers of Ballinrobe, |
| | Bengal Strike | 7/6 | | |
| | Flannel | 1-0 | | |
| | Linsay Woollsey | 1-1 | | |
| | Conduray | 1-0 | | |
| | Sheeling Calico | 2/6 | | |
| | Maleskin | 1/11 | | |
| | Grey Calico | 1/12 | | |
| | Lining Calico | 1/12 | | |
| | Mirrored Calico | 1/12 | | |
| | Studs | 2/6 | Gross | |
| | Scissors (small size) | 2/6 | Each | |
| | Thread, Black, white and Blay, | 1-6 | per lb | |
| | Reqs | 2-0 | Each | |
| | Wool Shanks | 3-2 | " | |
| | Yarn | 2-0 | per yard | |
| | Linen | 1-7 | " | |
| | Tape | 3-0 | " Dugan picks | |
| | Knives | 1-6 | " Dugan | |
| | Needles assorted | 1-6 | " 100, | |
| | Large Scissors | 1-0 | Each | |
| | Mens and Boys Caps | 2/6 | Each | |
| Thomas Lambke | Best White Bread | 8 1/2 | per 10 lb loaf from 29 th Sept 1857 to | Charles Malloy of Long, and Walker B wks of Ballinrobe |
| | Best Brown Bread | 5 1/4 | " " | |
| | Best 1 st Meal | 10-6 | Cwt. 25 th March | |
| | Best Oaten Meal | 16-0 | " 1858, | |
| Matthew Moran | Beef and Mutton | 4 1/2 per lb | From 29 th Sept 1857 to 25 th March 1858, | John Heneghan and Mick Moran of Ballinrobe |

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on
day of 185 the

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

By Authority—JOHN FALCONER, Printer and Binder to Her Majesty's Stationery Office,
53, Upper Sackville street, Dublin.

Schedule continued

| Name of Person Declared Contractor | Description of Articles to be supplied | Price of each Article | Period for which the Contract is to be in force | Name of Person approved of as Security |
|---------------------------------------|---|--------------------------|--|--|
| Patrick Monahan | Tea - 1 st quality | 2-0 per lb | From 29 th Sept 1857 to 25 th March 1858 | James Stammers and John Stammers of Ballinrobe, |
| | Tea 2 nd quality | 3-4 | " " | |
| | Best Black Pepper | 1-4 | " " | |
| | Best Port Wine | 26-0 | " Dugan | |
| | Best Orlavella Wine | 26-0 | " " | |
| | Best XX Port | 4-2 | " " | |
| | Brown Soap | 4-8 | " Stone | |
| | Dudgones Best Yellow Soap, | 4-8 | " " or 4 per lb, | |
| | Washing Soda | 16-0 | " Cwt | |
| | Best Wheaten Starch | 1-5 | " lb | |
| | Blue | 1-7 | " " | |
| | Best Dipht Candles | 1-8 | " " | |
| | Best Mould Candles | 1-8 | " " | |
| | Best Rice | 24-0 | " Cwt | |
| | Soft Sugar | 7-7 | " Stone or 62 per lb, | |

Witness my hand
Robert Fisher
Wm. Crane & Co

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday the
first day of October 1857.

(Signed)
Thomas May
Clerk of the Union,

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
(No. 27.)

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the _____
UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185
—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management was laid before the Board
with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given
thereon, as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed
to forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to
the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.
On application of the Committee of Management of the _____
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites
were ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of expenses (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Dispensary District.
Account of Mr. for : Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 185, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended

. District £
. District £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. of

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order dated (state subject)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from
stating that

dated _____

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Rollmole UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,703.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,725.7.3

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 26th day of September 1857

| 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, | 1000 | 168 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 1068 | - | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | - | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 2148 | 168 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 2 | 17 | 12 | 35 | 31 | 27 | 16 | 7 | 12 | 161 | In Work-house Hospital, 27 | In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital, 27 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 1 | 1 | 4 | 1 | | | | | 1 | 8 | Total, 37 | Total, 37 | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 3 | 20 | 16 | 36 | 31 | 27 | 16 | 7 | 13 | 169 | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | | | | 1 | | | | | | 1 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | 3 | 20 | 16 | 35 | 31 | 27 | 16 | 7 | 13 | 168 | | | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 26th day of Sept. 1857 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, under 10 Vict. c. 81, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, under 10 Vict. c. 81, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|--|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|--|--|---|---------|-------------------------------------|--|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | |
| No. I. | | | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | | | No. X. | | | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | | | No. XI. | | | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | | | No. XII. | | | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | | | No. XV. | | | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| Car. forward | | | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday the 1st day of October 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, Colonel Charles Stone,
Other Guardians:

G. S. Lindsay, Robert Giche, D. E. Blake,
Thomas Walsh, John Griffin, and John Kearney Junr,
Esquires,

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & Vic., c. 61.

The Warehouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1134 to No. 1144, 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. 10 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:

That he advertised for a Collector for the Divisions of Ballinrobe, Ballinchalla, Owenbrim and Portroyal, as directed by the Board of Guardians, also for tenders for supply of Potatoes,

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, - - - - - £ m

Laid during the week, - - - - - £ 20 17 6

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 176 6 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly Balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

| Name of each Collector | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts | Collected and Lodged | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | | | |
|------------------------|---|----------------------|----|----|-------|----|----|-----------|----|-------|-------|----|-------|-------|-------|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | | |
| Adam Steele | Ballinrobe | | | | | | | 1 | 9 | 4 1/4 | | | | | |
| | Ballinchalla | | | | | | | " | " | " | | | | | |
| | Owenbrim | | | | | | | " | " | " | | | | | |
| | Portroyal | | | | | | | 6 | 1 | 1/4 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | 7 | 10 | 5 1/4 | | |
| Thomas Rutledge | Berriscaua | | | | | | | | | 14 | | | | | |
| | Coonard | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Killymacent | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Kilcommon | | | | | | | | | 14 | | | | | |
| | Newbrook | | | | | | | | | 14 | | | | | |
| | Roslee | | | | | | | | | 14 | | | | | |
| | Shrule | | | | | | | 3 | 4 | 1/4 | | | | | |
| | Dalgin | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| | Kilmaire | | | | | | | | | 14 | | | | | |
| | Neale | | | | | | | | | | | 3 | 19 | 1 | |
| Thomas Gandy | Carry | | | | | | | | | 14 | | | | | |
| | Standswood | | | | | | | | | 15 | 3 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | 15 | 3 1/4 | |
| Totals. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 12 | 4 1/2 |

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 Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ ... was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 15 - 6 s. 11 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was . . . 17. 14 = 65

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was . . . 1 - 45

Average Cost in Infirmary . . . 2 85

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, . . . Nil

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:

Remains of Smelt's work, one Gender. one
 2 of two vials, 1/8 lb of Tea, 10 1/2 lb of
 sugar, 1/2 lb of Pepper, 2 Bolls of Wine, 1/2
 1/2 lb of Butter, 1/2 lb of Dipt Candles, 2 lb
 of Mould Candles, 2 lb of Yellow Soap, 1
 1/2 lb of Starch, 1 1/2 lb of Soda, 1/2 lb of
 Flour, 1 Bottle of Calceatella Wine, 300
 lb of White Bread, 10 lb of Meat, 130
 Gallons of Sweetmilk, 100 lbs of Tallow,
 1000 Salt Provisions

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 Sept. 1857: whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money . . . £ . s. d.
 In kind Nil
 Total Nil

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer | | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer | | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-------|-------------------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-------|-------------------------|---------------|
| | | £ | s. d. | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. | | | £ | s. d. | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. |
| No. I. | | | | | | Forward | | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | | No. X. | | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | | No. XI. | | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | | No. XII. | | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | | No. XV. | | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | |
| Car. frwd. | | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

William Pagan for Materials . . . £ . s. d.
 3 0 4

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

| | £ | s | d | | £ | s | d |
|---------------------------------|----|----|---|--|----|----|----|
| Thomas May Clerk of Union | 27 | 10 | 0 | Alex. Pole for Advertising | 3 | 12 | 0 |
| John Millen Master | 10 | 0 | 0 | Col. Knox for Rent | 6 | 15 | 2 |
| Mary Jennings Matron | 7 | 10 | 0 | John Palmer for Books | 2 | 17 | 0 |
| Ann Hanby Subcontractor | 3 | 15 | 0 | Gov. Kelly for Books & Stationery | 8 | 16 | 0 |
| J. J. Ranshaw Medical Officer | | | | Robt. J. Graham for Medicines | 6 | 2 | 8 |
| Salary | 17 | 10 | 0 | P. Harper for Furniture | 3 | 9 | 10 |
| P. M. Ralph Apothecary | | | | John Watson for Linen | 2 | 9 | 2 |
| Salary | 5 | 0 | 0 | Pellman for Wax | | | |
| Maria Dampney Nurse | 2 | 10 | 0 | Candles | | 8 | 0 |
| Henry Proctor Relieving Officer | | | | Mary M ^{rs} Gove for Provisions | 10 | 11 | |
| Salary | 3 | 15 | 0 | | | | |
| W. J. Broun Relieving Officer | | | | | | | |
| Salary | 3 | 15 | 0 | | | | |

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

| | £ | s. | d. |
|---------------------------------------|----|----|----|
| Pellonaham for Groceries | 8 | 18 | 0 |
| Isaac & Mayne for Bread and Meal | 21 | 10 | 7 |
| Thomas Sample for Potatoes | 8 | 4 | 4 |
| • Nathaniel Moraw for Wheat | 7 | 8 | 11 |
| • Martin Higgins for Wheat | 18 | 4 | 9 |
| • Mary M ^{rs} Green for Turf | 11 | 17 | 0 |

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above
By Disbursements.

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

| | £ | s. | d. |
|---|----|----|----|
| Clerk of Union to provide for payment of, | 12 | 4 | 0 |

By Disb^{ts}

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every month.)—

Number of successful cases:

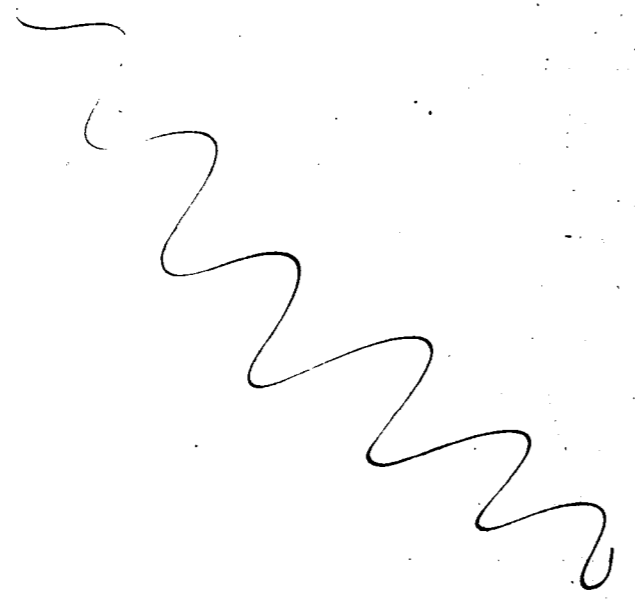
The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

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The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon, as follows:

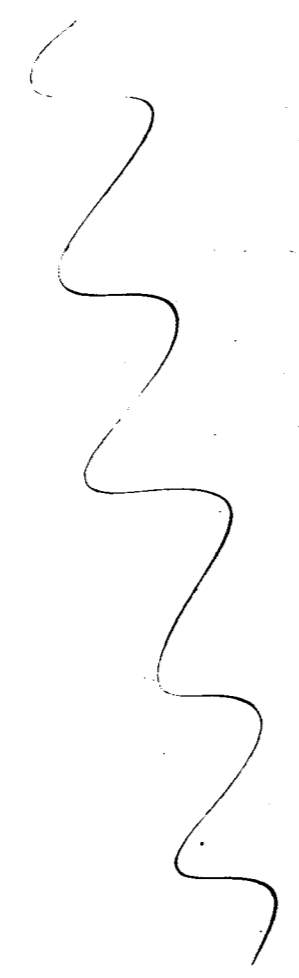
no report from the Master this day

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:



The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk and directions given to answer them respectively to the following effect, (or Orders made on them respectively as follows:)

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners N^o 192 of 57, dated 26th Sept. 1857 regarding the usual Annual Returns of Union Officers in Forms transmitted for that purpose.



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Resolved that the Tender of John R. Ferguson to keep the Workhouse blocks in repair to 29th Sept. 1858 for a sum of £1-10-0, be accepted of.

Resolved that the Matron be allowed an extension of her leave of absence for one week.

The Clerk read for the Board a Letter received from the Education Office of which the following is a copy:—

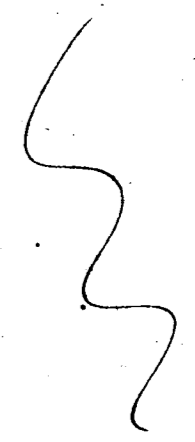
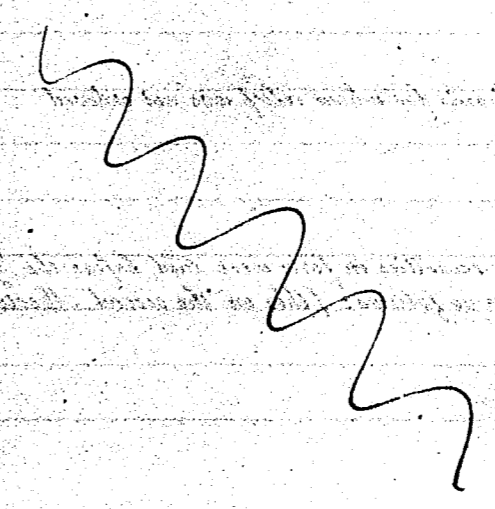
Education Office
25th September 1857

Sir,
We forward, for the information of the Board of Guardians, the following extracts from the Inspector's Report of the 31st inst. on the Ballinrobe Poor Law Union National School,

"The teachers are both classed, and they conduct the school in a careful manner."
"The course of instruction is suitable in the literary department" and the proficiency in the Male School is rather above the minimum standard and reflects credit on the Master, In the Female Department the proficiency at present falls below the required standard owing to the short time the Mistress, who has returned lately from training, has had charge of the school."

We are, Sir,
Yours obed^t. Servants,
Maurice Croft,
James Kelly Secretaries

For the Clerk of the Union
Ballinrobe,



The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

| | |
|---|----|
| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was | 2 |
| Ditto, disallowed | mf |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | 6 |

| | |
|---|-----|
| The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was | Nil |
| Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians | Nil |
| The number of other applicants in the Pochting Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was | Nil |

| | |
|--|-----|
| The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered | Nil |
|--|-----|

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

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Mrs. B. B. B.

*Robert Lupton
Nicholas Walsh*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *8th*
day of *Oct* 1857

(Signed) *Thomas May*

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the *Rathfriland*
UNION, on *Thurs* day, the *first* day of *October* 1857
—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management was laid before the Board
with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given
thereon, as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed
to forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to
the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites
were ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of expenses (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

| | | |
|-----------------------------------|-----------|------------------------|
| Account of <i>Dr. Giff</i> for | Salary | : Amount £ 18 : 15 : 0 |
| Account of <i>Dr. Raughan</i> for | Salary | : £ 18 : 15 : 0 |
| | Rent | : £ 4 : 0 : 0 |
| Account of <i>Dr. Pettit</i> for | Salary | : £ 18 : 15 : 0 |
| | Medicines | : £ 16 - 19 - 3 |
| | Rent | : £ 4 : 0 : 0 |

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 25 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 185 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended

| | |
|----------|---|
| District | £ |
| District | £ |

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. of

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order dated (state subject)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

Misses Bury.
Port Leith
Nicholas Walsh

(Signed)

Thomas May
Clerk of the Union.

Baltimore UNION.

Population in 1851, *37,703*

Present Net Annual Value, £ *38,761-4-9*

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the *3* day of *October* 185*7*

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each Building | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | Total | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|---|---|--|-------------|-----------|--|-----------|--|-----------|---|---|------------------------------|------------|--------------------------------------|---|--------------|--|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | |
| Workhouse, | <i>1000</i> | <i>167</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | <i>1088</i> | <i>211</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | <i>89</i> | <i>29</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | <i>2188</i> | <i>387</i> | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | <i>3</i> | <i>20</i> | <i>16</i> | <i>35</i> | <i>31</i> | <i>27</i> | <i>16</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>13</i> | <i>168</i> | In Work-house Hospital, <i>39</i> | In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital, <i>29</i> | <i>3</i> | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | <i>1</i> | | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | | | | | | <i>3</i> | | | | |
| TOTAL, | | | <i>4</i> | <i>20</i> | <i>17</i> | <i>36</i> | <i>31</i> | <i>27</i> | <i>16</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>13</i> | <i>171</i> | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | | | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | | | | <i>4</i> | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | | | | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | <i>1</i> | | | <i>4</i> | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | <i>4</i> | <i>20</i> | <i>17</i> | <i>35</i> | <i>30</i> | <i>26</i> | <i>15</i> | <i>7</i> | <i>13</i> | <i>167</i> | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *3^d* day of *October* 185*7* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | | | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | | | No. X. | | | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | | | No. XI. | | | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | | | No. XII. | | | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | | | No. XV. | | | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| Car. forward | | | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Thursday* the *8th* day of *October* 185*7*

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

Colonel Charleston,

Robert High, and *Nicholas Ward Esq.*

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 61.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1147 to No. 1149, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. 1 to No. 10, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
 The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.
 The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, - - - - - £ Nil
 Laid during the week, - - - - - £ 31-10-0
 And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was - £ 144-16-0
 The Book was signed by the Chairman.
 The Weekly Balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.

The lodgments made of Rates collected in the several Electoral Divisions appear to have been as follows:—

| Name of each Collector | Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts | Collected and Lodged | | | Total | | | Remaining | | | Total | | | | |
|------------------------|---|----------------------|----|----|-------|----|-----|-----------|----|----|-------|----|------|----|----|
| | | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | £ | s. | d. | | |
| Adam Neale | Ballinacree | | | | | | | 152 | 7 | 16 | | | | | |
| | Ballinacree | | | | | | | 6 | 16 | 8 | | | | | |
| | Downbrinn | | | | | | | 34 | 17 | 5 | | | | | |
| | Partrough | | | | | | | 44 | 19 | 2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | 539 | 0 | 10 |
| Thomas R. L. Ledge | Ferriscara, | | | | | | | 76 | 16 | 16 | | | | | |
| | Coonard | | | | | | | 51 | 2 | 12 | | | | | |
| | Holymount | | | | | | | 115 | 6 | 16 | | | | | |
| | Kilcommon | | | | | | | 148 | 5 | 42 | | | | | |
| | Newbrook | | | | | | | 54 | 17 | 8 | | | | | |
| | Roske | | | | | | | 58 | 6 | 6 | | | | | |
| | Shrule | | | | | | | 162 | 5 | 7 | | | | | |
| | Dalgin | | | | | | | 164 | 9 | 10 | | | | | |
| Kilmaine | | | | | | | 170 | 9 | 0 | | | | | | |
| Stone | | | | | | | 134 | 11 | 5 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1181 | 10 | 4 |
| Thomas Grady | Omig | | | | | | | 197 | 13 | 9 | | | | | |
| | Haroldswood | | | | | | | 116 | 16 | 14 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | 3149 | 10 | 6 |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1983 | 1 | 0 |
| | Totals, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.
 Debit the Treasurers and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 16-1 s. 8^{1/2} was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 16-1 s. 8^{1/2}.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account. £ s. d.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 18. 3. 3^{1/2}

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1-4

Average Cost in Infirmary 2-7^{1/2}

Average Cost in Fever Hospital,

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

17 lbs of Tea, 7^{1/2} lbs of Sugar, 2 lbs of Pepper,
 2 Gallons of Wine, 3 Bottles of Porter, 4 lbs
 of White Candles, 2 lbs of Mould Candles,
 2 lbs of Yellow Soap, ~~2 lbs of Mould Candles~~
 2 lbs of Starch, 14 lbs of Soda,
 1/2 lb of Tea, 200 lbs of White Bread, 200
 lbs of Brown Bread, 10 Cwt. of Ind^o Meal,
 4 Cwt. of Oatmeal, 60 lbs of Meat, 130
 Gallons of Sweetmilk, 60 Boxes of Soap,
 2 Loads of scouring Sand.

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 3rd day of Oct^r 1857, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money
 In kind
 Total
 Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. | | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. |
| No. I. | | | | | Bl. forward | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | No. X. | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | No. XI. | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | No. XII. | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | No. XV. | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | |
| Car. fwd. | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurers with the several sums as above

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Credit Treasurers and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every month.)—
Number of successful cases

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon, as follows.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or Orders made on them respectively as follows:)

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners N^o 202 M/57, dated 1st October 1857, recommending a Return of Current Rates, and any new Rates agreed upon, in the Union, during the month of September 1857,

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners N^o 24196-71/1857, dated 5th October 1857, approving of the appointments of Messrs Thomas Grady and Thomas Kullidge as Collectors of Poor Rates,

Resolved that Mr. Adam Neale be appointed to collect the new Rates made on the Electoral Divisions of Ballinroel, Ballinshallow, Owenbrim, and Portrayal, including Arrears of previous Rates, at a percentage of three pence in the £, on the amount collected and lodged with the Union Treasurer,

Resolved that Messrs Edward Jennings of Ballinroel, and Bryan Kermelley of Milkeenan be appointed of a his societies in a Bond for the sum of £200,

As it is very desirable to have the Rates of the above named Divisions in course of collection immediately, It is Resolved that the Poor Law Commissioners be requested to express their sanction to Mr. Neale's appointment with a little delay as may be practicable, and the Clerk is directed to send to the Commissioners by this day post, the usual answers to the questions connected with Mr. Neale's appointment, as well as the copy of Minutes of this day proceedings

No Tender having been received for supply of Potatoes, and as the Board has no hopes of being able to obtain a contract for supply of that Article of Food - it is Resolved, that Brown Bread be substituted for Potatoes in the Dietary for the Healthy Summits, in the proportions specified in the scale of Dietary which was in force in the Workhouse in October 1856, when the Potato Dietary was agreed upon for the Dinner and supper of the Healthy Summits,

Resolved that Messrs Pettit and Grady Poor Rate Collectors, be called upon to perfect their respective Bonds forthwith,

The Medical Officer submitted an Estimate for medicines which was approved of, and the Clerk was directed to order the Medicines from the Contractor,

Resolved that the Clerk of the Union be paid a sum of £10, as remuneration for the duties imposed upon him under the Parliamentary Voters Act for the past year; and that the Poor Law Commissioners be requested to express their sanction to this payment,

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 3

Ditto, disallowed Nil

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was Nil

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was Nil

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians Nil

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was Nil

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered Nil

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)



William Henry
Robert Lloyd
Robert Lloyd

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *15th*
day of *Oct* 1857

(Signed) *Thomas May*

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the *Parish of*
UNION, on *Thurs* day, the *8th* day of *October* 185*5*
—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 *Long*
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 Estimate was approved of, and
the Clerk directed to order the Medicines, &c., specified
therein 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 | s/ | Amount £ |
| Account of Mr | | |

[This is the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 25 and 26 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 185 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended

| | |
|----------|---|
| District | £ |
| District | £ |

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees: namely:—

Dispensary District, No. of

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order dated (state subject)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Recd Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that _____

John W. King
John W. King
John W. King

W. King

Thomas May
Clerk of the Union.

Pallinolee UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,708

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,761-4-9

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of *October* 1857

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each Building on the above date | Total No. in each Building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | Total | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | |
|---|---|--|-------------|-----------|--|-----------|--|-----------|---|---|------------------------------|------------|--------------------------------------|---|--------------|--|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | |
| Workhouse, | 1000 | 174 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 1068 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 89 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 2168 | 174 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 4 | 20 | 17 | 35 | 30 | 26 | 15 | 7 | 13 | 167 | In Workhouse Hospital, 36 | In separate Wards, 24 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 1 | | 2 | 3 | 3 | | | | | 19 | In Fever Hospital, 24 | In other Hospitals, 24 | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 5 | 20 | 19 | 38 | 33 | 26 | 15 | 7 | 13 | 176 | Total, 36 | Total, 24 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 1 | | | 1 | | | | | | 2 | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 1 | | | 1 | | | | | | 2 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 4 | 20 | 19 | 37 | 33 | 26 | 15 | 7 | 13 | 174 | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 10th day of *October* 1857 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|--|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|--|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | | | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | | | No. X. | | | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | | | No. XI. | | | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | | | No. XII. | | | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | | | No. XV. | | | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| Car. forward | | | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Thursday*

PRESENT: In the Chair,

the 15th day of *October* 1857

Other Guardians:

Courtney Henry Esq

Col. Knox, J. L. Lindsay, Robert Dight, Benjamin W. Jennings, John Kearne junior, Requirer,

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & Vic., c. 61.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1152 to No. 1158, 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. 1151 to No. 1158, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk. The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:

That he wrote to Collectors Rullledge and Grady, calling on them to perfect their respective Bonds.

The Clerk reports that Messrs. Grady and Rullledge, as Rate Collectors, have duly perfected their Bonds.

The Clerk reports that Collector Tho. Rullledge has signed his Bond, and that he forwarded the Bond to the Clerk of the Burnford Union to be signed by Mr. Rullledge's Justice in presence of that Officer.

The Clerk reports that he has not as yet received Mr. Rullledge's Bond from the Clerk of the Burnford Union.

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, - - - - - £ nil

Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 57. 9. 1

And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 87. 6. 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. | | | |
| Adam Steele | Ballinroche Ballinchalla Overburn Patrional | | | | | | | 452 | 7 | 11/2 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 6 | 16 | 3 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 34 | 17 | 5/4 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 44 | 17 | 5/4 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 537 | 0 | 10 | | | | |
| Thomas Rullledge | Reethicarra Covnard Hollerroun Kilbannon Newbrook Ruslee Shule Dalgin Kilmaine Stale | | | | | | | 76 | 16 | 1/2 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 57 | 2 | 1/2 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 115 | 6 | 6/3 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 148 | 5 | 1/2 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 57 | 17 | 8 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 53 | 6 | 1/2 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 162 | 5 | 7/4 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 164 | 9 | 1/2 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 270 | 9 | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 134 | 11 | 8/4 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 1131 | 10 | 14 | | | | |
| Thomas Grady | Cong Hindwood | | | | | | | 197 | 13 | 9/4 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 116 | 16 | 1/4 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 314 | 9 | 10/2 | | | | |
| Totals, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 1785 | 1 | 0/2 |

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 Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 34-10-5 was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 16-5-11 1/2.

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 18.7. 2 1/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1-3 1/2

Average Cost in Infirmary. 2. 7 1/2

Average Cost in Fever Hospital, Nil

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:

- 1 1/2 lb of Tea, 7 1/2 lb of Sugar, 2 lb of Pepper
- 2 Bottles of Wine, 3 Bottles of Porter, 5 lb
- 1 lb of Candles, 2 lb of Mould Candles,
- 14 lb of Yellow Soap, 2 lb of Starch, 14
- 1 lb of Soda, 1/2 lb of Blue, 1 1/2 lb of White
- Bread, 720 lb of Brown Bread, 65 lb of Aleat,
- 130 Gallons of Sweet-milk, 60 Boxes of
- 12 lb of Salt, 2 lb of Gevines, 2 Cwt
- 2 Rat Traps, 2 Mouse Traps, 5
- boards for Coffins,

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 10th day of Oct. 1857; whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money £ 511

In kind Nil

Total Nil

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

| Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer | By Order on Contractors | | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer | By Order on Contractors | |
|---------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-------|---------------------------|-----------------------|-------------------------|-------|
| | | Article and quantity | Value | | | Article and quantity | Value |
| No. I. | | | | Blowward | | | |
| No. II. | | | | No. X. | | | |
| No. III. | | | | No. XI. | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | No. XII. | | | |
| No. V. | | | | No. XIII. | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | No. XIV. | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | No. XV. | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | No. XVI. | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | No. XVII. | | | |
| Car. fwd. | | | | TOTAL. | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account. £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Inmate Account

Debit Workhouse Inmate Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above

4. Out-door Relief Inmate Account

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Inmate Account with the several sums as above

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every month)
Number of successful cases:

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made therein as follows:

The Report of the Workhouse Master was read as follows—

Dallinroble Workhouse
15th October 1857

Gentlemen,
Mary O'Connell an able-bodied inmate aged 18 years, would be taken out by her friends, if you'll grant her a suit of clothes, she has none of her own, having been in the Workhouse for the last six years.

There are required for the Infirmary
Sweeping Brushes, and half a Dozen of Tin
Pans, I also request your permission to employ
William to cart and make small, the grates
in the Infirmary (and for which I will require
a few fire Bricks) to open and clean the
doors of the Laundry, and the sink holes in the
kitchen.

I also very much require for the use
of the Infirmary and Infirmary, One Dozen of Buckets,
and to get them now in need repaired,
one hand Cart, Two Wheelbarrows, and Two
Handbarrows.

The Schoolmaster requests you will
purchase, a Bottle, and two Cups and Saucers,

On Yesterday the Workhouse Potatoes
were all consumed, I therefore commenced with
the Bread Bread Duty for Dinner to day,

The Provisions and Necessaries delivered
during the week were good.

I am, Gentlemen,
Your Obedt. Servt.
John Mullen
Master,
Dallinroble Union,

with

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were read before the Board and directed given thereon, as follows:

With reference to the Clerk's report, it is Resolved -

That he be authorised to procure for the purposes stated by him, 5 Smoothing Brasses, Half a Dozen of Tin Basins & Tins, and for the Schoolmaster use, a Tallow, and two cups and saucers, That he be authorised to employ a Mason to re-set & make small, the grate in the Infirmary,

That the Clerk be directed to advertise by Printed handbill for Tenders for One Dozen of Buckets, 3 Tubs, One hand Cart, Two Wheelbarrows, Two Handbarrows, and for repair of the Cuts in

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 (for Copies made in the respective cases):

Buckets now in use in the House, Tenders to be considered on this day fortnight

That the Clerk be directed to procure suitable Clothing for Mary Cullinane,

The following Letter from the Poor Law Commissioners was read by the Clerk,

Letter No. 25337/1857. Dated 12th October 1857, approving of the appointment of M. Adams Stone as a Poor Rate Collector in the Ballinacree Union,

The Board having examined the Temporary Sheet Buildings erected on the Workhouse premises in the Summer of 1850, finds that the Timber Roofing is fast decaying, and not likely to last much longer without the outlay of a considerable expenditure for Felt, Coal Gas. &c. &c. and as there is no necessity for the accommodation which these Buildings afford, they being unoccupied for nearly Six years, It is Resolved that the Poor Law Commissioners be requested to sanction the Sale of these Buildings, and when the Board receives the sanction of the Commissioners, it will agree upon the conditions of the Sale, and also give directions for the issue of an advertisement stating these conditions, as well as the day upon which the sale will take place,

Resolved that Dr. Roushew be allowed One Week's leave of absence, and that Dr. Pugh be appointed to perform the duties until he returns,

The Clerk submitted the following Collecting Warrants which were duly signed and Sealed Namely:-

Collecting Warrants for Electoral Divisions of Ballinacree, Ballinacree, Berriscurra, Cong, Coonard, Dalgin, Hallymount, Houndswood, Kilmaine, Kilnamon, Skeel, Stebrook, Owenbrim, Rathgal, Ralte, and Thrale,

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

| | |
|---|-----|
| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was | 2 |
| Ditto, disallowed | nil |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | 7 |

| | |
|--|-----|
| The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was | nil |
| Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians | nil |
| The number of other applicants in the Poorhouse Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was | nil |

| | |
|--|-----|
| The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered | nil |
|--|-----|

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

Mrs. May -
Robt. Lister
John W. Crane

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Monday* the *20th*
day of *October* 1857

(Signed) *Thomas Clark*

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the *Pallurola*
UNION, on *Thurs* day, the *15th* day of *Oct* 1857
—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

*An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the
Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management was laid before the Board
with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given
thereon, as follows:*

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the
Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of
having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed
to forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to
the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.*

*On application of the Committee of Management of the
Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites
were ordered to be supplied:*

The following Accounts of expenses (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Dispensary District.
Account of Mrs for : Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 25 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the United Kingdom, for the half-year ended 29th Sept^r 1857, 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 29th Sept^r 1857

| | |
|--------------------|---------------|
| Kallinore District | £ 47 : 1 : 10 |
| U. District | £ 45 : 4 : 0 |
| Northman District | £ 62 : 3 : 9 |

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.]

The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr. of

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order dated (state subject)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Diseases Prevention 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 _____

Mrs. Mary
Robt. Tigh
Whiteame Dr

(Signed)

Thomas Hall
Clerk of the Union.

Ballinroche UNION.

Population in 1851, 87,703

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,761-4-7

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of October 1857

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated 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, | 1000 1/2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 10 1/2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | 80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 1080 1/2 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | 4 | 20 | 19 | 37 | 33 | 26 | 15 | 7 | 13 | 174 | In Workhouse Hospital, 36 | In separate Wards, In Fever Hospital, 4 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 1 | | | | | | | | 1 | In Fever Hospital, 1 | In Wards, 4 | | |
| TOTAL, | | 4 | 21 | 19 | 37 | 33 | 26 | 15 | 7 | 13 | 175 | Total, 36 | Total, 4 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | | 1 | 1 | | | 1 | | 1 | 4 | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | 1 | | | | | | 1 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | | | 1 | 2 | | 1 | | 1 | 5 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | 4 | 21 | 18 | 35 | 33 | 26 | 14 | 7 | 12 | 170 | | | | |

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 17th day of October 1857, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | | | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | | | |
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COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday

the 20th day of October 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, Colonel Charles Knox,
Other Guardians:

Robert Pight and John Keane junr.

Esquires

[Signature]

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & Vic., c. 61

and the examined these of adjourned to
The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated from No. ~~to~~ 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~~ inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman and countersignature of the Clerk.
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:

That he received the Bond of Collector
Thomas R. W. [unclear] duly perfected,

That he advertised for Guardians for Subs. Deputies
in the manner directed by the Board of
Guardians,

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, - - - - - £ 71/-
Paid during the week, - - - - - £ 57. 19-3
And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 29. 7. 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. |
| Thomas Neale | Ballinacree Ballinchalla Droghda Partridge | | | | | | | 152 | 7 | 15 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 6 | 16 | 8 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 34 | 17 | 5 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 44 | 19 | 2 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 539 | 0 | 10 | |
| Thomas R. W. [unclear] | Derrycara Doonard Kilbarnet Kilcommon Lawbrook Roslee Shirley Dalgair Kilmair Keale | | | | | | | 76 | 16 | 15 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 57 | 2 | 15 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 115 | 6 | 17 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 148 | 5 | 15 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 54 | 17 | 8 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 63 | 6 | 15 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 162 | 5 | 7 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 164 | 9 | 10 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 170 | 9 | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 184 | 11 | 8 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 1131 | 10 | 4 | |
| Thomas G. [unclear] | Cong Harristown | | | | | | | 197 | 13 | 9 1/2 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 116 | 16 | 14 | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | 3149 | 9 | 10 1/2 | |
| Totals. | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

NOTE.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.
Debit the Treasurers and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 11 was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

- 1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
- 2. The Provision Check Accounts.
- 3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 22 8 s. 4d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was £ 18 4 9/10

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was £ 1 5 6

Average Cost in Infirmary £ 2 5 7

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:

2000 of Fine Brick, 5 Sweeping Starch, 14 lbs of Soda
 1 bushel, 2 White wash Brushes, 2 Cups 1/2 lb of Blue, 3 Bolls
 and 1/2 pence, 1 Kettle, 100 of Common of white Bread, 5 Bolls
 Brick, 7 Yards of printed Cotton, 3 1/2 Yards of Brown Bread, 65 lbs
 1/2 Hamel, 5 Yards of Calico, 2 Dezen of Meat, 125 Gallons
 1/2 of Cape, a Wool Shawl, 2 lbs of of Sweet milk, 60
 White thread, 2 lbs of Black thread, 1 Box of Soap.
 5 Boxes of Sticks, 2 Barrels of Lime,
 170 lbs of Tea, 70 lbs of Sugar, 1/2 lb of
 paper, 1 Bottle of Wine, 3 Bottles of
 ater, 5 lbs of Light Candles, 2 lbs of Mould
 Candles, 24 lbs of Yellow Soap, 2 lbs

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 17th day of Oct. 1857 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

£ s. d.
 In money 14
 In kind 14
 Total 28

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------|-----------------|---------------------------|-------------------------------|-------------------------|---------------|
| | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. | | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. |
| No. I. | | | | | Blforward | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | No. X. | | | | |
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| No. IX. | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | |
| Car. frwd. | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account £ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.
The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every month.)—
Number of successful cases:

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon as follows:

The Reports of the Master and other Officers were read and Orders made thereon, as follows.

No Report from the Master this day

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or Orders made on them respectively as follows:)

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners
 N^o. 26 278/1857, date 21st October 1857, stating
 that the Commissioners do not object to the
 proposed sale of the temporary shed buildings
 erected on the Workhouse premises in the year 1850,

The Poor Law Commissioners having
 sanctioned the sale of the shed buildings of the
 Workhouse Ordered that the Clerk be directed to
 summon a Meeting of the Board of Guardians
 for Thursday next the 29th Inst. to agree upon
 the terms of sale, and to fix upon the day on
 which it will take place,

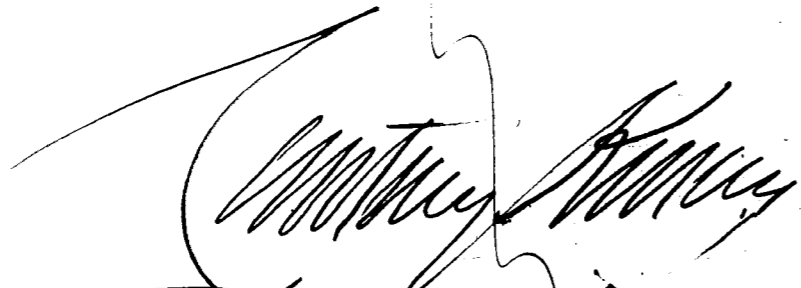
The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

| | | | | |
|---|---|---|---|-----|
| The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was | - | - | - | 1 |
| Ditto, disallowed | - | - | - | Nil |
| The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was | - | - | - | Nil |

| | | | | |
|--|---|---|---|-----|
| The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was | - | - | - | Nil |
| Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians | - | - | - | Nil |
| The number of other applicants in the Poorhouse Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was | - | - | - | Nil |

| | | | | |
|--|---|---|---|-----|
| The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered | - | - | - | Nil |
|--|---|---|---|-----|

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)


~~Anthony Henry~~
Nicholas Walsh

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Sunday the 29th
 day of October 1857
 (Signed) Thomasell
Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the

UNION, on _____ day, the

day of

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—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 Act for Amount £

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 25 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 185, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended

District £
District £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms B 1 and B 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, No. of

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order dated (state subject)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Nuisances, Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Rollins UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,703.

Present Net Annual Value, £ 38,761-4-9

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 24th day of October 1857

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each Building | Total No. in Workhouse 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, | 1000 | 161 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 1068 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | 80 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | | 2148 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 4 | 24 | 18 | 35 | 33 | 26 | 14 | 7 | 12 | 170 | In Workhouse Hospital, 36 | In separate Ward, 4 | | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | - | 1 | 1 | | | | | | | 2 | In Fever Hospital, 2 | In Ward with other inmates, 2 | | |
| TOTAL, | | | 4 | 22 | 19 | 35 | 33 | 26 | 14 | 7 | 13 | 173 | Total, 36 | Total, 4 | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | | 2 | | 3 | 1 | | 2 | 1 | 2 | 11 | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | 1 | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | | 2 | | 3 | 1 | | 2 | 1 | 3 | 12 | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 4 | 20 | 19 | 32 | 32 | 26 | 12 | 6 | 10 | 161 | | | | |

RETURN of Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 24th day of October 1857, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|--|---|---|---|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|--|---|---|---|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicants and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
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| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
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COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Thursday*

the 29th day of *October* 1857
 PRESENT: In the Chair, *Courtney Kemmy Esq*
 Other Guardians:

Colonel Stone, John Keane junior, and Nicholas Walsh Esquires

[Handwritten signatures]

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

Notices of Marriage between the parties hereunder named having been received from the District Registrar by the Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7 & 8 Vic., c. 81

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1158 to No. 1162 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. 1158 to No. 1162, 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, - - - - - £ nil
 Paid during the week, - - - - - £ nil
 And that the Balance on the Account in favor of the Guardians was - £ 29. 7. 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. | | | |
| Adam Neale | Ballinrobe Ballinacalla Owenbrinn Portogal | | | | | | | 452 | 7 | 16 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 6 | 16 | 8 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 34 | 17 | 8 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 44 | 19 | 2 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 5 | 0 | 10 | | |
| Thomas Rutledge | Duniscarra Corrard Hollymount Tullonman Newbrook Rocles Shrule Dolgin Trehaine Keale | | | | | | | 76 | 16 | 16 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | 57 | 2 | 4 1/2 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 115 | 6 | 1 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 148 | 5 | 1 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 54 | 17 | 8 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 53 | 6 | 1 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 162 | 5 | 7 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 164 | 9 | 1 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 170 | 9 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | 184 | 11 | 8 1/2 | | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | 113 | 10 | 1 1/2 | | |
| Thomas Grady | Cong Strandwood | | | | | | | 197 | 13 | 9 1/2 | | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | 116 | 16 | 1 1/2 | | | | | |
| | | | | | | | | | | | | | | 314 | 9 | 1 1/2 |
| Totals. | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |

Note.—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.
 Debit the Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

- 1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
- 2. The Provision Check Accounts.
- 3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 18. 8 s. 7 1/4 d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was

Average Cost in Infirmary.

Average Cost in Fever Hospital.

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

17 1/2 lbs of Tea, 7 lbs of Sugar, 1 lb of 9 lbs of Nails, 10 lbs of Soap, 1 Bottle of Wine, 3 Bottles of Porter, 5 lb Nails, 6 lbs of 1/2 Nails, 7 lbs of Dist. Candles, 2 lbs of Mould Candles, 3 lbs of 1/2 Nails, 12 1/2 lbs of Yellow Soap, 2 lbs of Starch, 1 lb of spikes, 1 lb of Soda, 1/2 lb of Blue, 1 Bottle of Castorilla Wine, 2 lbs of Wax Candles, 12 Cwt of 1st Meal, 3 Cwt of Oatmeal, 100 lbs of white Bread, 100 lbs of Brown Bread, 105 lbs of Meat, 130 gallons of sweet milk, 60 Boxes of Yeast, 2 do feet of plank, 1 pair of Iron Springs, - one weaving Lope, 1 faden Line,

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 Oct. 1857: whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In money,

In kind,

Total.

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Books.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. | | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. |
| No. I. | | | | | Bl. forward | | | | |
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| No. IX. | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | |
| Car. fwd. | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

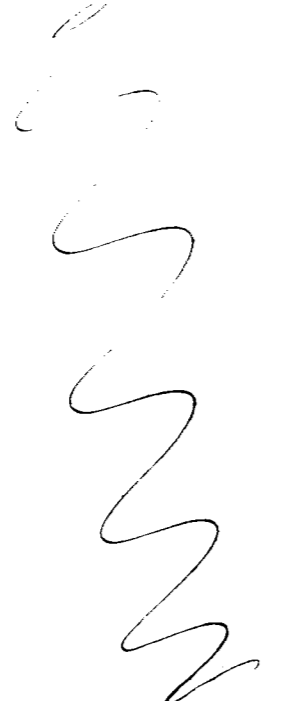
£ s. d.

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:



The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders made on them respectively as follows):

The Board of Guardians having examined the stock of Clothing, Bedding, Provisions and Necessaries in the Workhouse, found the same to be correct, and to agree with the Union Books, - The following worn out Clothing & Bedding were ordered to be condemned and used in repairs,

| | |
|------------------|--------------------|
| 14 Blankets | 52 Boys Coats |
| 78 Rug | 7 " Waistcoats |
| 14 Men's Coats | 150 " Trowsers |
| 8 " Waistcoats | 34 " Shirts |
| 27 " Trowsers | 17 " Stockings |
| 66 " Shirts | 150 " Caps |
| 48 " Stockings | 100 Girls Trowsers |
| 50 " Caps | 57 " Petticoats |
| 60 Women's Gowns | 40 " Shifts |
| 147 " Petticoats | 235 " Bibs, |
| 59 " Shifts | |
| 53 " Aprons | |
| 70 " Caps | |

The Clerk reports that he summoned a Meeting of the Board of Guardians for this day, to consider the question of the sale of the Shed Buildings, the conditions and day of sale, &c. &c.

The Board having carefully considered these several matters, it was Resolved -

That three of the Ranges of the Shed Buildings be sold by Public Auction on Thursday the 26th day of September 1857.

That one Range of the Shed Buildings - the Roof of which does not appear to be so much injured as the others, be kept and repaired at the proper season,

That the Doors and Window Sashes of the Shed Buildings be sold, but that the Frames be not removed,

Resolved that a large number of Flax & Woolen Wheels, and Looms with their tackle be also sold by public Auction on the 26th inst. Pro.

Resolved that the Clerk be authorized to employ Mr. John Casey of Castlebar Auctioneer to conduct the sale, and to get handbills notifying the sale printed, and to make every other arrangement in relation to the sale that may be requisite,

Resolved that the Board accept of the Tender of James Burns to supply 12 Buckets at 5/6 per, and three Clubs at 5/6 per,

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 2

Ditto, disallowed nil

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was nil

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was Nil

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians Nil

The number of other applicants in the Picturing Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was Nil

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered Nil

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

*Wm. Henry
Trustee
Nicholas Walsh*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *5th*
day of *Nov* 1857

(Signed) *Thomas May*

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68.
[No. 27.]

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the

UNION, on _____ day, the _____

day of _____

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—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 _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____

District. £
- District. £

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] The Board elected the following Rate-payers to be Members of the Committees of Management of the following Dispensary Districts respectively:—the Clerk to make a return accordingly to the Poor Law Commissioners, and to issue the prescribed Notification to the Members elected and to the Medical Officers of the respective Dispensary Districts, in pursuance of Articles 1, 2 and 3, of the General Regulations for Dispensary Districts.—The Clerk was also directed to supply Check Books of Medical Relief Tickets, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

_____ Dispensary District, No. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order dated _____ (state subject)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, or the Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, from the Poor Law Commissioners and others, were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect (or Orders were made on them respectively as follows):

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

Ballinrobe UNION.

Population in 1851, 37,703

Present Net Annual Value, £ 57,520. 2-0

STATE of the WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 31st day of *October* 1857

| Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided | No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date | Total No. in each building on the above date | Able-bodied | | Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working | | Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age | | Children above 5 and under 9 years of age | Children above 2 and under 5 years of age | Infants under 2 years of age | Total | RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS | | OBSERVATIONS | | |
|---|---|--|-------------|------|--|------|--|-------|---|---|------------------------------|-------|---|---|---|---|--|
| | | | Males | Fem. | Males | Fem. | Boys | Girls | | | | | Number in Hospital on the above date | No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date | | | |
| Workhouse, | 1070 | 164 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Temporary Buildings, | 188 | 21 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Additional Workhouse, | 11 | 21 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Permanent Fever Hospital | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Fever Sheds, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| TOTAL, | 2148 | 164 | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return, | | | 4 | 20 | 19 | 32 | 32 | 21 | 12 | 6 | 10 | 161 | In Workhouse Hospital, In Fever Hospital, | 37 | In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, | 4 | |
| Admitted during the Week, | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 2 | 1 | - | 1 | - | - | 8 | Total, | 37 | Total, | 4 | |
| TOTAL, | | | 5 | 21 | 20 | 34 | 33 | 26 | 13 | 6 | 11 | 169 | | | | | |
| Discharged during the Week, | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | 1 | 5 | | | | | |
| Died, | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | | |
| Total Discharged and Dead, | | | 1 | 1 | 1 | 1 | | | | | 1 | 5 | | | | | |
| REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, | | | 4 | 20 | 19 | 33 | 33 | 26 | 13 | 6 | 10 | 164 | | | | | |

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 31st day of *Oct. 1857* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vict. c. 31, s. 1. | | Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in Sec. 1. | | Total relieved out of the Workhouse | |
|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|-----------------|---|--|---|--|-------------------------------------|---------|
| | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons | | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Number of cases relieved | Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her | Cases | Persons |
| No. I. | | | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | | | No. X. | | | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | | | No. XI. | | | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | | | No. XII. | | | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | | | No. XV. | | | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | | | |
| Car. forward | | | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | | | |

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on *Thursday* the 5th day of *November* 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Courtney Perry Esq*
 Other Guardians: *Colonel Sturges, & N Walsh Esq*
Richard Bourke Esq. Barr Law Insp. attended the Meeting.

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 8-12. It was produced and passed.

The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature:

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 24-15-6

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 17-1-5/4

Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1-5/2

Average Cost in Infirmary 2-6/4

Average Cost in Fever Hospital

The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

12 lbs of Tea, 7 lbs of Sugar, 1/2 lb of
 pepper, 3 Bottles of Wine, 4 Bottles of Porter,
 7 lbs of Dipht Candles, 2 lbs of Mould Candles,
 2 1/2 lbs of Yellow Soap, 2 lbs of Starch, 14 lbs
 Soda, 1/2 lb of Blue, 300 lbs of White
 Bread, 1000 lbs of Brown Bread, 65 lbs of
 Meat, 130 Gallons of Sweetmilk, 65
 boxes of 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 31 day of Oct 1857 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

£ s. d.

In money 10/1
 In kind 10/1
 Total 20/2

Credit each Relieving Officer, as per Receipt and Expenditure Book.

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, checks on the Treasurer, and orders on Contractors, were duly signed and delivered to each of them, of the following amounts and value, respectively:

| RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | | RELIEF DISTRICT | Name of Relieving Officer | By Check on Treasurer £ s. d. | By Order on Contractors | |
|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|-----------------|---------------------------|----------------------------------|-------------------------|------------------|
| | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. | | | | Article and quantity | Value £ s. d. |
| No. I. | | | | | Bt. forward | | | | |
| No. II. | | | | | No. X. | | | | |
| No. III. | | | | | No. XI. | | | | |
| No. IV. | | | | | No. XII. | | | | |
| No. V. | | | | | No. XIII. | | | | |
| No. VI. | | | | | No. XIV. | | | | |
| No. VII. | | | | | No. XV. | | | | |
| No. VIII. | | | | | No. XVI. | | | | |
| No. IX. | | | | | No. XVII. | | | | |
| Car. fwd. | | | | | TOTAL, | | | | |

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills having been duly examined, and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Checks for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and signed, namely:

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

Petty Disbursements' Acct.

Check of Union to provide for payment of 14 0 0

Petty Disbursements,

Debit Clothing Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

2. Establishment Account.

Debit Establishment Account and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Debit Workhouse Invoice Account, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.

The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read (this on the first Meeting in every month.)

Number of successful cases: Master of the Workhouse

The Report of the ~~Visiting Committee~~ was read, and ~~Orders~~ made thereon as follows:

Gentlemen,

Ballinacorney Workhouse

5th November 1857

Pat Sweeney aged 10 Years an Orphan admitted in March 1852, would be now taken out by his Aunt, if you order him a suit of new clothes; he has none of his own,

I request you will be good enough to order a Dozen of Shirts, and about 80 Pin Cards for the

Infirmary

Infirmary, also a Pot which is much required for boiling strabont in the Infirmary

A supply of Clothing Materials is required, of which I beg to submit the following estimate,

- 200 Yards of Lincay Woolsey
- 200 Yards of Harpel
- 500 Yards of Bengal stripe
- 300 Yards of Shiting Calico
- 100 Yards of Lincay Calico
- 200 Yards of Union Calico, for Girts
- Bibs and 100 Womens Caps,
- 100 Yards of Corduroy
- 100 Yards of Frize

The large Washing Trough in the Laundry was broken and leaking, and on employing a Carpenter to repair it, I found it was all quite rotten; I am therefore getting a new one made, having procured the material from Mr. Jergas, Contractor,

On the 18th of June last, I suggested to the Board of the Board and their Officers were read and Orders made thereon, as follows:

For the Necessity of closing up with Masonry the Wooden Ventilators of the two wing Buildings; because that being so badly constructed, they admit the rain, which would eventually rot the flooring of the Dormitories; but you were not then of opinion that it would be well to close them, — I would again respectfully bring the matter before you, and would say that these Ventilators could be cheaply and conveniently closed on the inside, without removing the Wooden Ventilators, which would obviate any further damage to the flooring.

The Provisions & Necessaries delivered to me during the week were good.

I am Gentlemen,

Yours obed^t Serv^t

John Mullen M^r.

To the Board of Guardians
Ballinacorney Union

With reference to the Master's Report it is Resolved that he be authorized to procure suitable Clothing for Patient Sweeney, and for the use of the Infirmary, 1 Doz of Lin Shirts, 80 Pin Card-holders, and a Pot for boiling strabont,

That

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon, as follows:

That the Board approve of the Master getting a new trough for the Laundry made, and of his having procured the necessary materials for the work from Mr. Fergus Contractor,

That the Master be authorized to take the necessary steps to have the Ventilators closed on the inside as suggested by him,

That the Estimate of Clothing Materials be approved of.

The following Letters from the Poor Law Commissioners and others were read by the Clerk and directions given to answer them respectively, to the following effect, (or Orders made on them respectively as follows:)

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners N^o 219-80/57, dated 29th Oct. 1857 on the subject of Milk Contracts,

Circular Letter from R Griffith Esq, Commissioner of Valuation, dated 31st October 1857, stating that the finally revised and amended Government Valuation Lists of the several Townlands comprised in Ballinacree Union, have been forwarded to the Clerk of the Union for the use of the Board of Guardians.

The Clerk informs the Board of Guardians that he received the Valuation Lists referred to in the above Circular Letter, on Tuesday, the 3rd Instant,

Circular Letter from Poor Law Commissioners N^o 216-80/57, dated 2^o Nov. 1857, regarding a Return respecting the Rates made, and any new Rates agreed upon, in the Union, during the month of October 1857,

Letter,

Letter from Poor Law Commissioners N^o 27 407/57 dated 14th Nov. 1857, stating that they have received a communication from the Commissioner of Valuation to the effect that the finally revised and amended Valuation of Ballinacree Union was forwarded to the Board of Guardians on the 31st Oct. and drawing the attention of the Board to the 32nd Section of the Val. Act 15th & 16th Victoria which provides that in every Rate to be made from the receipt of the finally revised List of Tenements or Hereditaments in each Year by the Board of Guardians the Tenements or Hereditaments included in the List shall be rated according to the Value thereof as set forth in that List,

Resolved that the Clerk be directed to notify by printed handbill circulated in the Union, that the finally revised and amended Tenement Valuation is now deposited with him for inspection of Rate-payers,

Mr. Bourke Poor Law Insp^r, drew the attention of the Board of Guardians to the fact that the Books required to be kept in pursuance of the Act 12 & 13 Vic Cap 102, Section 24, were not regularly filled up,

The Board of Guardians having assigned the duty of keeping these Books to the Relieving Officers, three Officers were called before the Board and informed that the Board would strictly require that the Books should be regularly and accurately filled up, and that any future complaint of neglect would be seriously noticed,

Resolved that Thomas Henry a Pauper should be granted a pass for two days, to enable him to visit his son and daughter who reside about 14 Miles from the Workhouse,

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The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief, were considered and decided on as set forth in the Application and Report Books.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 4

Ditto, disallowed Nil

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was 4

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was Nil

Do. do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians Nil

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officer's Books relieved by order of the Guardians was Nil

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered Nil

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on *Thursday* the *19th* day of *Nov* 185*7*

(Signed) *Thomas Hoey*
Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic., c. 68. }
[No. 27.] }

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the UNION, on _____ day, the _____ day of _____ 185____
—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68.; and NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the _____ Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management was laid before the Board with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon, as follows:

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the _____ Dispensary District, in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of _____ having been received from him, the Clerk laid the Invoice before the Board, and (was directed to forward the same, or reported that he had forwarded the same, as the case may be,) to the Medical Officer of the District, retaining a Copy of the Invoice for the use of the Guardians.

On application of the Committee of Management of the _____ Dispensary District, the following supplies of Books, Stationery, Forms, or other requisites were ordered to be supplied:

The following Accounts of expenses (or statement of Salaries due, as the case may be) under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board and Directions were given for payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given):

Dispensary District, _____
Account of No. _____ for _____ Amount £ _____

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 25 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended _____ 185____, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended _____

District £
District £

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Dispensary District, No. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Poor Law Commissioners under the Medical Charities Act were laid before the Board, and directions given thereon as follows:—

Order dated _____ (state subject, _____)

The following Letters on matters arising under the Medical Charities Act, on 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):

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stating that

dated

(Signed)

Clerk of the Union.

