

# ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Population in 1851.....53,862.

Present Net Annual Value,....£109,800

AREA, in Statute Acres, 190,689.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

1<sup>st</sup> 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 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 & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse.	18	453												
Permanent Buildings,														
Additional Workhouse,														
Permanent Fever Hospital,														
Over Sheds,														
TOTAL.														
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			31	117	40	93	60	60	38	10	21	475	In Workhouse Hospital.	In separate Wards.
Admitted during the week.			3	5	1		2				1	12	In Fever Hospital.	In Wards with other inmates
TOTAL.			34	122	40	94	60	62	38	10	22	487	Total.	Total.
Discharged during the week,			7	5	2							14	Did none	
Died.														
Total Discharged and Dead,			7	5	2							14		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			24	117	46	94	60	62	38	10	22	473	NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1855	

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. 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.
No. I.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
Total....						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Thursday, the 6<sup>th</sup> day of November 1856

PRESENT: In the Chair,

*G. C. Roberts*, and subsequently  
*J. Callin*

Other Guardians:

*D. O'Flaherty*, *P. Doyle*, *N. Harp*  
*G. Hore*, *M. Doyle*, *A. Jordan*, *P. Enlery*  
*P. Doran*, *P. G. F. Henry*



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 and 8th Vic., c 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 576 to No. 600, both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature 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 counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That the Vice Chairman finding it very inconvenient to send the Clerks Bond for inspection of the Auditor each half year, it became necessary for the Board to make an order for its deposit in other hands.

Ordered That the Clerks Bond be placed in the custody of the Treasurer by the Auditor — the Clerk to write to Mr. Drabdel to that 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, ... .. £ 214 2 11

Paid during the week, ... .. £ 9 17 0

And that the Balance on the Account *In favor* the Guardians was £ 200 9 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 Collector's Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			Date of last attendance.
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
MICHAEL DORAN....	Enniscorthy, - - -	71	14	0				916	10	9				5 Nov.
	Total, -				71	14	0				916	10	9	
MICHAEL BYRNE....	Ferns, - - -	8	18	4				179	16	3				5th Nov.
	Tinacross, - - -							117	0	4				
	Kilboro, - - -							44	2	0				
	Ballycarney, - - -	7	5	6				61	19	0				
	Total, -				16	3	10				402	10	8	
WM. FITZPATRICK...	Newtownbarry, - - -							572	13	4				27 Oct
	Killrush, - - -							30	17	7				
	Tombrack, - - -							136	7	6				
	Cranmore, - - -							41	4	2				
	Total, -										791	2	7	
JAMES DOYLE.....	Ballyhogue, - - -							117	11	7				
	Clonmore, - - -							133	19	7				
	The Leap, - - -							133	19	6				
	Ballyhuskard, - - -							163	12	9				
	Kilmallock, - - -							152	10	10				
	Edermine, - - -							166	9	1				
	Total, -										808	11	4	
JOHN CULLEN,.....	Killan, - - -	20	0	10				141	8	0				3rd Nov.
	Clonroche, - - -							180	19	9				
	Castleboro, - - -							108	10	7				
	Total, -				20	0	10				431	6	4	
WILLIAM GAHAN....	Monart, - - -	14	16	0				104	4	4				5th Nov
	Killoughram, - - -	19	9	9				162	15	7				
	Ballindaggin, - - -	26	15	1				71	13	7				
	Castledockrell, - - -							75	12	0				
	Total, -							64	3	10				
DARBY LEARY,.....	Kiltealy, - - -	8	13	9				106	10	12				5th Nov
	Rossard, - - -							68	6	4				
	St. Mary's, - - -	7	17	11				54	17	4				
	Total, -				16	11	0				229	13	9	
EDWARD GAHAN....	The Harrow, - - -							27	9	5				5th Nov
	Ballymore, - - -							29	11	7				
	Kilcormick, - - -	25	8	9				27	7	10				
	Total, -				25	8	9				264	8	10	
HENRY WALSH,.....	Castletalbot, - - -							129	2	9				
	Castleellis, - - -							115	5	7				
	Bolaboy, - - -							93	15	1				
	Ballyvaldon, - - -							86	9	8				
	Total, -										420	13	1	
	Total, £				214	2	11				4059	11	3	

NOTE: A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union.  
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 £ 5.5.11 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.

Exp 6.2.7  
 Cls 1.6.4  
 Exp 3.0  
 Exp 13.0  
 Exp 1.0  
 £ 5.5.11

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

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 46.19.10 3/4

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... 1.11

Average cost in Infirmary, ... 3.0 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 4.11 1/2

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

Bread 2400 lb	244 lb
Meat 90 "	Whiskey 1120 "
Cornmeal 1120 "	Canflax 16 lb
Butter 250 lb	Starch 3 1/2 "
Direct milk 950 "	Wash 3 1/2 "
Salt 112 lb	Beer 1/2 "
Tea 142 3	
Sugar 240 "	

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 for the several Relieving Officers, were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of

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

£ s. d.

In Money, ...  
 In Kind, ...

Total ...

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week, having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.	
			Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
Total....				

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.
26	James Leary	Shoes	✓	17	1 2
27	P. J. Roche	do	✓	18	15 0
28	C. J. Donnelly	do	✓	26	17 6

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

#### 2. Establishment Account.

17	Alexander Thom	Stationery	✓	5	2 0
18	Mr. Graham	Plumbers Contract	✓	2	0 0
19	Thomas Wilkinson	Shoe repairs	✓	1	0 0
20	David Connors	Shoes repairs	✓	1	17 0
21	Robert Tennant	Shoe repairs	✓	2	8 2
22	Mary Walsh	Cartmen	✓	1	12 8
23	J. Henrick	Shoe repairs	✓	2	1 7
24	Mr. Donke	do	✓	2	1 7
25	Severance O'Brien	do	✓	2	1 7
26	Patrick Walsh	do	✓	2	1 7
27	Philip Harris	Agriculturist	✓	2	14 4
28	Patrick Murphy	Shoe repairs	✓	5	0 0

Fever Hospitals

23	Samuel Grobison	Shoe repairs	✓	27	11 2
24	Mr. Macgibbon	Shoe repairs	✓	11	18 6
25	M. J. Hartman	Shoe repairs	✓	7	19 8

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



## 3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

6	Thomas G. Leckie	Bread, malt & flour	✓	146	6	10
7	James Deryng	Groceries & Chandlery	✓	18	4	7
8	Edw. Shelton	Coal	✓	20	5	10
9	Mary Davis	Smeltmill	✓	11	10	10
10	Robert Forgrave	Smeltmill	✓	7	14	0
11	Andrew Doyle	do	✓	6	5	3
12	John Keating	Smeltmill	✓	5	14	0
13	Wm. Henson	do	✓	1	10	3
14	James Deryng	do	✓	5	14	10
15	Thomas Keating	Whiskey	✓	2	11	2
16	Nicholas Henson	Meat	✓	7	5	8

## Elections &amp;c. &amp;c. &amp;c. &amp;c.

99/ 29 J. Kennedy, Remuneration under franchise Act 25 . .

## Burials

97/ 30 John Green Coffins ✓ 24 0

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

## 4. Out-Door Relief Invoice Account.

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

Orders on Contractors and others were signed for the following:

1 Gal Coal oil, 1 Gal Lamp oil,

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

## Medical Officers Report

Remaining from last week or Hosp'd diet 54  
Admitted during the week or Home diet 3  
7.11

Discharged cured 12  
Sent to Fever Hosp'd 1  
Died 0 13

Remaining or Hospital diet 54  
" or Home diet 7 61

Number in Dist Wards 30

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

## Masters Report

No. 125 M. Doyle of Marley proposes taking out a boy named John Martin provided the Board give him a List of clothes. Martin was admitted in April 1853. charged on Killybegs Division. Ordered The Boy having been engaged in the Shoemaker Shop and progressing in his trade for which he seems better suited than for a farm servant the Guardians do not approve of discharging him. he is but 14 years of age.



AGRICULTURIST'S REPORT:

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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):—

Dated 3<sup>rd</sup> Nov. 56 } Enclosing Form of Return of Rates  
N. 239 } made or agreed to be made in the  
Union during the month of October  
last.

" 5<sup>th</sup> Nov. 56 } In reference to the Annual Return  
N. 27492 } of Union Officers. from which it  
appeared that the appointment of the  
Fever Hospital Nurse was not yet  
confirmed, and enclosed a sheet of  
questions for answer in her respect.



## Ordinary Proceedings

A Letter was read from the Secretaries of the National Board of Education giving an Extract from the last report of their Inspector on his recent visit to the Workhouse Schools

"Both Teachers Eugene O'Callaghan and Bridget Stapleton are well qualified and skilful. The Course of Instruction and training given in the Schools is well designed to cultivate habits of Industry and order, as well as to communicate a knowledge of the ordinary Literary Branches

The amount of proficiency attained seems to me respectable, and I am of opinion that the Teachers are discharging their duties conscientiously and with success.

On examination of the Collectors Accounts it was found that some who ought had made no Judgments this week - the Clerk was directed to write to Messrs Doyle, Walsh and Fitzpatrick cautioning them to attend to their Collections and make due exertion in their respective Districts immediately

A Letter of Security was read from William Hafford of Artrament for flaps being given out to be dressed to James Partley, but upon consideration the Clerk was directed to get his Bond for £10. that being the probable value of flaps given out at one time to be dressed

A Letter was read from the Agent of Sir Clement Walsleys Estate enclosing a Bill of Poor Rates received from William Gahan, Collector complaining that the Land after many years Rent having accumulated has passed from the possession of the late Tenant, and being now occupied by another the claim was unjust, inasmuch as the Collector could have found distress on the land from time to time but neglected acting under his Warrant, and praying the Board to examine into his complaint

Ordered William Gahan Collector is directed to attend for examination on the next Board day.

A Letter was read from M. P. Murphy Architect, claiming to 4. 5. 10. payment for Plans, Estimates & Specifications for Fever Hospital on Workhouse ground, also for proposed alterations and additions to the present Emisworthy Fever Hospital



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Hospital in the month of April last.

on consideration it was  
 Ordered that if Mr. Murphy give a receipt in full  
 for the sum of £5. the Board will grant a  
 cheque to that amount but no more.

Mr. Doran gave notice that on this day fortnight  
 he will move, that if there is to be but one Relieving  
 Officer his salary be raised to £35 per ann  
 on condition of his giving up his whole time  
 and attention to the duties of his office

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	...	...	...	...	'12
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	...	

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	...	...

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	...	...	...
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*John A. Kelly*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 13<sup>th</sup>  
 day of November 1856



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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORTHY UNION, on  
Thursday, the 6<sup>th</sup> day of Novemb 1856,—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and  
Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 1849.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Limerick 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:—

*Ordered, That the Medicines and appliances be supplied*

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 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,)

*Murray*  
Clerk of the Union.



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STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

8th day of November 56

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building 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.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	No. of Inmates and Idiots in the above Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse.	1341445													
Permanent Buildings.														
Additional Workhouse.	22017													
Permanent Fever Hospital.														
Fever Sheds.														
TOTAL.	1761462													
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			24	11	74	6	94	60	62	35	10	22	42	In Work-house Hospital. 36 In separate Wards. 28
Admitted during the week.			2	5	3	1		1				12		In Fever Hospital. 37 In wards with other inmates 32
TOTAL.			26	16	77	7	95	61	62	35	10	34		Total 75 Total 60
Discharged during the week.			2	9	1	4		1		1	3	21		
Died.							2					2		
Total Discharged and Dead.			2	9	1	4	2	1		1	3	23		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			22	7	13	40	91	58	62	30	7	19	46	

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	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.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
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, J. L. L. by

Other Guardians: W. J. Farmer, L. Smithman, D. O'Sherry,  
 J. L. Franfield, P. Doran, S. Browne, W. Cloney, G. Hore,  
 J. Harp, P. Linn, W. Macenther, A. Jordan, M. Doyle,  
 S. Doyle, S. Keating, S. Graham, G. P. Roberts, S. Kallin, J. P. Moly,  
 The Chair was subsequently filled by D. Moly



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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 608 to No. 620, both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature 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 counter-signature of the Clerk.  
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read to the following effect:—

That as directed last Board day he transmitted a copy to the Auditor of the order of the Board expressing their desire that he should lodge the Clerk's Bond in the hands of the Treasurer.  
That he had written to about a Hundred Union, for the Abstracts of their Accounts also for information as to the number of Fever Hospitals maintained in each and the Date of last Rates made

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, ... £ 238. 4. 5  
Paid during the week, ... £ 35. 4. 10. 8  
And that the Balance on the Account *In favour* the Guardians was £ 864. 2. 11.  
The Book was signed by the Chairman.  
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	Total, -				87	18	2				828	12	7	
MICHAEL BYRNE....	Ferns, - - -	7	0	0				172	14	7				12 Nov.
	Tinacross, - - -	10	3	0				106	18	12				
	Kilboro, - - -							44	2	0				
	Ballycarney, - -							61	19	0				
	Total, -				17	3					385	13	9	
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	Total, -				45	6	1				845	16	6	
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	Total, -										414	5	10	
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1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
2. The Provision Check Accounts.
3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

list 5.3.0  
to 9.13.6  
£5.16.6  
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By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £46.5.10 1/4

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account. ... £ s. d. 46.5.10 1/4  
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 ... 1.11  
Average cost in Infirmary, ... 3.0  
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 4.5  
The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:—

Bread	2400 lb	Pepper	14 lb
Meat	90 "	Whiskey	1/2 gal
Coffee	1120 "	Conc	400 cut
Salt	250 gal	Candles	16 lb
Suet	996 "	Soap	112 "
Salt	112 lb	Starch	3 1/2 "
Tea	50 "	Wine	3 1/2 "
Sugar	240 "	Shoe	1/2 "

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the day of

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

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

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week, having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.	
		£ s. d.	Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
Total ....				

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.

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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.

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

## 4. Out-Door Relief Invoice Account.

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

Orders on Contractors and others were signed for the following:

1 cut nail rod. 1, 12 in flat file. 2 lbs car grease  
 1 gal motor oil. 1 gal train oil. 2 sheets drawing paper  
 1 1/2 hairs. 3 Good clopwood.

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

Medical Officer Reported

Remaining from last week on Hosp. diet 54  
 Admitted during the week on Home diet 71  
 125

Discharged cured 4  
 Sent to Fever Hospital 0  
 Died 0 Total 4

Remaining on Hosp. diet 60  
 " on Home diet 2 62

Number on Infirmary diet out of Hospital 48  
 " in Sick Wards 30

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

Masters Report

None





AGRICULTURIST'S REPORT:

He had commenced raising the Mangold  
on Monday last, and required more help  
fearing the frost would set in.

Ordered that the Mangold be raised at once  
and the wheat sown as soon as possible.



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

Dated 10 Nov. 56 } In reference to the Clerk's Bond being  
N. 28844 } placed in the Custody of The Treasurer

Ordered the Commissioners are referred to the order  
of the Board on the 6<sup>th</sup> Inst. made on the  
Clerk's report.

" 11 Nov. 56 } Sanctioning the appropriation of a portion  
N. 28247 } of the Poor's Wards for the accommodation  
of females of improper character.

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):—

" 12 Nov 56 } Sanctioning the payment of £25  
N. 29366 } as remuneration for the Clerk's services  
under the Parliamentary Voters Act.

" 12 Nov 56 } Sanctioning the appointment of John J. J.  
N. 24333 } as Head Nurse in the Connemara Fever  
Hospital.

" 11 Nov. 56 } In reference to the replies to questions  
N. 28742 } regarding the appointment of Mr. Garrett  
Murphy as Siding Officer, requesting the  
Guardians to reconsider the question of the  
appointment at a salary not remunerative  
and of appointing Wardens throughout the  
Union.



In reply to this Letter it was  
 Proposed by Mr. Roberts  
 Seconded by Mr. Callin.  
 That the Relieving Officer for this Union be  
 required to reside in the Town of Ennisorthy  
 it being the most central position, and the  
 population of the town being so great in  
 accordance with the suggestion of the Commissioners  
 wished.

To which an Amendment was  
 Proposed by Mr. Dwyer  
 Seconded by Mr. Mauntchen  
 That Mr. Murphy having been elected Relieving  
 Officer for the Union on an Advertisement which  
 did not require any particular Residence  
 and at the time of election the Residence  
 of Mr. Murphy having been stated by him,  
 and considered with an office in Ennisorthy  
 to be satisfactory - we now think he is not bound  
 to reside in the ~~town of~~ Ennisorthy, and therefore  
 request that the Commissioners will sanction this  
 appointment.

The Chairman took Votes when there appeared  
 to be.

For the Resolution &  
 Amendment of  
 and he declared the Amendment carried

Mr. Lett gave notice that on Thursday the  
 27th November 1856 - He will move that Owen  
 Foley be transferred from the Leaf Division to that  
 of Ennisorthy, where it appears he resided for  
 upwards of 12 months previous to his last admission.  
 Foley was first admitted to the Workhouse on  
 the 30th December 1851 where he remained until  
 the 2nd August 1853 - He then left the Workhouse  
 and remained out until the 30th October last,  
 when he applied for admission and was again admitted  
 on the Leaf Division altho he was out nearly 14  
 months and agreeably to the Commissioners Letter Dated  
 the 2nd April 1856 N. 8679 ought to be charged on  
 Ennisorthy Division."

At the request of Mr. Murphy Architect the  
 Clerk again submitted his application for payment  
 of making out plans & specifications he having  
 refused to accept the proposed remuneration  
 Ordered That a cheque be drawn for the Balance of  
 Mr. Murphy's Account, namely £2.5.10

A Letter was read from Mr. Johnson Agent  
 under Chancery to the lands of Monalee enclosing  
 a Bill of Arrears demanded of him by Collector  
 William Gahan, complaining that those arrears  
 were



were allowed to accrue from time to time  
and that the Collector must not have done his duty

The Collector was called up and examined  
was appointed in September 1853 and found  
the greater portion of these arrears given to  
him on his Books at the time, that during  
the last year he visited the lands some times  
and found no distress thereon. the lands having  
lain waste until now

Ordered That an application be made again for  
payment of these Rents to the Receiver and  
if not paid to make application to the Court  
of Chancery

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	...	...	...	1
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	12

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	...	...
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	...	...	...

John Maken V.L.  
20<sup>th</sup>  
Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the  
day of November 1856



MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORTHY UNION, on  
Thursday, the 18 day of November 1854—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and  
Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 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 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,)*

*J. Mahony*  
*Murphy*  
Clerk of the Union.



# ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Population in 1851.....53,862.

Present Net Annual Value,....£109,800

AREA, in Statute Acres, 190,689.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

15<sup>th</sup> day of November 1856

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building above date	Total No. in each building 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 & 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.	154	446													
Permanent Buildings.															
Additional Workhouse.															
Permanent Fever Hospital.	220	19													
Fever Steds.															
TOTAL.	154	446													
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	27	113	48	91	58	62	35	9	19	462		In Work-house Hospital.	36	In separate Wards.	28
Admitted during the week.	4	7	1		1				1	1	15	In Fever Hospital.	19	In Wards with other inmates	39
TOTAL.	31	120	49	91	59	62	35	10	20	477		Total.	55	Total.	67
Discharged during the week.	2	3	1		2	1			1		10				
Died.	1									1	2				
Total Discharged and Dead.	3	3	1		2	1			1	1	12				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	28	117	48	91	57	61	35	9	19	465					

Died in W. House 1  
" in F. Hospital 1

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1855 639

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. 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.
No. I.						
No. II.						
No. III.						
Total....						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Thursday, the 20<sup>th</sup> day of November 1856

PRESENT: In the Chair, *E. Maher Esq.*

Other Guardians: *Wm. J. Fetherston, W. P. Harman, J. G. Cranfield, B. O'Shaughnessy, J. Geth, W. J. Wallace, J. Pommer, P. Doran, G. B. Roberts, G. Wore, P. Jordan, E. Drinn, A. Doyle, P. Donohoe.*



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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 620 to No. 625, both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature 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 counter-signature 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, ... £392.10.4

Paid during the week, ... £51.9.4

And that the Balance on the Account the Guardians was £205.3.11

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collector's Districts.	Collected and Lodged.	Total.	Remaining.	Total.	Date of last attendance.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
MICHAEL DORAN....	Enniscorthy, - -	50 8 9		778 3 10		18 Nov
	Total, -		50 8 9		778 3 10	
MICHAEL BYRNE....	Ferns, - -			172 14 7		19 Nov
	Tinacross, - -	14 3 10		92 14 3		
	Kilboro, - -			44 2 0		
	Ballycarney, - -	8 6 10		53 12 2		
	Total, -		22 10 8		363 3 0	
WM. FITZPATRICK...	Newtownbarry, -	53 5 6		578 11 10		19 Nov
	Killrush, - -	9 2 7		109 17 1		
	Tombrack, - -	14 10 1		98 18 4		
	Cranmore, - -			41 4 2		
	Total, -		76 18 1		768 18 5	
JAMES DOYLE.....	Ballyhogue, - -	19 16 0		95 12 3		19 Nov
	Clonmore, - -	10 2		127 19 6		
	The Leap, - -			127 9 2		
	Ballyhuskard, - -	1 2 5		162 10 4		
	Kilmallock, - -			152 18 10		
	Edermine, - -	16 8 3		150 0 10		
	Total, -		37 16 10		816 1 2 1/2	
JOHN CULLEN,.....	Killan, - -			114 0 9 1/2		11 Nov
	Clonroche, - -			180 19 9		
	Castleboro, - -			108 18 7		
	Total, -			403 19 0 1/2		
WILLIAM GAHAN....	Monart, - -	18 8 9		88 10 7 1/2		17 Nov
	Killloughram, - -	38 1 11		124 14 0		
	Ballindaggin, - -	11 3 6		60 10 2		
	Castledockrell, - -	22 2 9		53 9 2 1/2		
	Total, -		89 16 11		324 9 0	
DARBY LEARY,.....	Kiltealy, - -	8 6 9		98 3 4		18 Nov
	Rossard, - -	16 7 8		57 18 7		
	St. Mary's, - -	10 16 4		44 0 11 1/2		
	Total, -		35 10 9		194 2 10 1/2	
EDWARD GAHAN....	The Harrow, - -			87 9 5		17 Nov
	Ballymore, - -	2 7 1		60 17 8		
	Kilcormick, - -	15 10 11		71 17 10		
	Total, -		18 8 0		220 4 11	
HENRY WALSH,.....	Castletalbot, - -	18 5 3		110 17 5 1/2		18 Nov
	Castleellis, - -	8 10 0		102 15 6 1/2		
	Bolaboy, - -	23 1 8		70 13 4 1/2		
	Ballyvaldon, - -			86 9 8		
	Total, -		49 16 11		370 16 0 1/2	
	Total, £		381 6 11		4239 10 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. 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 £41.5.3 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.

*Invoice*  
0.12.4  
2.17.7  
12.9.4  
0.9.2  
0.9.6  
14.8.5  
4.8.5

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £64.1.11

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

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 46.0.6

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... 1.11

Average cost in Infirmary, ... 3.0 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 4

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

Bread	2400 lb	Whiskey	per gal
Meat	100 "	Candles	16 lb
Butter	1120 "	Starch	3 1/2 "
Buttermilk	250, 8 1/2 lb	Wine	3 1/2 "
Suet	1036 9 1/2 lb	Beer	per
Eggs	112 lb		
Tea	50 lb		
Sugar	240 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 for the several Relieving Officers, were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

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

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

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week, having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.	
		£ s. d.	Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
Total....				

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.

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

Orders by Contractors and others were signed for the following:

6 months Camp Black 2 Gal Lamp Oil 1 Gal  
 maul oil, 3 cwt Nails Coals. 1 Camp. 2 doz Spindles  
 12 gross Apron tape 12 gross frock tape.

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

## Medical Officer Reported

Remaining from last week on Hosp diet 60  
 Admitted during the week on Home diet 8  
 73

Discharged cured 8  
 Sent to General Hosp. 0  
 Died 1 9

Remaining on Hospital diet 55  
 " on Home diet 9 64

Transfer on General diet out of Hospital 38  
 " in Diet Ward 30

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

## Masters Report

Number in Original Building 1443  
 " Emigration General Hosp. 14  
 " New Prison " 4  
 " Cast " 0  
 " Corresponding Wk in 1853 461  
 Difference 641  
 180

Deaths in Prison 1  
 " Emigration Hosp. 1 2

The Visitors Book having been read contained a Report from Mr. Drogan Sub-Inspector of Armagh District Schools—that he had inspected the Workhouse Farm and examined a class of boys in Agriculture in the School. The appearance of the Green crops now on the Farm, and the returns from the Grain crop already disposed of may be considered set down as a fair average result showing evidence of what should be regarded as tolerably



tolerably good management under ordinary circumstances — but under the peculiar disadvantages that must present themselves here with weak and unskilful labour — I think there is evidence of great industry and attention in the management — I am sure indeed some points which I would wish if practicable to see materially improved — but considering the appliances in Commerce with the Yeats, I think more efficient Management could hardly be expected — I am glad to find that the preparatory Culture for next year's green crop is getting on progress at this early and favorable period — and I cannot too highly commend the skilful and thorough efficient manner in which it is effected. It certainly forms a very strong contrast to similar work performed at an earlier period of the year. The Agricultural classes show a medium proficiency — indeed as much as can reasonably be expected from their limited capacities as regards literary knowledge. It is to be regretted that a few of those who are on the Farm — who seem to be the most backward in literary intelligence are able to avail themselves of the Agricultural instruction in the School — it is confined almost exclusively to the trades boys who receive no practical training on the Farm — consequently have no means of becoming acquainted with the utility or application of the industrial knowledge thus acquired by a dry abstract form. Something should be done to remedy this defect. I will recommend a gratuity for the half year 1856 —

AGRICULTURIST'S REPORT:

That he had commenced ploughing for the winter wheat, but would require the services of four horses for a few days having about six acres to put in — The Mangold will be all raised tomorrow — called attention to the seed wheat supplied, as he thought the sample not as good as it should be for the price — He wanted 1 cwt of chaff, 3 lbs Bone Stone, and 1 pair ploughing reins — also 2 bush more of good seed wheat.

Ordered That the Agriculturalist, for the seed wheat sent from Dublin — the Clerk to write to Toole & Massey to state that the wheat contained much inferior which ought to have been taken out by sieving for seed sample. The Guardians consider that a reduction of 4/- per Bush should be made.

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

at which reduction the price would be equal to the present price. — That Mr. James Fallon be requested to supply 2 bush of Best White Wheat he can procure in the market. that 30 bush of Lime be procured for the wheat crop 1 cwt of Salt. 4 lbs of Bone Stone to steep the wheat. the cultivation to be in drills.

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)

Dated 11 Nov 56 } Referring to the proceedings of the 23<sup>rd</sup> Nov. 28247 } Mr. in reference to the arrangement proposed for providing accommodation for female inmates of improper character.

Ordered That the Estimate of cost having been referred to a Committee who reported that they considered it too much for the object. On further consideration it was

Ordered That the proposition for a Ward for improper females be referred back to the Committee and that Mr. Roberts be added to the names already on it. viz Messrs. Hore, Fallon, Bolger, & W. Farquhar. the Clerk to notice the Committee for 12 o'clock that day.



## Ordinary Proceedings

A Letter was read from the Secretaries of the Education Commissioners enclosing a gratuity to the Schoolmaster £3. and one to the Schoolmistress £2. 10. 0 — with receipts to be filled and returned for same.

A Letter was read from the Medical Officer of the Out-patient Dispensary relative to the House now used as a Dispensary — that Mr. Flood the Owner in fee of the House had recently paid a visit there, inspected the House, Books, & returns of expenditure &c. and expressed his approval of its effective and economical management that he made enquiries as to the views of the Guardians regarding their occupancy of the House after the 25th March next, when the premises will come into his hands. — that the Medical Officer, showed from the Minute of the 5th of August last where the Committee expressed their wish to become permanent tenants. — that Mr. Flood complained there had been no application made to him on the subject on part of the Board of Guardians — and desired that the Medical Officer would make it known that Mr. Dring, Secretary will determine on the 25th March next — and that if the Committee be desirous to continue possession of the House they ought to send their proposal or that he will accept the first favourable proposal who offers or have the House pulled down. Mr. Flood further desired it to be stated that as the House was built a Public Institution at a cost of £21,000 he is willing to continue its service till for public accommodation — and will receive favorable any application that the Guardians of Omiscorthy Union may address to him — up to the present time he has never heard on this matter from them that he made this communication with the Committee of Mr. Flood.

After much consideration it was  
Moved by Mr. Fallon. and  
Seconded by Mr. Sweetman  
That when Mr. Flood shall have the School House

of Dring in his own hands. the Guardians will be happy to treat with him.

The Guardian of Clonmore having stated that Michael Coagrove farmer had died on Monday about 10 or 11 o'clock without having been visited by the Doctor to whom he sent a ticket between 10 & 12 o'clock on Sunday — stating that he had taken bad with an urgent complaint.

Ordered That the Medical Officer of Clonmore be requested to attend the Board on next Thursday.

Mr. Doran gave notice that he will postpone the Motion of the Books for to day to this day fortnight and that the Guardians be summoned by the Clerk for consideration of the question on that day.

Mr. Roberts gave notice that on this day fortnight he will move that in consequence of one Dring's Office having been appointed for the entire Union, and considering the central position in this Union of the town of Omiscorthy — its great and increasing population, the urgent cases daily occurring amongst the large number of poor in the town — the constant influx of destitute poor from other parts of the Union — the surrounding Country and other Unions — the comparatively few cases of destitution occurring in the rural districts, it is the opinion of the Board that the Relieving Officer should reside in the town of Omiscorthy where the greater number of cases requiring immediate attention will arise.

Ordered That the Bill of Law Costs furnished by Mr. Elliot in case of Staff. Le. Peter. be taxed by Mr. O'Sullivan Solicitor



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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	...	...	...	...	5
Ditto, disallowed	...	...	...	...	15
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	...	

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	...	...
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	...	...
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	...	...	...	...

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered

*Geo. Hore*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 27th day of November 1886

*W. Kennedy*



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

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

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and  
Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 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 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,)

*Geo. Horne*

*Murray*  
Clerk of the Union.



**ENNISCORTHY UNION.**

Population in 1851.....53,862.

Present Net Annual Value, . . . . £109,800

AREA, in Statute Acres, 190,689.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

29<sup>th</sup> day of November 1869.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working.				Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse,	154	42												
Permanent Buildings,	220	18												
Additional Workhouse,														
Permanent Fever Hospital														
Fever Sheds,														
TOTAL,	176	470												
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	28	117	48	91	57	61	35	9	19	465				
Admitted during the week.	4	4	1		1				1	11				
TOTAL,	32	121	49	91	58	61	35	9	20	476				
Discharged during the week,	3	1								4				
Died, - - - - -		1								1				
Total Discharged and Dead,	3	2								1				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	29	119	49	91	58	61	35	9	19	470				

In Work-house Hospital, 358  
In separate Wards, 28  
In Fever Hospital, 36  
In Wards with other inmates, 32  
Total, 76      Total, 30

Died in Workhouse! 1  
" in F. Hoagl. 1  
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NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1855 *Brixton* 654

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. 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 cases relieved.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
Total....				

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Thursday, the 27<sup>th</sup> day of November 1856

PRESENT: In the Chair, G. Horne Esq., and  
Subsequently S. Ballin Esq.

*Other Guardians :*

Other Guardians:

J. G. Cranfield, W. A. Lammie, J. Sweetman  
 J. Lett, A. G. Lye, A. Browne, M. Doyle, A. Jordan  
 Edw. Hone, A. Keating, G. C. White, A. Doyle  
 W. Cloney, A. Quinn

*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 and 8th Vic., c 81.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 635 to No. 646, both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature 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 counter-signature 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 received the sum of £7.13.4 in a Bank Post Bill from Mr. W. Johnson of Rumpfistown, come to discharge the rates and arrears due on the Townland of Monalee in the Division of Ballindaggan — that as soon as the Collector comes in he shall hand him the Post Bill and get a regular receipt and forward it to Mr. Johnson to whom he wrote to that effect —

That the List of Division of Valuation were placed before the Board for inspection and the orders of the Board thereon.

For Order ~~For~~ Ordinary Proceedings, —

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, ... £439.10.5

Paid during the week, ... £164.8.5

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £1640.5.11

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 Collector's Districts.	Collected and Lodged.	Total.	Remaining.	Total.	Date of last attendance.
MICHAEL DORAN....	Enniscorthy, - - -	£ 64 8 1	£ 64 8 1	£ 713 15 8 1/2	£ 713 15 8 1/2	24 Nov
	Total, -					
MICHAEL BYRNE....	Ferns, - - -	£ 8 3 4		£ 164 13 0		26 Nov
	Tinacross, - - -	£ 8 15 8		£ 92 14 3 1/2		
	Kilboro, - - -			£ 38 6 3 1/2		
	Ballycarney, - - -	£ 7 0 0		£ 46 11 10		
	Total, -		£ 22 19 0		£ 339 5 5 1/2	
WM. FITZPATRICK...	Newtownbarry, - - -	£ 105 0 10		£ 413 15 0		24 Nov
	Killrush, - - -	£ 6 6 0		£ 103 11 1		
	Tombrack, - - -	£ 17 9 7		£ 81 8 9		
	Cranmore, - - -			£ 41 4 2		
	Total, -		£ 128 16 5		£ 640 2 0	
JAMES DOYLE.....	Ballyhogue, - - -			£ 95 72 5 1/2		26 Nov
	Clonmore, - - -	£ 1 3 7		£ 126 5 7 1/2		
	The Leap, - - -	£ 3 13 11		£ 123 15 2 1/2		
	Ballyhuskard, - - -			£ 162 10 3 1/2		
	Kilmallock, - - -	£ 16 11 3		£ 136 7 1/2		
	Edermine, - - -	£ 9 12 4		£ 140 8 6		
	Total, -		£ 31 1 1		£ 785 0 12 1/2	
JOHN CULLEN,.....	Killan, - - -	£ 46 3 1		£ 67 17 8 1/2		25 Nov
	Clonroche, - - -	£ 15 17 11		£ 162 1 10		
	Castleboro, - - -	£ 2 10 0		£ 55 7 4 1/2		
	Total, -		£ 66 11 0		£ 315 13 11 1/2	
WILLIAM GAHAN....	Monart, - - -			£ 25 75 7 1/2		17 Nov
	Killoughram, - - -			£ 124 14 0		
	Ballindaggan, - - -			£ 60 10 2		
	Castledockrell, - - -			£ 53 9 2 1/2		
	Total, -				£ 324 9 0	
DARBY LEARY, .....	Kiltealy, - - -	£ 28 9 10		£ 74 13 6		26 Nov
	Rossard, - - -			£ 60 17 8		
	St. Mary's, - - -	£ 8 1 6		£ 35 79 8		
	Total, -		£ 31 11 4		£ 171 10 10	
EDWARD GAHAN....	The Harrow, - - -	£ 11 6 3		£ 76 3 2		24 Nov
	Ballymore, - - -	£ 6 1 6		£ 54 16 2		
	Kilcormick, - - -	£ 11 4 0		£ 60 13 9 1/2		
	Total, -		£ 28 11 9		£ 191 13 1 1/2	
HENRY WALSH,.....	Castletalbot, - - -	£ 34 15 3		£ 75 79 3		25 Nov
	Castleellis, - - -			£ 102 15 6 1/2		
	Bolaboy, - - -	£ 9 13 6		£ 60 19 10 1/2		
	Ballyvaldon, - - -			£ 86 9 8		
	Total, -		£ 44 11 9		£ 326 4 4	
	Total, £		£ 439 10 5		£ 3807 14 6	

NOTE—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. 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 £ 6.3.2 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.*



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

4. Out-Door Relief Invoice Account.

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

Orders on Contractors and others were signed for the following:

1 gal Lamp oil. 1 gal wood oil. 3 lb hemp.  
4 lb Lime Stone. 112 lb Salt.

Medical Officer Reported

Remaining from last week on Hosp<sup>l</sup>. diets 50.  
Admitted during the week <sup>on Home diets</sup> 9.  
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Discharged cured 10.  
Sent to General Hospital 0.  
Died 1. Total 11

Remaining on Hospital diets 56.  
" on Home diets 2. 58.

Number on Suffering diets, out of Hosp<sup>l</sup>. 28.  
" in Short Ward, 80.

That the Master is confined to bed from an attack of ~~gout~~ <sup>Sciatica</sup> and Lumbago these two days back, and will be unable to do duty for some time.

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

Master Reported

N. 156 He regretted that he was unable to attend the Board's meeting this day being hindered with a pain in his back and hip, and confined to bed for the last 2 days.

N. 127 He submitted a Letter sent to an Immigrant named James Murphy from his sister who is in Australia enclosing £8.0.0. He therefore hopes the Board will grant him £10.0.0 for the purpose of repaying his expenses out. He hoped to lay before the Board the probable cost of outfit and passage viz.

2 Coats	0. 10. 0	Antiferr?	2. 10. 6
2 Petticoats	0. 6. 0	2 Towels	0. 1. 0
2 Undershirts	0. 4. 0	1 Box	0. 3. 6
6 Shirts	0. 6. 0	Expenses to Liverpool	0. 5. 0
2 pair Shoes	0. 7. 0	Wine	1. 0. 0
2 Handkerchiefs	0. 1. 6	Total Cost	4. 0. 0
2 pair Stockings	0. 5. 0	Steering passage	14. 0. 0
1 Shawl	0. 3. 0		18. 0. 0
Cash for Master's repairs	6. 0. 0	Cash in hand	8. 0. 0
Exp. candles &c	2. 0. 0	Required	10. 0. 0
			18. 0. 0
			£2. 10. 6



128 The Porter stated to him yesterday that the Master was sending out 2 Bonfires of gills which he prevented. The Master had allowed them out on one occasion before expecting the practice would not be continued - but he must now say that the Board will give directions thereon.

129 He requested the Board would give directions to the Agriculturalist, or no account to allow the males and females to interfere whilst employed on the farm. He had repeatedly cautioned the Agriculturalist against such, particularly on Monday last, but to the Master's astonishment he found them placed side by side the next day.

130 There are two inmates at present in the Workhouse namely Ellen Nolan and Jane Dwyer who have lost their right arms. He would suggest that they be allowed into the female School and taught to write with the left hand.

Ordered the Guardians to pay an outlay of £10.0.0 and direct James Murphy to apply to the Master for a further sum of money. The Master was called before the Board and it was found that she was sending two gills of her own out for the purpose of having them sent. The case of the Agriculturalist to be considered when the Master is well.

AGRICULTURIST'S REPORT:

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):—

Dated 20 Nov 56  
N. 270. Requesting a Return of the number of cases incapacitated for the year ending 30 September 56 on the form annexed.

25 Nov 56  
N. 28752 Requesting a Return of the names of Singing School and Epileptic Asylum in the Workhouse on the 1st December next.

21 Nov 56  
N. 271 Requesting a Return of the Expenditure chargeable to each Electoral Division of the Union for the year ending 29th Sept 56 distinguishing under the heads specified for each half year ending 25 March and 29 September respectively.

26 Nov 56  
N. 2884 In reference to the appointment of Mr. Murphy as Returning Officer for the entire Union as not residing in the town of Enniscorthy that considering all the circumstances they felt unable to sanction the appointment unless he shall undertake to reside in that town.



# Ordinary Proceedings

Mr. Bolger enquired if there had been any reply given to the enquiry, placed on the Minutes of the 9th Mts. as to the proper chargeability of Bridget Gracey and three children, under eight years of age, who were in the Workhouse a month previously, and when they left the house were chargeable on the Union at Large, & she lived in the Union for the whole period of 3 years before her present application, out of which period she spent 10 months in the Workhouse with her children and 26 months in the Division of Newborough. She is now admitted on the Union until the Commissioners decide.

The Clerk informed Mr. Bolger that there had been no letter on the subject.

Ordered: The Commissioners are requested to give their opinion on the proper chargeability of Bridget Gracey and children now inmates of this Workhouse.

Mr. Lett brought forward the motion of which he gave notice respecting the proper chargeability of Owen Foley, and upon stating the case it was found that Owen Foley was an able bodied man on the Workhouse farm, and could find employment outside if willing to earn his bread.

Ordered: That Owen Foley be discharged.

Mr. Lett brought under consideration the case stated by the Guardian for Clonmore Division last night in reference to Doctor Stock, stating he was in attendance as directed by the Board. Doctor Stock having called, stated that he had received a Medical Relief Ticket from Mr. Doyle, Guardian for Clonmore in the District of Clonmore to attend Michael Cozgrave between 3 and 4 o'clock on Sunday. That it was brought to him by a relative of Cozgrave the previous day, the ticket was not marked "Hazard" that he told the messenger he could not visit Cozgrave until the following morning having a previous attendance.

attendance to make in another ticket and that he was then going to visit on that ticket.

Mr. Doyle, Guardian for Clonmore then stated that Doctor Stock ought to have brought the messenger and have his statement heard as to the time of delivery of the ticket.

Doctor Stock informed the Board he had brought him and asked to have him called up.

The Bearer of the ticket, Gabriel Cozgrave, being examined, stated that he delivered the ticket between 3 and 4 o'clock on Sunday and that he then did not think the man to be in a dying state. He first came to the door, went to Doctor Stock at 4 o'clock on Monday morning, and the Doctor told him to wait for half an hour being then dressing. That the Doctor then went with him and they went quickly. He thinks the man was dead by the time he reached the Doctor's house that morning from what he afterwards learned.

Ordered: The Board are satisfied with the explanation given.

Sanfers to supply Bread, Potatoes, Indian meal and flour <sup>now</sup> considered and the following accepted for 2 months.

Thomas G. Herbert	Deat White Bread 7 1/2 pds lbs
"	Doatmeal — 14 1/6 per cwt
"	Flour — 4 2/4 per bag
Peter Dixon	India meal. to 9.0.0 per ton

A letter was read from Mr. P. J. Mahony, Solicitor, regarding the particulars of an item in Mr. Elliotts Bill of Law Costs previous to taxation, and one was read from Mr. Elliotts enclosing a Bill of particulars which was 11/6 more than the previous account.

Ordered: The Bill just furnished to be sent back to Mr. J. Mahony, and his attention to be called to it.



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to the difference in the amount of the first bill furnished. that being to 6.19.5 and that now furnished to 4.10.11

A Letter was read from Messrs. Toole and Maykey expressing their surprise at the request made by the Guardians to reduce the price of the dead weight of a Saddle, stating they were willing to take it back but would debit the same with the Carriage

Ordered the Saddle to be kept.

Ordered that the Clerk furnish Mr. Walsh the Receiver over Mr. Phaynes property with the amount of rate and arrears due on the Ward of Mullaghstavin namely £22.10.1 and make application to him for payment

Ordered the Lists of Revision of Valuation to be forwarded to the Commissioners of Valuation that as the Cases of Revision are chiefly changes of names of Occupiers the Revision may be made on the present Books with a request that they may be completed by the 1st May 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	...	...	...	3.
Ditto, disallowed	...	...	...	11.
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	...	...
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	...	...	...

Signed *Sergeant Robert* 4th.  
Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the  
day of December 1856



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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORTHY UNION, on  
Thursday, the 24<sup>th</sup> day of November 1856,—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and  
Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185\_\_\_\_.

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

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

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

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



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

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

(Signed,) *George C. Roberts*  
*Mumma*  
Clerk of the Union.



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Present Net Annual Value, . . . . £109,800

29<sup>th</sup> day of November 1886

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 646 to No. 667, both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature 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 counter-signature of the Clerk.  
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:—

*Had prepared and forwarded all the Returns required by the Commissioners last week*

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, ... .. £ 328. 14. 7

Paid during the week, ... .. £ 9. 3. 7 2

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* the Guardians was £ 1959. 17. 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 Collector's Districts.	Collected and Lodged.	Total.	Remaining.	Total.	Date of last attendance.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
MICHAEL DORAN....	Enniscorthy, - -	62 2 5		657 13 4		1 <sup>st</sup> Dec.
	Total, -		62 2 5		657 13 4	
MICHAEL BYRNE....	Ferns, - - -	28 10 9		136 2 2 1/2		2 <sup>nd</sup> Dec.
	Tinacross, - - -	13 18 10		78 15 8		
	Kilboro, - - -			35 6 3 1/2		
	Ballycarney, - -			46 11 10		
	Total, -		42 9 7		296 16 0	
WM. FITZPATRICK...	Newtownbarry, -	20 4 4		333 13 7 1/2		1 <sup>st</sup> Dec.
	Killrush, - - -			103 11 1		
	Tombrack, - - -			81 8 9		
	Cranmore, - - -			41 4 2		
	Total, -		20 4 4		539 17 7 1/2	
JAMES DOYLE.....	Ballyhogue, - -	2 4 0		87 5 6		3 <sup>rd</sup> Dec.
	Clonmore, - - -	4 3 4		122 2 7 1/2		
	The Leap, - - -	7 1 5		116 13 10 1/2		
	Ballyhuskard, -	17 4 1		145 6 3		
	Kilmallock, - -	23 1		134 4 8 1/2		
	Edermine, - - -	6 6 9		134 1 8 1/2		
	Total, -		45 5 8		739 14 5	
JOHN CULLEN,.....	Killan, - - -			67 17 8 1/2		25 <sup>th</sup> Nov.
	Clonroche, - - -			162 1 10		
	Castleboro, - -			257 4 5		
	Total, -				315 13 11 1/2	
WILLIAM GAHAN....	Monart, - - -	22 9 2		63 6 1/2		3 <sup>rd</sup> Dec.
	Killoughram, -	28 14 3		95 7 9		
	Ballindaggin, -	20 8 7		40 8 6 1/2		
	Castledockrell, -			53 9 2 1/2		
	Total, -		71 8 6		253 0 5 1/2	
DARBY LEARY,.....	Kiltealy, - - -			74 13 6		26 <sup>th</sup> Nov.
	Rossard, - - -			60 17 8		
	St. Mary's, - - -			35 7 2		
	Total, -				171 10 10	
EDWARD GAHAN....	The Harrow, - -	7 19 3		68 3 11 1/2		1 <sup>st</sup> Dec.
	Ballymore, - - -	13 14 5		41 1 8 1/2		
	Kilcormick, - -	5 10 5		53 3 4 1/2		
	Total, -		27 11 1		164 9 0 1/2	
HENRY WALSH,.....	Castletalbot, -			75 19 3		25 <sup>th</sup> Nov.
	Castleellis, - -			107 15 6 1/2		
	Bolaboy, - - -			60 19 10		
	Ballyvaldon, - -			86 9 8		
	Total, -				328 4 4	
	Total, £		328 14 7		3479 0 0	

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



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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £3.5.10 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.

Cash 2.13.10  
 Exp 0.4.6  
 Disp 0.4.6  
 £3.5.10  
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By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £45.17.7½

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	46	18	12
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	0	1	11
Average cost in Infirmary,	3	0	
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	4	10	

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

Bread 2700 lb	Whiskey 1/2 gal
Meat 100 "	Candles 16 lb
Butter 1120 "	Starch 3½
Butter 250 gal	Woad 3½
Butter 1036 gal	Blue 1
Tea 112 "	
Sugar 42 "	
340	

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 for the several Relieving Officers, were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.

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

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

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week, having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, 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.	
		£ s. d.	Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
Total....				

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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.

88/ 53 Patrick Ryan Shirts & Socks 4 14 5

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

2. Establishment Account.

53 Patrick Ryan Cartmaces 4 16 8  
 54 Andrew Cosgrove Iron 2 1 5  
 55 Messrs. Toole and Mackey Seed Wheat 6 4 0  
 57 Robert Tennant. Painting & Glazing 1 11 8  
 58 Philip Harris Agricultural Implements 2 18 4  
 62 Thomas Bradford Smith Contract 3 17 8  
 56 H. J. Dryor Vaccine & Symp. for H. Hone 10 6

General Hospitals

94/ 60 Samuel Grohison J. Hospital 27 11 9  
 61 William MacIntyre do 10 5 11

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



## 3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

42	Thomas G. Leekley Bread & Butter	123	19	2
43	Edward Philan Coals	20	5	10
44	James Denereux Chandlery	9	8	0
45	Same Groceries	6	4	6
46	Mary Davis Suetmilk	8	14	8
47	John Keating do	5	6	10
48	Michael Hannon do	1	19	10
49	Robert Cochrane Suetmilk	6	10	8
50	Andrew Doyle do	5	4	1
51	Nicholas Hennish Meat	6	14	8
52	Thomas Keating Whiskey	2	9	11

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

## 4. Out-Door Relief Invoice Account.

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

Orders on Contractors and others were signed for the following:

1 gal Lamp oil. 1 gal Wood oil. 7 lb Black Lead

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

## Medical Officer Reported

Remaining from last week on Hospital diet 56  
 Admitted during the week <sup>on Home diet</sup> 2  
 13  
 71

Discharged cured 11  
 Sent to General Hospital 1  
 Died 12

Remaining on Hospital diet 55  
 " on Home diet 4 59

Number on Infirmary diet out of Hospital 75  
 " in District, Wards 130

That the Master was now able to resume his duties

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

## Masters Report

No. 131 He began to state that during the last month 116 Gallons of the quantity Contracted for and John Keating 7 1/4 Gallons for which he proposed pay at the rate of 8 p. Gall. and charged it to the Contractor at a cost of 60.14.10 to the former and 60.14.10 to the latter

132 Returned the milk supplied by John Keating on Tuesday last it being very inferior as appearing by the test he had composed of 8 parts milk and 3 parts water or in other words 1 1/2 quarts of water in every gallon. Since then it is of fair quality

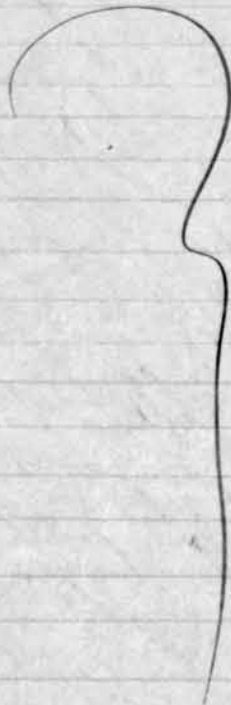
Ordered The Clerk to write to the Contractor Keating on the quality of this milk and that the payment of his Bond will be enforced if a similar complaint is made



# State of the House this day

<del>Amount from last week's report</del>		
Number in Original Building	463	
" Employed by Genl Hosp.	13	
" Newtownhamlet do	2	
" Calant do	0	
	478	
Corresponding week last year	663	
Decrease	185	
Died in the Workhouse Infirmary	1	
Genl Hosp.	0	
Total	1	

## AGRICULTURIST'S REPORT:



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

## Commissioners Letters

24th Dec 56 In reference to the chargeability of Bridget  
N. 27021 Tracey and 3 children that according  
to the statement on the Guardians Minutes  
the family are now chargeable to the  
Division of Newtownhamlet

" 24th Dec 56 In reference to the opinion of the Guardians  
N. 27021 that Mr. Crawford should again visit the  
Calant Genl Hospital with a view to dividing  
the property therein between the boys  
and Misses. Unions requesting to know  
the difficulty in the matter.

Ordered The Clerk to make out a statement by  
this day week

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):-

" 2nd Dec 56 Requesting a Return of all Rates made  
N. 272 on agreement to be made in the Union  
during the month of November 1856

" 3rd Dec 56 In reference to the Report of the Master  
N. 30934 on the 24th Ulster relative to the neglect  
of proper classification of Males and  
Females at work on the Farm  
that the Guardians has been requested  
to give up specific attention to the allegation  
and should it be found to have arisen  
from the neglect of any responsible  
officer they will consider on the propriety  
of his removal from office.

Ordered In reference to the Commissioners Letter of the  
29 November 1856 N. 27021 the Master is  
directed to alter the chargeability of Bridget Tracey  
and family by discharging them off the Union  
at large on the Register and admitting them on  
the Division of Newtownhamlet thereon.



# Ordinary Proceedings

The Board proceeded to Consider the motion of which notice had been given by Mr. Doran and Mr. Roberts relative to the Relieving Officer. The Chairman read the Notice of Motion to the Board and Mr. Doran being the first as to priority was duly moved by Mr. Doran, and Seconded by Mr. Harcourt.

"That as there is but one Relieving Officer in the Union his salary be £25 per Ann. or 'Consideration of his giving the whole of his time and attention to the duties of the office'"

To which an Amendment was moved by Mr. Roberts and Seconded by Mr. Doyle viz.

That having advertised for a Relieving Officer for the Union at 20 per Ann. two of the former Relieving Officers presented themselves as candidates for that office - and one of them Mr. J. Murphy having been elected on the 6th Mth. agreed to undertake and perform all the duties as defined by the P. & C. Commissioners and thus Disput for that Salary annually. And as Mr. Murphy commenced his duties only 3 weeks ago - it is the opinion of the Board that the proposed increase of salary to £35 by Mr. Doran is premature and unsuitable for and opposed to the interests of the rate payers

Previous to the Amendment being put from the Chair Mr. Dolger claimed the Right of putting forward an Amendment on that of Mr. Roberts which after considerable debate was conceded to him when Mr. Roberts amendment should be disposed of but not until then

The Chairman then proceeded to take a Poll when there appeared

For Mr. Dorans Resolution 8  
For Mr. Roberts Amendment 17

Mr. Dolger then moved his Amendment which was seconded by Mr. Doran that the salary be fixed at £35 a year and that the Relieving Officer devote his whole time to the duties of the office.

On the Votes being taken it appeared there were  
For Mr. Dolgers Amendment 8  
Against 17

Previous to this Amendment being put Mr. Conlin protested against it and suggested proceedings and entered his protest to be recorded on the Minutes accordingly

The Chairman then declared Mr. Dorans Motion to have been lost and Mr. Roberts Amendment to have been duly Carried

Mr. Roberts then proceeded with his own motion and detailed at considerable length the Statistics proving the paucity that existed for the Relieving Officer of the Union to reside in the town of Empisworthy in addition to the reasons pointed out by the Poor Law Commissioners in their Letter of the 26th Mth. as well as to those set forth in the Notice itself as recorded on the Minutes of the 20th Mth. after which the Resolution was moved

Moved by Mr. Roberts  
Seconded by Mr. Somers  
Upon which the Chairman took a Poll and there appeared  
For the Resolution 24  
Against 3

When he declared Mr. Roberts Motion duly Carried  
The Relieving Officer was then called before the Board and informed that if it became necessary for him to reside in the town of Empisworthy as just now had been decided. And was asked was he aware that the Commissioners would not sanction his appointment unless he resided in Empisworthy - he stated that he was now asked a week to consider what he would do which the Board allowed his answer to be given on this day week

A Letter was read from the Secretaries of the National Board of Education stating that the Schoolmaster had been awarded a gratuity of £200 and the Agricultural



12.  
Gratuity of \$4.00 for the half year ending  
the 30 June last.

A Letter was read from Mr. Wm. Welchfield in reference to the notes due on the Wood of Willoughby stating that he is not the Receiver over that part of Mr. Phayres property.

*The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, asset 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*

*Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians*

The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was

*The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the  
day of December 1886



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14 and 15 Vic., c 68, §  
(No. 27.)

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE ENNISWORTHY UNION, ON  
Thursday, the 4<sup>th</sup> Decemr 185 6—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and  
Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts, 1848 and 1849.

An Estimate of Medicines, &c., required by the Medical Officer of the Nestoun Barry 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:—

*Ordered. The Medicines and Medical Appliances Allowed.*

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

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



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The following Accounts of Expenses (or Statement of Salaries due, as the case may be), under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions were given for Payment thereof (or such other directions as may be given.)

Dispensary District.  
Account of Mr. H. E. Dwyer for Vaccine amount £

102	St. Neptomhany Dispensary	0. 10. 6
103	" Hillan do	0. 10. 6
104	" Lems do	0. 10. 6
105	" Ennisceorthy do	0. 10. 6
106	" Culart do	0. 10. 6
107	" Clonroche do	0. 10. 6
	<u>Total</u>	<u>£ 3. 3. 0</u>

(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-years 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 Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185\_\_\_\_.

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

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

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

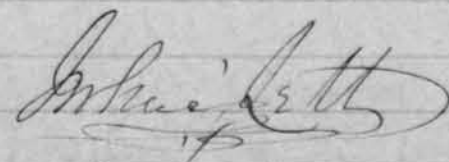
Order dated \_\_\_\_\_ (state subject)



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

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

(Signed,)



*Mumford*  
Clerk of the Union.