

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Population in 1851.....53842 Present Net Annual Value,....£ 90.000
STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 27th day of August 1853

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												Total.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in the above Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse,	1523	653												
Temporary Buildings,	60	38												
Additional Workhouse,	220	52												
Permanent Fever Hospital														
Fever Sheds,														
TOTAL,	1803	743												
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			69	131	59	105	84	115	128	52	15	758	44	34
Admitted during the week.			9	8	.	.	1	.	1	1	2	12	52	1
TOTAL,			78	139	59	105	85	115	129	53	17	780	76	35
Discharged during the week,			2	13	.	.	3	6	7	.	1	32		
Died, - - - - -			3	1	1	5		
Total Discharged and Dead,			5	14	.	.	3	6	7	.	2	37		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			73	125	59	105	82	109	122	53	15	743		

in Workhouse Hospital. 44
in separate Wards. 34
in Fever Hospital. 52
in Wards with other inmates. 1
Total, 76
Total, 35

Died in Workhouse 2 } 5
" in F. H. Hospital 3 }
In Workhouse 28 Aug 1852 } 810

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.

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COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Thursday the 1 day of September 1853

PRESENT: In the Chair, *J. Maher*
Other Guardians: *B. Flaherty, J. Lyons, H. Fitzsimon, H. Callan, J. Bolger, P. Doran, J. Long, M. Redmond, W. Fitzpatrick.*

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.

Patrick Minna of Ballingarey and
William Macanagh of Ballingarey
William Marks of Newtown and
Mary Moore of Killearrow

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1231 to No. 1255, 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 Frontland Books have not
yet been taken in hand, nor
any entries made by the Relieving
Officers

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, £ 5.12.9

Paid during the week, £ 10.14.7

And that the Balance on the Account *Against* the Guardians was £ 374.13.9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			Proportion Collected.	
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.		
<i>J. Rudd</i>	Enniscorthy,	1	1	1				120	7	6 1/2	120	7	6 1/2		
<i>J. White</i>	Ferns,										3	11	6 1/2		
	Tinacross,										8	12	3		
	Kilboro,										3	5	0 1/2		
	Ballycarney,										9	19	5		
											25	8	3		
<i>P. Boakey</i>	Clohamon,							70	8	11					
	Killrush,							5	19	8					
	Tombrack,							2	6	7	78	15	2		
<i>J. Doyle</i>	Ballyhogue,							2	16	10 1/2					
	Clonmore,							4	19	4 1/2					
	The Leap,							5	3	1	12	19	4		
<i>M. Corran</i>	Killan,							5	8	10 1/2					
	Clonroche,							1	9	5 1/2					
	Castleboro,							1	17	6 1/2	8	15	8 1/2		
<i>J. Sommers</i>	Monart,							.	5	.					
	Killoughram,							9	11	3 1/2					
	Ballindoggin,							1	3	4 1/2					
	Castledockrell,							2	10	6	55	11	8 1/2		
<i>Vacant</i>	Kiltaly,							25	15	0 1/2					
	Rossard,							4	6	8					
<i>J. Power</i>	St. Mary's,							.	.	9 1/2	30	2	6		
	Corrigduff,							1	8	10					
	Cranmore,							9	11	1	10	19	11		
<i>E. Gahan</i>	The Harrow,	✓	1	7	10			1	13	10 1/2					
	Ballymore,	✓	.	12	7			.	2	10					
	Kilcormick,	✓	.	10	.	2	10	5	.	9 1/2	2	5	10		
<i>L. Lambert</i>	Castletalbot,		.	.	.			12	14	9 1/2					
	Castleclis,		.	.	.			8	4	6 1/2					
	Bolaboy,	✓	1	17	.			8	13	5					
	Ballyraddon,	✓	1	5	6	3	2	6	4	15	10 1/2	34	8	7 1/2	
<i>J. Doyle</i>	Ballyhaskard,							4	13	8					
	Kilmallock,							.	7	3 1/2					
	Edermine,							5	13	8	23	13	11 1/2		
	Total,	✓						5	12	11			390	11	9

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 8.13.10 was produced and passed.

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

1. The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.
 2. The Provision Check Accounts.
 3. The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.
 By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 62.6.8d.
 4. The Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 14.16.11
 Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.
 And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1.2d.
 Average cost in Infirmary, 2.2
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, 2.2
 The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:

Bread	11200 lb.	Indian Meal	1120 lb.
Meat	160 "	Whiskey	495
Oatmeal	1120 "	Porta	1 lb.
Buttermilk	350 gal.	Candles	10 lb.
Suet	1370 gal.	Soap	112 "
Salt	224 lb.	Starch	7 "
Tea	2 3/4 lb.	Soda	14 "
Sugar	18 lb.	Blue	1 "

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

- The several Clothing Accounts.
- The Medical Officers' Books.

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books 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.	RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.
		£ s. d.	Article and quantity			£ s. d.	Article and quantity
No. I.				No. X.			
No. II.				No. XI.			
No. III.				No. XII.			
No. IV.				No. XIII.			
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No. IX.							
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Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

255	Samuel Farver Cotton Yarn	£3.12.4
269	James Green Milling & Twisting cloth	4 19 4
271	Thomas Martin Straw	2 18 1
276	John Sinnott do	1 5 .
279	James S O'Haherty - Clothing	5 15 .

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

254	Mr Thom Stationery	9.3.0
272	Gen Cameron Advertisement	7 10 .
273	Robert Hawkins salary for July & August	1 5 4
274	David Lawson Rice shoots	1 5 0
275	James Mathewson a London tag	5 10 .
277	Robert Cosgrove a Spring	1 0 0
278	Philip Hornish wing land & slip flat	7 6 10
289	Patrick Bruen Hardware	6 10 8
292	Patrick Ryan do	12 12 1
280	James the Surgical Instruments	

Debit Hospital Accounts

251	William Macintosh Newtown Barry	26 17 7
252	do do do	23 5 0
298	do do do	24 4 5
253	Samuel Goodison Renuicosthy	31 9 8
297	do do do	33 4 4
257	Bonny of Guardians Long Union for ...	353 17 5

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account

2583	Patrick Murphy Green	14	9	4
2943	Mary Davis Sautmilk	11	13	4
259	Robert Corrigan do	2	1	10
260	Morgan Doyle do	8	6	7
261	Michael Hannon do	5	16	10
262	James Ryan do	11	1	6
263	Samuel Sparrow Buttermilk	15	19	9
264	James P. Oatmeal	132	.	.
265	William Martin Meat	12	7	.
266	James O'Connor Chaudley	19	10	3
267	John Mooney Bread	119	9	11
268	Daniel Balger Sautmilk	1	16	2
269	Samuel Sparrow Buttermilk	9	5	10
270	Edward Phelan Coals	15	12	6
271	John Mooney Bread	93	7	11
272	Daniel Balger Sautmilk	1	.	.
273	William Martin Meat	12	2	8
274	James Ryan Sautmilk	10	17	1
275	Michael Hannon do	2	13	11
276	Mary Davis do	10	18	1
277	Morgan Doyle do	8	4	9

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

180	James P. Oatmeal	132	.	.
282	Thomas Ridd Collector's per diem	8	3	6

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

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

Orders on contractors, and others, were signed for the following:—

1 Saw file, 1000 Sewing Needles, 1 Blank tick 3 Cents

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

I have now visited my Workhouse when I was
so much gratified with the cleanliness and general
management. Signed
26 Aug 53 Joshua Blackburn Huddersfield

We have been greatly pleased with the
arrangements of the Workhouse and have been
particularly struck by the intelligent countenance
and industry of a poor little deaf-mute—
we only regret that he has not been permitted
to avail himself of the education given in our
Asylum for Deaf-mutes in Dublin

Signed John H. Talbot
James PowerFor Order See Thomas Burke
Ordinary Proceedings A. Council P.P.

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

Medical Officer Report

Number in Hospital diet week ended 27 Aug	113
" in Hospital on Iron diet	22
Total	132
" on infirm diet out of Hospital	62
" in diet ward	35
" Discharge fund	15
" sent to Fever & Dysentery Hospital	2
" Died	2
" Total discharge off Hospital Books	19

Masters Report

" in Original Building and Additions	648
" System Street ward	30
" Cottage ward	7
" Fever Hospitals	51
Total	736
Corresponding week last year	804
Decrease	68
" in Infirmary	23
Fever Hospitals	33

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

He begged to lay before the Board a Return received from the Newtown Bangor Fever Hospital which is very unsatisfactory showing neither Class, Electoral Division, Date of admission or Discharge, and bearing no signature besides not being on a proper form.

In Order see Ordinary Business

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 31 Aug^r 53^r In reference to the expenditure of £1 to assist
No 47253 } in the emigration of a pauper boy John Brown
enclosing a Form to be filled up respecting same

" 31 Aug^r 53^r Respecting the preparation of certain Returns
No 47253 } Called for by the House of Commons.

" 31 Aug^r 53^r Resolving questions for answer by the person who
No 47253 } may be appointed Rate Collector in room of
Mathew Leary deceased.

" 31 Aug^r 53^r Respecting the completion of the Revision
No 47253 } of Tenements in the Union by the Revisor
Ordered. That the subject of this Letter be communicated to
the Meeting the Revising Officer.

Ord. That the above be communicated to Mr. Keating.

" 31 Aug^r 53^r In reference to the Guardians' Election of
No 46588 } John Norway an inmate of the Work
House to the Office of Porter of the Fever Hospital objecting
to the appointment for the reasons set forth

In Order see Ordinary Proceedings

30 Aug^r 53^r In reference to a Report of Dr. Purcell Medical
No 46535 } Inspector which stated that Prescription or
treatment papers were not kept by the Medical
Office of Fever Dispensary calling the
attention of the Guardians thereon.

" 30 Aug^r 53^r In reference to a portion of same Report
No 46535 } from which it appears that due facility
for obtaining Medical Relief does not exist in the
Rural District of the Dispensary of Emaincebury in
Consequence of Non Residence of several Members of
the Committee of Management requesting the Guardians
thereon.

Ordered To be considered on this day week.

" 30 Aug^r 1853^r
No 46536 } Same Respecting the N.T. Barry Dispensary

" 30 Aug^r 53^r Respecting same Report as to
No 46536 } Prescription or treatment Papers not
being kept by the Medical Office of the
Newtown Bangor Dispensary.

" 30 Aug^r 53^r Respecting the inadequacy of the
No 46389 } Branch Dispensary at Bree for
Relief purposes.

Ordered. That a Copy be sent to Mr. Keating
Chairman of the Committee with a request that
he will hold a meeting and report to the Board
how more efficient accommodation may be provided.

" 30 Aug^r 53^r In reference to same Provision not
No 46388 } having been made for the safe
keeping of Medicines at Kellan Dispensary
in Consequence of the House being damp.

Ordered. Refered to the Committee of
Management to Report.

Ordinary Proceedings

The following Letters were read from the
Porter and Medical Office of the Fever Hospital
at Newtown Bangor

of
 Newtown Barr Hospital
 Aug^r 25th 1853

Sir

In reply to yours of the 23rd I beg to say that I think I can furnish the Returns of the Discharges and Admissions from this Hospital if you will have the goodness to send me the proper Form. Signed
 Thomas Morry

Ordered, The Master states that he has already kept the Medical Officer supplied with proper Forms but until now did not hear of a fresh supply being wanted. he will send more as requested by the Porter.

Received Newtown Barr 30 Aug^r 53

My dear Sir

I beg to acknowledge the receipt of a Communication from your Clerk concerning extracts from Minutes of your proceedings of the 18th and 25th inst.

In reply I beg to refer you to a Letter addressed to you some weeks since to which I have not as yet been favoured with a reply. In it this question which you now again agitate was raised and I had considered that it was satisfactorily terminated by the Commissioners.

I will merely add that I will continue to perform as I have heretofore done all and every duty appertaining to the office of Medical Officer of the Union but none else will I perform. In their Minutes of the 25th inst. the Guardians are represented as expressing their surprise that in the Newtown Barr Hospital having an equal Number of Patients with that of Remiscomby they have no mode at present of checking the number of Patients - I hope I may be allowed respectfully to express my surprise that the Guardians should ask me to perform not alone the Medical duties but every other duty for one half the salary they allow for similar labours at Remiscomby

Signed
 Richard Barry

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

Ordered, That the Letter as read from Doctor Barry is most unsatisfactory and be placed on the Minutes. That the Board is in such ignorance of the state of the Newtown Barr Fever Hospital the average weekly cost of which on the Return of the 6th of August was 3/11 per head that they request the Commissioners will leave the goodness to order an inspection of it. That by the Report of Mr O'Brien Relieving Officer the Number of Patients now in that Hospital is 15 whilst the Number now returned on the Master's Books and charged on Division is 22. That on reference to Doctor Barry's letter of the 13th July in which he refers to be any longer responsible to this Board for the property under his charge at present - the Guardians were unwilling to take any hasty step hostile to Doctor Barry's interests but that his repeated determination to withdraw all co-operation in the management of the Hospital compels them now to call for his resignation. That some Form of the Weekly Returns be sent to Thomas Morry with directions to fill them from the 6th August to the present date and having their accuracy certified by Doctor Barry (if he will do so) to forward them immediately to the Master of the Workhouse

In reference to the Commissioners Letter dated 31 Aug^r 53 No 46588 - it was

Ordered, That the Guardians in their Minutes of the 18th ultimo expressed an Opinion that Temporary Certificates accompanied by good Conduct should not be a Bar to future employment - but they did not make any statement of their general wish to uphold self respect amongst the paupers as a reason for electing John Romayne to the office of Porter at the Fever Hospital nor did they give him any preference on that ground. Advertisements were issued for a Porter and J Romayne having

taken his discharge and came to be an inmate
presented himself as a candidate with another
person James Doyle and after a proper investigation
the Guardians elected Ronayen, nor do they
see how they can with justice rescind the appoint-
ment as he was put provisionally in charge of
the Hospital where he has now for 3 weeks discharged
of the duties to the satisfaction of the Medical Officer
whose Certificate to that effect is now added.

I Certify that John Ronayen is Capable
of keeping the Hospital Accounts and has
performed the duty of Porter to the Fever Hospital
to my satisfaction since his appointment.

Signed
James F. Hospital Samuel Goodisson
1st September 1853 Medical Attendant

The Guardians therefore very respectfully
request that on a reconsideration of the subject
the Commissioners will sanction the Appointment.

Ordered, That the sum of Edward
Lacy for repairing the Fever Hospital shed,
with best Calico, tarred, and Sanded, with
braces on well dashed for the sum of £4.12/-
be accepted subject to the Doctor approval.

The cases of provisional relief, and applications for relief were considered and decided on, as set forth in the Appli-
cation 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	...	...	21

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 the
day of 18

Ordered, That a Committee consisting of
Messrs Long and Redmond purchase a set of
Harpes Value about 30/- for the Poetry of
the Workhouse with a pair of Rough Drumans.

Proposed by
Messrs J. P. McAniff
Seconded by Mr. J. J. McAniff

Ordered, That the Deaf and Mute boy Patrick
Kerry aged 11 years now an inmate
charged on the Division of Ballindaggin
be sent to the Catholic Institute at Prospect
near Dublin and that the Clerk open
a communication with the Secretaries
on the subject.

Ordered, That the Clerk summon a
meeting of the Board for Tuesday next
for the special purpose of examining the
Accounts on the Collection Books and
that the Collectors be directed to attend
at 11 o'clock precisely

The Chairman then signed the Orders
and Cheques after which the Board
adjourned to Thursday the 8th September
1853.

John P. Long
Chairman

James F. Hospital
Clerk

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TOTAL.	75	132	59	115	88	115	127	53	17	771	Total, 193	Total, 33		
Discharged during the week.	7	13			6	2	6	2	1	27			Did in Workhouse 15	
Died, - - - - -		2				1		1		4			" From Hospital 3	
Total Discharged and Dead.	7	15			6	3	6	3	1	31			48	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	68	117	59	105	82	112	121	50	16	730			4 Sept. 1852	827

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Other Guardians: *N. Meech, R. Marshall, Capt. White, J. J. Lam, B. O'Halloran, J. Pounds, J. O'Connell, W. Lewis, H. O'Connell, J. Nolan, J. Long, N. Keating, J. Doran, W. Kinsella, J. Briem, J. Borkney, M. O'Connell, P. Kelly, J. Hinton, J. O'Connell, M. Redmond, J. Priddy, J. J. Furlong, M. Kille, W. Macintosh.*

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William Marks Newtown

And

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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 Revision had completed all the Books except Ennisceorthy Division where charges were in actual progress.

Ordered, That the Ennisceorthy Book be held open until the 22nd Inst, and to be delivered to the Clerk on that day.

That he had received the paper in case of the Deaf Mute and having answered the queries wished to know respecting the Guarantee required in case the boy prove deficient in understanding or incapable of having his education completed or in case of sickness rendering him unfit to be retained

Ordered, That the Clerk sign such guarantee on part of the Guardians.

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £ 7.4.4

Paid during the week, £ 618.5.1

And that the Balance on the Account *Against* the Guardians was £ 992.18.10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			Proportion Collected.				
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.					
<i>J. Rudd</i>	Ennisceorthy,										120	7	6 1/2	120	7	6 1/2		
<i>J. J. White</i>	Ferns,										3	11	6 1/2					
	Tinacross,										8	12	3					
	Kilboro,										5	5	0 1/2					
	Bullyearney,										9	15	5	25	8	3		
<i>P. Bookan</i>	Clohamon,										70	8	11					
	Killrush,										5	19	8					
	Tombrack,										2	6	7	78	15	2		
<i>James Doyle</i>	Ballyhogue,										2	16	10 1/2					
	Clonmore,										4	19	4 1/2					
	The Leap,										5	3	1	12	19	4		
<i>Nick Doran</i>	Killan,										5	8	10 1/2					
	Clonroche,										1	9	5 1/2					
	Castibero,										1	17	6 1/2	8	15	8 1/2		
<i>J. Lommon</i>	Monart,										1	5						
	Killoughram,										9	11	3 1/2					
	Ballinduggin,										43	4	11					
	Castledickrell,										2	10	6	55	11	8 1/2		
<i>Vacant</i>	Kiltaly,										25	15	1 1/2					
	Roscard,										4	6	8					
	St. Mary's,												9 1/2	30	2	6		
<i>J. Pown</i>	Carrigduff,										1	8	10					
	Crancmore,										9	11	1	10	19	11		
<i>E. Lyaham</i>	The Harrow,										1	13	10 1/2					
	Ballymore,											2	10					
	Kilcormick,											9	1 1/2	2	5	10		
<i>J. Lament</i>	Castletailbat,										12	14	9 1/2					
	Castletellis,										8	4	6 1/2					
	Bolaboy,										8	13	5					
	Bullyralden,										4	15	10 1/2	34	8	7 1/2		
<i>J. Doyle</i>	Bullyhaskard,										4	13	8					
	Kilmallick,											7	3 1/2					
	Edermine,										5	13	8	10	14	7 1/2		
<i>Other Receipts</i>																		
<i>Total</i>											7	4	4			390	9	2 1/2

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 4.11.0 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 54.13.11 1/2

£ s. d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 50.5.8

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1.22

Average cost in Infirmary, 2.1

Average cost in Fever Hospital, 2.3

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

Bread	4200 lb	Flour	224 lb
Meat	160 "	Eggs	300 doz
Oatmeal	1120 "	Whisky	6 qts
Buttermilk	350 gals	Candles	10 lb
Swetmilk	1372 qts	Soap	112 "
Salt	224 lb	Starch	14 "
Tea	44 "	Soda	14 "
Sugar	23 "	Alum	1 "

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

£ s. d.

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Nicholas Sinnott Outfit for Sea
Boys to Sea Service

10

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

Orders on contractors, and others, were signed for the following:—

10 lbs Redwood, 7 lbs Yellow wood, 2 lbs Madder
 1 lb Logwood, 1/2 lb Copperas, 6 lbs Cotton Bales
 1/2 gross frock tapes, 1/2 gross Apron do.
 2 pair handkerchiefs for Kitchen trap, 1 M Linseed Oil
 3 lbs Chamber, 3 smoothing Irons, 3 lbs Hay

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

I found the House remarkably clean and
 the Officers all at their respective employments.
 the Corps reflect the greatest credit on Mr Hawkins

Signed

J. R. Hawtshaw

Medical Officer Reported

Admission to Hospital diet week ended 3 Sept 121
 " in Hospital on House diets 18
 Total on Hospital Diet 139
 " on Infirmary diets out of Hospital 60
 " In Isolation wards 33
 " Discharged cured 7
 " Sent to Fever and Dysentery Hospital 2
 " Died 1
 " Discharged off Hospital Books this week 10

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

Master Report

" In Original Building 658
 " In Isolation Building 18
 " Cottage wards 676
 " Emmenthy Hospital 28
 " Newtown Bang 13
 " Dalart 8
 725

Corresponding week last year 813
 Decrease 88

Deaths in House 1
 Newtown Bang 3
 Hospital 4

That he had the old woman removed from
 the Isolation Building on yesterday
 and suggested that it be given up immediately
 if he will take it and that a Committee be
 appointed to inspect same and see if it be
 in the same state of repair as when taken
 that he had received all the Returns since
 the 6th August from the Newtown Bang Fever

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

Hospital and that the numbers now on the Books agree with those represented remaining in that Hospital. He begged to lay before the Board some Letters received from the boys who left this House under an engagement of employment as mechanics in Belfast. One of the boys named Patrick Macdonald who had been home to see his Mother stated to him that he could earn 10/- a week at his Trade.

Ordered, That Mr. Owen be appointed to take up possession of the House in Little Street and that it be whitewashed.

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):—

None

Ordinary Proceedings

Resolved, That on reading the Master's Report and Mr. Callan's favourable statement who had been to Belfast within the last fortnight and the fact of the boys being in such employment that they are earning an independent livelihood we beg to remind the Commissioners of our Minute of the 12th May last and to request their sanction to the expenditure then made for the outfit of these boys on the example of a similar sanction having been given in the Ballinasloe Union.

An Application was made by Mr. Sinnott Shipowner for boys as apprentices in his vessels to the Sea Service, he had been thro' the Workhouse and selected but two for the present who were called before the Board and stated their willingness to be bound on the terms offered viz 30/- for 4 years and £40 for 5 years to be paid to them in yearly instalments during servitude on the Board granting £5 each for the necessary outfit.

Name	Age	Apprenticeship	Period in the Workhouse
William Macdonald	16	Millin at Large	7 years
Michael Fitzgerald	16	do	9 years

Ordered, That Mr. Sinnott having agreed to take two boys on an Indenture for five years under the Merchant Seamen's Act 14 & 15 Vic Cap 35 with an Outfit of £5 each — that such sum be granted in the case of William Macdonald and Michael Fitzgerald above named, that the Clerk have the proper Indentures filled in Triplicate and registered according to the Terms of the Act and that a Cheque be signed for £10 to procure the necessary outfit but the Board wish to put on Record their opinion that such outfit ought not to be given unless in Cases where lads have been for a number of years inmates of the Workhouse.

Ordered, That Mr. Donovan be requested to attend the Board on the next day of Meeting and explain the position of the Cases he has in hand, and the advice he would give the Guardians as to proceedings in certain above Cases also to lodge any money that may be in his hands.

Proposed by Mr. Meach and Seconded by Mr. Macatoh,

That the following Letter be placed on the Minutes and taken into Consideration on this day fortnight.

Newtown Bury 8 September 1853

Gentlemen

I have received a copy of the Minutes of your proceedings of the 18th September Instant referring to the Fever Hospital at this place. I extremely regret to learn from them that the Board has been inconvenienced by the unsatisfactory nature of some Returns made by some of their

Officers and am surprised that the Guardians have fallen into the error of laying the blame upon me.

A momentary reference to the Rules of the Commissioners will at once satisfy the Guardians as to the nature and extent of the duties of the Medical Officer and that those matters of which they complain form no part of them.

The Commissioners have already informed the Guardians to that effect. I am at a loss to learn upon what grounds the Guardians call upon me to perform duties not connected with my Office.

As to all and every such duty as does appertain to it I am at all times ready to meet any exigency.

As to the statement regarding the expense per month of each Patient in this Hospital I am quite pleased with the suggestion of an

exigency and am aware that upon an account being had in reference to the Hospitals that my average

expense will as it always was be less than any other. Of course I mean a fair account with the items forming

the account corresponding. Not for example with the Establishment Charges included in one and left out in the

other. In reference to your call upon me to resign the Office of Medical Officer they respectfully inform

you that I have not the most remote idea of doing so. I would suggest as the most just course that the

Guardians should of their own accord restore matters to the position they were in before they

created this difficulty in their way and ask them how they can expect me to feel any thing but hurt

at their injustice in tendering me only one half of the salary small as it is which they allow for

the same duties in Kilmacsherry. Signed

Richard Carey

Mr O'Mahony as Chairman of the Committee who met on Tuesday last reported that being assisted

by the following Members Messrs Fitzpatrick, Good, Dolan, Long, Lewis, Symes and Kelly, they agreed

upon abating the following items in the Rate Books previous to the arrears being put into the new Books. Vis

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

Kilmacsherry No 287. 450. 451 Amount £5. 11. 8
House unoccupied before last Rate and still so.
No 1040. 1042. 1045 & 1123 Amount £2. 4. 5 1/2
on House thrown down.

Killbuck No 198 — 1. 1. 1/2 House down

Castle Ellen No 93 and 304, 3. 0 do

Bolaboy No 68 — 2. 12 do

Ballyvalden No 177, 200 & 229, 4. 6 1/2 do

Castletalbot No 187 & 319 " 2. 5 do

Killkora No 22 " " 6 1/2 do

Ballycanny No 3 & 77 " 7. 2 do

Clonsmore No 60 & 136 " 2. 7 do

136^c — 5. 7 1/2 No such holding

The remainder of the Books were left for consideration of the Guardians of Divisions who were not then in attendance.

Mr Bootley Collector was demanded his Books for a fortnight, that from the examination of James Lachlan's Lists they

recommended that his Books be returned to him also for a fortnight to make corrections

to called as large an amount of his arrears as possible, that they be then laid before the Board on the 22nd inst, and if not found

satisfactory he will be called on to resign his situation as Collector.

Ordered That the above Report be adopted.

The Chairman brought forward the motion of which he gave notice on the 25th ultimo

for the erection of a Union Fever Hospital on the Workhouse grounds and read over the

Hospital expenditure of the Union during the last 2 years. After considerable dis-

cussion and before its termination the Chairman stated that having made arrange-

ments to leave at a certain hour on business of an important nature — he was obliged to vacate the Chair and requested Mr O'Mahony to take it and conclude the business of the day accordingly Mr O'Mahony then took the Chair.

Moved by Mr. O'Connell and Seconded by Mr. Keating
That the Question be postponed to this day
fortnight with the view of further considering the expediency
of the present Hospital,

To which an Amendment was
Proposed by Captain White and
Seconded by The Hon^{ble} R. Maxwell

That inasmuch as the concentration of the Fever
Patients of the Union at Ennisceorthy - involves their con-
veyance a distance of from 13 to 15 Miles and from
districts where Fever generally prevails - the Guardians
unwilling to take such responsibility upon themselves
refuse to build a Union Fever Hospital.

The Chairman took Water when then appeared
For the Amendment of - and For the original
Motion 7. the Amendment was then declared to
be Carried.

The general business having been all completed
upon Mr. Maher has vacated the Chair - the
Meeting soon after adjourned.

John Maher MC

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...	3
Ditto, disallowed	...	...	16
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	16

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
15 day of September 1853

At an Extraordinary Meeting of the Board of
Guardians held at the Boardroom at 12 o'clock
on Monday the 12th September 1853

Present J. Cullen Esq in the Chair
other Guardians, Messrs. Minton and Dalgar

Resolved, That we now agree to put under
Indenture the two boys W^m. Macdonnell and Mich^l.
Fitzgerald ages respectively 14 years and chargeable on
the Union at large - to sea service in the employment
of Nicholas Simmott of Ennisceorthy on Board the
Ship Atalanta now in the port of Glasgow - for
the term of 5 years - we providing them with
outfit to the value of £5 each, and Mr. Simmott
carrying them to Glasgow free of charge to this Board
and to allow them respectively £40 for the five years
by yearly instalments. Viz, For the first year £5 -
Second year £6. Third year £7. Fourth year £8 -
and Fifth year £14.

The Clerk produced the Indentures and Mr.
Simmott and the boys being present; they were read
and executed by the Chairman on part of the Board
and by them on their own part. Subsequently
the Clerk accompanied by the boys and Mr. Simmott
went before the Magistrates at Petty Sessions two
of whom signed the Indentures and gave up
the boys with their free will to Mr. Simmott.

The Board then adjourned
Signed J. Cullen Chairman

Munday
Cullen

John Maher MC

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Population in 1851.....53842 Present Net Annual Value,....£ 90.000
STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10 day of September 1853

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accom- modated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.										OBSERVATIONS.	
			Able-bodied.		Aged and In- firm persons, and adult per- sons, 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.		Number in Hospital on the above date.
Workhouse.	1523	684												
Temporary Buildings.														
Additional Workhouse.	60	18												
Permanent Fever Hospital	220	18												
Fever Sheds.														
TOTAL.	1803	725												
Remaining on Previous Sa- turday, as per last return.	68	117	59	105	82	112	121	50	16	730	In Work- house Hospital.	In separate Wards.		
Admitted during the week.	4	5	.	2	1	2	1	1	1	17	In Fever Hospital.	In Wards with oth- er inmates		
TOTAL.	72	122	59	107	83	114	122	51	17	747	Total, 188	Total, 33		
Discharged during the week.	4	10	.	.	3	.	1	.	1	19	Died in Workhouse 12			
Died, - - - - -	.	.	.	2	.	.	.	1	.	3	Fever Hospital 3 14			
Total Discharged and Dead.	4	10	.	2	3	.	1	1	1	22	In Workhouse 11			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	68	112	59	105	80	114	121	50	16	725	11 Septem ^r 1852 836			

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.		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.		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.							By forward						
No. II.							No. X.						
No. III.							No. XI.						
No. IV.							No. XII.						
No. V.							No. XIII.						
No. VI.							No. XIV.						
No. VII.							No. XV.						
No. VIII.							No. XVI.						
No. IX.							No. XVII.						
Car. forward							TOTAL.						

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Thursday the 15 day of September 1853

PRESENT: In the Chair, J. Mahony
Other Guardians:
J. Symon, M. Craufield, James Furlong
W. Cullen, John Furlong, J. Bolger
P. Coran, J. Long, M. Redmond
M. Leodd, M. Fitzhugh, J. Donohoe

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.

William Martin Newtown and
Mary Maon of Millcarrow

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1251 to No. 1298, 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 it was now time to advertise for a collector in room of the late Matthew Leary

Prudent. Postponed to the day 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, £ 3.5.0

Paid during the week, £ 110.4.4

And that the Balance on the Account *Against* the Guardians was £ 1099.18.2

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 assigned in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			Proportion Collected.
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
<i>J. Rudd</i>	Enniscorthy,	1	0	0				120	7	6 1/2	120	7	6 1/2	
<i>J. J. White</i>	Ferns,							3	11	6 1/2				
	Tinacross,							8	12	3				
	Kilboro,							3	5	0 1/2				
	Ballyearney,							9	19	5	25	8	3	
<i>P. Backley</i>	Clohamon,							70	8	11				
	Kilrush,							5	19	8				
	Tombrack,							2	6	7	78	15	2	
<i>J. Doyle</i>	Ballykogue,							2	16	10 1/2				
	Clonmore,							4	19	4 1/2				
	The Leap,							5	3	1	12	19	4	
<i>M. O'Leary</i>	Killan,							5	8	10 1/2				
	Clonroche,							1	9	5 1/2				
	Castlibero,							1	17	4 1/2	8	15	8 1/2	
<i>J. Summers</i>	Monart,							5						
	Kilboughram,							9	11	3 1/2				
	Ballinduggin,							103	4	11				
	Castledicknell,							2	10	6	55	11	8 1/2	
<i>M. Leary</i>	Kiltaly,							25	15	0 1/2				
	Rosard,							4	6	8				
	St. Mary's,									9 1/2	30	2	6	
<i>J. Power</i>	Carraigduff,							1	8	10				
	Crane more,							9	11	1	10	19	11	
<i>H. Gahan</i>	The Harrow,							1	13	10 1/2				
	Ballymore,								2	10				
	Kilcormick,								9	12	2	5	10	
<i>H. Lawlor</i>	Castletalbot,							12	14	9 1/2				
	Castledis,							8	4	6 1/2				
	Belaboy,							8	13	5				
	Ballyvaldon,							4	15	0 1/2	34	8	7 1/2	
<i>J. Doyle</i>	Ballyhughard,							4	13	8				
	Kilmallick,								7	3 1/2				
	Edermine,							5	13	8	10	14	7 1/2	
	<i>Farm produce</i>							3	5					
	Total,							3	5		390	8	2	

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 4.3.0 was produced and passed.

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

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

Estimate 2.18.9

Invoice 0.16.4

F. Hospital 0.0.5

Dispensary 0.7.6

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 41. 6s. 9d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was 48.0.8 1/4

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was 1.22

Average cost in Infirmary, 2.1

Average cost in Fever Hospital, 2.3

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

Bread 4000 lbs
Meat 160 "
Oatmeal 1120 "
Buttermilk 350 gals
Suetmilk 1380 gals
Salt 224 lbs
Tea 3 lbs
Sugar 23 lbs

Pepper 56 lbs
Whiskey 6 gals
Candles 10 lbs
Soap 112 "
Starch 7 "
W Soda 14 "
Blue 1 "

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.

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

£ s. d.

Emigration

302 Robert Walsh outfit for the boy Mear 1 . .

304 & 306 Thomas Macnamara Secy of Dept of Emigration
Asylum with the boy Henry 6 . .
305 Michael Furlong Travelling expenses
and Coach fare with some boy to Dublin 1 10 . .

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

Orders on contractors, and others, were signed for the following:—

1 Gal waste oil, 7 lb. Black lead, 1/2 doz brick bat
 10 doz black tacks, 1 doz hair, 1 piece bar
 for fleas ripper, 2 doz fine bricks,

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

I have visited the entire Establishment and found every
 thing in it clean, orderly, and regular. The Officers
 most attentive and the inmates apparently very happy.
 13 Sept 1853 Signed Samuel Lacy R.P. Henry

Medical Officers Report

Stomach in Hospital diets week ended 10 Sept	127
" in Hospital on Home diets	13
Total	140
" on Infirmary diets out of Hospital	54
" in Diet wards	33
" Discharge cases	12
" sent to Fever and Dysentery Hospital	1
" Discharge off Hospital Books this week	13

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

Masters Report

" In Original Building	653
" Cottage Ward	17
	670
" Emancipatory Fever Hospital	31
" Newtown Bang do	13
" Outart do	8
	722
Corresponding week last year	834
Decrease	112

Deaths in Infirmary	0
Emancipatory Fever Hospital	1
Outart do do	2
	3

He laid before the Board a sample of the
 Bread supplied by the Contractor today
 which he considered very inferior also
 a sample of the oatmeal supplied, together
 with the statement made from it

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

Ordered, That the Bread Contractor be sent for and spoken to, the quality of his Bread is generally very good but the sample now produced is not as white as at other times, That Mr. Freeman be called on to exchange the put meal on hand as being too soft and therefore not profitable,

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 10 Sept 53 } Enclosing a copy of a
No 47396 } Communication received from the Relieving Officers respecting the keeping of the Town and Books, and requesting the observations of the Board

" 8th Septem 53 } Requiring Returns of
No 348 } Rates made or agreed to be made in the Union during the month of August,

" 9 Sept 53 } Requiring Returns of the
No 350 } 2nd Instalment of Annuities during the month of August,

" 14 Septem 53 } Requiring whether provision
No 46588 } was directed to be made for payment of the second Instalment of the Annuities in the last Rates agreed upon.

Ordered, No direction was given to make provision for payment of the Annuities. In making the Rates a sum of £3 in the £, was added to meet the necessity should the Poor Law Commissioners be claiming the amount.

" 12 Septem 53 } Transmitting a Series of Forms
No 556 } of Accounts showing how the Balances in the Fiscal adjustment order are to be brought into the new Accounts and those of the former Union brought to a close

" 10 Sept 53 } Relating to the Forms Committee
No 46535 } of Management of the Dispensary not meeting in consequence (as stated) of the House being in an unsuitable state,

" 14 Sept 53 } Enquiring whether Prescription
No 47969 } papers had been supplied to the Dispensary Medical Officers at Newtown Barry and Ferm.

Ordered, The Prescription papers have been forwarded — That Mr. Kinch the Secretary of the Dispensary Committee be requested to call a meeting of the Committee to consider the case and report to the Board, the Clerk to send a copy of this Letter to Mr. Kinch.

Ordinary Proceedings

Ordered, That the sum of £1.14.0 be allowed to pay for the set of harness and pair of draughts for the Farm.

The following Letter was read and ordered to be placed on the Minutes, the Board expressing their gratification that a proper sense of his duties and position in which Doctor Leary is placed appear to have induced him to make an advance towards a reconciliation of the past,

Newtown Barry 14 Septem 53

G. W. W. W.

Understanding that some Remarks were made

at your last Board meeting with the object of inducing the body of the Guardians to believe that I am to blame in reference to the Hospital here. They in my own defence to make one or two observations. In reference to the record of your proceedings will establish that the most perfect harmony existed between me and the Board up to the period of this attempted reduction of my salary. The pocket is a very tender point to attack and one naturally calculated to irritate the feelings of the party assailed and if in debating this question with the Board I have made any one observation which the Board consider offensive I would most willingly withdraw it. As regards the course I have been compelled to resort to I entirely disclaim that I have acted with any view to annoy the Guardians as I am informed it was alleged.

I have acted solely as any one of your Board would do if his just rights were assailed - in defence of them. I ask you therefore free from any personal feeling to consider the convincing proofs I have already laid before you in my former communications and which I may be excused from repeating here. I trust you will feel yourselves constrained by a sense of justice to give due weight to those facts. If however unhappily you do not I must adopt every measure to defend my rights and I request of you to consider me to act solely with such an object and not with the unworthy motive attributed to me - that of annoying the Board. I have been informed that the Board have been really much ~~inconvenienced~~ inconvenienced by the want of the Returns which I previously as a matter of compliment supplied to them.

While I do not hesitate to say that I have been legally advised that the Board is at this moment liable to me in the full amount of my salary being to a lack in their proceedings - I am so anxious to remove the groundlessness of the imputation alluded to that I at once offer for the present for a short term as a matter of favour to supply those Returns and keep the accounts as I did before. I venture to hope that the interval which will elapse and that this concession made with the object of removing the shadow of belief in the motives I have repudiated will have the effect of reestablishing our relation on the old footing. At all events it will

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

afford time to the Guardians without inconvenience to the Public service to make such arrangements as they may think fit to meet the difficulty which if not provided for will be sure to arise upon my relinquishing this gratuitous service. The matter in dispute is one of no consideration to the public for while it is only an item of one sixteenth of a penny in the £ valuation once in every 365 days to them, it is a matter of labour to me every single day of the year and often three times a day.

Signed

Richard Carey

The Board proceeded to the consideration of Tenders for oils - Hardware - Brushes. Shoe findings &c and adopted the following.

From Patrick Ryan Ironmonger & Jewellery

Balied oil	2/10 per gal	Lamp black	3/4 p lb	Shack hair	1/3 p lb
Linseed "	2/10 "	Logwood	7/6 p lb	Shack hemp	1/12 p lb
Rope "	3/6 "	Copperas	9 "	Nail blades	7/6 p gross
Pale Seal "	3/3 "	Tins 1 qt	2/11 p do	Iron Nails	4/6 p gross
Train "	3/3 "	do 1/2 pt	2/8 "	Nails for Dr	6 p do
Stout "	4/ "	do 5/8 pt	2/5 "	Corn twine	10 fine 1/4 p lb
Flask p do	9/ "	Blk lead brush	7/6 ea	Iron tined spoons	7/6 p gross
White Wash brush	2/8	Wearer brush	1/11 p pair	Black tapers	3/9 p do
Glue	3 p lb	White Lead	28 p lb	Black do	2/4 do
Knitting needles	4	Black lead	3 p lb	Nail hafts	3/4 p do
Sailers thick wire	p do	Rope & cordage	3 p lb	Car grease	3 p lb
				White frock taps	1/2 p do

From Patrick Breen Ironmonger & Jewellery

Sp ^{ts} Turpentine	1/2 p lb	Tins 1 pint	2/3 p do	Closing yarn	1/4 p do
Pitch and Resin	1/4 p lb	do 3/4 pt	2/4 "	Rasps	9 in 8/4 each
Shack Nails	3/6 & 3/9 p do	Black tacks	3/4 & 4 p lb	Scrub floor brush	1/9 ea
White tapers	1/10 p do	Pins 1 lb	1/9	2/3	2/9 p do
Hay and Wood Carbs	1/4 p pair	Needles	3/4 p 100	Heard do	1/2 ea
Horn Combs	1/2 p do	Nail Rod Iron	4/4 p cut	English Nails	3 p lb
Ivory Combs	2/6 p do	Wing Stones	2/4 p do	Knit needles	9 p gross
				Yellow and brown ocher	2 p lb

Edmund Ryan

Cotton Balls 1/6 p lb. Black. black
and Newbie threads 1/8 p lb

The Chairman brought under the notice of the Board that he had a conversation with the Earl Countess on the subject of the proposed transfer of the Outcast Fever Hospital by the Trustees — to the Board of Guardians of the Limerick Union who stated that consequent on the Commissioner's communications with this Board they had refused to sanction the arrangement but that as the object of the majority of the Limerick Board was decidedly to maintain the present condition of the Charity with permission legally to keep the Building in repair, he suggested that a proposal be made to the Commissioner to accept a transfer of the Hospital themselves which would be the best security to both Boards for its future maintenance.

Resolved, That this Board would be perfectly satisfied with such arrangement,

A Letter was read from the Catholic Institution for Deaf and Dumb at Prospect near Dublin ✓

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...	1
Ditto, disallowed	...	...	4
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	4

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	6
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	6
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	...	6
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	1

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on

day of

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the

Stating that the application for admission of the boy P. Kenny (an orphan) was accepted and that he should be presented before the Committee at No 7 Wellington Quay on Monday next with £5 for half year Pension and \$1 to purchase outfit, those on him to be returned.

Ordered. That a Cheque be signed for £6 and transmitted to the Secretaries and that Mr. F. Molong the Porter take the boy in charge and be allowed 30/- per week to pay Coach fares and necessary expenses, the Master to make arrangements for the Porter duties to be performed during his absence.

The Chairman then signed the order and Cheques after which the Board adjourned.

Thomas Baender

Monday
at 10

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Population in 1851..... 53 842 Present Net Annual Value,....£ 90,000
STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 17th day of September 1853

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building as 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.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Workhouse,	1523 653													
Temporary Buildings,														
Additional Workhouse,	60 18													
Permanent Fever Hospital	220 53													
Fever Sheds,														
TOTAL,	1803 724													
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.		68	112	59	105	80	114	121	50	16	725	In Workhouse Hospital. 127	In separate Wards. 131	
Admitted during the week.		6	6	.	.	.	1	1	2	.	16	In Fever Hospital. 53	In Wards with other inmates. 2	
TOTAL,		74	118	59	105	80	115	122	52	16	741	Total, 180	Total, 33	
Discharged during the week,		4	7	.	.	1	2	.	.	1	15	Died in Workhouse 1		
Died, - - - -		.	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	Fever Hospital 1		
Total Discharged and Dead,		4	9	.	.	1	2	.	.	1	17	In Workhouse 3		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.		70	109	59	105	79	113	122	52	15	724	18 Sept 1852 853		

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

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on *Thursday* the *22* day of *September* 1853.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Thomas Pender*

Other Guardians:

*B. O'Hallerty, J. Winton, J. Bolger, A. Keating,
J. O'Connor, P. Kelly, M. Redmond,
E. Brinn, J. Abraham, J. Headd, J. Doran,
M. Kinch, G. Roberts, J. Cullen, Wm.
J. Heptuck, James T. Hurlough.*

*The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.
15th Chair*

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.

None

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1298 to No. 1314, 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 forwarded a copy of the Letter of the Commissioners respecting Terms Dispersary House to the Secretary Atkinch and had written to Mr. Rowe Vice-Chairman of the Kellan Dispersary Committee in both Cases conveying the request of the Board that meetings of the Committees be held and reports made relative to the matters complained of. Had received 30 copies of the General Valuation of the Union by Mr. Griffith and forwarded to each of the Police Stations and have posted notices for their inspection for 21 days

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

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

Paid during the week, ... £ 9.18.1

And that the Balance on the Account *Against* the Guardians was £ 1172.5.8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.	Total.	Remaining.	Total.	Proportion Collected.
£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
<i>J. Radd</i>	Enniscorthy,			120 7 6 1/2	120 7 6 1/2	
<i>L. White</i>	Ferns,			3 11 6 1/2		
	Tinacross,			8 12 3		
	Kilbore,			3 5 0 1/2		
	Ballycarney,			9 19 5	25 8 3	
<i>P. Rackey</i>	Clohamon,			70 18 11		
	Killrush,			5 19 8		
	Tombrock,			2 6 7	78 15 2	
<i>J. Doyle</i>	Ballyhogue,			2 16 10 1/2		
	Clonmore,			4 19 4 1/2		
	The Leap,			5 3 1	12 19 4	
<i>M. Moran</i>	Killan,			5 8 10 1/2		
	Clonroche,			1 9 5 1/2		
	Castibero,			1 17 4 1/2	8 15 8 1/2	
<i>J. Scannan</i>	Monart,			5		
	Killoughram,			9 11 3 1/2		
	Ballinduggin,			43 4 11		
	Castledockrell,			2 10 6	55 11 8 1/2	
<i>Vacant</i>	Kiltaly,	✓	6 7 7	25 15 0 1/2		
	Roscard,	✓	3 10 6	4 6 8		
	St. Mary's,		9 18 1	9 1/2	30 2 6	
<i>J. Puen</i>	Curriduff,			1 8 10		
	Crane more,			9 11 1	10 19 11	
<i>R. Gahan</i>	The Harrow,			1 13 10 1/2		
	Ballymore,			2 10		
	Kilcormick,			9 6 1/2	2 5 10	
<i>J. Licutant</i>	Castletalbot,	✓	1 3 2	11 2 7 1/2		
	Castledilis,	✓	1 7	7 7 7		
	Belaboy,	✓	1 13 10	6 19 7		
	Ballyealdon,	✓	2 0 8	5 14 8	2 15 2	28 5
<i>J. Doyle</i>	Ballyhuskard,			4 13 8		
	Kilmallock,			7 3 1/2		
	Edermine,			5 13 8	23 13 11 1/2	
	Total,		5 14 8		384 5 4	

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 4.0.6 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week, was £ 44.18.7½.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary,

Average cost in Fever Hospital,

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

Bread 4000 lb	Tea 3 lb
Meat 160 "	Sugar 23 lb
Out-milk 1120 "	Candles 10 "
Butter-milk 350 gal	Whisky 2 gal
Sweet-milk 1380 gal	Starch 7 lb
Hour 224 lb	Blue 1 "

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

Credit Treasurer with Checks.

Debit each Relieving Officer with Checks and Orders.

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

1. Clothing Account.

£	s.	d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

£	s.	d.

308 Alex Lett Harpur
309 Robert Tennant putting and glazing

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

4. Out-door Relief Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

Orders on contractors, and others, were signed for the following:—

8 Bunches of S. Klein Blue wett
 2 " " red "
 2 " " grey "
 1 galⁿ wool oil "

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

Medical Officer Report

Number in Hospital diet week ended 17 Sept 116
 " in Hospital on house diets 11
 " on infirm diets out of Hospital 55
 " in Adist wards 33
 " Discharged cured 14
 " Sent to Fever and Quagary Hospital 1
 " Died 1
 " Discharged off Hospital Books this week 16

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

Masters Report

Number in Original Building and addition 650
 " Cottage rooms 18
 " Total 668
 " Unionist Hospital 31
 " Newtown Barr 14
 " Outart 8
 " 721
 Comprehending week last year 853
 Decrease 132

Died in Workhouse 12
 , Newtown Barr F. Hospital 12

Thatcher had given up possession of the Cottage & Auxiliary Home to the Board on Saturday the 17th instant, suggested the necessity of advertising for a Plough and set of swings also a cart for the plough, that there was a quantity of bricks & tiles last night off the Farm and that a series of petty thefts occurred during last week and requested

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

The Board would take the matter into their consideration also the propriety of appointing a Night Watchman for preservation of the crops now very valuable, that in order to close the Farm Accounts on the 29th inst as directed by the P.L. Commissioners it will be necessary for the Board to make arrangements for the valuation of all the produce at present on the Farm,

Ordered, If the present watch allow any more to be stolen to report same and 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):-
They shall be discharged. a Committee consisting of Messrs Maher, Furlong, Stanton and Meock were appointed to value the growing crops.

Commissioners Letters

Dated 14 Sept 53rd Respecting the Appointment
No 47969 of John Monaghan as Porter
to the Farm Hospital dissenting
therefrom,

For Order see Ordinary proceedings

" 14 Sept 53rd In reference to the Resolution
No 47969 calling on Doctor Leary to
resign requesting to be informed
what Books or Leary Ought to keep

For Order, see Ordinary proceedings

" 14 Sept 53rd In reference to the proposal
No 47969 to send a boy P. Kanny
to the Deaf and Dumb Institution
enquiring when his Parents living

Ordered, The boy Pat Kanny is an orphan
aged 12 years.

" 15 Sept 53rd Calling the Guardians attention to their
No 355 } power for the removal of nuisances
transmitting copies of the Acts and of their
Circular of the 19th October last,

" 21 Sept 53rd Enclosing a copy of sealed Order
No 369 } Containing Directions & Regulations
for giving effect to the Provisions of the
Nuisance Removal Acts of 1848 and 1849

Ordered, That the Clerk summon a special
meeting of the Board for Wednesday next
to consider the most effectual means for
carrying these Acts into effect

" 17 Sept 53rd In reference to the Industrial
No 366 } training carried out in the
Workhouse, enclosing a Circular to
inspectors on the subject, and Forms
of Return to be filled by the Master
and Clerk,

" 17 Sept 53rd In reference to the expenditure
No 48646 } incurred by the Guardians
in sending 10 Boys to Belfast, who
had been trained as weavers in
the Workhouse, requiring that an
account of that outlay be furnished
to them supported by vouchers,

Ordered, That the Account be paid as proposed
to the Commissioners

" 16 Sept 53rd On the subject of providing
No 47991 } suitable Accommodation for
the Branch Dispensary in the Clonmel
Dispensary District, enclosing an
extract from a Letter received from
the Medical Officer of the District,

Ordered, A Meeting of the Dispensary Committee held at Clonmole yesterday Mr Leese a Guardian who attended reported that it had been referred to Messrs Cliffe and Ball to enquire for more appropriate Accommodation and nurse to inspect the present House at Bree who will report their opinion to the Board on the 29th Instant.

Ordinary Proceedings

A Letter dated 19th Sept 53 was read from the General Valuation Office stating that 20 copies of the Increment Valuation of the Union were transmitted for inspection.

In reference to the Commissioners Letter dated the 14th Septemr 53. No 47969

Ordered, The Guardians referred to the Commissioners Letter to Doctor Leary of the 15th June No 36713 which states that the keeping of the Books which he complained of formed no part of his duty, these comprised amongst others the Admission and Discharge Form 7 and the Provisional Check Account Form 11 which were sent by the direction of the Inspector of the Poor. The Clerk cannot state any other Books which were regularly kept at the Newtown Bantry Hospital as there is not any local Committee who can report how the Medical Books have been attended to — and seeing the difficulty of their position they have thought it advisable to ask for an inspection of the Hospital the Guardians at the same time are glad to

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

perceive that during the past week the Returns from the Hospital were sent by Dr Leary as formerly

In reference to the Commissioners Letter dated 14th Sept 53 No 47969. Relation to the appointment of the Porter at the Fever Hospital it was

Ordered, The Guardians regard the opinion of the Commissioners on the subject of John Donaghy's appointment, they beg to remind them once more that he was not a pauper inmate at the time of his election, he had been obliged to have recourse to Poor Law relief in consequence of ill health — belonging to a respectable family in the Union and having filled the office of Clerk in a Merchant's Establishment was obliged to leave, under the circumstances the Guardians hold to their opinion in the case of John Donaghy and leave the case in the Commissioners hands

Ordered, That the Clerk give notice to the Guardians for the closing up of the old Rates and particularly on Monart and request the Solicitors attendance respecting the recovery of all arrears — as — if allowed to go over many will become irrecoverable in two years.

James Lambert Collector attended with his Books and lodged £5.14.8 in receipt, a Letter was read from Mr Brooking stating that having seized on some parties for arrears he could not bring in his Books as directed on the 8th Inst.

Ordered, That the Clerk write to Mr Brooking

to bring in his Books forthwith in order the
 account be put into the new Rate Books. And that
 the account in Mr. Lament's Books be put in also
 at once. That this Board are of Opinion that
 Mr. Borky is highly unreasonable in not declining
 in his Books as ordered on the 8th Instant
 and they cannot say that he should be allowed
 to take charge of the new Warrants in consequence
 of his repeated neglect of the orders of the Board.

The Assistant Master and Assistant Matron
 make application for leave to become Candidates
 for the office of Master and Matron of the
 Henry Union Workhouse on Saturday next.

Ordered, Leave granted.

Tenders for Best White Bread were
 considered and the following accepted, the
 wheat to be made into Flour, oatmeal and
 India Meal.

Mr. Thomas G. Neaher { Best White Bread
 as per sample 7/2
 per 4 lbs. 6th 25. March
 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	...	...	2
Ditto, disallowed	...	...	...
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	...	...	...

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on the
 day of 18

Mr. Fitzpatrick gave notice that on Thursday
 the 6th October he will move that the present
 staff of Relieving Officers be reduced.

Moved by Mr. Keirle

Seconded by Mr. Balguy and Resolved.

That the recommendation of the Poor
 Dispensary Committee be acted on namely
 to take the Dispensary House from Mrs
 O'Connell at the rate of £8 per ann. from
 the 29th instant she undertaking to Board
 the floor of the Committee room and to
 give an additional room for a waiting
 room, also to supply sufficient fuel
 and attendance, to keep the House clean
 and well ventilated, the old Contract
 Cancelled and a new one made out on the
 Terms specified.

The Chairman then signed the orders
 and Charges after which the Board
 adjourned to Wednesday the 28th Instant.

M. Maher

M. Maher
 Clerk

Agreeably to adjournment a meeting of the Board of Guardians took place on Wednesday the 28th September 1853.

Present Thomas Pounds Esq in the Chair

Other Guardians, B. Flaherty, Capt^r White
S. G. Cranfield, G. C. Roberts, James Furlong,
J. Long, J. Codd, J. Donohoe, P. Doran
J. Bolger and M. Codd Esq^{rs}

The Relieving Officers were in attendance

The Commissioners Letters dated 21st and 24th September 1853 containing instructions as to the powers of Guardians and directions and regulations for giving effect to the Nuisances Removal Acts of 1848 and 1849 were read.

The Board called on Mr Bolton, the Town Commissioners Street Inspector to explain generally the state of the Town, who stated that having inspected the Town he found nuisances to exist at the Spout Lane and Sparrows Alley, the Arch at Salkins house, the yards at James Burkes and John Murphy's the unoccupied premises of John Pingleton, Anne Farrell's piggery & all those from Burkes to Wilkinsons at the Puffy Gate, also Fegans and Edwards Lane, Mr^{rs} Kavanagh's, Harmons and Martin Codd's, also Corrigan's Lane all in

a very bad state, Irish Street Chambers and yards, Mary Street and yard of Miss Murdoch, Henricks Slaughter house, the Archway at Thompsons in Templehamon near Edward Daley's back yard &c &c and having concluded his report was directed to retire for the present,

The Chairman read a report adopted at a meeting of the Town Commissioners held on Saturday the 24th September instant and finally the Board agreed to the following—

Resolutions, That a Committee with power to add to their number be appointed to consist of the Resident Guardians of the Town, the Officers of Health and Town Commissioners to be charged with carrying the "Nuisances Removal and Diseases Prevention Acts" into effect within the Town of Enniscorthy.

Resolved, That the Town Commissioners shall keep all streets, Lanes and passages clean and free from all accumulations of filth &c at their own cost and that the Guardians cause all nuisances connected with dwelling houses, yards &c to be abated at their expense so that the business may be effected with efficiency and economy.

Resolved

Resolved, That the Cabins or Dwellings of the Poor should be cleansed and White-washed whenever the Committee think it necessary and admissible on the Report of their Inspector or Inspectors

Resolved, That the Guardians of each Dispensary District assisted by the Medical Officer and the Committee, be constituted a Committee in their respective Districts for the purpose of carrying the "Nuisances Removal Acts into operation", with power to add to their number.

Ordered, That the Clerk give information of the arrangements entered into by the Guardians to the Secretaries of Dispensary Districts, requesting on the part of the Board that meetings be immediately called for the purpose of Co-operating with the Board of Guardians.

The Relieving Officers are directed to make a House to House visitation in their Districts and to report the results to their respective Committee's as soon as possible and subsequently from time to time, that they call on the Constabulary for any assistance required of which the Clerk is to give them due notice

ordered

Ordered, That 100 Placards be struck off and sent to the Medical Officers to have posted in their Districts informing the people of the Resolutions entered into by the Board, cautioning them to give no obstruction to those now authorised to carry the Law into execution, The Clerk to order six Copies of the Acts of 1848 and 1849 for the Committees.

The Board then adjourned to Thursday the 29th day of September 1853

Maheir L.C.