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Enniscorthy Union

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# 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

27<sup>th</sup> day of September

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.	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, Permanent Buildings.	1521	426												
Additional Workhouse.	220	37												
Permanent Fever Hospital.														
Fever Sheds.														
TOTAL.	1741	463												
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	24	27	44	95	65	70	32	16	12	45	1	15	60	
Admitted during the week.	1	6	3	2	1	1	1					15	27	
TOTAL.	25	93	47	97	66	71	33	16	12	46	1	30	87	
Discharged during the week.	2	4			2	2	2	1				13		
Died.														
Total Discharged and Dead.	2	4			2	2	2	1				13		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	23	29	47	97	64	69	31	15	12	45	1	17	87	

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 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October 1856

PRESENT: In the Chair *John Dolger*

Other Guardians:

*A. Veth. B. Delaherty. G. Lane. A. Jordan. Edw. Owen. P. Doran. W. King. M. Smith. J. Graham.*

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 Clerk, were duly read at the Board this day in accordance with the 15th section of the 7th and 8th Vic., c 81.

*Thomas Roe of Ballyhanogue*  
*Margaret Doyle of Templehamma*

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 497 to No. 575, 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 Warrants for Collection of the Rates will be submitted for Signature of the Chairman & two Guardians this day except that for Enniscentry Division which will not be ready until the 9th Date. I directed the Collectors to come in with their Simoes and perfect their Bonds on or before Monday next when he shall deliver their Warrants*

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, ... £ 55. 14. 0

And that the Balance on the Account ... £ 25. 4. 1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collector's Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			Date of last attendance.
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
MICHAEL DORAN....	Enniscorthy, -							1197	7	5				
	Total, -										1197	7	5	
MICHAEL BYRNE....	Ferns, -							158	14	8				
	Tinacross, -							117	1	4				
	Kilboro, -							44	2	0				
	Ballycarney, -							69	4	7				
	Total, -										419	2	7	
WM. FITZPATRICK...	Newtownbarry, -							601	2	4				
	Killrush, -							134	10	2				
	Tombrack, -							158	8	9				
	Cranmore, -							41	4	2				
	Total, -										905	5	3	
JAMES DOYLE.....	Ballyhogue, -							117	11	7				
	Clonmore, -							153	19	7				
	The Leap, -							132	19	6				
	Ballyhuskard, -							163	12	9				
	Kilmallock, -							152	18	10				
	Edermine, -							166	9	1				
	Total, -										888	11	4	
JOHN CULLEN,.....	Killan, -							161	8	10				
	Clonroche, -							180	19	9				
	Castleboro, -							108	18	7				
	Total, -										457	7	2	
WILLIAM GAHAN....	Monart, -							122	0	5				
	Killloughram, -							152	5	8				
	Ballindaggin, -							98	11	9				
	Castledockrell, -							75	12	0				
	Total, -										457	9	10	
DARBY LEARY,.....	Kiltealy, -							97	11	1				
	Rossard, -							103	14	8				
	St. Mary's, -							121	11	0				
	Total, -										322	16	9	
EDWARD GAHAN....	The Harrow, -							97	11	1				
	Ballymore, -							103	14	8				
	Kilcormick, -							121	11	0				
	Total, -										322	16	9	
HENRY WALSH,.....	Castletalbot, -							129	2	9				
	Castleellis, -							111	8	7				
	Bolaboy, -							93	15	7				
	Ballyvaldon, -							86	9	8				
	Total, -										420	13	1	
	Total, £										339	16	11	

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



The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 3.5.2 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.

Accrued 33.13.7<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub> to the 29<sup>th</sup> H. Sept  
Consumed 43.9.5<sup>2</sup>/<sub>4</sub>

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 4 s. 13<sup>6</sup>/<sub>4</sub>

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 12.3.9<sup>3</sup>/<sub>4</sub>

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<sup>2</sup>/<sub>4</sub>

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 4.1

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

Bread	2500	lbs	Flour	224	lbs
Meat	95	"	Pepper	14	"
Butter	1120	"	Coals	10	tons
Buttermilk	230	gals	Candles	12	lbs
Smoked Hk	1008	gals	Soap	112	"
Salt	112	lbs	Washing Soda	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	"
Tea	50	"	Starch	3 <sup>1</sup> / <sub>2</sub>	"
Sugar	240	"	Other	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

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.
No. I.		Article and quantity	Value.
No. II.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
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.

199	Rev. Denis Browne	Establishment Account	7	10	0
200	Rev. Mr. Murphy	P. C. Chaplain	15	0	0
201	George Maguire	Matron	15	0	0
202	P. O'Rourke	Medical Officer	18	15	0
203	Mary Harris	Matron	6	10	0
204	Owen Callaghan	Scholar-master	6	10	0
205	Brigid Stapleton	Scholar-mistress	5	70	0
206	John Doyle	Porter	3	15	0
207	Cathl. Maulean	Time	3	15	0
208	Philip Harris	Apportionment	2	18	4
209	Andrew Harriack	Cleaning Office	3	0	0
210	Mr. Doncke		3	0	0
211	Terence O'Brien		3	0	0
212	Patrick Melah		3	0	0
213	James Murphy		3	0	0
214	J. Kennedy	Clerk	2	10	0
233	Thomas Bradford	Timothy Contractor	4	0	0
234	P. A. Veepe	Medical Appliances	2	4	0
	by Workhouse	Summary	27	6	8
		Disbursements	32	17	4

238	John Greene	Darker Farms. Printing.			
		Immigration Act	6	3	0
		Elections Van	0	4	0
		Junior Hospitals	2	13	6
		Disbursements	11	18	6
		Establishment	30	8	7
			45	7	7

6 11.18.6  
1.19.9

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



Forer Hospitals

22/ 231 Samuel Harrison Emmenty Hospital 23 19 9  
232 Mr. Marston Newembury do 13 0 7

Elections Law &c

27/ 235 Thomas Macnamara for Maintenance of a Deaf 5 0 0  
214 Dumb boy  
D. Kennedy Returning Officer 2 10 0

Collection Fees

23/ 236 William Fitzpatrick Collector 10 14 2

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:

3 cart Nailery Coals, 12 coffins, 1 St. Limerick  
1 gal Spent Liniment W. Iron Coal Exp

Medical Officers Report

Remaining from last week on Hosp. diet 49  
Admitted during the week on Home diet 12  
64

Discharged cured 4  
Sent to Poor Hospital 0  
Died 0 4

Remaining on Hospital diet 53  
" on Home diet 5 60

Number in Diet Ward 29

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

Master Reported

109 He begd to state that he was unable to make out the Specification for the Dissolute Ward as directed but will against next Board day

110 All the Provisions and necessaries supplied are of good quality

111 Patrick Farrell proposes taking out an Apprentice named Richard Shallow and teaching him the Shoemaking trade provided the Board provide him with a Suit of Clothing

112 Mr. Davis Contractor for Smeethalls was 49 quarts deficient last week and John Keating 63 for which he procured milk at 7 per ball

Ordered The Boy and Mr. Farrell having been called before the Board and examined, the boy agreed to bind himself for 4 years. The Master is directed to provide a suit of clothes on the boy taking his discharge from the Workhouse







Mr. Patrick Green Emmissionary

Thomas Hastings, Esq.

Marie Maxime Emment  
Starch 5/8 Stone Slate Blue 1/2 W.

James Deriving Emmons

James Leary, Mohrway

P. J. Burke Emmissary

Charles J. Townell & Co.

50 Stone @ \$6 and 1 cent @ 19-

A Letter was read from the Clerk of Govey Union stating that the Board of Synchamps had directed their Master to attend on Friday the 3<sup>rd</sup> October at the Great Hospital for the purpose of taking up all clothing and other property belonging to the Govey Union.

A Letter was read from the Masters Clerk stating that owing to his state of health he was obliged to tender his resignation thanking the Board for their past kindness towards him.

The Medical Officer requested leave of absence for a week and that Dr. Sherrin of Hemicorthy collect for his during absence

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Mr. Henry Welch Collector applied for Remuneration  
for Collecting and clearing up the accounts of his  
predecessor James Lemph. Hoping the Board will  
consider his great trouble and loss of time

Ordered. As Mr. Welch has performed the task he undertook  
to our satisfaction we direct that a sum of Two Pounds  
be allowed him.

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	...	...	...
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	15

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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Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the  
day of *October* 18*86*

*John Doyle*  
*John W. W. W.*  
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14 and 15 Vic., c 68, }  
(No. 27.) }

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORTHY UNION, on  
Thursday, the 2<sup>nd</sup> day of October 185 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 £

32	215	Samuel Goodisson M.D. Salary to 27 <sup>th</sup> Sept	✓	12.10.0
32	216	Thomas G. Cranfield do do	✓	12.10.0
29	217	Chas. Carey do do	✓	17.10.0
33	218	M. J. Carthan do do	✓	21.5.0
34	219	Fredrick Stork do do	✓	18.15.0
31	220	Peter Taylor do do	✓	16.5.0
30	221	G. W. Lang do do	✓	16.5.0
33	222	P. Stethem Post at Oulart	✓	3.0.0
33	223	A. Donohue Post at Oulart	✓	3.10.0
34	224	James Tector do Clonsilla	✓	4.10.0
31	225	Darby Leary do Hillan	✓	2.10.0

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

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

District	£
29	226 Tetahi Corran Post at H. J. Dany ✓ 3.0.0
34	227 Ph. Moore do Bree Branch ✓ 2.12.6
31	228 Sarah Donnelly do Ferm ✓ 4.0.0
32	229 H. Crowley do Clonsilla ✓ 1.10.0
32	230 M. Murphy do Oulart ✓ 11.10.0
	234 P. A. Lister of M. Lister ✓ 52.17.4
29	234 Newtonham 8.10.0
31	234 Hillan 21.17.1
31	234 Ferm 4.2.0
32	234 Enniscahy 13.7.2
33	234 Oulart 8.0.3
34	234 Clonsilla 0.0.0
	£52.17.4

(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,)

*John Dwyer*

*John Kennedy*  
Clerk of the Union.

# ENNISCORTHY UNION.

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STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

14<sup>th</sup> day of October 56

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.
										Total.	No. of In-mates and Idiots in the above Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse.	154	424	Able-bodied.									
Permanent Buildings.			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				
Additional Workhouse.												
Permanent Fever Hospital.	220	29										
Fever Sheds.												
TOTAL.	176	453										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	29	100	47	97	61	58	39	7	17	45		
Admitted during the week.	2	10					1	2	2	17		
TOTAL.	31	110	47	97	61	59	41	9	19	62		
Discharged during the week.	3	2		6			1	3	2	17		
Died, - - - - -		1	1							2		
Total Discharged and Dead.	3	3	1	6			1	3	2	19		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	28	107	46	91	61	58	38	7	17	45		
											NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1855	
											554	
											101	

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 9<sup>th</sup> day of October 1856

PRESENT: In the Chair, *John Doyle*

Other Guardians: *W. R. Farmer. J. Liff. J. P. Murphy. J. Smeaton. J. Flood. J. D. Denny. J. Whitney. W. Manton. J. Selzer. J. Thompson. J. Dwyer. M. Doyle. W. Keating. G. Shore. P. Dwyer. W. Cloney. P. Doran. J. Mulvey. G. B. Roberts. T. G. Bramfield. W. Dwyer. J. Callin.*

*In consequence of the proceedings J. Mulvey resigned and was called to the Chair. The Chair was also occupied by G. C. Roberts. 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.

Thomas Coe of Ballyhanogue. and  
 Mary Doyle of Templemore ✓

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 525 to No. 532, 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:—

Respectfully suggested that the Board postpone any extraordinary business until the 30th in order to give the Master and himself time to close up the past half year accounts open the new books for the current half year and to prepare for the Auditor of this Comtee, is followed in many Unions the Ordinary business only being transacted for one fortnight

Ordered. The suggestion agrees to,

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, ... £ 317.9.0 ✓  
 And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £ 55.16.9 ✓

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 Collector's Districts.	Collected and Lodged.	Total.			Remaining.			Total.			Date of last attendance.
			£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
MICHAEL DORAN....	Enniscorthy, - -					197	7	5				
	Total, -								197	7	5	
MICHAEL BYRNE....	Ferns, - - -					108	14	2				
	Tinacross, - - -					117	1	4				
	Kilboro, - - -					44	2	0				
	Ballycarney, - -					69	4	7				
	Total, -								419	2	7	
WM. FITZPATRICK...	Newtownbarry, -					601	2	4				
	Killrush, - - -					134	10	2				
	Tombrack, - - -					128	8	9				
	Cranmore, - - -					41	4	2				
	Total, -								905	5		
JAMES DOYLE.....	Ballyhogue, - -					117	11	7				
	Clonmore, - - -					153	19	7				
	The Leap, - - -					133	19	6				
	Ballyhuskard, - -					163	12	9				
	Kilmallock, - - -					152	18	10				
	Edermine, - - -					166	9	1				
	Total, -								888	11	4	
JOHN CULLEN,.....	Killan, - - -					161	2	10				
	Clonroche, - - -					100	19	9				
	Castleboro, - - -					108	18	7				
	Total, -								457	7	2	
WILLIAM GAHAN....	Monart, - - -					122	1	5				
	Killoughram, - -					102	5	8				
	Ballindaggin, - -					90	11	9				
	Castledockrell, -					75	7	2				
	Total, -								470	9	10	
DARBY LEARY,.....	Kiltealy, - - -					115	3	11				
	Rossard, - - -					71	9	5				
	St. Mary's, - - -					69	10	0				
	Total, -								470	9	10	
EDWARD GAHAN....	The Harrow, - -					97	11	1				
	Ballymore, - - -					103	14	5				
	Kilcormick, - - -					121	11	0				
	Total, -								322	16	9	
HENRY WALSH,.....	Castletalbot, - -					129	2	9				
	Castleellis, - - -					115	5	7				
	Bolaboy, - - -					93	15	7				
	Ballyvaldon, - -					86	9	2				
	Total, -								420	18	1	
	Total, £								339	16	11	

NOTE—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. 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 £ 5.12.8 ✓ was produced and passed.

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

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

Current Petty Cash

Est 3.7.2 ✓  
Cl 0.5.9 ✓

£ 3.12.11 ✓

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 64s. 8d. 11 ✓

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 31.17.6 1/2 ✓

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, ... 4.0 ✓

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

Bread 2500 lbs ✓	And meal 1120 lbs ✓
Butter 90 " ✓	Whiskey 2 qts ✓
Onion 1120 " ✓	Candles 12 lbs ✓
Buttermilk 230 gals ✓	Starch 3 1/2 ✓
Shortening 1008 qts ✓	Woolen 3 1/2 ✓
Butt 112 lbs ✓	Blue 1 ✓
Tea 50 ✓	
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.	
		£	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.

251 .. Philip Murphy, Carpenter Establishment Account. 9 4 2 ✓  
252 .. Robert Tennant, Painter & Glazier 3 11 11 ✓  
253 .. George Haynie, Carpenter of the Jail 8 2 4 ✓

Funeral Expenses

256 .. Mr. Hanteken, Newburybury Corp. 10 0 ✓

Collection Fees

254 .. Henry Walsh, Collector 3 11 11 ✓  
255 .. William Graham, do 7 19 11 ✓

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



## 3 Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

239	Thomas G. Kehler Bread Muffin	✓	109	19	7	✓
240	Mary Davis Buttermilk	✓	13	2	9	✓
241	John Linton do	✓	7	2	8	✓
242	Wm. Henson do	✓	1	7	8	✓
243	Robt. Conroy Buttermilk	✓	7	0	0	✓
244	Andrew Doyle do	✓	4	14	3	✓
245	Thomas Linton Whiskey	✓	1	19	0	✓
246	James Genderson Chandler	✓	9	9	6	✓
247	James Berwick Groceries	✓	1	0	11	✓
248	John D. Murphy Oil	✓	4	13	2	✓
249	Nicholas Hemmick Meat	✓	7	1	6	✓
250	John D. Murphy Salt	✓	2	13	4	✓

Transferred from fo 9

29	234	P. H. Leslie & Co Medical Apparatus	✓	8	10	10	✓
30	"	W. Watson & Co Dispensary	✓	21	17	1	✓
31	"	William do do	✓	4	2	0	✓
32	"	Fern Dispensary	✓	13	7	2	✓
33	"	Emmicerthy Dispensary	✓	5	0	3	✓
34	"	Palace Dispensary	✓	52	17	4	✓

Transferred from fo 3

238	John Greene Stationery &c	✓	0	3	0	✓
"	Emigration Acct	✓	0	4	0	✓
"	Electors Law &c	✓	2	13	6	✓
"	Fewer Hospitals	✓	11	18	6	✓
"	Dispensaries	✓	14	19	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 lb. mutton oil. 1 lb. Lamp oil. 10 M. black soap  
3 padlocks. 5 sheets drawing paper. 1 set fire tongs  
1 Smiff & tray.

14.19  
30.8.7 7

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 55 ✓  
Admitted during the week on Home diet 5 ✓  
10 ✓  
70 ✓

Discharged cured 11 ✓  
Sent to Fever Hospital 1 ✓  
Died 2 ✓ 14 ✓

Remaining on Hospital diet 52 ✓  
on Home diet 4 ✓ 56 ✓

Number on Infirmary diet out of Hospital 27 ✓  
in Diet Ward 30 ✓

Lyne was admitted in a dying state.

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

## Masters Report

113 He has to state that the quantity of wheat sold was 74½ Barrels amounting to £36.19.5 ✓  
on hand seven Barrels. Total 81½ Barrels  
The quantity of Barley sold was 28 Barrels amounting to £30.16.0 ✓ on hand 1 Barrel  
Total amount realized £167.15.5 ✓

114 He has to submit a plan and Specification for a ward for females of abandoned character.

115 He has received a cheque from Mr. Green for the Barley amount to £30.16.0 ✓

116 He requires a Mason for at least six days more as nearly all the chimneys require repairs as getting up the scaffolding is very tedious.

117 Mr. Murray who is superintending the embroidery in Templehammer requests me to lay before the Board some of his patterns and designs and know if the Board would take in some of them.



her Master to be worked by the School girls

Ordered The Plan and Specification approved of to be sent to the Commissioners for their signature - Further for same to be ascertained for and to be considered on the 30th Inst That the amount of the cheque for £30.16.0 be lodged with Treasurer the six days Manuery allowed

Moved by Mr. Collin

Seconded by Mr. Flood  
That the Master take in as much of Mr. Murren's work as he can get done by the Committee of the Workhouse and to report at the end of each Month what the Master has been able to effect in the day room or thro the Schoolmistress

Which being put from the Chair passed

AGRICULTURIST'S REPORT:

None

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 15th Oct. 1856 Enlarging for Amery J., the person who  
p. 26126 } may be appointed Clerk to the Master
- " 1st Oct. 1856 Sanctioning the appointment of Mr. Michael  
p. 25667 } Doan to the office of Collector of the Union
- " 1st Oct. 1856 In reference to the recent mis conduct of  
p. 26126 } the Steward and Porter of the Emigrant's Ferry  
Expressly regretting a copy of the Instructions laid down by the Board of Guardians for their future guidance in their respective offices of Steward and Porter.



## Ordinary Proceedings

A Letter was read from the Clerk of the Union, stating that the Guardians of that Union had sent their Master to the Oculat Fever Hospital on Friday the 4th Inst. to take up the property of that Union at that Hospital and that not having met the Master of the Emigrant Workhouse there as requested, he made the following Report to the Board on Saturday the 5th Inst.

"Went to Oculat Fever Hospital and found the clothes of this Union in use with the Patients belonging to Emigrant Union."

The Board of Guardians of Emigrant Union further request that the Guardians of Emigrant Union will give directions to Doctor Cartan to direct the Master of the Hospital to have the property separated and put in a proper state for removal and on early day be sent for handing it over to the Master of the Emigrant Workhouse.

Ordered That the Board is of opinion that Mr. Cranford Inspector should be again sent down to the Hospital at Oculat in order to divide the property of both Unions fairly and that the efforts shall meet the Inspector on any day, that it may suit his convenience to attend. A copy of this Minute to be sent to the Clerk of Emigrant Union and the Medical Officer of the Hospital.

During the admission of Danvers Budget Tracy & three children appeared seeking relief in the Workhouse a difference of opinion having arisen as to their proper chargeability it was

Ordered That the following statement be placed on the Minutes with a request that the Commission will decide the question.

Budget Tracy and three children under eight years of age were in the Workhouse about a month ago and when they left the House were chargeable on the Union at large.

she lived in the Union for the whole period of three 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 Westbury. She is now admitted on the Union until the Commissioners decide.

Moved by Mr. Selwyn, and seconded by Mr. J. J. J.

That the Clerk write to Mr. James Duffry Sarge Shop Mills to inform him that there are some girls in the Workhouse very suitable for the work he has, and requesting to be informed if he will take them out and provide employment for them.

Mr. Donovan Solicitor appeared before the Board and stated he required the attendance of Mr. Michael Doran Collector respecting a case to be tried at the ensuing quarter sessions for arrears due on the Emigrant Division by John Harey. He also suggested in the case of John Harey a deputy of the defuncting Collector Charles Murphy who still payable for a debt of £9.5.6 since 1857. That as he Harey had come in and offered payment in two notes, one to be paid on the first of December and the other on the 29th September next, that same be taken by the Board to save further Law Costs.

Ordered That Mr. Doran attend at Mr. Donovans office tomorrow or Saturday and that Mr. Donovan is empowered to take Hareys Promissory Notes as stated.

Moved by Mr. Roberts, and

seconded by Mr. Selwyn. That as there is now no further necessity for keeping open the cottage work, the same be closed and kept locked by the Master.

Another Letter was read from Mr. Ralph of Westbury still complaining that there were houses in the Main Street of that town not rated, in the year 1853, which were occupied

Ordered The Guardians of that Division assisted by the Collector have this day examined the Book for 1853, and report that Mr. Ralphs Complaint is without foundation, and the Board will not further entertain his allegations, which even if true the Board could not now redress.



Doctor Cranfield brought forward the motion of which he gave notice and the Committee already named with any Guardians who chose to attend were appointed to meet for the 30th Inst. in order to make arrangements.

The Clerk produced the Collecting Book for Emigration & the Divisor and Warrant for Collection which was duly signed by the Chairman and two Guardians & countersigned by the Clerk which was directed to be delivered to Mr. Michael Dorman Collector as soon as he perfects his Book.

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	...	...	...	...	...	1
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	...	...	17

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

*Jorge B. Roberts*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 16th  
day of October 1856

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORTHY UNION, on  
Thursday, the 9<sup>th</sup> day of October 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,) J. Roberts =*

*Clerk of the Union.*

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STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

11<sup>th</sup> day of October 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.	No. of Inmates in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings,	1341	430													
Additional Workhouse,	220	25													
Permanent Fever Hospital															
Fever Sheds,															
TOTAL,	1761	455													
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	28	107	46	91	61	58	32	7	17	45	3	In Workhouse Hospital.	57	In separate Wards.	28
Admitted during the week.	2	5	1		2	1	2	1		14		In Fever Hospital.	2	In Wards.	2
TOTAL,	30	112	46	91	63	59	40	8	17	46		Total.	59	Total.	30
Discharged during the week,	3	3			2	1	1			1		Died in Workhouse			1
Died, -			1									" in F. Hosp.			0
Total Discharged and Dead,	3	3	1		2	1	1			1					1
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	27	109	45	91	61	58	39	8	16	45		NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1855			561

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

16 day of October 1856

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Other Guardians:

P. Doran, J. Brown, P. Irvine,  
G. Gore, and S. Donohoe

In Compliance of the proceedings Mr. Roberts vacated the Chair, when G. Gore Esq. was called thereto.



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.

Thomas Coe of Ballyhenry, and  
Margaret Doyle of Templehamon  
William Digby of Enniscentry, and  
Mary O'Brien of Enniscentry  
George Tenney of Gorey, and  
Charlotte Carlton of Gorey

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No 532 to No 546, 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 of the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:—

That he had attended the Revision of Parliamentary Voters at the Revision Sessions of Tullow on Tuesday last which completed the Revision for this Union the present year

That he had forwarded the plan of improvement of the Ward proposed to be made for discolored females on Friday last to the Commissioners for their inspection as directed.

Ordered The Commissioners are requested to be so good as to have the plan returned, as soon as convenient as the Guardians desire to advertise for tenders for the work to be considered on this day fortnight

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, £83 15. 8

And that the Balance on the Account *In favor* the Guardians was £264 14. 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collector's Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			Date of last attendance.
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
MICHAEL DORAN....	Enniscorthy, -	52	19	11				1144	7	6				15 <sup>th</sup> Oct
	Total, -				52	19	11				1144	7	6	
MICHAEL BYRNE....	Ferns, -							188	14	8				
	Tinacross, -							117	1	4				
	Kilboro, -							144	2	0				15 <sup>th</sup> Oct
	Ballycarney, -							69	4	7				
	Total, -										419	2	7	
WM. FITZPATRICK...	Newtownbarry, -							601	2	4				15 <sup>th</sup> Oct
	Killrush, -							134	10	2				
	Tombrack, -							128	8	9				
	Cranmore, -							41	4	2				
	Total, -										905	3	5	15 <sup>th</sup> Oct
JAMES DOYLE.....	Ballyhogue, -							117	11	7				
	Clonmore, -							153	11	7				
	The Leap, -							133	19	6				
	Ballyhuskard, -							163	12	9				15 <sup>th</sup> Oct
	Kilmallock, -							132	18	10				
	Edermine, -							166	9	1				
	Total, -										888	11	4	
JOHN CULLEN,.....	Killan, -							161	8	10				15 <sup>th</sup> Oct
	Clonroche, -							180	19	9				
	Castleboro, -							108	18	7				
	Total, -										457	7	2	
WILLIAM GAHAN....	Monart, -							122	0	5				15 <sup>th</sup> Oct
	Killoughram, -							182	5	8				
	Ballindaggin, -							98	11	9				
	Castledockrell, -							75	7	20				
	Total, -										478	9	10	15 <sup>th</sup> Oct
DARBY LEARY,.....	Kiltealy, -							1153	11					
	Rossard, -							71	9	5				
	St. Mary's, -							69	10	0				
	Total, -										2563	4		15 <sup>th</sup> Oct
EDWARD GAHAN....	The Harrow, -							97	11	1				
	Ballymore, -							113	14	5				
	Kilcormick, -							69	10	0				
	Total, -										2562	4		15 <sup>th</sup> Oct
HENRY WALSH,.....	Castletalbot, -							97	11	9				
	Castleellis, -							103	14	5				
	Bolaboy, -							93	15	1				
	Ballyvaldon, -							46	9	0				
	Total, -										420	13	1	15 <sup>th</sup> Oct
	<i>Forwards</i>							30	15	9				
	Total, £							83	15	8				
											5286	17	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. The Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.



The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £3.17.7 was produced and passed.

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

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

*Est* 3.14.7  
*E. Van der* 0.3.0  
*A. 3* 3.14.7 ✓

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £40 s. 5d. 11

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.  
 The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 44.2d  
 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, ... 3.0½  
 Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 4.9

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

Bread	2600 lb	Flour	224 lb
Meat	900 "	Whisky	2 qt
Cabbage	120 "	Wine	4 "
Butter	230 lbs	Candles	16 "
Sweet milk	1000 "	Soap	112 "
Salt	112 "	Starch	3½ "
Tea	50 "	Woolen	3½ "
Sugar	240 "	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.	
			Article and quantity	Value.
		£ s. d.		£ 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.



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:

Half a Ton of Peas. 1st and 2<sup>nd</sup> quality

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 52  
 " on Home diet 4  
 Admitted during the week 13  
 69

Discharged cured 11  
 Sent to General Hospital 0  
 Died 1 12

Remaining on Hospital diet 53  
 " on Home diet 4  
 Total 57

Transfer on Infirmary diet out of Hospital 77  
 " in Relief Ward 30

William Heber aged 60 years. Chief of Wier  
 was admitted in a dying state

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

Masters Report

No. 117 That he had attended at the Petty Sessions Court on Monday last for the purpose of Prosecuting John Byrne for deserting his step child, — the Magistrate discharged him on his promising to take out the child and supporting it which Byrne has not done.

118 That there are great irregularities caused by the Spiritmilk Contractors not delivering the quantity contracted for — Some delivering delivered only 6 gals instead of 12. Mary Davis 14 instead of 20 per day.

119 Miss Maguire declined supplying the starch and she — he therefore sent the order to Mr. Donovan who declined it.

120 Suggested that the seven Barrels of Wheat Remaining on hand be ground into flour and be used on the soup.



121 The Window Shutters of the Fever Hospital  
require repairs

Ordered the Master to attend the Bench on Monday  
next and take out a fresh Warrant against  
Byrne. the clerk to write to the Contractors  
Byrne & Co. stating - that in case they supply  
the quantity of milk contracted for the month  
of this month will be enforced that the  
Starch & Bone be given to Mr. Thomas Keating  
at 5/9 a stone for Best Starch. and 11 cwt  
for Best White Bone. the refuse wheat to be  
ground as proposed and the Fever Hospital  
Window Shutters to be repaired.

#### AGRICULTURIST'S REPORT:

He has to inform the Board that he  
had some red Cabbage fit for sale. also  
some Broccoli.

Ordered to be sold to the highest bidder.

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):—

A Letter was read from the Clerk of the  
Limerick Union in reply to the Minute of the Board  
a copy of which he acknowledged stating  
that the Guardians of Limerick Union make the  
following order - That the Board decline  
writing to Mr. Crawford on the subject. and if  
the Limerick Board consider it necessary  
to do so. this Board will be obliged by letting  
them know the day which Mr. Crawford may  
appoint (if any) for visiting Oulart Hospital

Ordered that with the view of having a fair division  
made of the property at Oulart Hospital we  
think the Commissioners may be ~~desired~~ requested  
to direct their Inspector Mr. Crawford to attend  
some early day that may suit his convenience  
— where objections will be given to the Master



Master Medical Officer, and Mr. Nolan  
late since there, to wait upon him, and  
noting he sent to the Master of Gory Union  
Workhouse

A Letter was read from the Sheriff  
Shipton enclosing a proposition from Daniel  
Murphy, a Son of the defunct collector  
Charles Murphy who was still accountable  
in the sum of £9.5.6. offering to pay £3  
now and to give his note for £6.5.6. payable  
on the 29th September next

Ordered the Sheriff to settle with him on paying  
£4.0.0 to morrow and passing his note  
for £5.5.6 payable on the time specified

A Letter from the Sheriff enclosing  
a proposition from John Harey who is pressed  
for about £14 arrears of Rates offering to pay  
the Rate and arrears by on his hand amount  
£9.13.0 and offering to sign a Consent to a  
deed for £10.6.0 due on the 1st of January  
provided the Guardians allowed him to pay  
it in 2 instalments one on the 1st January  
and the other on the 1st April next.

Ordered that the Sheriff settle with Mr. Harey  
agreeable to the terms proposed.

A Letter was read from Mr. Agnew of  
Molmory Liff Mills. Stating that he hoped  
in a short time, as soon as he can get up  
additional Machinery to give employment to  
18 or 20 girls more. that he would expect  
the Guardians to supply them with a suit of cloth  
each and legs. and that he would supply  
them with houses at a very small rent.

No order made

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	4
Ditto, disallowed	...	...
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	28

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 Doyle Chairman*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 23<sup>rd</sup>  
day of October 1856



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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORTHY UNION, on  
Thursday, the 16<sup>th</sup> day of October 1855 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:—*

# 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

18th day of October 1856

Number of inmates for each accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working.				Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK & 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,	1574482														
Permanent Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,	220 31														
Permanent Fever Hospital,															
Fever Sheds,															
TOTAL,	1764473														
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.		27	109	46	91	61	58	39	8	16	453	In Workhouse Hospital, 37	In separate Wards, 21		
Admitted during the week.		5	14	2	1	1				2	4	33	In Fever Hospital, 21	In Wards with other inmates, 2	
TOTAL,		32	126	48	92	62	58	39	10	20	488	Total, 70	Total, 30		
Discharged during the week,		2	6	1		1		2	2		14			Died in Workhouse 0 in J. Hoff. 1	
Died, - - - - -			1								1				
Total Discharged and Dead,		2	7	1		1		2	2		15				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.		30	119	47	92	61	58	37	8	20	473	NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1855		567	

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 23rd day of October 1856

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Doyle

Other Guardians:

W. L. Blacker. W. J. Farmer. G. Gore  
M. Doyle. J. Jordano. A. Teth. P. Doran

In course of the proceedings J. Cullen  
entered and was called to the Chair.

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.

*William Ezley of Enniscorthy*  
*Mary Brien of Enniscorthy*

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 546 to No. 579, 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 notice of Audit for Monday next. That the Philitor had Lodged £2.13.0. to the Credit of Enniscorthy Division and £4.0.0 to the Credit of Castleellis Division*

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, ... £87. 4. 3

And that the Balance on the Account *In favor* the Guardians was £64. 13. 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collector's Districts.	Collected and Lodged.	Total.	Remaining.	Total.	Date of last attendance.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
MICHAEL DORAN....	Enniscorthy, - - -	63 18 10		1080 8 8		20 Oct
	Total, -		63 18 10		1080 8 8	
MICHAEL BYRNE....	Ferns, - - -			48 14 8		
	Tinacross, - - -			117 1 4		
	Kilboro, - - -			44 2 0		
	Ballycarney, - - -			69 4 7		
	Total, -				419 2 7	
M. FITZPATRICK...	Newtownbarry, - - -			601 2 4		
	Killrush, - - -			134 10 2		
	Tombrack, - - -			124 8 9		
	Cranmore, - - -			41 4 2		
	Total, -				905 5 5	
JAMES DOYLE.....	Ballyhogue, - - -			117 11 7		
	Clonmore, - - -			158 19 7		
	The Leap, - - -			133 12 9		
	Ballyhuskard, - - -			152 10 10		
	Kilmallock, - - -			166 9 1		
	Edermine, - - -				11 4	
	Total, -					
JOHN CULLEN,.....	Killan, - - -			161 8 10		
	Clonroche, - - -			180 19 9		
	Castleboro, - - -			108 18 7		
	Total, -				457 7 2	
WILLIAM GAHAN....	Monart, - - -			1220 5		
	Killoughram, - - -			182 5 8		
	Ballindaggin, - - -			98 11 9		
	Castledockrell, - - -			75 12 0		
	Total, -				478 9 10	
DARBY LEARY,.....	Kiltealy, - - -			115 3 11		
	Rossard, - - -			71 9 5		
	St. Mary's, - - -			69 10 0		
	Total, -				256 3 4	
EDWARD GAHAN....	The Harrow, - - -			97 11 1		23 Oct
	Ballymore, - - -	13 2 8		90 12 0		
	Kilcormick, - - -	3 9 9		117 1 3		
	Total, -		16 12 5		306 4 4	
HENRY WALSH,.....	Castletalbot, - - -			129 2 9		
	Castleellis, - - -			115 5 7		
	Bolaboy, - - -			93 15 1		
	Ballyvaldon, - - -			86 9 8		
	Total, -				420 13 1	
	Former Date		6 13 0			
	Total, £		84 4 3		525 6 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 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 £ 2. 2. 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.

Establishment 1. 19. 6  
 Eliza Law " 3. 0  
 2. 2. 6 ✓

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By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 45. 4. 3

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 45. 4. 3

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. 11

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

Bread	2600 lb	Pepper	14 lb
Meat	90 "	Candles	16 "
Oatmeal	1120 "	Starch	3 1/2 "
Butter	230 lbs	Wolstead	3 1/2 "
Shortbread	1000 qts	Blue	1/2 "
Tea	50 "		
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.	
		£ 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.









## AGRICULTURIST'S REPORT:

That the Mangold Seed was harvested and stored on the Cottage plot - requested orders what to do with the roots from which the Mangold seeds were grown - He had about 200 lbs. He required 30 Bbls of lime, and 2 Bbls of seed wheat as soon as possible.

Ordered the Mangold roots to be sold to the highest bidder, and the wheat portioned being ordered until next Board day.

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

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

Dated 9<sup>th</sup> Oct 56 } Approving the Plan and Specification for  
N. 24079 } an attachment in the Prison walls - and suggesting  
certain deviations as marked on the Plan.

Ordered the Guardians prefer carrying out the proposed alterations agreeably to the Plan sent up. The females of immoral character can be kept more distant from the other classes as they will have no means of communication through doors or keyholes, which would be the case if the door were placed in the wall adjoining the women's yards. Besides nearly the same expense should be incurred in removing the shed doors &c as in making the proposed alterations. The Guardians however consider the Prison marked C to be an improvement on the Plan, and it shall be adopted.



## Ordinary Proceedings

On the examination of the Register it was found that two inmates named Mary Mack and child were wrongly charged on the Division of Monast.

Ordered, That the Register be corrected by discharging Mary Mack and child from Monast and admitting them on the Division of Alloughnam to which they rightly belong.

Mr. Litt submitted a Letter he had received from Doctor Stock of Clonroche Dispensary complaining that Mr. Tector the owner of the House would not supply the necessary fuel to air and ventilate the Dispensary, nor give the service of a person to clean out the room.

Ordered, That the Clerk write to Dr. Stock to make application again to Mr. Tector, and if he refuse the Board will empower the Doctor to supply the necessary fuel and attendance and compel Mr. Tector to perform his agreement by deducting the expense out of his next half year rent.

On the Punishment Book being read the Porter laid on the table several small pieces of Soap, tapers, a pair of Stockings &c taken from Jane Pigley, an inmate who was charged on the

the Book with having pawned same. She was called before the Board and admitted she had them when attempting to pass out — the Porter stated she had come down from the Main Building to see her mother, and that she was in the act of giving them, when he observed it, and took them from her. On the case being investigated the Board called up the Matron who stated she was unable to search her being engaged in taking stock with the Porter, whereas on the examination of Mary Green an inmate usually employed to search those going out of the Main Building down to the Porters Hall — it appears that this Jane Pigley had passed the Matron near the Dining Hall and that the Matron went through some form of search and allowed her to pass. Mary Green saying to the Matron at the time, that she believed Jane Pigley had nothing concealed the Guardians feel displeased at the conduct of the Matron in this case, and think it a serious subject for further investigation, as they apprehend much of the property to be lost in this way. They consider the manner in which the Porter acted in detecting Jane Pigley is deserving of



of much praise. He is directed to prosecute before the Petty Sessions on Monday next.

William Graham an able-bodied Person who had been in the Wexford Militia and admitted to the House last Sunday was called up and examined - he stated he was well able to work but could find no employment. it appears he had been in the House for many years before his enlistment, and that a ~~friend~~ <sup>desire</sup> for returning to it after his discharge existed after from the examination Mr. Farnis undertook to look out for employment for him by the next Sunday

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	...	...	...
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	17

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	...	...	...

G. Hore Chas.

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 30<sup>th</sup> day of October 1856

J. Murray



MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE ENNISCORTHY UNION, ON  
Thursday, the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of October 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 Calart 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:—

*Also one from the Medical Officer of  
Clonsilla Dispensary approved by the  
Committee of Management*

*Ordered. That the Estimates for both  
Dispensaries be allowed.*

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

On application of the Committee of Management of the \_\_\_\_\_  
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Read Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_  
stating that

*G. Hore Chair.*

(Signed,)

*Merriam*

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

25<sup>th</sup> day of September 56

Number of inmates for whom accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied.				Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.	No. of Ju-natics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	No. of Ju-natics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.							
Workhouse.	154	155															
Pauper Buildings.																	
Infirmary.																	
Pauper Fever Hospital.	220	20															
Pauper School.																	
TOTAL.	176	145															
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	30	119	47	93	61	58	27	8	20	47	30	30	28				
Admitted during the week.	2	6	2				3		3	1	17	17	12				
TOTAL.	32	125	49	93	61	61	37	11	21	49	47	47	40				
Discharged during the week.	1	7	1		1	1	2	1	14		1	14					
Died, -																	
Total Discharged and Dead.	1	8	1		1	1	2	1	15		1	15					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	33	117	48	93	60	60	35	10	21	45	30	30	28				
															NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1855		546
															Died in W. House		0
															" Out-pat. Hosp.		1
																	1
																	1

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 30<sup>th</sup> day of October 1856

PRESENT: In the Chair, G. Hore Esq.

Other Guardians:

G. B. Hill. D. Whaley. J. G. Franfield.  
 Joshua Veth. W. A. Sarnar. J. A. Sarnar. J. Brown.  
 J. Jordan. M. Doyle. P. Larkin. J. Tolan. P. Doran. M. Smith.  
 W. Lybhart. M. Tull. E. Hore. J. Green. J. Dine. J. Sarnar.  
 W. Cloney. E. Dine. J. Howell. W. Sarnar.

The Chair was also occupied by J. Ballin Esq.  
 Capt. Connelley was in attendance



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

*John Rowsom of Clolge.*  
*and*  
*Lisah Larkin of Clolge*

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 574 to No. 596, 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 Auditor had attended on Monday, and concluded the Audit on Wednesday.*

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, ... £132. 10. 5.

And that the Balance on the Account ... £35. 15. 4.

The Book was signed by the Chairman. *Inferior* the Guardians was £771. 4. 9.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collector's Districts.	Collected and Lodged.	Total.	Remaining.	Total.	Date of last attendance.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
MICHAEL DORAN....	Enniscorthy, -	92 3 11		988 1 9 1/2		27 <sup>th</sup> 10 <sup>th</sup>
	Total, -		92 3 11		988 1 9 1/2	
MICHAEL BYRNE....	Ferns, -			188 14 8		
	Tinacross, -			117 1 4		
	Kilboro, -			44 2 0		
	Ballycarney, -			69 4 7		
	Total, -			419 27		
M. FITZPATRICK...	Newtownbarry, -	89 0		592 18 4		27 <sup>th</sup> 10 <sup>th</sup>
	Killrush, -	3 12 7		130 17 7		
	Tombrack, -	2 1 3		126 7 6		
	Cranmore, -			44 4 2		
	Total, -		14 2 10		891 27	
JAMES DOYLE.....	Ballyhogue, -			117 11 7		
	Clonmore, -			138 19 7		
	The Leap, -			133 19 6		
	Ballyhuskard, -			163 12 9		
	Kilmallock, -			132 8 10		
	Edermine, -			166 9 1		
	Total, -			888 11 4		
JOHN CULLEN,.....	Killan, -			161 8 10		
	Clonroche, -			180 19 9		
	Castleboro, -			108 10 7		
	Total, -			450 7 2		
WILLIAM GAHAN....	Monart, -			122 0 5		
	Killoughram, -			182 5 8		
	Ballindaggin, -			98 11 9		
	Castledockrell, -			75 12 0		
	Total, -			478 9 10		
MARBY LEARY,.....	Kiltealy, -			115 3 11		
	Rossard, -	3 3 1		62 6 4		29 <sup>th</sup> 10 <sup>th</sup>
	St. Mary's, -	6 14 9		62 5 3		
	Total, -			246 5 6		
EDWARD GAHAN....	The Harrow, -	10 1 8	9 17 10	87 9 5		29 <sup>th</sup> 10 <sup>th</sup>
	Ballymore, -	1 0 5		89 11 7		
	Kilcormick, -	5 3 9		112 17 5		
	Total, -		16 5 10	289 18 5		
HENRY WALSH,.....	Castletalbot, -			129 2 9		
	Castleellis, -			115 5 7		
	Bolaboy, -			93 15 5		
	Ballyvaldon, -			86 9 8		
	Total, -			420 13 1		
	Total, £		132 10 5		873 12 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 £ 2. 8. 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 £ 43 s. 4 d. 3/4

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 46. 8. 4 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. 9 1/2

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

Apples 3900 lb  
Wheat 90 "  
Butter 240 lbs  
Suet 1000 lbs  
Lard 112 lb  
Tea 50 lb  
Sugar 240 "

Whisky 2 1/2 lb  
Candles 16 lb  
Soap 112 "  
Starch 3 1/2 "  
Wine 3 1/2 "  
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.

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



#### 4. *Out-Door Relief Invoice Account.*

Orders on Contractors and others were signed for the following:

1 doz white Yarn. 2 white wash Knives

Remaining from last week's food diet	58
Admitted during the week	46
	<hr/> 63

Discharged cured	6	
Sent to Fever Hospital	0	
Died	0	Total 6

Remaining on Hospital list 54  
" on Home list 3 Total 57

Dis. her on Physic, diet out of Hospital 77  
" in Parot War 76

He regretted that a case of Convalescence from  
Scarlet Fever admitted on the 16<sup>th</sup> just had to be  
sent to the Small Pox Ward, on yesterday, having  
taken the disease. The attack appears very mild

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

He began to submit a list of articles fit for  
condemnation viz.

14 Sheets  
17 Blankets  
31 Quys  
8 Shk.  
80 pair Shoes  
32 pair Stockings  
113 Suspenders  
27 Gowns  
58 Petticoats  
80 Skirts

19 Aprons  
15 Handkerchiefs  
40 Caps  
6 Flannel necks  
17 Trousers  
14 Dibs  
39 Coats  
20 Waistcoats  
60 Trowsers  
40 Shirts

A Committee having been appointed Consisting of Messrs. Gore, & Long, Viewed the cloths and reported them fit for Condemnation, and they were ordered to be Condemned accordingly



Visitors Book reported the following  
Visit to the Workhouse and Farm.

"Liked the Crops and Cropping so far as  
appearances go, but felt not only ashamed but  
disgraced at the manner in which the ploughing  
is being done. in a word I cannot trust myself  
to write as I feel on this head but I should  
draw down injury upon some or more than one  
on whom this affair should rest. Went through  
the House and am glad to find that in its Conduct  
and management it continues to maintain its high  
character, especially in the trades and training  
departments

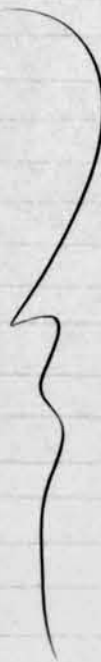
Signed Edward Carroll  
Branemore House

23<sup>rd</sup> Oct 56

AGRICULTURIST'S REPORT:

That he required some Seed Wheat as he  
would be ready to put it in very soon. That he  
was now sowing for Green Crops next Season  
Ordered Five Barrels of Golden Pearl to be procured  
from Messrs. Irish and Markey Dublin.

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 Oct 56 In reference to cheques drawn by the  
No. 287 Guardians and made payable to the  
person in whose favor they are drawn  
or Bearer on demand, recommending  
them to be made payable to order  
Ordered. Referred to the Committee now engrossing  
into the Union Expenditure to Consider and report.



## Ordinary Proceedings

Upon the motion of Mr. Doran, the notice given by Mr. Dolan on the 9th Inst. was owing to his absence in Liverpool postponed for a fortnight.

Tenders for the office of Relieving Officer were opened. There were two Candidates Messrs. Andrews & Kenneth Garrett Murphy, both were called up and examined. Mr. Kenneth stated that he would as he had always done reside in the form of Emmenton and keep his office open for applicants for Relief that he would visit Nonformers, Outcast & Colman's once a week each, and discharge all the duties of the office faithfully but he thought the Board ought to consider the expense, and grant an increase in the sum proposed.

Mr. Murphy stated that he lived at Leghington about a mile and a quarter out of Emmenton that he was satisfied to discharge the duties as required by the Regulations of the office, and to visit the same places once a week for the sum proposed.

Mr. Kenneth was proposed by Mr. J. Doolan  
Seconded by Mr. J. Gore

Mr. Murphy was proposed by Mr. J. Doolan  
Seconded by Mr. J. Doyle

The Chairman proposed to take a Poll when the voting appeared to be

For Mr. Kenneth 12  
Mr. Murphy 13

and declared Mr. Garrett Murphy to have been duly elected.

Subsequently Mr. Murphy was called up and informed that it was absolutely necessary he should have an office in the form of Emmenton, where he stated he would take one before next Board day.

Mr. Smith gave notice that on this day week he will move that the Relieving Officer shall have an office or reside in the form of Emmenton.

which is the most populous and central position in the Union.

The Board proceeded to the Election of a Clerk to the Meeting, for which there were four Candidates, William Heath, Edw. Byrne, Thos. Long, and John Doran, all of whom were called before the Board and examined.

Upon a Poll being demanded Mr. Heath appeared to be unanimously chosen.

A Letter was read from the Vice Chairman on the subject of combining the office of Agent for the Union with that of a Meeting Clerk: and in consequence Mr. Doolan moved and it was adopted, that Mr. Heath's appointment be but of a temporary nature until the Committee appointed to enquire into the means of reducing the expenditure of the Union shall make their report.

William Graham the able bodied Parson who was before the Board on last Thursday, was called up and informed that Mr. Francis Plummer had employment for him at wages of 5/- to 6/- a week but Graham appearing unwilling to accept of the employment which was offered, the Board discharged him from the Workhouse.

Several Members of the Committee appointed on the 9th Inst. retired from the Board Room into the Officer's office, and after some time returned with the following list of their proceedings viz

Chairman Mr. Mahony  
Vice Mr. Cahill  
Secretary Mr. Roberts  
To meet at 11 o'clock precisely on every Thursday  
Order of Business  
Agricultural Department  
Clerks Department  
Masters Department  
Matrons Department  
Medical Department  
General Department  
Education Department

The Clerk to procure a copy of all reports being the opening of the House and to apply to the different Unions for a copy of their last Accounts.



The Committee to be summoned for first attendance on this day fortnight, and be requested to attend at eleven o'clock precisely on that and each successive Thursday until the Committee close its report

The question of sending a Committee, affiliated with the Disfranchisement League, about the established under the patronage of Government in Munster was postponed for future consideration

The Clerk submitted the Abstract of the Union Accounts to the 30th September last as audited for approval of the Board, and to be signed by the Chairman of which the following is a Summary

Maintenance and Clothing	1728:3.9
Establishment & Poor Hospitals	867.10.3
Collectors Donations	85:15.1
Emigration Expenses	204:10.7
Special Expenses	7:19.3
Salaries: Law: & other expenses	48.14.9
Dispensaries (Six Districts)	336.10.0
Total	3274.3.8

There being but one Tender for the alteration for the Spirit Works, it was referred to the Committee before being accepted

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	...	...	...
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	17

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	...	...	...

J. C. Roberts = H.  
Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the  
day of November 1856  
Munday

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORTHY UNION, on  
Thursday, the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of October 1856 continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—Medical Charities Act, 14 and 15 Vic., cap. 68; and  
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*Read Letter from \_\_\_\_\_ dated \_\_\_\_\_  
stating that*

*Joseph C. Roberts*  
(Signed,)  
*Mumsey*

*Clerk of the Union.*