

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. \_\_\_\_\_ for \_\_\_\_\_ : Amount £

(This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.) An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-years ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185\_\_\_\_, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's accounts. The following is the total Expense incurred for each Dispensary District for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 185\_\_\_\_.

District . . . . . £

District . . . . . £

# 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 2<sup>nd</sup> day of May 1857

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building 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.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
													No. of Inmates in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in the above Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse.	1541	497													
Permanent Buildings.															
Additional Workhouse.	220	26													
Permanent Fever Hospital.															
Fever Sheds.															
TOTAL.	1761	523													
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	52	157	35	88	63	67	39	13	23	52			In Workhouse Hospital. 46	In separate Wards. 2	
Admitted during the week.	2	7		2	3	3			1	1		20	In Fever Hospital. 26	In Wards with other inmates. 32	
TOTAL.	54	164	35	90	66	70	39	14	24	53			Total, 112	Total, 34	
Discharged during the week.	5	7		2	3	5			2	2		24			Adm - none
Died, - - - - -															
Total Discharged and Dead.	5	7		2	3	5			2	2		24			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	52	154	35	86	62	63	38	14	19	52					

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.	
	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 4<sup>th</sup> day of May 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Doyle & John Gellin Esqs

Other Guardians:

Joshua Leth. G. Moore. St. Jordan.  
M. Obedmont. P. Doran. St. Polger. St. Browne



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.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1059 to No. 1079, 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 owing to the death of John Norton Esq. there was a vacancy in the Dispensary Committee of Enniscorthy Clonroche. Millane and Orlant.*

*For order see Supplemental Minutes*

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, £ 7.13.4

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £ 4.15.5

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in 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	13	11				28 Apr
	Total, -										92	13	11	
MICHAEL BYRNE....	Ferns, - - -							6	17					6 May
	Tinacross, - - -	16	7					2	4	5				
	Kilboro, - - -							4	8	7				
	Ballycarney, - - -	3	8	7				2	4	5				
	Total, -				4	5	2				16	10	3	
WM. FITZPATRICK...	Newtownbarry, - - -							4	4	4				27 Apr
	Killrush, - - -							3	16	4				
	Tombrack, - - -							1	4	5				
	Cranmore, - - -							6	9					
	Total, -										9	12	9	
JAMES DOYLE.....	Ballyhogue, - - -	1	3	10				3	6	0				6 May
	Clonmore, - - -			18	3			2	17	11				
	The Leap, - - -							4	6	11				
	Ballyhuskard, - - -							9	5	19				
	Kilmallock, - - -	11	1					2	0	6				
	Edermine, - - -			15	0			3	15	9				
	Total, -				3	8	2				25	16	1	
JOHN CULLEN,.....	Killan, - - -													
	Clonroche, - - -													
	Castleboro, - - -													
	Total, -													
WILLIAM GAHAN....	Monart, - - -							1	5					24 March
	Killoughram, - - -							5	4	10				
	Ballindaggin, - - -							16	10					
	Castledockrell, - - -									11				
	Total, -										21	17	1	
DARBY LEARY,.....	Kiltealy, - - -							4	5	7				27 Apr
	Rossard, - - -							13	13	4				
	St. Mary's, - - -							4	6	0				
	Total, -										22	5	2	
EDWARD GAHAN....	The Harrow, - - -							5	7					24 March
	Ballymore, - - -							2	6					
	Kilcormick, - - -							8	12	9				
	Total, -										9	0	5	
HENRY WALSH,.....	Castletalbot, - - -							6	1					1 Apr
	Castleellis, - - -							1	3	4				
	Bolaboy, - - -							7	4					
	Ballyvaldon, - - -							1	6					
	Total, -										18	4		
	Total, £				7	13	4				199	13	5	

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



The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 7.19.0 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.

Sept 5.7.2  
 66 0.14.6  
 Nov. 0.17.4  
 Disb 1.0.0  
 £ 7.19.0

32

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 57 s. 7d.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 48.5.10 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... 0.1.10

Average cost in Infirmary, ... 0.2.11 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 0.3.2

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 3000 lb  
 Meat 110 "  
 Oatmeal 1120 "  
 Buttermilk 315 gal  
 Sweetmilk 1176 gal  
 Lard 112 lb

Tea 50 lb  
 Sugar 240 "  
 Whiskey 1 gal  
 Candles 12 lb  
 Starch 3 1/2 "  
 Soda 3 1/2 "  
 Blue 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

	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.
16/ 28	Edmond Simmatt Leather	22	19	11
31	Thomas Simmatt Wool	16	1	9

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

# 2. Establishment Account.

27	John Greene Books Printing &c	13	16	4
28	St Thom Same	6	10	9
29	Philip Harris Stationers Wares	2	18	4
30	Philip Harris repairs at the Lodge	1	10	0

# Storer Hospitals

9	Samuel Goodison Emigration Hosp	25	0	3
10	William Macintosh New Cemetery	15	4	6

# Collections Fees

24	William Fitzpatrick Collector	11	5	0
25	Michael Byrne do	5	2	0
26	Michael Doran do	12	12	6

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



## 3 Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

11	Thomas G. Kebley	Bread & meal	139	15	0
12	Edward Philan	Coals	20	5	10
13	Peter Dixon	Meat & flour	21	12	0
14	Mary Davis	Sweetmilk	7	12	7
15	John Keating	do	6	8	6
16	Michael Hemmings	do	4	10	2
17	James S. O'Shaherty	do	3	10	5
18	James Deverem	Groceries	8	14	9
19	Andrew Doyle	Buttermilk	9	4	3
20	Robert Cosgrave	do	8	15	7
21	Nicholas Hemmick	Meat	9	18	1
22	Thomas Keating	Whiskey	6	12	4

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:

2 white wash brushes. 15<sup>th</sup> Linseed meal. 15<sup>th</sup> and 2<sup>nd</sup> quality  
1 Breast knife. 9 yds canvas for Bandages. 1 plank with 3 cuts  
1 plank yellow pine with 1 cut. 2 pair wheels for privy waggon  
1/2 ton Charred peat. 40 lb Mangold Seeds. 9 lb yellow  
Belgian Carrot Seed.

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

Medical Officer Reported

Remaining from last week on Hoapl. diet 75  
" " on Home diet 6  
Admitted during the week 23  
104

Discharged Cured 18  
Sent to General Hospital 0  
Died 0 18

Remaining on Hospital diet 81  
" on Home diet 5 86

Number in Pauper Wards 21

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

Masters Report

128 As the season is now advanced, and very few applications for the Mangolds. would suggest that the price be reduced to 15/- per ton, or to any price the Board may think proper for the disposal of same.

Ordered: The Price of Mangold to be reduced to 15/- a ton  
placards to be printed and posted.

129 See by'd to state that Mr. Mary Davis Sweetmilk contractor delivered only 441 Gallons during the last month instead of 760 Gallons. and John Keating only 303 instead of 405 Gallons for which he procured milk at the rate of 9 per Gallon and charged the difference to the contractors at a loss of £2:2:8 to the former and 12/- to the latter. during the last week the Contractors are delivering the quantity required for the Consumption of the Apprentices.



AGRICULTURIST'S REPORT:

Req'd to say that the Slap Seed is not properly cleaned, and would require the use of a winnowing machine to get the gravel out of it. it will yield six or seven stone.  
 hoped the Board will order the hands now working on the land to stop out to morrow, as they generally give up at 12 o'clock to come in for religious instruction on Fridays. they can attend to their religious duties when the crop is in, and he is now very busy pushing to finish the sowing of the Mangold before he leaves.

No order made.

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

Dated 1 May 57  
 No. 109 } Requesting that the particulars of Rates made or agreed to be made in the Union during the month of April be returned to them.

6 May 57  
 No. 12111 } In reference to the Guardians Resolution of the 30th Uthp. to the effect that the Guardians do not consider it necessary to meet the expense in making their cheques payable to order instead of to Bearer as suggested by the Commissioners in their Letter of the 29th Uthp. requesting the Guardians will reconsider the matter the cost being so trifling, and the advantage of the adoption of the course recommended by them being undoubted as a security against fraud.

Ordered } We having given full consideration to the matter as stated by the Commissioners, and the Board consider themselves safe in the present mode of paying contractors and others. — that all the Mercantile houses in town pay their cheques to Bearer and we see no justifiable reason for incurring expense in altering a system of payment we have hitherto found safe.

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):—

6 May 57  
 No. 12111 } Respecting the appropriation of a sum of 10/- belonging to a Pauper inmate named John Grogan. Suggesting that the future relief afforded to Grogan should be declared to be by way of Loan.

6 May 57  
 No. 11262 } In reference to the Resolution of the Guardians on the 23rd Uthp. directing that 20 able bodied women be sent to dig the Workhouse land, calling the attention of the Board to the previous correspondence on the subject, and not incur the risk of breach of all classification of the Workhouse inmates.

No order made.

14 May 1857  
 No. 784 } A Letter from the Secretary of the Commissioners of the Lunatic Asylums Ireland, acknowledging the communication of the Guardians containing suggestions in reference to Lunatics and to the Provisions of the Law affecting them, and that it shall be brought under the notice of the Commissioners at their next meeting.



## Ordinary Proceedings

Ordered. That the relief to be given in future to John Gregan and wife be relief by way of Loan

Ordered. That the cheques granted this day to Mr. Harris Agriculturist £2.10.4 for wages to him, and £1.10.0 for his outlay in repairs of the Lodge, be held over by the Clerk until this day week when the agriculturist shall hand over to the Master possession of the Cottage and all implements on the farm, and every thing under his care shall be either given up or satisfactorily accounted for.

A Letter was read from P.M. Cooke, requiring his name to be inserted as owner of a house at Duffry Gate lately purchased by him from John O'Brien

Ordered. The Clerk to make the necessary entry on the Books

A Letter was read from Michael Hermans declining to perfect a contract for Smeatmilk at 6 a gallon, unless the Board agreed to take the quantity named in his Tender 10 Gallons a day

Ordered. The Board now find they have enough Smeatmilk accepted without Mr. Hermans, and requiring none from him do not further ask his perfecting a Contract. Should more be required for the House hereafter they will advertise for fresh tenders

Mr. Dolgan brought under Consideration the notice given for change of chargeability of a Sinner, Emma Dempsey from the Division of Castleockhill to the Union at Large.

Ordered. Upon investigation it appeared that Emma Dempsey lived 4 months out of the last 3 years in the Union of Shillelagh and 26 months in the Division of Castleockhill - her proper chargeability when admitted on the 25th ultimo should have been on the Union - the Master is directed to alter the Register accordingly.

The following statement adopted by the Commission of Lunatic Asylums is read on last Board day was directed to be placed on the Minutes of today

Enniscesty March 12<sup>th</sup> 1857

Sir

In reply to your Communication accompanied by

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).

"Heads of enquiry" on which the Commission for Lunatic Asylums request the remarks of this Board of Guardians - I am directed by the Board to state that with regard to the existing Law or practice relating to Lunatics under the Four Classes of Act - they have no information. ~~except~~ on which to found any remarks except in the case of the Lunatic inmates of this Workhouse for whom very inadequate accommodation is provided without any means of Creative Relief. Their numbers has averaged for the last 5 years - 26 - and altho no accident has attended their Custody - as a class they derange Discipline and the accommodation provided in the Asylum at Enniscesty has not been able to diminish their numbers - and altho this Union is affiliated with it as part of the County Wexford the Asylum is too far distant for any inspection or control even if the present state of the Law contemplated such, the Guardians cannot therefore offer any observations.

On the subject of Lunatic Districts the Guardians think that a Lunatic District should embrace as large a space as will permit sufficient control and inspection of the Management and expenditure to those who pay for its maintenance - so as to lighten the burden of its Establishment charges without a greater aggregate of Patients than can be properly attended to. To this effect an Area embracing from 4 to 6 Poor Law Unions should suffice. An Asylum should provide for a Poor Class and for persons who can pay practically for their support and treatment, also in some cases for such persons as may be able to pay the entire cost of their treatment.

The two first Classes should be admitted on Certificate of the Medical Officer of the Union from which they are transmitted (and those which payment for them should be provided) by an order of the Board of Guardians signed by the Chairman and countersigned by the Clerk - a printed form for which should be provided. Dangerous Lunatics might be admitted from her Majesty's Courts as at present.

We consider that a Chargeability as between P.L. Unions will be necessary in consequence of the great difference which exist in the number of Lunatics in the different localities and to avoid their frequent removal from place to place whilst at large, and in this view a Board of Guardians may order the arrest on the Affidavit of their Relieving Officer of any Stranger apparently Lunatic for examination - and then on Certificate of their Medical Officer may transmit such Strangers Lunatic to the Asylum - first having examined into his place of general Residence for the last 2 years - and having ascertained where he spent the greater part of that time being insane - they shall report the same to the Inspector of Lunatics who having investigated the truth of the report shall make the party chargeable on such Union of



that or any other Lunatic District as he may appear to have been living in during the earlier 12 months of such period and shall order his removal to the Asylum of the District within which such P.L. Union is situated with an order for payment of expenses incurred on his behalf by said Union.

That the class of "Poor Lunatics" shall be defined as for the purposes of Medical Charities. That any member of a family not entitled in his own right to £10 a year or for whom being under age (15) his parents cannot afford to pay that sum shall also be entitled. That persons belonging to the Union who are themselves entitled to property above £10 and Union £20 or whose family can afford to pay £10 being the probable expense of Diet and clothing shall be received at that sum. The diet &c to be the same (with some distinction difference in the clothing) as for the "Poor Class".

In addition to the above for whom accommodation a District Asylum is necessary in a "Third Class" might be provided with accommodation for a small number whose friends living as Ratepayers in the District would pay £20 a year (about the cost of Maintenance and Establishment) those patients might have a separate Hall diet and better clothing and in a state of Convalescence or Quiescence might act as Monitors or Work-overseers.

In all cases the admission should be sanctioned by the P.L. Guardians who should be responsible for the Maintenance &c and who in the case of Classes No 2 and 3 - should take security from the parties for payment of the relief thus given by way of Loan.

For the Management of such a District Asylum - each Union should nominate from its Board at their first meeting after the 25th March in each year Eight Governors - one half

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

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

~~Expenses on the Asylum in the District Asylum~~

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

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	...
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John Dagh Esq

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 14th day of May 1857

Exp. Offices - the remainder Elected Guardians all of them being resident in the District forming a Board of 32 persons (of whom seven should be a Quorum) to meet once in each month at the Asylum. They shall elect a Chairman and Vice Chairman and their duties shall be to examine the Admission and Discharge of Patients - the Medical Report of the Superintendent as to the Sanitary Condition of the Establishment - to examine the Provision Bill and other Accounts - make Contracts for Supply of Requisites by Public tender &c and to settle the Accounts for the month as against each P.L. Union of the District and forward them for payment as in the case at present with Fever Hospitals and Dispensary Committees. A Government Inspector should attend those meetings from time to time - Governors not to interfere with Dietary or Discipline - Complaints in those matters referable to the Inspector either by the Governors or by other parties than the Governors.

On the formation of a Lunatic District the Board of Governors shall be immediately appointed and shall be the parties to select the site and provide the necessary accommodation subject to the approval of the Lord Lieutenant, - the expense to be defrayed by advances from Her Majesty's Treasury repaid by equal Annual Installments of the sum required - divided over a period of 20 years without interest, - the payments of which shall be made by a Poundage Rate on the Associated Unions as for the purposes of the Poor Law Acts and be raised by the Guardians as part of the Rates of the Union.

The Medical Superintendent - The Clerk - and other officers should be chosen by the Governors of the Asylum subject to the approval of the Lord Lieutenant.

In the above suggestions the Guardians form their opinion on the principles already applied to other Medical Charities - that all classes Landlord and Tenant shall contribute to their support and treatment as well as to the Buildings or accommodation provided for them.



In the choice of locality for an Asylum we earnestly press on your consideration that a good supply of water and if possible a commanding head of water shall not be overlooked as was unfortunately the case of too many of the Workhouses — that the situation of an Asylum should be central in its District in the soil dry — the aspect warm and cheerful.

In conclusion we beg to suggest the propriety of making such enquiry and giving such information as will satisfy the Public if any part of the surplus Workhouse Accommodation through Ireland may not be made available for the purposes of Lunatic Asylums.

Signed on behalf of the Board

John Maher

Vice Chairman

To the Secretary  
Lunatic Asylum Commission  
Dublin

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORTHY UNION, on

Thursday, the 7 day of May 1857,—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:—

The Clerk reported that in consequence of the death of John Howlin Esq a vacancy occurred in the Dispensary District Committee of Enniscorthy, Killa, Clonroche and Oulart — he having been a member of each

Ordered, That we appoint William Roice of Tinacross a member of the Enniscorthy Dispensary Committee, John Doyle of Moahing a member of the Killa Dispensary Committee — William Pett of Kilgibbon a member of the Clonroche Dispensary Committee — and James Howlin of Glanagart a member of the Oulart Dispensary Committee

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—

Mr Pett brought under Consideration the following Minute made by the Dispensary Committee of Clonroche,

At a meeting of the Clonroche Dispensary Committee held on the 4<sup>th</sup> Instant, the Care-taker of the Dispensary House Bridget Doyle was called before the Committee and asked



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 £.

It was then that according to the Doctor who addressed a Letter to the Board of Guardians on the 23<sup>rd</sup> ultimo — he was constantly asking the Medical Officer for her wages, to which she replied such was not the case as the Medical Officer had paid her what he had promised and gave her notice also that he would no longer be accountable for her wages — the Doctor gave notice at the same time to the Doctor that he should provide a proper Attendant in future agreeably to his Contract with the Board of Guardians,

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

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

_____ District . . . . .	£
_____ District . . . . .	£

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

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

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

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

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



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

*H. Commission* dated *1 May 1857*  
No 119  
stating that

Transmitting for the use of the Board of Guardians Two Copies of the 5th Annual Report under the Medical Charities Act,

A Letter was read from the Rev. J. Sheridan Newtown Barry stating that he consented to act as Warden, that he had the Fiddist Books left by the Rev A. Barry and would use them

(Signed,)

*John Doyle* *Chm*

*Murray*  
Clerk of the Union.



ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Population in 1851.....53,862. Present Net Annual Value,....£109,800

AREA, in Statute Acres, 190,689

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 11th day of May 1857

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.					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Inmates and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse,	154479													
Pauper Buildings,														
Additional Workhouse,	22026													
Pauper Farm Hospital,														
Pauper School,														
TOTAL.	176475													
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	52	134	35	86	62	63	38	14	19	523		In Workhouse Hospital, 26	In separate Wards, 20	
Admitted during the week.	2	3	2				2		2	11		In Fever Hospital, 2	In Workhouse with sick, 1	
TOTAL.	54	137	37	86	62	63	40	14	21	534		Total, 107	Total, 21	
Discharged during the week,	6	9	1	5	1	3			2	27				Adm. in Workhouse 2
Ad, - - - - -				1					1	2				in 2 Hosp. 0
Total Discharged and Dead,	6	9	2	5	1	3			3	29				2
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	60	166	39	91	63	60	40	14	18	505		NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1856		710
														205

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 14th day of May 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, J. M. Maher Esq.  
The Chair was also occupied by J. Doyle Esq.  
Other Guardians: D. M. Maherty, L. Sweetman, W. P. Sturmer, J. J. Linn, G. B. Roberts, G. Stone, G. Farrell, M. Keating, M. O'Donoghue, J. Jordan, J. Seary, W. Conroy



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.

Joseph Walpole of Ashbrook.

And  
Elizabeth Waring of Rockspring

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1079 to No. 1092, 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 a Communication from the Solicitor of Messrs Robert Boyne & Farmer. Struck of the Diligent Poor Hospital House under Mr. Jones. by Lease which has 11 years unexpired. offering that House at a nominal rent of one shilling a year provided the Guardians take a Lease. and agree to keep the premises in sufficient repair also that the Medical Officer Porter Cartan agrees to take the Dwelling House attached at a small rent. and desiring to know will the Board accede to the offer.

For Order See Ordinary Proceedings

That Mr. Woran had put in a List of areas for Consideration of the Board. and as the List related solely to Emiscenthy Division would respectfully request that a committee of the Guardians resident in Emiscenthy be appointed to inspect and report to the Board

Ordered. That Messrs Roberts, More, Fallon & O'Flaherty be a Committee to examine into the areas in Emiscenthy Division and that they meet at the Board room on Tuesday next at 11 o'clock

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

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

Paid during the week,	£
And that the Balance on the Account	£ 359. 12. 0
The Book was signed by the Chairman.	
The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been first ascertained and authenticated by the Clerk.	

the Guardians was £2410. 13. 7

Name of each

and considered it was

Resolved, that the proposal of Messrs Boyne and Farmer made thro their Solicitor Mr. Corcoran be accepted for that part of the premises now in the possession of the Board of Guardians and used as a Fever Hospital

Mr. Dolger made enquiry when the present Agreement times would expire, and when was Mr. Keating to take charge also whether notice had been given to Mr. Heath the Masters clerk.

Ordered, that the Clerk give notice to Mr. Keating to attend on the Farm on Saturday to see the Stock of Implements &c taken, and to be prepared to enter into charge on Monday morning next — that the Masters clerk get notice that his services will not be required longer than this day week.

Mr. Farrell gave notice that on Thursday the 28th Inst. he will move that Rose Kelly be discharged from the Division of Franemore, and be admitted on the Union at Large as the case on investigation may appear.

At this stage of the proceedings several Guardians who had retired into the Clerks office, entered the Board room and suggested that as they were about proposing a Resolution in reference to the Vice Chairman, he would have the goodness to vacate the Chair, and that it be taken by the P. V. Chairman accordingly the Chair having been vacated, it was taken by Mr. Fallon, upon which

it was Moved by Mr. Smeethman

Seconded by Mr. Roberts. and

Resolved. Having learned with regret, that our respected Vice Chairman Mr. Maher Esq (P.L.) is about to proceed to the Continent in a few days. — this Board cannot separate without recording its earnest hope, that his absence shall be only of a temporary nature — The inestimable services which that gentleman has cheerfully and unresistingly rendered to this Union for the last 20 years. — the enlarged views which always guided his counsel to the Board, but particularly in times of unexampled difficulty — his anxiety to unite a sufficient provision for the support of the really destitute with a proper economy to the Rate payers, his disinterested solicitude to engage the services of efficient officers — the energy



energy with which he carried out every measure for the interests of the Union, services which can be but feebly expressed in the few words of a Resolution — his urbanity and uniform kindness at all times towards his brother Guardians will long continue dear to the memory of this Board. They are acknowledged by all without distinction of Creed or politics throughout this extensive Union, — and when visitors to this Workhouse and adjoining Farm pronounce the whole a Model Establishment, this Board with honest pride and without the smallest feeling of jealousy point to Mr. Maher as the Guardian to whom all the merit is due. — We therefore beg to give expression to our deep gratitude for his past services — our best wishes for his future happiness, and our ardent desire that he may soon return to resume the duties of our acting Vice Chairman.

Mr. Sullivan then addressed the Board and added several material and appropriate observations in addition to the matter contained in the Resolution. Mr. Carroll also addressed the Board to the same effect after which the Chairman put the Resolution which was carried unanimously.

Mr. Maher then rose and returned thanks, after which he resumed the Chair and concluded the business of the day.

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	...	...	13
Ditto, disallowed	...	...	0
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	19

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 Bolger*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 21<sup>st</sup>

day of May

1854

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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 14<sup>th</sup> day of May 1854, — continued.

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

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

The Chairman reported that he had <sup>a</sup> Conversation with Mr. Sally Flood on the subject of the proposal made to him by the Board of Guardians to take a Lease of the School House at Doolaboy now used as a Dispensary for the Oulart District — which Mr. Flood said was a proposal totally inadequate for a Building which cost so large a sum of money, and was such as he could not accept. Ordered, that the Dispensary Committee of Oulart be instructed that the Guardians now have agreed for a Lease of the Oulart General Hospital, and that they be requested to consider and report what Dispensary accommodation can be procured most convenient for the District allowing

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—  
a Branch to be opened at Oulart for the extreme northern part of the District. So that the Doolaboy School House may be surrendered on the 29<sup>th</sup> Sept. next.



*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 Bolger*

*Chm*

*McMurray*

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

16<sup>th</sup> day of May 1857

No. 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.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	No. of Inmates and Idiots in the above date.	
Male Buildings.	134	475												
Female Buildings.	220	23												
Male Workhouse.														
Female Workhouse.														
Male Fever Hospital.														
Female Fever Hospital.														
Male Infirmary.														
Female Infirmary.														
Male Lunatic Asylum.														
Female Lunatic Asylum.														
TOTAL.	176	498												
Admitted during the week.	5	6	2	1	3	1	1	1	1	1	1	20	20	
Discharged during the week.	5	11	1	1	2	2	3	1	1	1	1	26	26	
Remaining on the above date.	148	148	35	81	61	60	40	14	18	52	52	180	180	
Number in the House corresponding week in 1856.	148	148	35	83	62	63	41	15	19	52	52	183	183	

Dead in Workhouse 0  
in Infirmary 1

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1856 184

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 21<sup>st</sup>

day of May 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair

J. Dolger Esq

Other Guardians: G. B. Roberts. G. More. C. Carroll.

A. Doyle. William Macintosh. R. Jordan. M. Neill

Wm. Floney. J. Brandy. M. Keating



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.

*Joseph Walpole of Ashbrook*  
and  
*Elizabeth Waring of Stockspring*

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1090 to No. 1110, 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:—

*None*

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, £24. 0. 0

And that the Balance on the Account *In favor* the Guardians was £41. 18. 9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collector's Districts.	Collected and Lodged.	Total.	Remaining.	Total.	Date of last attendance.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
CHAELE DORAN....	Enniscorthy, - -			12 13 11		28 Apr
	Total, -				92 13 11	
CHAELE BYRNE....	Ferns, - -			6 17 7		6 May
	Tinacross, - -			2 19 5		
	Kilboro, - -			4 8 7		
	Ballycarney, - -			2 4 8		
	Total, -				16 10 3	
J. FITZPATRICK...	Newtownbarry, -			4 4 4		27 Apr
	Killrush, - -			3 16 4		
	Tombrack, - -			1 4 5		
	Cranmore, - -			6 9		
	Total, -				9 12 0	6 May
JAMES DOYLE.....	Ballyhogue, - -			13 6 0		
	Clonmore, - -			2 17 11		
	The Leap, - -			4 6 11		
	Ballyhuskard, - -			9 8 10		
	Kilmallock, - -			2 0 6		
	Edermine, - -			3 15 9		
	Total, -				25 7 1	
JOHN CULLEN,.....	Killan, - -					
	Clonroche, - -					
	Castleboro, - -					
	Total, -					
WILLIAM GAHAN....	Monart, - -			1 5		24 March
	Killoughram, - -			5 4 10		
	Ballindaggin, - -			16 10 0		
	Castledockrell, - -			10		
	Total, -				21 17 1	27 Apr
EDWARD LEARY,.....	Kiltealy, - -			4 5 7		
	Rossard, - -			13 13 4		
	St. Mary's, - -			4 6 0		
	Total, -				22 5 2	24 March
EDWARD GAHAN....	The Harrow, - -			5 7		
	Ballymore, - -			2 6		
	Kilcormick, - -			8 12 9		
	Total, -				9 0 5	1 Apr
HENRY WALSH,.....	Castletalbot, - -			6 1		
	Castleellis, - -			13 4		
	Bolaboy, - -			7 4		
	Ballyvaldon, - -			1 6		
	Total, -				1 18 4	
	Total, £				199 13 5	

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







## 3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

## 4. Out-Door Relief Invoice Account.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-Door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.  
The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every month.)  
Number of successful cases

Orders on Contractors and others were signed for the following:

6 Coffins. 6 gals tar. 3 1/2 lbs Pitch. 6 Sweeping brushes  
 6 Black lead brushes. 2 white wash brushes.  
 6 doz horn combs. 6 doz Ivory Combs. 3 1/2 lbs Potash

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

Medical Officers Report

Remaining from last week on Hosp diet 78  
 " " " on Home diet 3  
 Admitted during the week. 18  
 99

Discharged cured 18  
 Sent to General Hospital 1  
 Died 0  
 19

Remaining on Hospital diet 75  
 " " on Home diet 5 80

Number on Suffer diet out of Hospital 70  
 in Suffer Wards 21

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

Masters Report

134 He stopped the supply of Coals from all the day rooms and School room fire places. and half the quantity from the Infirmary Suffer Wards and Suffer Wards.

135 The School boys requested permission to give up their shoes and stockings and as the weather has now become mild and warm he allowed them to do so. it might be advisable to leave the shoes and stockings with the female children a week or so longer.

136 It will be necessary for Andrew Doyle Contractor to supply the quantity of Buttermilk required each day in future. heretofore he supplied it every second day but on this week he delivered none from Sunday morning last until this morning which caused great inconvenience.

137 A person named Thomas Sawyer admitted about 5 o'clock P.M. on Tuesday the 19 Inst. died about half past 8 o'clock next morning — this person was conveyed to the workhouse by a man named Sylvester Doyle Mohony who stated that he (Sawyer) fell from a stable loft on Sunday night last. that he had the Priest and Doctor to



to visit him, before his removal to the Workhouse.  
The Medical Officer suggested the necessity of having  
an Inquest on the body, of Deceased, and which the Master  
immediately made known to the Constabulary.

138 He had taken stock of the Farm Implements and found  
them correct, but the most of them are useless and require  
to be condemned, a List of which he shall lay before  
the Board on Thursday next.

139 Mr. Ashby, Store proposes taking out an Apprentice named  
John Murphy. provided the Board supply him  
with clothing. Murphy is brother to the girl Mr. Gore  
took out last week.

Ordered. Clothing allowed for the boy Murphy. Clerk to  
write to milk Contractor, St. Woyle to supply the milk  
regularly in future.

#### AGRICULTURIST'S REPORT:

A Letter was read from the late Agriculturist  
requesting the Board to give him a character as a  
situation offerer.

Ordered. The Clerk to copy out, and give the Agriculturist  
the Statement placed on the Minutes in his regard by  
the Committee appointed to inspect the Farm on the 30<sup>th</sup>  
18<sup>th</sup>, and to add thereto that we believe him to be strictly  
honest. — perfectly sober. — moral — and trustworthy —

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):—



Ordinary Proceedings

Mr. Roberts brought under the notice of the Board the propriety of continuing the services of the Masters Clerk some weeks longer, as it could not be expected the new Applicant would immediately be able to acquire a sufficient knowledge of the House Books to render the necessary assistance to the Master.

Ordered. The Masters Clerk to be continued for another month as by that time all the Spring Crops will be sown.

Tenders for Painting were opened and the following accepted.

John H. Smith to paint all the Doors of the front Building. Metal Sashes, frames with the best of good paint same color as they are at present. The Board finding oils & colors at 9 a floor and 1/4 a window inside and outside, or to do the work at one Pound a week.

The following Guardians Messrs Mautehen, Dorle Shandy and Mill applied to the Board to send out as Emigrants fifteen Annates now chargeable on their respective Electoral Divisions.

Ordered. The Board are willing to assist the undermentioned persons now in the Workhouse to Emigrate to Canada that the Master prepare the necessary outfit as soon as the Commissioners Consent is obtained that the Clerk advertise by placards for Tenders for passages from this to Dublin and submit such tenders to the Board on next Board day as the season is now advancing.

Name	Age	Chargeability
Anne Foley	14	Newtownbarney
Jane Foley	13	do
Bridget Devereux	18	do
Henry Byrne	16	do
Prison Annally	13	do
Michael Byrne	13	do
Margaret Dillon	40	do
Catherine Devereux	10	do
Ellen Devereux	18	do

Name	Age	Chargeability
Mary Perry	16	Newtownbarney
Maryt. Byrne	17	do
Mary Greney	15	St. Marys
Charlotte Henry	12	Lombard
Edna Henry	16	do
James Doyle	14	Glennmore

The Committee appointed to examine into the arrears Sheet of Mr. Doran Collector, met in the Board room on Tuesday last, and submitted the following report. "We recommend the Board to request Mr. Doran to name a day on which he will meet the Committee for the purpose of examining the arrears Sheet, and that the Clerk give notice to the Committee."

Ordered. The Clerk to write to Mr. Doran Collector and afterwards inform the Committee of the day they are to attend.



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	...	7	...
Ditto, disallowed	...	...	...
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	20	...

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 ... ..

*Wm. J. H. H.*  
28th

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the

day of

*May*

1854

*Wm. J. H. H.*



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(No. 27.) }

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORTHY UNION, on  
Thursday, the 21<sup>st</sup> day of May 1857,—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:—



20

*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,)

*M. Mundy*  
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

23<sup>rd</sup> day of May 57

Place 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.
													Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Inmates and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse,	1524	459													
Infant Buildings,															
General Workhouse,	220	24													
General Fever Hospital,															
Other Buildings,															
TOTAL,	1744	483													
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	48	142	34	82	60	61	38	14	19	49			In Workhouse Hospital, 178	In separate Wards, 20	
Admitted during the week.	2		2	1	2				1	2			In Fever Hospital, 124	In Wards with other inmates, 31	
TOTAL,	50	142	36	83	62	61	38	15	19	50			Total, 97	Total, 51	
Discharged during the week,	3	10		2	1	2			2	1	2				2
Dead, - - - - -	2														2
Total Discharged and Dead,	5	10		2	1	2			2	1	2				2
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	45	132	36	81	61	59	38	13	18	48			NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1856		673

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 28<sup>th</sup>

day of May 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, Joshua Lett Esq

Other Guardians, J. Dolan, J. Brown, G. More.

J. Jordan, J. Doyle, M. Edmund, J. Doyle Jr

Wm. Leary



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.

*Joseph Walpole of Ashbrook  
And  
Elizabeth Waring of Rockspung*

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. *1110* to No. *1112*, 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 owing to the sickness of the day on Tuesday, the Committee appointed to examine into the career Lists of Mr. Doran did not meet. Mr. Doran attended as requested.*

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, ... .. £ *15.0.0*

Paid during the week, ... .. £ *10.14.1*

And that the Balance on the Account *In favor* the Guardians was £ *2794.0.9*

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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, - - -							<i>92</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>11½</i>				<i>28 Apr</i>
	Total, -										<i>92</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>11½</i>	
MICHAEL BYRNE....	Ferns, - - -							<i>6</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>7</i>				<i>6 May</i>
	Tinacross, - - -							<i>2</i>	<i>19</i>	<i>5½</i>				
	Kilboro, - - -							<i>4</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>7</i>				
	Ballycarney, - - -							<i>2</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>8</i>				
	Total, -										<i>16</i>	<i>10</i>	<i>3½</i>	
WM. FITZPATRICK...	Newtownbarry, -							<i>4</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>1½</i>				<i>27 Apr</i>
	Killrush, - - -							<i>3</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>4½</i>				
	Tombrack, - - -							<i>1</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>5½</i>				
	Cranmore, - - -							<i>6</i>	<i>9</i>					
	Total, -										<i>9</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>0½</i>	<i>6 May</i>
JAMES DOYLE.....	Ballyhogue, - - -							<i>2</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>0</i>				
	Clonmore, - - -							<i>2</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>11</i>				
	The Leap, - - -							<i>4</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>11</i>				
	Ballyhuskard, - - -							<i>9</i>	<i>8</i>	<i>10½</i>				
	Kilmallock, - - -							<i>2</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>6</i>				
	Edermine, - - -							<i>3</i>	<i>15</i>	<i>9½</i>				
	Total, -										<i>25</i>	<i>16</i>	<i>1</i>	
JOHN CULLEN.....	Killan, - - -													
	Clonroche, - - -													
	Castleboro, - - -													
	Total, -													
WILLIAM GAHAN....	Monart, - - -							<i>1</i>	<i>5</i>					<i>24 Mar</i>
	Killoughram, - - -							<i>5</i>	<i>4</i>	<i>10</i>				
	Ballindaggin, - - -							<i>16</i>	<i>10</i>					
	Castledockrell, - - -							<i>10</i>						
	Total, -										<i>21</i>	<i>17</i>	<i>1</i>	<i>27 Apr</i>
DARBY LEARY.....	Kiltealy, - - -							<i>4</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>11</i>				
	Rossard, - - -							<i>13</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>4½</i>				
	St. Mary's, - - -							<i>4</i>	<i>6</i>	<i>0</i>				
	Total, -										<i>22</i>	<i>5</i>	<i>2</i>	<i>24 Mar</i>
EDWARD GAHAN....	The Harrow, - - -							<i>5</i>	<i>7½</i>					
	Ballymore, - - -							<i>2</i>	<i>6½</i>					
	Kilcormick, - - -							<i>8</i>	<i>12</i>	<i>9½</i>				
	Total, -										<i>9</i>	<i>0</i>	<i>5½</i>	
HENRY WALSH.....	Castletalbot, - - -							<i>6</i>	<i>1½</i>					
	Castleellis, - - -							<i>1</i>	<i>3</i>	<i>4½</i>				
	Bolaboy, - - -							<i>7</i>	<i>4½</i>					
	Ballyvaldon, - - -							<i>1</i>	<i>8</i>					
	Total, -										<i>1</i>	<i>18</i>	<i>4½</i>	
	Total, £										<i>199</i>	<i>13</i>	<i>5½</i>	

NOTE—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. 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 £ 44 3 8 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 44 3 8

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 2800 lb  
 Meat 100 "  
 Potatoes 1120 "  
 Butter 315 lb  
 Vinegar 1008 lb  
 Salt 112 lb  
 Tea 58 lb  
 Sugar 320 lb

Flour 224 lb  
 Peas 14 "  
 Beans 1 "  
 Potatoes 12 "  
 Soap 112 "  
 Starch 31 "  
 Soda 31 "  
 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.	
		£	s. d.	Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.					
No. II.					
No. III.					
Total ....					

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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



## 3 Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

## 4. Out-Door Relief Invoice Account.

Credit Treasurer and Debit Out-Door Relief Invoice Account with the several sums as above.  
 The Clerk's Report of Vaccination was read—(this on the first Meeting in every month.)  
 Number of successful cases  
 Orders on Contractors and others were signed for the following:

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

Medical Officer Reported

Remainning from last week on Hospital diet 75  
 " " " on Home diet 5  
 Admitted during the week 10 90

Discharged cured 14  
 Sent to General Hospital 1  
 Died 2 17

Remainning on Hospital diet 69  
 " " on Home diet 14 73

Number in Sedit Wards 21

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

Master Reported

141 There was an inquest held on the body of Thomas Dwyer reported last Board day and a verdict returned that the said Thomas Dwyer came by his death from injuries received by a fall from a stable loft belonging to Sylvester Doyle of Molmurry on Sunday the 17th Inst

141 Mr J Parle proposed taking out a boy named Patrick Doyle provided the Board supply him with a Suit of clothes. Doyle was admitted to the Workhouse 12 Sept 1850 then six years old and chargeable to William Edw. Weston

142 He beg'd to submit a List of Farm Implements for Condemnation viz 21 Spades. 6 Shovels. 6 Prongs 5 hand hoes & 2 Rakes. Required 2 doz spades 1 doz shovels & 3 Rakes. and 10 lb of Spinnings improved. Purple Top Swede Turnip Seed.

There is a plot of parsnips at the North side of the Workhouse Down by the late Agricultural containing about



about half an acre which is a complete failure also some beds of Leeks at the South Side and a plot of Onions adjoining former bounds please to appoint a Committee to view those Plots and give directions as to their re-cropping.

Beside the above there are  $1\frac{1}{2}$  acres to be cropped with turnips which will require at least 5 cwt of Guano with some farm yard Manure. he will require 50 notices cautioning persons against trespassing on the Workhouse Farm.

144 The Provisions & necessaries supplied this week are all of good quality.

145 He begged the attention of the Board to an irregularity which occurred during the previous week and which if not put a stop to may cause much trouble. On Monday the 18th he was engaged on the lower end of the Farm when suddenly the Annates employed on the near end under the Superintendence of the present Agriculturist commenced shouting and running about. On looking up he perceived the late Agriculturist Mr Harris in the midst of the band, this he (the Master) passed over expecting the like would not occur again but it appears that Harris attended the Farm nearly every day up to Friday last. On which day when visiting the Farm the Master found the Annates in the same disorderly state and setting the present Agriculturist at defiance.

It therefore became necessary for the Master to attend on the Farm every day since in order to enforce discipline. Agreeably to the Wishes of the P.L. Commissioners no officer who may have been dismissed shall enter the Workhouse premises or AGRICULTURIST'S REPORT interfere in the management of said Workhouse without the Consent of the Commissioners.

Ordered Clothing allowed to the boy Patrick Doyle a Committee consisting of Messrs Lett, Gore, Dolan, Browne, Jordan & Moran were appointed to view the plots &c. and reported as fit for condemnation. 10 Spades. 1 Shovel. 6 prongs. 5 hand hoes and 2 Rakes. and that the plots being a total failure he ploughed up and that Cabbage be sown in that of the North Side of the Workhouse and Mangold in the plot adjoining Mr Connors bounds. — which report is adopted. — The Master is directed if Harris appears again on the grounds to summon him before the Magistrate, and the Clerk will give notice to Harris cautioning him of the consequences of a repetition of such conduct.

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

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

Dated 27 May 57  
N<sup>o</sup> 14228 } Enclosing a Form to be filled up  
with a Description of the persons proposed to be assisted to emigrate to Canada on the 21st Inst. to be certified by the Medical Officer and Clerk.



## Ordinary Proceedings

A Letter was read from the Commissioners of Education stating that they had forwarded a parcel of Books for the Workhouse Schools on the 25th Inst.

Mr Doyle Guardian for Clonmore brought under the Consideration of the Board the propriety of adding to the List of Emigrants the name of Margaret Cahill aged 18 years now charged on the Clonmore Electoral Division.

Ordered Having examined the girl Margaret Cahill and finding she is desirous to emigrate with the other females to Canada we direct the Clerk to add her name to the List she being an eligible person to go out.

A girl named Healy aged about 15 years whose mother had been sent to Wexford Gaol lately appeared at the Board requesting admission for a sister aged about 3 years, on being questioned as to the Religious denomination for Registry of the child, she stated it was to be registered a Catholic, that she herself was a Catholic and that her mother desired her to have the child registered as such — she (her mother) having changed her religion recently.

Ordered. That the Clerk write to the mother Annie Healy now in Wexford Gaol, to know of what religious denomination the child is to be registered.

The Collector's accounts having been examined it was Ordered That the Clerk write to the Collector to close up their outstanding arrears by 11th June and that if not then settled will be matters to.

Ordered That the Clerk give notice to the Guardians for next Board day that it is the intention of the Board to send out as many able bodied inmates who are chargeable on the Union at Large as are fit and that the Master prepare a List for inspection accordingly.

Senders for conveyance of Emigrants to Quebec were considered, and that from Mr John Hinton of £3-0 per head accepted.



*[Large handwritten flourish or signature]*

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	...	8

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 4<sup>th</sup> day of June 1857



MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORTHY UNION, on  
Thursday, the 28th day of May 1857,—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,)

*John Leth*  
*W. L. Leth*  
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

30th day of May 1857

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building.	Total No. in each building on the above date.	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
													No. of Inmates and Idiots in the above Workhouse on the above date.	No. of Inmates and Idiots in the above Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse.	1541	477													
Permanent Buildings.															
Additional Workhouse.															
Permanent Fever Hospital.	220	26													
Fever Sheds.															
TOTAL.	1761	498													
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	45	132	36	81	69	59	38	13	18	403			In Workhouse Hospital.	In separate Wards.	
Admitted during the week.	7	10		1	3	1			1	3	26		In Fever Hospital.	In Wards with other inmates.	
TOTAL.	52	142	36	82	72	60	38	14	21	509			Total.	Total.	
Discharged during the week.	4	3						1		1	9				
Died.	1		1								2				
Total Discharged and Dead.	5	3	1					1		1	11				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	47	139	35	82	72	60	37	14	20	498					

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 14th

day of June 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, Joshua Lett & J. Sullivan Esqs.

Other Guardians: B. Flaherty, G. Hore, S. Doyle Senr.  
 A. Browne M. Redmond, S. Brien, S. Dolger  
 P. Doran, W. Floney, A. Sinnott, S. Leary, P. Dwyer  
 S. Doyle junr.



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

*Richard Kelly of Kilbramish*  
and  
*Eliza Ward of Kilbramish*

*John Sparrow of Oulart*  
and  
*Johanna Hemmick of Enniscorthy*

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1118 to No. 1144, 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 a vacancy having occurred on the Board by the death of Mr. Norton Ballyfinlana it became my duty to fill it up by a non-resident justice—all the Resident justices in the Union being already on the Board—and as he found the next non-resident justice rated to property in the Union to be John Greene Bay Wexford, and having received his consent to act as a member of the Board, he had placed his name on the List of Guardians instead of the late Mr. Norton.

That he had been served with a Copy of Process Exemption for the Guardians as under Tenants for the Dispensary House at Seims held by them under a Tenant whom the head Landlord found it necessary to give for arrears

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. 3. 4

Paid during the week, ... .. £ 7. 3. 8  
And that the Balance on the Account *In favor* the Guardians was £ 2. 7. 0. 5

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in 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	13	11				28 Apl.
	Total, -										92	13	11	
MICHAEL BYRNE....	Ferns, -							6	17	7				6 May
	Tinacross, -							2	19	5				
	Kilboro, -							4	8					
	Ballycarney, -							2	4	8				
	Total, -										16	10	3	
WM. FITZPATRICK...	Newtownbarry, -							4	4	4				27 Apl
	Killrush, -							3	16	4				
	Tombrack, -							1	4	5				
	Cranmore, -							6	9					
	Total, -										9	12	1	
JAMES DOYLE.....	Ballyhogue, -							3	6	0				3 <sup>rd</sup> June
	Clonmore, -							2	17	11				
	The Leap, -							4	6	11				
	Ballyhuskard, -	3	3	4				6	5	6				
	Kilmallock, -							2	0	6				
	Edermine, -							3	15	7				
	Total, -				3	3	4				22	12	9	
JOHN CULLEN,.....	Killan, -													
	Clonroche, -													
	Castleboro, -													
	Total, -													
WILLIAM GAHAN....	Monart, -							1	5					24 March
	Killoughram, -							5	4	10				
	Ballindaggin, -							16	10					
	Castledockrell, -									10				
	Total, -										21	17	1	
DARBY LEARY,.....	Kiltealy, -							4	5	7				27 Apl
	Rossard, -							13	13	4				
	St. Mary's, -							4	6	0				
	Total, -										22	5	2	
EDWARD GAHAN....	The Harrow, -							5	7					24 March
	Ballymore, -							2	6					
	Kilcormick, -							8	12	9				
	Total, -										9	0	5	
HENRY WALSH,.....	Castletalbot, -							6	1	1				1 Apl
	Castleellis, -							1	3	4				
	Bolaboy, -							7	4					
	Ballyvaldon, -							1	6					
	Total, -										1	18	4	
	Total, £				3	3	4				146	10	14	

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 £ 5. 16. 7 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £45 s. 13 d. 6 1/2

*Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.*

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 44.16.07

*Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.*

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... — 1, 10

Average cost in Infirmary, ... ..	2 1/2
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Average cost in Fever Hospital,	...	...	...	...	2.14
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*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	2800	¢
Meat	110	"
Oatmeal	1120	"
Bultermilk	315	gal
Sheepmilk	1008	lb
Salt	112	¢
Wax	38	¢
Sugar	320	"

Whiskey	1 gal
Wine	6 bottles
Candles	12 lb
Salt	1 1/2 "
Starch	3 1/4 "
Wash	3 1/4 "
Beer	7 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.
<i>In Money,</i>	...	...	...		
<i>In Kind,</i>	...	...	...		
<i>Total</i>	...	...	...		

*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.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
Total....				

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

2. 5. 0

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

- ## 2. Establishment Account.

17	449	Mary Walsh Earthenware	3	4	6
	444	Lammel Armstrong Lards	1	8	3

Sever Hospitals.

46	Samuel Goodison Emmerich Hospital	29	6	3
47	William Macintosh Newtonbury do	11	9	0

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



## 3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

37	Thomas G. Hooper	Bread	90	6	5
38	Edward Phelan	Coal	20	5	10
39	Andrew Doyle	Buttermilk	5	7	8
40	Same	Street milk	10	15	10
41	Mary Davis	do	11	11	0
42	Robert Cosgrave	Buttermilk	5	7	0
43	Nicholas Hemmick	Meat	7	15	3
44	Thomas Heating	Whiskey &c	4	11	1
50	Peter Dixon	Oatmeal & Red meal	35	8	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:

3 lbs hemp. 3 1/2 lb glue. 1 St. Linseed meal. 2 Saw files  
 2 penicil brushes. 6 Scriffles. 3 1/2 lb Cabbage Seed  
 10.000 Cabbage plants. 2 cart Gnano. 11 yds long cloth

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

Medical Officer Reported

Remaining from last week on Hoof diet 69  
 on Horse diet 48  
 Admitted during the week 18  
 91

Discharged cured 16  
 Sent to General Hoof. 0  
 Died 1  
 17

Remaining on Hoof diet 74  
 on Horse diet 0  
 74

Number on Infirmary diet out of Hoof. 10  
 in Diet Wards 21

Alexander Shirk aged 69 died of Pneumonia  
 Confined to bed with Paralysis for more than 3  
 years

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

Master Reported

146 There was a deserted child left at the Workhouse gate  
 about 11 o'clock on Friday morning last—on examining  
 the child it was found to belong to a person named  
 Catherine Kelly who left the house on the 25th Ult.  
 on enquiry he found she intended to go to Liverpool  
 where the father of the child is at present. He immediately  
 sent for the Police, when Sub Constable John Stanning  
 attended. He stated the case to him and directed him  
 to procure a car and proceed to Wexford as quick as  
 possible which he did; he sent an inmate with him  
 to identify her, and he arrested her on board the steamer  
 she was brought before the Magistrates on Monday  
 last and discharged by her taking the child, with a  
 reprimand that if she did so again she would  
 subject herself to transportation for life.

The Board will please to order payment of the  
 car hire and the Constables expenses to Wexford.

147 Suggested the necessity of having a paling erected on  
 the boundary wall in front of the Workhouse from the  
 Post to the thorn hedge where the wall is only 3 1/2 feet  
 high



high and totally insufficient to prevent trespass particularly as it is adjoining the public road

148 There is about half an acre of meadow land adjoining Mr. Greenes Corns which is lodged and requires to be cut as soon as possible - if left for the seed to ripen it will in all probability become rotten.

149 M. J. S. O'Shaherty proposes taking out a boy named John Dore provided he gets the usual clothing supplied by the Board to such boys. (Dore was admitted into the Workhouse 12 Jan'y 1853 on the Division of Ennis and was then 12 years old)

150 There is a piece of land in Plot 4 which is intended to be sown with Cabbage seed for which he required 3 barrels of Lime and 3 1/2 lbs of assorted Cabbage seed - also ten thousand of Cabbage plants to be sown at the North Side of the house. and other plots which are prepared for same

151 He beg'd to bring before the Board the case of Jane Keely aged 30 years who is desirous of having her religious denomination changed from Protestant to R. Catholic and hoped a Committee would be appointed to enquire into the case

152 He beg'd to submit a List of persons eligible for emigration chargeable on the Union, also a List of those chargeable on Divisions should the Guardians wish to select any Emigrants from that List.

AGRICULTURIST'S REPORT:

Ordered Expenses of the Constable allowed. the Master to get an Estimate of the value by this day week - a shover to be employed at once. clothing allowed to the boy Dore. Seeds and Lime for the Plot 4 allowed. a Committee consisting of Messrs. Lett & Gore examined Jane Keely who reported that she desired the alteration in her Religious denomination and the Register is altered accordingly - the list of Emigrants is placed on our Ordinary Proceedings.

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):—

Noted 3<sup>rd</sup> June 57, Requesting to be furnished with answers to the questions transmitted to the Clerk respecting Mr. Keating who had been appointed Agriculturalist and Master Clerk.

3<sup>rd</sup> June 57, Requesting a return of all rates made or agreed to be made in the Union during the month of May last.

1 June 1857, From the General Valuation Office transmitting the Lists of Valuation of the Union revised for the present year.



## Ordinary Proceedings

William Graham Collector appeared before the Board and stated that there appeared in his Book an area of £1.1.7 on John Mill of Baine a poor man. and which had accrued for several years past - that the Immediate Lessor refuses to pay it on the grounds of having purchased that ground in the Unimproved Estates Court. and that no claim was made at the time by the Guardians for payment of this area - the Collector enquired whether he would be safe in making a distress on the property or not.

Ordered Referred to the Commissioners for their opinion

A Letter was read from Anne Healy directing that her child be registered a Protestant - and the Register is filled accordingly in reference to her child admitted on the 28th. Nlto.

John Smyth who has contracted for the painting requested a week to finish work he had on hands under the Ecclesiastical Commissioners when he accepted the Contract at the Workhouse

Ordered The time required allowed.

A form of Petition to the Commons was read in reference to the increase in the number of illegitimate children and their mothers entering the Workhouse, and praying for an extension to the Law of Affiliation as a check to this growing evil.

Ordered That a Petition be prepared for signature and submitted to the Board on Thursday next.

In compliance with the order made last Board day the Master having submitted a List of Immigrants fit for emigration the Board proceeded to its consideration making first an order that none be selected for emigration unless they were in the House for three years the three months of harvest time in each year excepted. The Immigrants were then called before the Board and each case examined. The following were approved to be sent out to Canada

Name	Age	Chargeability
Maryanne Doyle	18	Widow at Large
Mary Smith	17	do
Margaret Murphy	18	do
John Dooley	17	do
Ellen Maher	15	do
Anne McDonald	18	do
Cathl. Coy	30	do
Johna - her child	7	do
Edwards her child	1	do
Maryanne Fitzgerald	20	do
Mary McDonnell	24	do
Johna Hamahan	17	do
Maryanne Spill	19	do
Mary Murphy	25	At Large
Patrick her child	1	do
Ellen Lee	23	Dooleboy
Catharine Devenons	20	Monart
Mary Hogan	16	Ballindaggon
Mary Roche	15	Ballyearney

The Master was directed to make out and submit to the Board on Thursday next a list of such Immigrants Chargeable on the Ecclesiastical Commission as have eligible to be sent out as Emigrants to Canada



*[Large handwritten flourish or signature]*

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...	...	...	...	5
Ditto, disallowed	...	...	...	...	...	26
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	...	...	

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

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

*John Cullin D.O.*  
 Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the *11th*  
 day of *June* 18*54*



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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORTHY UNION, on  
Thursday, the 4<sup>th</sup> day of June 1857—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 Shillan Dispensary  
District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a requisition from the Committee  
for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon as follows:—

*Ordered. Medical Appliances allowed*

*Also for Newtownham District*

*Ordered Medical Appliances allowed*

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

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



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

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*Amisworthy* Dispensary District.  
Account of Mr. *Saml. Armstrong* for *Lard* : Amount £110.9

32

*Orlart (Dispensary District)*  
*40 Saml. Armstrong Lard* 0.10.1  
£ 2.0.10

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

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

_____ District . . . . .	£
_____ District . . . . .	£

99

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

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

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

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

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



*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 Fullin H.B.C.*  
*Murray*  
Clerk of the Union.



# ENNISCORTHY UNION.

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

Present Net Annual Value,....£109,800

AREA, in Statute Acres, 190,689.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

6<sup>th</sup> day of June 1854

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
												Total.	No. of Inmates and Idiots in the above Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse.	157	1470												
Permanent Buildings.														
Additional Workhouse.	220	25												
Permanent Fever Hospital.														
Fever Sheds.														
TOTAL.	177	1495												
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	47	139	35	82	64	60	37	14	20	49				
Admitted during the week.	2	2		2	1	2	2		2	13				
TOTAL.	49	141	35	84	65	62	39	14	22	57				
Discharged during the week.	2	3		3	2	3			2	15				
Died, - - - - -					1					1				
Total Discharged and Dead.	2	3		3	3	3			2	16				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	47	138	35	81	62	59	39	14	20	49				

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the day of authenticating 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 11<sup>th</sup> day of June 1854

PRESENT: In the Chair *John Gullin Esq.*

Other Guardians:

*W. J. Fetherston, Joshua Lott, M. Redman, A. Emmott, R. Jordan, P. Doyle, M. Keating, W. Cloney*



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.

*Richard Kelly of Kilbrannish*  
and  
*Elizabeth Ward of Kilbrannish*

*John Spannan of Oulart*  
and  
*Joanna Merrick of Binniserry*

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No 1144 to No 1157, 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 been served with a Notice of Appeal against the Registration of Bridget Drury and children on the Cl. Division of Newtownbarry to be heard at the next Quarter Sessions of Gorey. Ordered. The Clerk to attend at Gorey and that Messrs. Donohue and O'Leary be employed as before.*

*That he had received £1.0.0 from James Doyle of Mill House male to Miss Devereux as assistance towards the expense of her emigration to Canada.*

*Ordered that this sum be lodged to the Credit of the Division of Monart to which Catherine Devereux is at present chargeable.*

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, £ 23.13.4

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* the Guardians was £257.16.4

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in 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	13	11 1/2				28 Apr.
	Total,										92	13	11 1/2	10 June
MICHAEL BYRNE...	Ferns,	1	17	11				4	9	7 1/2				
	Tinacross,		14	4				2	4	10 1/2				
	Kilboro,	2	10	1				1	18	6				
	Ballycarney,		17	6				1	7	2				
	Total,				6	0	1				10	0	2	8th June
WM. FITZPATRICK...	Newtownbarry,	1	3	8				3	0	9				
	Killrush,	3	12	4				4	0					
	Tombrack,							1	4	7 1/2				
	Cranmore,		13	2				1	3	6 1/2				
	Total,				5	9	2				5	2	11	11 June
JAMES DOYLE...	Ballyhogue,		6	4				2	19	7 1/2				
	Clonmore,							2	1	11				
	The Leap,		1	10				3	9	1				
	Ballyhuskard,							6	5	3 1/2				
	Kilmallock,		6	1				1	14	6				
	Edermine,		14	3				3	1	7 1/2				
	Total,				2	4	6				20	8	3 1/2	
JOHN CULLEN...	Killan,													
	Clonroche,													
	Castleboro,													
	Total,													
WILLIAM GAHAN...	Monart,							1	5					24 Mar.
	Killoughram,							5	4	10				
	Ballindaggin,							16	10					
	Castledockrell,									10				
	Total,										21	17	1	10 June
DARBY LEARY...	Kiltealy,							4	5	7 1/2				
	Rossard,							13	13	4 1/2				
	St. Mary's,	3	15	11						10 0 1/2				
	Total,				2	15	11				18	8	6 1/2	10 June
EDWARD GAHAN...	The Harrow,		4	2				1	0					
	Ballymore,							2	6					
	Kilcormick,	8	4	0				8	10					
	Total,				8	8	2							
HENRY WALSH...	Castletalbot,							6	1					12 5
	Castleellis,							13	4					1st Apr.
	Bolaboy,							7	4					
	Ballyvaldon,							1	6					
	Total,										1	10	4 1/2	
	Total, £				257	10					171	19		

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 £4.16.10 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 £42 s. 8 d. 1/4

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 46 2 0 1/4

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... 1 10

Average cost in Infirmary, ... 2 11 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 2 7

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

Bread	2800 lb	Whiskey	1 1/2 gal
Meat	110 "	Candles	12 lb
Oatmeal	1120 "	Starch	3 1/2 "
Buttermilk	315 gal	Wolada	3 1/2 "
Sweetmilk	1008 gal	Beer	1 "
Lett	112 lb		
Tea	58 lb		
Sugar	320 "		

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.

Elections Law & other expenses

25/ 33 John Kennedy Returning Officer

7 18 8

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:

2 lbs Steel. 1 gal Wool oil. 1 Scythe blade. 1 cwt Guano  
3 Brls Lime

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 74  
" " on Home diet 6  
Admitted during the week 9  
83

Discharged Cured 10  
Sent to General Hospital 0  
Died 0 10

Remaining on Hospital diet 73  
" " on Home diet 1 73

Number on Infirmary diet out of Hospital 70  
" in Infirmary Wards 20

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

### Masters Report

N. 1 He begged to lay before the Board a Specification and estimate for paling to be erected on front wall from the Bar to the thorn hedge 33 feet long and 2 1/2 feet high to be composed of the best Scotch Iron top and bottom rails to be 2 inch by 1/2 inch flat iron upright bars to be 3/4 in. round iron and to be headed into 8 blocks of granite 22 inches long 12 inches wide and 9 deep which is to be set in the wall about 6 inches apart and finished in a proper manner subject to inspection all of which would be completed at the rate of 2/6 per foot.

2 He required 500 yds of calico to be made up into 5 pair of Sheets for the use of Quaker General Hospital

3 When visiting the Emancipatory General Hospital on last Monday the Porter reported to him that a person named Sheill who was under the influence of drink entered the Hospital in defiance of him—when the Porter stopped him at the gate he then got over the fence and entered the Hospital of course to the annoyance of the Sick and would not leave until he satisfied himself—the Master directed the Porter to summons him before the Magistrates—He would suggest the necessity of



of building a wall at least on the lower square adjoining Mr. Cranfield's land which is about 12 perches long and is at present in a dilapidated state - the remainder can be made a good fence with very little trouble.

4 The Missionary Fathers are now in town and propose to visit the Workhouse and give instructions to the Catholic Sisters of the House with permission of the Board.

5 There is a plot of cabbage at the south side of the House for which Patrick Callin has offered £2.10.0 at the rate of 16 per acre.

6 He requested that a Committee be appointed to view the land sown under Mangold and to give directions as to its management as the most part of the land is waste.

7 He begged to lay before the Board a sample of the Potatoes delivered yesterday also of the Strabont made from same.

Ordered Advertisements to issue for tenders for the Iron railing agreeably to Specification - the Cubic allowed for sheeting the Board consider the Porter and head mason to blame for leaving the Hospital door in such a way that Strabonts can get in. Permission to the Missionary to the Missionary Fathers granted - the Plot of cabbage to be sold for £2.10.0. A Committee consisting of Messrs. Little, Keating, & Simmott having viewed the Mangold crop reported the Plot to be a great failure but recommended it to be allowed to stand over until this day week, the Master to transplant from the thick parts into the waste places all the young plants fit and to report to progress next Board day - the Master to be particular about the Great and Strabont in future and produce samples again next Board day.

AGRICULTURIST'S REPORT

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

(Dated 5 June 57) } A Sealed Order empowering the Guardians  
N. 14122 } to assist in Emigration to Canada 12 Sisters of  
the Workhouse

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 5 June 1857) } A Letter relative to the proposal of the Guardians  
N. 14990 } to pay the cost of 13 emigrants except Mary Treacy  
who is of too tender years to be sent out, also of the boy  
Michael Prince whose mother is in the Workhouse stating  
that if she be a proper person to emigrate they will  
on receiving the usual Resolution Consent to their emigration  
also

10 June 1857 } With reference to the Resolution of the Guardians  
N. 15364 } on the 4th inst. to send out certain emigrants to Canada  
enclosing a printed form for the particulars required  
previous to giving their Consent to the proposed  
expenditure

10 June 57 } By reference to the appointment of Mr. Norton  
N. 15324 } Keating to the Combined offices of Agent to the  
and Master Clerk - that they had received  
a communication from the Inspector that  
he does not consider Mr. Keating possesses the  
necessary qualifications for either of the offices  
for the reasons set forth and requesting the  
Guardians to reconsider the appointment



## Ordinary Proceedings

Moved by J. J. Salthurst

Seconded by Joshua Lett Esq.

That in accordance with the Letter of the P.L. Commissioners relative to the appointment of Mr. Stating as Agent and Master Clerk Stating his incompetency for either office we take the earliest opportunity of obtaining the services of a properly qualified person by the Clerk advertising in the General Advertiser and Standard Gazette for tenders to be considered this day fortnight on the same terms as last issued and that he give a month's notice to Mr. Stating.

A Letter was read from Mr. Carroll Guardian for Cranmore relative to the admission of a young woman Bridget Scully to the Workhouse and setting forth reasons why her chargeability should be to the Union at Large.

Ordered That Bridget Scully be admitted on the Division of Cranmore Mr. Carroll to give the usual notice for alteration to the Union at Large if he wishes.

Mr. Edmund Guardian for Monart gave notice that he will move on Thursday the 25th Inst. he will move the discharge of Thomas Foley from that Division and his readmission on the Division of Emmiserry.

A Letter was read from Mr. Hinton Wexford stating that he can forward all the emigrants by a vessel going out to Quebec on the 29th Inst. and that they should be ready to leave by the Wexford Steamer on the 27th.

Ordered That the emigrants be got ready with all dispatch so as to proceed on the day named.

Moved by Mr. Browne

Seconded by Mr. Poney. And

Resolved That Mary Anne Byrne Anne Byrne Bridget Byrne and Margaret Cullen now in the Workhouse chargeable on the Division of Alllongshin are fit persons to be sent out with the other emigrants to Canada and as they are desirous to go they be accordingly assisted to emigrate.

Mr. Livinott Guardian for Bolaboy gave notice that on Thursday the 25th Inst. he will move the discharge of Francis Fitzgerald from the Union at Large and his readmission on the Division of Monart.



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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...	5
Ditto, disallowed	...	...	...
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	13

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 Fullin S.O.C.*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 1st day of June 1857

*W. M. Mundy*



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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORTHY UNION, on  
Thursday, the 11<sup>th</sup> day of June 1857—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—*



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

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

(Signed,) *John Mallin A.B.C.*  
*M. Munday*  
Clerk of the Union.