

Poor Law Union minute book  
Enniscorthy Union

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# ENNISCORTHY UNION.

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

Present Net Annual Value,....£109,400

AREA, in Statute Acres, 190,689.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

26<sup>th</sup> day of September 57

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					No. of Inmates in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in the Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse.	154	316													
Permanent Buildings.															
Additional Workhouse.	22	10													
Permanent Fever Hospital.															
Fever Slabs.															
TOTAL.	176	326													
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	11	57	36	78	45	38	30	9	17	32	1		In Workhouse Hospital.	In separate Wards.	
Admitted during the week.	4	4	1	1	3							13	In Fever Hospital.	In Wards with other inmates.	
TOTAL.	15	61	37	79	48	38	30	9	17	32	1		Total.	Total.	
Discharged during the week.	7	3	1		1										
Died, - - - - -				1											
Total Discharged and Dead.	1	3	1	1	1										
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	14	58	36	78	47	38	30	9	16	32	8				

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 1<sup>st</sup> day of October 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, G. More Esq.

And subsequently Mr. J. L. Esq.

Other Guardians:

Joshua Lett. B. P. Mahony. A. Keating  
 S. Polger. P. Dineen. P. Doran. J. Donohue  
 S. Lerry. J. Doyle Esq. J. Doyle Esq. J. Brown



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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 133 to No. 136, 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 lodged this week for seven produce £83:3:11 there were some items still uncollected which he could not get in to lodge on the 29th Ult. but they would be paid by the 10th Inst. they were for seed wheat.*

*That the Collectors Warrants will be ready to be signed and delivered on the day fortnight—that the Provision Accounts could not be all checked and put forward for payment before next Board day after which he would be engaged at closing the Books for the half year just ended—the Audit of which will take place in about 3 weeks*

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, 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, ... £ 92. 10. 9

And that the Balance on the Account ... £ 37. 8. 11

The Book was signed by the Chairman. *In favor* the Guardians was £1133. 4. 7

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			Date of last Attendance.
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
JAMES DOYLE.....	Enniscorthy, -							820	0	5				
	Ballyhogue, -							66	11	11				
	Bree, - - -							61	11	11				
	The Leap, - -							86	9	2				
	Total, -										1024	16	5	
MICHAEL BYRNE...	Ferns, - - -							128	12	5				
	Kilbora, - -							23	11	6				
	Tinacross, - -							61	4	3				
	Ballycarney, -							27	17	11				
	Total, -										241	5	11	
WM. FITZPATRICK..	Newtownbarry, -							226						
	Kilrush, - -							67	7	3				
	Tombrack, - -							76	11	6				
	Cranemore, - -							25	9	5				
	Kiltealy, - -													
	Rossard, - -							23	7	6				
	St. Mary's, - -							20	14	1				
	Total, -										439	19	9	
	Ballyhuskard, -							105	7	5				
	Kilmallock, - -							102	1	3				
JOHN CULLEN.....	Edermine, - -							71	7	3				
	Total, -										274	15	11	
	Killan, - - -							80	11	4				
	Clonroche, - -							98	12	0				
	Castleboro', - -							95	7	1				
MOSES BYRNE.....	Total, -										274	10	5	
	Monart, - - -							67	2	9				
	Killoughram, -							90	17	1				
	Ballindaggin, -							85	12	3				
	Castledockrell, -							30	3	6				
EDWARD GAHAN....	Total, -										273	15	10	
	The Harrow, -							53	3	0				
	Ballymore, - -							47	4	8				
	Kilcormack, - -							84	14	3				
HENRY WALSH.....	Total, -										105	7	11	
	Castle Talbot, -							85	10	8				
	Castle Ellis, -							91	4	1				
	Bolaboy, - - -							33	6	4				
	Ballyvaldon, -							28	17	4				
	Total, -										264	6	5	
		Total, £			83	3	11				299	12	7	



The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £5.10.7 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £26 s. 6 d. 7/4

		£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.				
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	...	26	5	7
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.				
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	...	1	10	1/2
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	...	2	11	1/2
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	...	1	1	1/2
The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:—				

Meat	1900 lb	And meal	1120 lb
Butter	112	Potatoes	14
Out-door	1120	Whiskey	1/2 gal
Butter-milk	204 gal	Candles	10 lb
Sweet-milk	804 gal	Soup	112
Salt	112 lb	Harsh	3/4
Sea	45 gal	Wheat	3/4
Sugar	256	Other	1/4

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.	
			Article and quantity	Value.
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.

166	Rev. Denis Browne Salary to 29 Sept.	7	10	0
167	Rev. William Murphy do	15	0	0
168	P. C. Burke Medical Officer do	18	15	0
169	George Maguire Master do	15	0	0
170	Margaret Harris Matron do	6	10	0
171	Erasmus O'Malley Schoolmaster do	6	10	0
172	Bridget Sheehan Schoolmistress do	5	10	0
173	John Doyle Porter do	3	15	0
174	Catherine Macken Nurse	3	15	0
175	James Sheehan Squatter	2	19	4
176	Andrew Harriack Relieving Officer	5	0	0
177	John Kennedy Clerk	27	10	0
178	Grand Harrison Advertisements	1	15	0

25/ 177	Election Law & other expenses.			
	John Kennedy Returning Officer	2	10	0

20/ 164	Fever Hospitals			
165	Samuel Goodisson. Enniscorthy Alms	26	4	7
165	William Macintosh. Waterbury do	11	1	0
165	M. J. Castan. Culst do	10	4	11

## 3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s d.

Collection Fees					
197	William Fitzpatrick. Collector	11	6	1	
212	Michael Byrne Collector	5	4	3	

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

## 4. Out-Door Relief Invoice Account.

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

Number of successful cases

Orders on Contractors and others were signed for the following:

1 Iron Rod for Pump & Smith Works.  
3 lbs Hemp. 3 doz awl blades.  
10 lb best Indian Arrow root.

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

Medical Officers Report.

Remaining from last week on Hospital debt 61  
" " " " on Home debt 0  
Admitted during the week 6 67

Discharged cured 3  
Sent to Inver Hospital 0  
Died 1

4.

Remaining on Hospital debt 63  
" " " " on Home debt "

Number on Suffering sent out of Hspl. 52.  
" in Sick Ward 24.

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

The Schoolmaster is ill and confined to bed—he is unable to attend to his duties, and will not be able to resume them for a few days. The case of amputation consequent on the injury received in the Mill is progressing most favorably.

Masters Report

Asks to know if it is the intention of the Board to build the window and adjoining the play ground. Concerning about one acre and two rods thick—if so it should be done at once before he commences to raise the Green Crops. He would recommend that the Seed Wheat be procured as soon as possible as he expected to raise some of the best Crops by the end of the present month—there are about 100 Statute Acres to be sown with Wheat including the Sea Land for which he requires at least 30 Barrels of lime.

He also requires a good plough and would recommend one of Hansons & Parris that the boys employed on the farm be taught to plough which will the better enable them to obtain assistance with farmers outside.



The Schoolmaster has been ill and confined to bed since Sunday last.

John (nephew of Contraband) proposes taking out a boy named David Kavanagh provided he get clothes. Kavanagh was admitted the 14th May 1854 then 7 years old chargeable on Kilmallock Union Division.

He begged to state that the Pump has been out of order for the last week in consequence of the rods breaking. He was under the necessity of employing a man at a cost of 10/- and providing a new Iron Pump rod for which he expected the Board will order payment.

He begged to submit a plan and Specification for the erection of the boilers. Had handed over to the Clerk 39/- received from Mr. (Nolan) and 39/- received from Mr. J. J. Fennell for seed wheat and 25/- from Mr. Bolger. Total £5..3..0

Mary Murphy and her children Ellen Luke and Bridget Grimsell refuse to go to Mr. Bowes Mill where there is employment for them.

#### Agriculturist's Report.

Ordered the Clerk to procure 3 samples of wheat by this day week. Golden Pearl. White Chaff. White and Red wheat. Linn allowed. Messrs. Pansons to be applied to for a price list of their Ploughs. The Master to procure clothing for the boy Edward Dr. Kelly going out to Mr. Daley payment of repairs on the Pump allowed. The Master to place a Monitor in charge of the Mech School during the Schoolmaster's temporary illness.

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 26th Sept. 1854 } Submitting Terms of Action respecting  
No 192 } the Annual election of Ex-officio Guardians  
and other officers of the Union for the  
year ending 29th September instant

#### Ordinary Proceedings

Mr. Leary Collector for Kilmallock Division was called before the Board and examined respecting arrears left uncollected on that Division amounting to 9/-

Ordered, on finding on examination that Mr. Leary has given satisfactory reasons for the non collection of those small arrears, and we deem his duties to have been performed to the satisfaction of the Board.

The Commissioners letter received last Board day objecting to confirm the appointment of Mr. Pinsella as a Collector for the Union and ordered to be considered to day was again read. The case of Mr. Pinsella occupied the consideration of the Board.

Board for a long time, after which it was

Moved by Mr. Leary

Seconded by Mr. Dincke

That this Board again beg leave to request the Commissioners will reconsider the Subject of Mr. Kissella's appointment to the office of P. N. Collector — as his duties are insupportable and we are satisfied that if appointed he will discharge the duties of Collector to the satisfaction of the Guardians

— the Board also beg to remind the Commissioners that the sum appearing due by him in 1854 viz £1.19 9/6 was due to him for Collection fees on his previous Collection and as he never was called on for payment he was under the impression that there was no further demand on him.

To which an Amendment was

Moved by Mr. Philpott

Seconded by Mr. John Little

That the Clerk be directed to advertise for a Collector for the divisions of Ballymashard, Edenville and Kilmallock instead of Mr. Kissella whom the Commissioners have refused to confirm.

Upon which the Chairman took vote, and there appeared

For the Amendment 3

Against 7

and declared the Amendment lost and the Resolution to be carried.

The following Tenders were Considered and Accepted

Thomas G. Keohler. Best White Wash for 4 Mr. 7/6 per 4 lbs  
Best Flax per Cwt — 5/6  
Best Flax per Cwt — 10/6

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)

Thomas Keating. Best 3/6 per lb. Sugar 7/6 per Stone  
Best Whiskey 11/6 per Gall  
Sherry 2/3 and Port 2/6 per Bottle  
Porter 1/4 doz. Black pepper 1/6 per lb  
Light Starch 5/6 per Stone. Washing Soda  
7/6 per Stone. Slate Blue 11

James Dorence. Best Brown Soap 3/6 per Cwt  
Candles (Sift 7/6) Moulds 1/6 per doz

John D. Murphy. Salt. Fine and Coarse 7/6 per Cwt

Andrew Fosgrave. Lime White 3/6 and Grey 2/6 per Bul  
Situated on the Workhouse grounds for 12 tons

The following Letter was read and ordered to be placed on the Minutes

Ennisworthy 29th Sept 1854

Sir

In reply to your Letter of the 26th Inst. I beg to state that Missine Gordon aged 7 years has had repeated attacks of Dysentery after which she had all the appearance of Convalescence but on the least change of food (or even without that change) the disease returned so that she could not be discharged from Hospital with safety. — She is now Convalescent and I expect to be able to send her over to the Workhouse in a few days

Signed Samuel Goodisson

To the Clerk of the Union  
Ennisworthy

The Finance Committee attended and recommended the payment of the same on the Finance Book for which Cheques were drawn



The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...	8
Ditto, disallowed	...	...	..
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	17

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the  
day of *October* 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 1st day of October 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 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, £

178	Samuel Goodson M.D.	Emmerville	do	12. 10. 0
179	Thomas G. Garfield M.D.	do	do	12. 10. 0
180	Richard Lacey M.D.	Newtownbarny	do	17. 10. 0
181	Geo. W. Lacey M.D.	Killman	do	16. 5. 0
182	John Taylor M.D.	Ferns	do	16. 5. 0
183	Miss J. Carter M.D.	Orlart	do	14. 15. 0
184	Frederick Horke M.D.	Clonsilla	do	14. 15. 0
185	James S. Lee	Port Clonsilla (Dispensary)	do	4. 10. 0
186	Charles Lacey	Killman	do	2. 10. 0
187	Humphrey Pyndar	Ferns	do	4. 0. 0
188	Peter Moore	do	do	2. 15. 6

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

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

District	£
District	£

190	Little Swan	do at Newtownbarny (Dispensary)	3. 0. 0
191	Humphrey Lowley	Clonsilla	do 1. 10. 0
192	Miss Murphy	Clonsilla	do 1. 10. 0
193	J. S. Hood	Orlart	do 3. 10. 0
194	Patrick Arthur	Porter at Orlart Salary	3. 0. 0
2	P. A. Leslie Esq.	Medicines	

28	"	Newtownbarny (Dispensary Comtee)	3. 7. 0
29	"	Killman	do 11. 10. 10
30	"	Ferns	do 8. 1. 3
31	"	Orlart	do 16. 6. 0
33	"	Clonsilla	do 8. 14. 4
			47. 19. 5

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 Ratepayers 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, (Form 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 \_\_\_\_\_

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STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

day of *October 31*

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.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
												Total.	No. of Inmates and Idiots in the above Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings,	130	391												
Additional Workhouse,	220	141												
Permanent Fever Hospital,														
Fever Sheds,														
TOTAL,	176	335												
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			13	34	36	75	47	38	30	9	16	326		
Admitted during the week.			3	4	2	2	2	1				2	16	
TOTAL,			16	38	38	80	49	39	30	9	18	342		
Discharged during the week,			2	4								6		
Died, - - - - -				1								1		
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	5								7		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			14	33	38	80	49	39	30	9	18	335		

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 8th day of *October* 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, *John Lett Esq.* and subsequently *John Lett Esq.*

Other Guardians:

*G. Moore. J. G. Fitzhugh. P. Doyle. W. Floney. P. Jordan. P. Dunne.*

(Signed.)

*John Lett Esq.*  
*McMurdy*  
Clerk of the Union.



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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1366 to No. 1382, both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. \_\_\_\_\_ to No. \_\_\_\_\_, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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.

In favor of the Guardians was £ 126. 7. 8  
£ 956. 11. 4

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			Date of last Attendance.
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
JAMES DOYLE .....	Enniscorthy, -							820	5					
	Ballyhogue, -							66	11	11				
	Bree, - - -							61	4	11				
	The Leap, - -							86	9	2				
	Total, -										1034	10	5	
MICHAEL BYRNE...	Ferns, - - -							128	12	5				
	Kilbora, - -							23	11	1				
	Tinacross, - -							61	4	3				
	Ballycarney, -							27	7	11				
	Total, -													
WM. FITZPATRICK..	Newtownbarry, -							236			241	5	11	
	Kilrush, - -							67	7	3				
	Tombrack, - -							76	11	6				
	Cranemore, - -							25	7	5				
	Kiltealy, - -													
	Rossard, - -							23	7	6				
	St. Mary's, - -							20	4	1				
	Total, -													
	Ballyhuskard, -							115	7	5	139	19	9	
	Kilmallock, - -							102	1	3				
JOHN CULLEN .....	Edermine, - -							21	2	3				
	Total, -													
	Killan, - - -							20	11	4	39	15	11	
	Clonroche, - -							98	12	0				
	Castleboro', - -							95	7	1				
MOSES BYRNE.....	Total, -													
	Monart, - - -							67	2	9	244	10	5	
	Killoughram, -							90	17	1				
	Ballindaggin, -							85	12	3				
	Castledockrell, -							30	3	6				
EDWARD GAHAN...	Total, -													
	The Harrow, -							53	3	0	273	15	10	
	Ballymore, - -							47	4	8				
	Kilcormack, - -							84	14	3				
HENRY WALSH.....	Total, -													
	Castle Talbot, -										185	7	11	
	Castle Ellis, -							85	18	8				
	Bolaboy, - - -							94	4	1				
	Ballyvaldon, -							55	6	4				
	Total, -							28	17	4	261	6	5	
	Total, £										2922	12	7	

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £4.18.5 was produced and passed.

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

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

Establishment	4.1.6	next Half year
Elections Law	" 6.0	
Disbursements	" 4.0	
Clothing	" 6.11	
	4.18.5	

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By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 35 s. 12 d. 8

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	...	29	2.9
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.	...	1	10
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	...	2	11
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	...	3	1
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:—

Meat	1900 lb	Whisky	1/2 gal
Buttermilk	112 "	Lard	6 Drifts
Suet	204 gal	Candles	10 lb
Salt	804 qt	Starch	3 1/2 "
Tea	112 lb	White	3 1/2 "
Sugar	53 "	Blue	1 "
Flour	336 "		
	224 lb		

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.	By Order on Contractors.
No. I.		Article and quantity	Value.
No. II.		£ s. d.	£ s. d.
No. III.			
Total,			

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

18/	210	Henry Newton Sharned Post	5	12	0
	211	Thomas Leary Cook Stationer &c	19	8	6

Burials

23/	213	John Bruce Jeffries	2	8	0
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## 3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

		£	s	d.
199	Thomas G. Keohler	49	13	7
200	James Devereux	28	10	9
201	Thomas Keating	6	18	11
202	Peter Dixon	12	12	0
203	Mary Davis	8	0	8
204	Andrew Doyle	5	19	2
205	Davis	3	15	0
206	Robert Caspary	3	3	8
207	Nicholas Hemmick	6	10	1
208	James Devereux	1	1	3
209	John A. Murphy	2	5	10

*Wm. Madril*  
*30th October 1857.*

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 Officers Report

Remaining from last week on Hospital diet	63
" " on House diet	"
Admitted during the week	5
	68
Discharged Cured	4
Sent to Drury Hospital	0
Died	0
	4
Remaining on Hospital diet	64
" on House diet	"
	64
Admitted on House diet out of Hospital	54
in Short Wards	25

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

### Masters Report

He tried to state that he had supplied the usual quantity of Coals to the School room and day fire places. He requested the attention of the Board to his report of the 30th July last respecting an inmate named Maryanne Wilson.

The Contractor for keeping the roofs of the building in order commenced to repair the several roofs on Monday and in doing so was using Lime Mortar mixed with Cement in pointing the tiles which he objected to unless allowed by the Board.

The Schoolmaster is still ill and confined to his bed. Some time last Spring he had a paling erected in front of the Drury Hospital adjoining Mr. Greenfield's field part of which has been carried away. He considered that if the Porter and Warden were more watchful such would not occur particularly as the Nurses are up all night and the paling right against the Porter's lodge.

We heard to submit a Catalogue showing the merits of Jansons patent Ploughs and would recommend the V.P.L. Plough as best suited for the use of the Workhouse Farm.

Samy is very busy teaching the accounts for the half year and attending to the stann of out of his power to superintend the erection of the communion rails in the Chapel and the alteration in the Clerks former office by day work, and would therefore request the Board to issue advertisements for the erection of same.

Ordered: The Master not to allow anything but Roman Cement to be used in pointing the tiles - The Porter at the Fever Hospital was called up and reprimanded, and was cautioned to be more watchful in future about the pointing at the risk of his office - The Master to write for the V. P. L. Plough and to be invited for putting up the communion rails by this day fortnight - The alteration in the former office of Clerk postponed for the present - Anne Wilson to write again to her friends in Carlisle to see if they will assist to take her over to them.

Agriculturist's Report.

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

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

Calcut 9<sup>th</sup> Oct 1857 Requesting the enclosed returns to be filled up respecting No. 902 { all rates made or agreed to be made in the Union during the month of September last

6<sup>th</sup> Oct 57 In reference to the proposal of the Guardians to alter the name of Mount Elect. Division to be called Marshakston Elect. Division Consenting to issue a Sealed Order authorizing the proposed alteration

## Ordinary Proceedings

The following Agricultural Report was read and ordered to be placed on the Minutes—

Inspected the Cultivation of the Farm and examined a class of 15 boys in Agriculture in the School room.

The Farm Culture continues to be carried out in a very creditable and successful manner and the crops at present on the land present a very promising and satisfactory appearance so that the progress made in former years continues to be effectually maintained— The boys whom I examined evinced a tolerably good knowledge of the principles of improved husbandry but I find



find that the Agricultural instruction is not made a portion of the daily routine of School business nor afforded in that regular and systematic manner that is desirable. I would suggest, now that there is a trained Agronomist who is familiar with the most improved methods of imparting industrial knowledge, that he should be appointed and be made accountable for both the practical and theoretic instruction of the Agricultural class - the former he is doing already. - the latter will only require about one hour each day. - This arrangement would do away with divided responsibility and insure greater efficiency in this department.

Signed) M. Doogan  
S. P. Agricultural Natl. Schools

October 8th 1857

Ordered to be Considered next Board day.

Letters were read from Deacons in Dublin stating they will send samples of seed wheat in a few days - one from another House enclosing samples - which were however allowed to stand over for a week until others would be received.

Letters were read from A. G. Buchanan Esq. Government Emigration Agent at Quebec acknowledging the receipt of the remittances sent out for the parties of Emigrants all of whom landed safe - many of them were engaged in some minutes after landing - some who had relations in the States had proceeded there and many had gone up to Port Hope to whom he had given a Letter of recommendation to the Mayor who had promised to take charge of and find immediate situations for them that throughout that District in Western Canada he could readily find

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 Meeting of the Guardians)

find employment for several hundred females at wages varying from 12<sup>½</sup> to 20<sup>½</sup> a month according to Capacity besides the cost of Board - that he had Communicated with the Catholic Clergy respecting a portion of those sent out in the Ocean Bride and will see that they be sent into the Country Settlements where if disposed they will get immediate employment that the whole by both vessels the E. A. Bright and Ocean Bride had been landed in good health and spirits.

Mr. Leary gave notice that on Thursday the 23<sup>rd</sup> Inst. he will move the discharge of James Sullivan from the Division of Smalllock and his readmission on the Union at Large.

The Finance Committee attended and examined the Bills due on the 29<sup>th</sup> Ult. for Provisions, Accessories &c which they recommended for payment after which the Chairman signed the Orders & signed when the Board separated.

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

<i>The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was</i>	...	...	6
<i>Ditto, disallowed</i>	...	...	"
<i>The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was</i>	...	...	10

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 29<sup>th</sup> 15<sup>th</sup>  
day of October 1857

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORTHY UNION, on  
Thursday, the 8<sup>th</sup> day of October 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 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. J. A. Leslie & Co for Medicines: Amount, £

28	Newton Dispensary Committee	3.7.0
29	Rillan do	11.10.0
30	Ferries do	8.1.3
31	Quilant do	16.4.1
32	Clonmuck do	8.14.4
33	No 2 cheque	
		47.19.5

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

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

District	£
District	£

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

The Board elected the following Ratepayers 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, (Form 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 P. L. Commissioners dated 2<sup>nd</sup> Oct. 1854  
 stating that N. 24148

In reference to the proposed removal of the present Orkney Dispensary requesting to be informed when the new Dispensary  
House for the District in question will be ready for occupation

Order to the Guardians to take possession before the 1<sup>st</sup> March  
next.

(Signed.)

John Dwyer  
John Kennedy  
 Clerk of the Union.

# ENNISCORTHY UNION.

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

Present Net Annual Value,....£109,400

AREA, in Statute Acres, 190,689.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of October 1857

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	No. of Inmates and Idiots in the above Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings,	150	317												
Additional Workhouse,	120	17												
Permanent Fever Hospital,														
Fever Sheds,														
TOTAL,	270	334												
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			15	37	38	50	49	39	30	9	18	335		
Admitted during the week.			1	4	2	1	1		1			10		
TOTAL,			16	41	40	51	50	39	31	9	18	345		
Discharged during the week,			3				1			2	1	7		
Died, - - - - -			1		1	2						4		
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	3	1	2	1			2	1	11		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			15	38	39	49	49	39	31	7	17	334		
<p>NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1856</p> <p>455</p> <p>121</p>														

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 15th day of October 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Doyle Esq. and Enniscorthy A. J. Fluff Esq.

Other Guardians: P. Leth, D. Phelan Esq., J. Dolan, W. Clancy, M. Sedmond, J. Leary, J. Brandy, M. Cullen, H. King

Captain Camilleri was in attendance



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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 387 to No. 442, both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. \_\_\_\_\_ to No. \_\_\_\_\_, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That the Medicine Bill for Dispensaries were duly furnished by the Contractor to be paid with the other accounts due the 29th Septe but having to send them to the different Medical Officers to be certified. Some of them returned them beyond last Thursday they are now put forward for payment duly certified. and it will be attended with irregularity in the half years liabilities if not paid to day and the Clerk trusts the Board will therefore order payment to be made.

That he has been noticed by the Clerk of the Peace to attend at the Assistant Quarter Sessions for Revision of the Lists of Parliamentary Voters at Enniscorthy this day 10 o'clock

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, 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, £ 2. 8. 0  
And that the Balance on the Account *In favor* the Guardians was £ 224. 16. 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.	Total.	Remaining.	Total.	Date of last Attendance.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
JAMES DOYLE.....	Enniscorthy, -			820 . 5		
	Ballyhogue, -			66 11 11		
	Bree, - - -			61 14 11		
	The Leap, - -			86 9 2		
	Total, -				1034 16 5	
MICHAEL BYRNE...	Ferns, - - -			128 13 5		
	Kilbora, - -			28 11 4		
	Tinacross, - -			61 4 3		
	Ballycarney, -			27 17 11		
	Total, -				241 5 11	
WM. FITZPATRICK..	Newtownbarry, -			226 .		
	Kilrush, - -			67 7 3		
	Tombrack, - -			76 11 6		
	Cranemore, - -			25 9 5		
	Kiltealy, - -					
	Rossard, - -			23 7 6		
	St. Mary's, - -			20 14 1		
	Total, -				439 19 9	
	Ballyhuskard, -			105 7 5		
	Kilmallock, - -			102 1 3		
	Edermine, - -			21 7 2		
	Total, -				278 15 11	
JOHN CULLEN.....	Killan, - - -			80 11 4		
	Clonroche, - -			98 12 2		
	Castleboro', - -			95 7 1		
	Total, -				274 10 5	
MOSES BYRNE.....	Monart, - - -			67 2 9		
	Killoughram, -			90 17 1		
	Ballindaggin, -			85 12 3		
	Castledockrell, -			30 3 6		
	Total, -				273 15 10	
EDWARD GAHAN...	The Harrow, -			53 3 0		
	Ballymore, - -			47 4 8		
	Kilcormack, - -			184 14 3		
	Total, -				185 1 11	
HENRY WALSH.....	Castle Talbot, -			85 18 8		
	Castle Ellis, -			94 4 1		
	Bolaboy, - - -			53 6 4		
	Ballyvaldon, -			28 17 4		
	Total, -				264 6 5	
	Total, £				299 12 4	

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



The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £2.6.6 was produced and passed.

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

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

Establisht. 1. 12. 6  
Collection Dns 0. 3. 6  
Appointments 0. 7. 6 Calcut  
C. Law 0. 3. 0  
2. 6. 6

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £49 s. 4 d. 1/2

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account. £ s. d.  
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 35. 13. 11  
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... 1. 10 1/2  
Average cost in Infirmary, ... 2. 11  
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 3. 1

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

Bread	1900 lb	Whiskey	16	Nazym
Meat	112 "	Candles	14	lb
Buttermilk	204 gal	Soap	11 1/2	"
Sweetmilk	804 qt	Starch	3 1/2	"
Salt	112 lb	Woad	3 1/2	"
Sea	45 oz	Blue	1	"
Oxygen	256 "			

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.





A person named Michael Wilson who is labouring under insanity was admitted on Monday evening last. Shortly after admission he became violent, pulled the beds from under the Idiots and threw them about the room, and endeavoured to get up the Chimney — I had to remove the Idiots from their beds and fasten him up. He then commenced to injure himself by knocking his head against the wall — I would respectfully submit that the Asylum or Gaol is the proper place for such persons particularly so as the Idiot wards are full and no person in the House capable of taking charge of him.

Ordered to recommend that small windows be placed in the Dissolute Ward as it is present occupied by female Idiots and the Ventilators afford very little light to the wards.

The Schoolmaster is still ill, and unable to attend to his duties.  
 Ordered to recommend the floor of the Dead House be raised, and either flagged or tiled, as it is at present a foot under the surface and when it rains the water flows into it and gives it a very dirty appearance. It is impossible to keep the floor dry and clean. *Agriculturist's Report.*

The Ward at the rear of the Infirmary requires an ere, Shoot.

He begged to submit the Case of Eliza Neill she is at present an inmate — as he considers her to be a fit subject for an Asylum.

Ordered, The Clothing recommended to be Condemned is Condemned — Michael Wilson is now Convalescent and the Medical Officer states he will be fit to be discharged in a few days — In future the Relieving Officer shall not admit such cases unless destitute. The windows to be procured for the Dissolute Ward. The Master to submit an Estimate of the expense of tiling the Dead House on next Board day and the Board to consider of

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

of overshooting necessary — and to write to the Earl of Dalhousie for the admission of Eliza Neill.

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):—

Wrote 9th Oct 1857 } A Copy of a Sealed Order altering  
 No 24148 } the name of the Division of Mount to that of Marlabtown.

13th Oct 1857 } In reference to the proposed appointment by the  
 No 24671 } Guardians of Mr. H. Linsell to the office of Collector of Poor Rates stating that they saw no reason for altering their decision respecting his appointment as already communicated to the Guardians

Ordered, This Letter to be further Considered on this day week.



## Ordinary Proceedings

Moved by Mr. Philpott

Seconded by Mr. Leth. and Resolved Unanimously  
That having received intelligence of the safe arrival at Quebec  
of the Emigrants sent out by the State payers and by the Inhabitants  
of this town, we feel ourselves called on to express our thanks to  
Mr. Hinton, Emigration Agent at Wexford for his care and  
attention to them in having accompanied them to Liverpool and  
provided them with comfortable lodging, until they were taken  
on board the vessels E. A. Bright and Ocean Bride

Resolved. That as the sum of Nine Pounds granted by the  
Commissioners under their Sealed Order of the 25th July  
last. N<sup>o</sup> 19163. was insufficient, the Guardians here now  
to request their sanction to the payment of £5.3.0 which  
remains due to Mr. Hinton, Emigration Agent, of Wexford

Application for leave of absence for a few days was made  
by the Matron

Resolved. Leave granted. The Schoolmistress to act in her  
place during her absence.

Ordered. That the attention of the newly appointed Nurse at  
Northambury be directed to the necessity of having the door  
between the Men and women's wards, constantly locked by  
day as well as by night, and that the Board will take  
serious notice of any departure from this order which may  
be brought under their notice, and that the Clerk furnish  
the Medical Officer at the Hospital and the Nurse with  
a Copy of this order.

Mr. Cloney gave notice that on Thursday the 29th. Inst.  
he will move the discharge of Nora MacDonnell and child  
from the Prison of Exeter and to be readmitted on  
the Union at Large

Samples of Seed Wheat were inspected from several Import  
and Merchants Dublin and the following accepted

25 Stone Red Chaff White	
25 Stone Essex Bride. White Chaff White	47/- per Bul
30 Stone Red Chaff Red	45/- "

Mr. Hally. A man appeared before the Board stating  
he was willing to take out the girl Catherine Callow aged  
19 years and provide for her on condition the Guardians  
gave the girl a suit of clothes

Ordered. The Master to supply clothing for the girl Catherine  
Callow on taking her discharge from the House to go to  
service to Mr. Nolan

The Collectors Warrants were submitted to the Board  
fully filled up from the State Books. When they were signed  
by the Chairman and two Guardians and countersigned by  
the Clerk who was directed to deliver them to the respective  
Collectors in the perfection of their Bonds.

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	...	...	...	...	10
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	...	

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 19<sup>th</sup>  
day of October 1854

John Doyle  
Clerk of the Guardians  
John Kennedy  
Secy

Ordinary

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORTHY UNION, on  
Thursday, the 15<sup>th</sup> day of October 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 Enniscorthy Dispensary  
District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a requisition from the Committee  
for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon as follows :—

*Ordered, That the Medical Requirements for the Enniscorthy  
Dispensary Committee 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—



*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 \_\_\_\_\_*

*John Doyle*

(Signed.)

*John W. W. W. W. W.*

Clerk of the Union.

# ENNISCORTHY UNION.

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

Present Net Annual Value,....£109,400

AREA, in Statute Acres, 190,689.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

17<sup>th</sup> day of October 57

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.	
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.		
Workhouse.	154	318														
Permanent Buildings.																
Additional Workhouse.	220	18														
Permanent Fever Hospital.																
Fever Beds.																
TOTAL.	176	336														
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	15	58	39	79	49	39	31	7	17	24			In Workhouse Hospital.	35	In separate Wards.	19
Admitted during the week.	4	6	1		0	1				2	14		In Fever Hospital.	18	In Wards with other inmates.	3
TOTAL.	19	64	40	79	49	40	31	7	19	26			Total.	53	Total.	22
Discharged during the week.	3	3	1	1	1	1	1	1								
Died, - - - - -			2													
Total Discharged and Dead.	3	3	3	1		1	1	1								
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	16	61	37	78	49	39	30	7	19	26						

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1856		}	473
1857			

Died in the House 1  
in the Hospital 1  
2

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1856 473  
1857 137

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 22<sup>nd</sup> day of October 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, *John Doyle Esq*

Other Guardians: *B. P. Kelly, G. More, J. Brown, J. Dolger, P. Moran, P. Quinn, J. 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.

*And Notice of Sobriety in. and  
Catharine Kavanagh of Paltinlay*

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1112 to No. 1116, both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. \_\_\_\_\_ to No. \_\_\_\_\_, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

*Had received notice of Audit for Monday next  
at 10 o'clock*

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, 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, ... .. £ 15.10.2

Paid during the week, ... .. £ 8.3.4.1

And that the Balance on the Account

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.	Total.	Remaining.	Total.	Date of last Attendance.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
JAMES DOYLE .....	Enniscorthy, -			820 0 5		
	Ballyhogue, -			66 11 11		
	Bree, - - -			61 14 11		
	The Leap, - -			56 4 2		
	Total, -				1034 16 5	
MICHAEL BYRNE...	Ferns, - - -			128 12 5		
	Kilbora, - - -			23 11 4		
	Tinacross, - -			61 4 3		
	Ballycarney, -			27 17 11		
	Total, -				241 5 11	
WM. FITZPATRICK..	Newtownbarry, -			226 " "		
	Kilrush, - - -			67 7 3		
	Tombrack, - -			76 11 6		
	Cranemore, - -			25 9 5		
	Kiltealy, - - -			" " "		
	Rossard, - - -			23 7 6		
	St. Mary's, - -			20 14 1		
	Total, -				439 19 9	
	Ballyhuskard, -			105 7 5		
	Kilmallock, - -			102 1 3		
	Edermine, - - -			71 7 3		
	Total, -				278 15 11	
JOHN CULLEN .....	Killan, - - -			80 11 4		
	Clonroche, - -			98 12 0		
	Castleboro', - -			95 7 1		
	Total, -				274 10 5	
MOSES BYRNE .....	Monart, - - -			67 2 9		
	Killoughram, -			90 17 1		
	Ballindaggin, -			85 12 3		
	Castledockrell, -			30 3 6		
	Total, -				273 15 10	
EDWARD GAHAN...	The Harrow, -			53 3 "		
	Ballymore, - -			47 4 8		
	Kilcormack, - -			84 14 3		
	Total, -				185 1 11	
HENRY WALSH .....	Castle Talbot, -			85 18 8		
	Castle Ellis, -	5 16 2	Collector's default	94 4 1		
	Bolaboy, - - -			53 6 4		
	Ballyvaldon, -			28 17 4		
	Total, -				264 6 5	
	Total, £		15 16 2		2993 19 7	

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 £ 2. 18. 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.

Established 2. 11. 2  
Clothing 2. 7. 4  
2. 18. 6

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 36 s. 3 d. 11

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

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 35. 7. 0

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, ... 2. 11d

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 3. 1d

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:—

Wheat	1800 lb	Soft Candles	6 lb
Meat	112 "	Milk	4 "
Butter	200 lb	Starch	3 1/2 "
Sweetbread	80 lb	Wine	3 1/2 "
Eggs	112 lb	Beer	1 "
Tea	61 oz		
Onion	560 "		

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.

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

2. Establishment Account.

4	John Edmondson Plough Works	5 3 6
5	Andrew Fosgrave Linne	3 7 0

## 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 Officers Report

Remaining from last week on Hospital diet 54,  
 " " on House diet "  
 Admitted during the week 5 59.

Discharged Cured 4  
 Sent to Sanct Hospital 0  
 Died 1 5

Remaining on Hospital diet 54  
 " on ~~House~~ diet out of Hospital 56  
 " in Adult Beds 23

Arthur Hurley aged 57 died of Epilepsy. The Schoolmaster is convalescent but not yet able to resume his duties. The Master is indisposed and confined to bed since yesterday from exposure to cold on the farm. The Report of the Master and other Officers were read, and Orders made thereon, as follows:—  
 The child admitted for operation for hare lip was considered on Consultation too young to undergo it, and is therefore discharged for the present.

Masters Report,  
State of the House this day

Number in Original Buildings 313  
 " Connors's Hospital 12  
 " Newtembarry do 5  
 " Oakart do 1  
 331  
 Corresponding week last year 474  
 Decrease 143

(Deaths of last week)  
 Workhouse Infirmary 1  
 Connors's Hospital 1 2



That the Seed Wheat ordered on last Board day had been received from Messrs. Vole and Mackay yesterday and samples were submitted for inspection of the Board

Ordered: All the samples are good and give satisfaction unless the Red Chaff Red. The clerk to write drawing the attention of the Seedsmen to the fact and that some reduction in the price is expected.

Agriculturist's Report.

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

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

Dated 17 October 1857, { Approving of the appointment of  
S.D. 1211 { Mr. James Harre to the situation of  
Agriculturist and Clerk to the Master  
of Workhouse on the terms proposed.

17 October 1857, { Approving of the appointment of  
S.D. 1773 { Mrs. Ruth Hannan to the situation  
of Nurse at the Fever Hospital in  
Newtownbarny on the terms proposed.



## Ordinary Proceedings

A Letter was read from the Superintendent of Valuation in reference to the Provisions of the Act 17 Vic. Cap 8 pointing out the duties of Collectors and Clerks of Unions under the 4th & 5th Sections.

Ordered the Clerk to give notice to the Collectors and to get printed and posted 100 Copies of placards for public information

The following Letter was read and ordered to be placed on the Minutes

Ballerne  
Oct. 20th 1857.

Sir

Circumstances have obliged me to leave home for some few months, and I beg that you will inform the Board of Guardians that absence from this Country will prevent me from fulfilling the office of Vice Chairman for a short period.

Signed  
A. J. Cliffe

To the Clerk  
Emmscorthy Union

Ordered, That the Clerk write our respected Vice Chairman acknowledging the receipt of his Communication and expressing the satisfaction with which the Board learns that his absence will be of short duration

In reference to the Commissioners Letter dated 13th October  
No. 24148 Declining to approve of the appointment of

of Mr. Kinsella to the office of Rate Collector - which was ordered to be considered this day - it was

Moved by Mr. J. Leary

Seconded by Mr. P. Dinneen, and Carried

That we again respectfully request the Commissioners to reconsider the views under which they decline to sanction the appointment of Mr. Kinsella as Rate Collector for the following reasons

That at an adjourned meeting of the Board in August 1851 called for another purpose a Majority of only One was obtained for his suspension - and we believe if a meeting of the Board had been convened for that special object a large majority would have sustained him owing to his good conduct - We are aware that there was an interested party on the Board at that time opposed to Kinsella in consequence of his proposal to collect the Rates at Six pence in the Pound when a temporary majority had been obtained to get a remission of Six pence in the Pound for another and because he was instrumental in breaking up that majority he was not to be forgiven - and on the first opportunity that offered, namely when almost all the Collectors then in office had become defaulters Kinsella was suspended on the slight ground of having a trifle on hands and at a time when it is well remembered - the Auditor made no objection to a Collector being allowed to keep some Cash on hands for change. In addition to all this - the Collector who succeeded him states that when he took charge of his Books and finished the Collection he did not find one penny of error on those Books, for these reasons we again respectfully suggest that the Commissioners will reconsider their views and give their approval to our appointment of Mr. Kinsella to the office

Catherine Donlon applied for admission - her husband is a Baker and employed at Monrocks at 6/- a week with board - she has only got some occasional assistance from him but so small she could not live on it - the neighbors assisted her to stay out until now - the last fortnight he sent her nothing altho he is aware of the feeble state of her body.

Ordered. Catherine Donlon is admitted to relief in the Workhouse by way of Loans - she must receive the usual information of desertion by husband

Doctor Cartwright of Oulart appeared and requested the following clothing for use of the Oulart Fever Hospital

- 6 Large Shirts
- 6 Small do
- 6 Large Shemies
- 6 Small do
- 6 Night Caps
- 6 Pocket Handkerchiefs
- 12 pair Sheets

Ordered. The Master to supply the clothing stated and send to the Oulart Fever Hospital.

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	...	...	10

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 29th day of October 1854

*John Kearney*

The Chairman then signed the Orders & cheques after which the Board adjourned



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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORTHY UNION, on  
Thursday, the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of October 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.)

*Robert L. H. Munday*

Clerk of the Union.

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Present Net Annual Value, . . . . £109,400

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

24<sup>th</sup> day of October 1857

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE } 475  
CORRESPONDING WEEK }  
IN 1856 } 191  
*Dec 2nd*

day of \_\_\_\_\_

Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Thursday, the 29<sup>th</sup>  
day of October 1857

PRESENT: *In the Chair, John Lett Esq. and, subsequently by Lord Bunsby.*

Other Guardians :	B. O. Shattuck.	S. W. C. Richmond.	C. J. J. J. J.
G. Stone.	S. Polger.	M. Richmond.	R. Jordan
H. Stone.	S. Leary,	S. Brown.	P. Dink
P. Arran.			

*The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.*



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

*Charles H. Bluff of Ballytegan Park Parnassusfort*  
and  
*Marie Josephine Adams of Ballytegan Park Parnassusfort*

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1406 to No. 1414, both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. \_\_\_\_\_ to No. \_\_\_\_\_, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

*That the Auditor had attended on Monday last but did not conclude the Audit until Friday to morrow.*

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, 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: 0: 6

And that the Balance on the Account ... the Guardians was £ 43: 14: 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			Date of last Attendance.
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
JAMES DOYLE .....	Enniscorthy, -							820	"	5				
	Ballyhogue, -							66	"	11				
	Bree, - - -							61	"	11				
	The Leap, - -							8	9	2				
	Total, -										1034	16	5	
MICHAEL BYRNE...	Ferns, - - -							128	12	5				
	Kilbora, - -							23	"	4				
	Tinacross, - -							61	"	3				
	Ballycarney, -							27	17	11				
	Total, -										241	5	11	
WM. FITZPATRICK..	Newtownbarry, -							226						
	Kilrush, - -							67	7	3				
	Tombrack, - -							16	"	6				
	Cranemore, - -							25	9	5				
	Kiltealy, - -													
	Rossard, - -							23	7	6				
	St. Mary's, - -							21	14	1				
	Total, -										139	19	9	
	Ballyhuskard, -							105	7	5				
	Kilmallock, - -							102	"	3				
JOHN CULLEN.....	Edermine, - -							11	7	3				
	Total, -										278	15	11	
	Killan, - - -							80	"	4				
	Clonroche, - -							98	12	0				
	Castleboro', - -							75	7	1				
MOSES BYRNE.....	Total, -										274	10	5	
	Monart, - - -							67	2	9				
	Killoughram, -							90	17	1				
	Ballindaggin, -							85	12	3				
	Castledockrell, -							30	3	6				
EDWARD GAHAN....	Total, -										273	15	10	
	The Harrow, - -							53	3					
	Ballymore, - -							47	4	8				
	Kilcormack, - -							84	14	3				
HENRY WALSH.....	Total, -										185	1	11	
	Castle Talbot, -							83	18	8				
	Castle Ellis, -							94	4	1				
	Bolaboy, - - -							53	6	4				
	Ballyvaldon, -							28	17	4				
	Total, -										264	6	5	
	Total, £										399	12	7	



The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £36.25 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.

Cost 2. 18. 4  
 clo 0. 6. 3  
 Other expenses 0. 2. 0  
£ 3. 6. 5

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £24 s. 7 d. 6 1/2

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 35 10 4 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... 1 10 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, ... 2 11

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 3 1/2

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

Bread 1900 lbs  
 Meat 119 "  
 Oatmeal 1120 "  
 Buttermilk 204 gals  
 Sweetmilk 804 lbs

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books 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.

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:

1 doz Camel hair penails, 1 doz Shirts & White Cotton Wadding  
7 lb Black lead. 3 1/2 lb Lye. 3 1/2 lb Tallow. 1 Iron Coal box

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

Medical Officers Report

Remaining from last week on Hospital diet 54  
" " on House diet "

Admitted during the week 8  
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Discharged cured 4

Sent to Sister Hospital "

Died 1 5

Remaining on Hospital diet 57

" on House diet 0

Number on Suffer diet out of Hospital 59

" in Short Ward 25

Thomas Collett aged 69 died of Paralysis - The Schoolmaster is again confined to bed having got a relapse of his illness. The Master has resumed his duties

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

Masters Report

Respectfully suggested the necessity of appointing some person to take charge of the Male School during the absence of the Schoolmaster who has relapsed and is not likely to be able to resume his duties for some time

A sum of 5/6 was found on the person of Margaret Cleary admitted on the 15th Inst. to which sum he has now in his possession

There are better than 8 1/2 acres of Green Crof land to be sown with wheat for which he would strongly recommend the application of Lime, more particularly as the land referred to was broken last season and in doing so some of the soil was brought to the surface. I wish requires lime in order that it may become properly blended with the other soil.

He commenced to plough the Lea Land for wheat and he has to state that the fenny is quite unfit for the work being done



Small and weak he would therefore suggest for consideration of the Board to have him exchanged for a strong Cob horse

It will be necessary to hire a plough for a few days in order to finish ploughing the Lea Land as the plough and Jemmett will be required to collect the Green Crop which should be raised as soon as possible fearing frost may come on as well as to clear the land in time for putting in a wheat crop

The probable expense of tiling the floor of the Dead House will be about £3.10.0

The number of yards of wire shooting required for the Bunting at rear of the Spinnery is Forty.

Ordered, The Master to engage the services of a properly qualified person to attend the Male School during the Schoolmaster's illness. That relief to Margaret Henry be paid by way of Loan during the period the cost of which will be covered by the amount found on her person which shall be lodged with Treasurers by the Master, and should she not consent then to be discharged from the Workhouse not being destitute

So make enquiry. Agriculturist's Report. respecting a Cob horse and report by next Board day. A plough allowed. the tiling of the Dead House floor allowed. and to report the expense of wire shooting by this day week.

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):—

22nd Oct 57, Approving of the appointment of Anastasia (Ann) M. 2112 as Assistant Nurse of the Orphan Asylum Hospital in the terms proposed

23rd Oct 57, Having they have given directions for the issue of a Sealed Order. Consenting to the payment of a Balance remaining due to Mr. Kinder Emigration Agent since the Emigrants went out to Canada last August

28th Oct 57, Declining to sanction the appointment of Mr. Thomas Russell to the office of Collector of Poor Rates in this Union for the reasons therein set forth.



(45)  
Ordinary Proceedings

Ordered, That John Smith be discharged from the Division of Newtownham and be readmitted on the Union at Large.

The Commissioners Letter in reference to Mr. Thomas Kinsella having been again read.

It was Proposed by Mr. Under.

Seconded by Mr. W. C. Redmond.

That Thomas Kinsella be appointed a Collector of Poor Rates for the Electoral Divisions of Dallyhaskard, Edernine and Kilmallock, and that the Commissioners be requested to Sanction his appointment.

It which an Amendment was

Proposed by Mr. O'Hallerty, also

Seconded by Mr. Doyle.

That the Commissioners having repeatedly declined to sanction the appointment of Thomas Kinsella as Poor Rate Collector the Clerk be directed to advertise for a person to fill that office for the Divisions of Dallyhaskard, Edernine and Kilmallock.

Previous to a poll being taken, it was

Ordered, That the Clerk shall record the names of the Guardians voting on the question — after which the Chairman proceeded to take votes on the Amendment in the first instance and it appeared to be as follows

(45)  
For

B. O'Hallerty  
John Doyle

Against

Edward James  
J. W. C. Redmond  
A. Jordan  
M. Redmond  
William Honey  
G. Pore  
J. Polger  
J. Leary  
J. Browne  
P. Dinske  
P. Moran,

The Chairman then put the Original Motion and took votes upon which it appeared That the same Guardians who had voted For the Amendment voted Against the Resolution and those who had voted Against the Amendment voted For the Resolution.

Upon which the Chairman declared the Resolution to be Carried and the Amendment lost.

The Chairman then signed the Order & signed after which the Board adjourned.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...	8
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	...	...	...

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 15th day of November 1854

Munday



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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORTHY UNION, on  
Thursday, the 29th day of October 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 Enniscorthy Dispensary  
District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a requisition from the Committee  
for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon as follows :—

*Ordered. The Medical requirements 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—

*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.)

*Thomas J. Kelly*  
*Thomson*  
Clerk of the Union.



# ENNISCORTHY UNION.

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

Present Net Annual Value,....£109,400

AREA, in Statute Acres, 190,689.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

31<sup>st</sup> day of October 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.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse,	154	221													
Permanent Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,	230	16													
Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds,															
TOTAL,	177	337													
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			16	62	35	81	46	39	31	7	14	334	In Work-house Hospital.	In separate Wards.	
Admitted during the week.			4	6	2	1	1			1	1	16	In Fever Hospital.	In Wards with other inmates.	
TOTAL,			20	68	37	82	47	39	31	8	15	350	Total.	Total.	
Discharged during the week,			3	5			2	1				13			
Died, - - - - -															
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	5			2	1				13			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			15	63	37	82	45	38	31	8	15	337	NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1856		136

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 5<sup>th</sup> day of November 1857

PRESENT: In the Chair, Joshua Lott Esq.

Other Guardians: B. Philbrick, Charles Lott, D. Doyle, S. Lory, P. Dwyer, Geo. More, S. Bolger, Mr. Muntz, H. Pyndart, W. Clong, M. Redman, K. Donohoe.

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

Thomas Kinch of Newtownbarry  
and  
Mary Conaghan of Newtownbarry.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1449 to No. 1435, both inclusive by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

The Out-door Relief Register was produced, examined and authenticated, from No. \_\_\_\_\_ to No. \_\_\_\_\_, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That ~~the~~ Half-year's Accounts having been Audited, he submitted the Abstracts in order to be signed by the Chairman on part of the Board.

That having Completed the Revision of Parliamentary Voters at the Sessions Courts of Milow, Gorey, Wexford and New Ross, it became necessary for the Board to order remuneration for his expenses.

Ordered. The same remuneration as last year is Considered reasonable namely £25 " " —

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, 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, ... .. £ 14. 15. 5

Paid during the week, ... .. £ 3. 6. 5

And that the Balance on the Account *In Favor* of the Guardians was £ 11. 8. 3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			Date of last Attendance.
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
JAMES DOYLE .....	Enniscorthy, -							820	0	5				
	Ballyhogue, -							66	11	11				
	Bree, - - -							61	4	11				
	The Leap, - -							86	9	2				
	Total, -										1334	16	5	
MICHAEL BYRNE...	Ferns, - - -							128	12	5				
	Kilbora, - -							23	11	4				
	Tinacross, - -							61	4	3				
	Ballycarney, -							27	7	11				
	Total, -										241	5	11	
WM. FITZPATRICK..	Newtownbarry, -							226						
	Kilrush, - -							67	7	3				
	Tombrack, - -							76	11	6				
	Cranemore, - -							25	9	5				
	Kiltealy, - -													
	Rossard, - -							23	7	6				
	St. Mary's, - -							20	4	1				
	Total, -										439	14	9	
	Ballyhuskard, -							105	7	5				
	Kilmallock, - -							102	1	3				
JOHN CULLEN .....	Edermine, - -							21	7	3				
	Total, -										278	15	11	
	Killan, - - -							80	11	4				
	Clonroche, - -							98	12	0				
	Castleboro', - -							45	7	1				
MOSES BYRNE.....	Total, -										244	10	5	
	Monart, - - -							67	2	9				
	Killoughram, -							90	12	1				
	Ballindaggin, -							85	12	3				
	Castledockrell, -							30	3	6				
EDWARD GAHAN...	Total, -										273	15	10	
	The Harrow, -							53	3	0				
	Ballymore, - -							47	4	8				
	Kilcormack, -	14	15	5				69	18	12				
HENRY WALSH.....	Total, -				14	15	5				70	6	32	
	Castle Talbot, -							85	18	8				
	Castle Ellis, -							94	4	1				
	Bolaboy, - - -							55	6	4				
	Ballyvaldon, -							28	17	4				
Total, -											264	6	5	
Total, £					14	15	5				297	17	22	



The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £3. 0. 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.

Establishment 1. 0. 0  
Clothing 2. 0. 6  
Total 3. 0. 6

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By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £37 s. 3 d. 9 1/4

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 35. 9. 11 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... 1. 14 1/2

Average cost in Infirmary, ... 2. 11

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 2. 10

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

Bread	1900 lb	Shops	224 lb
Meat	110 "	Whisky	1 gal
Butter	1120 "	Coff Candles	10 lb
Buttermilk	204 gal	Wax Candles	1 "
Swetmilk	804 qt	Starch	3 1/2 "
Eggs	115 lb	Wool	3 1/2 "
Tea	45 oz	Blue	1 "
Sugar	336 "	Lamp Oil	1 gal

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.	
85/	24	Paul Moore, Shoes	1	9	6
	25	James S. O'Leary, Clothing	3	14	6

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

2. Establishment Account.

87/	22	Messrs. J. & M. Mackay, Seed Wheat	9	16	5
	23	John Moore, Freestone	1	10	10
	26	Andrew Cosgrave, Lime	2	0	3
	27	Patrick Roche, Spades & Shovels	4	16	0
	19	Thomas Keating, Mustard & Arrow Root	1	6	8

Fever Hospitals

90/	7	Samuel Goddard, Ennisorthy, Capt.	17	19	4
	8	William Macdonald, Newtownry, do	11	3	8

Emigration

92/	9	John Hinden, Wexford, Passage money	5	3	0
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Elections Law & other expenses

95/	20	John Kennedy, Emigration under Parliamentary votes &c.	25	0	0
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Del: Establishment Account, and Credit Treasurer, with the several sums as above.



## 3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

		£	s	d.
10	Thomas G. Keohler. Bread &c.	77	16	0
11	Edward Phelan. Coals.	19	16	0
12	Mary Davis Sweetmilk	9	13	10
13	Andrew Doyle do	8	4	10
14	Same Buttermilk	5	13	11
15	Robert Cosgrave do	5	2	11
16	Nicholas Bourick Meat	9	8	6
17	Thomas Keating Groceries	8	15	2
18	Same do	2	4	9
20	Peter Dixon, Oatmeal	25	10	0

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

## 4. Out-Door Relief Invoice Account.

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

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

Number of successful cases

Orders on Contractors and others were signed for the following:

1 H. Lard. 1 Gal Train Oil. 1 Cart Salt. 1 lb Blue stone  
1 Cart Nail Rod. 1 Collar for Jernett.

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

## Medical Officers Report.

Remaining from last week on Hospital diets 57  
" " on House diets 0  
Admitted during the week 4  
61

Discharged Cured 7  
Sent to Fever Hospital 0  
Died 0  
Remaining 54

Number on Prison diet out of Hospital 59  
" in Prison Wards 25

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

## Masters Report.

102 He has engaged the services of Mr. James Meehan to act as teacher during the illness of the Schoolmaster, at a salary of 12/- a week without rations.

103 The Nurse complains of receiving harsh treatment from the Porter. The Board will please enquire into the matter.

104 There is a Plot of Cabbage at the North Side of the Workhouse which is fit for sale.

105 He begged to submit samples of Rye Grass Seed. Mangel Seed and Turnip Seed in order to have them advertised for sale.

106 He requested to finish sowing the Seed Wheat against 2 o'clock to-morrow.

Ordered. Wages to James Murdock in Charge of the Male School during the Schoolmasters illness allowed. The Nurse and Porter were called before the Board and examined. The Porter was admonished. Advertisements to issue for Sale of the Cabbages. Grass seed and Mangold Seed to be advertised at a future time.

Agriculturist's Report.

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

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

Dated 14<sup>th</sup> Nov. 1857  
N. 97337  
In reference to the appointment on the 29<sup>th</sup> of Mr. Thomas Ansell as Collector of Poor Rates in this Union — that in consequence they had given directions for the preparators of a Scaled Order dismissing him from office unless he resigned or the Guardians advertised for another.

Ordered that the Clerk be directed to advertise for a collector for the Divisions of Ballyhuskard. Should a person advertise in place of Thomas Ansell, whose appointment ~~justly~~ the Commissioners have refused to sanction.

Dated 14<sup>th</sup> Nov. 1857  
N. 97337  
Requesting the name of the person who has been appointed to take charge of the Male School during the Schoolmasters illness, and his qualifications be inserted on the Minutes.

Ordered. Mr. James Murdock has followed the profession of Schoolmaster for many years — He had charge of the Male School here before during the time of the late Schoolmaster (Mr. Murphy's) attendance at the Model School (Dublin) and look him fairly qualified to take temporary charge now.



Dated 29th Oct. 1857 Reference to Contracts for Sweetmilk in Some  
 No. 219 Unions stipulating the Quantities of Cream  
 produced when tested by the Lactometer  
 disapproving of Small clauses being introduced  
 but to Contract simply for pure new milk

Ordered. The Contracts in this Union have been and are in accordance  
 with the Letter of the Commissioners.

2<sup>nd</sup> Nov. 1857 Requesting a Return full Rates made  
 No. 216 for agreed to be made in the Union during the  
 Month of October last,

### Ordinary Proceedings

A Letter was read from Mr. Corcoran Solicitor respecting  
 the Copy Draft of a Lease of Orkney Hospital proposed to  
 be made to the Guardians by Messrs. Payne & Sonner

Ordered. The Commissioners are requested to direct that the draft of  
 Lease in this case which was forwarded by their direction for  
 perusal of Messrs. Gault & Dwyer by be now returned.

Ordered. That the Clerk call on the Collectors to proceed forthwith in  
 getting in the Rates and that Lodgements must be made  
 previous to the 17<sup>th</sup> Inst. on which day the Guardians will  
 make further orders.

Mr. Gordon of Glenmore applied to take out the girl  
 Mary Gordon. Both came before the Board. and Mr. Gordon  
 agreed.

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 Meeting of 1857)

agreed to give the girl 3/- a Quarter provided she was  
 clothed going out. The Master stated she was reared  
 in the House

Ordered. The Master to supply clothing not to  
 exceed 15/- in value to the girl Mary Gordon entailing  
 her discharge to go to service.

The following Resolution adopted at a Meeting  
 of the Committee of Newtownhamlet Poor Hospital was  
 read and ordered to be placed on the Minutes

Resolved. That the Wardmaid of the Poor Hospital Anne Byrne  
 having been reported to us by the Head Nurse for leaving  
 the Hospital without permission, and for general unwillingness  
 to be under her control and discharge her duty. That having  
 called Mr. Byrne before us and heard both parties and  
 taking into consideration Mrs. Byrnes violent language before  
 the Committee. we are persuaded that while we have no  
 substantial instance of disobedience that the interests of  
 the Institution would be promoted by the removal of Anne  
 Byrne

Newtownhamlet

2<sup>nd</sup> November 1857

Signed John J. Ansdell  
 Chairman.

Ordered. A Special Meeting of the Committee to be called  
 and the matter to be then investigated.

Ordered. The Commissioners are requested to be so good as to decide  
 upon the chargeability of the following Case which came  
 before the Board this day.

Ann Healy and family were admitted to the Workhouse in March 1855 on the Union having been for 12 mo. previously in Wexford Gaol. She left the Workhouse in August following and resided in the town of Ennisceorthy. 14 months and in Wexford Gaol for 3 months was admitted to the Workhouse in January last on the Union left the House again last July and was to day admitted charged (temporarily) on the Union.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...	3
Ditto, disallowed	...	...	...
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	12

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the  
day of November 1855.

*Wm. J. Lett*

*John Keenan*



MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE ENNISCORTHY UNION, on  
Thursday, the 5th day of November 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 Enniscorthy Dispensary  
District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a requisition from the Committee  
for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon as follows:—

*Also an Estimate from the Keshmonee Dispensary  
District.  
Ordered: The Medical requirements as stated 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—

*Application was made by Mr. Humphrey Hawley  
owner of the Dispensary House at Clondaw for Plow of Coals  
to keep the House properly aired.  
Ordered: Referred to the Dispensary Committee  
of Enniscorthy District to Consider and Report.*

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 for Orders were made on them respectively) as follows:—

Read Letter from  
stating that

Gentlemen, Thomas Donnelly of San Francisco California is entitled as heir at Law to the late John Donnelly's possession of the premises occupied as the Jerns Dispensary, and I am authorized to demand possession thereof on his behalf. I have therefore to request that you will direct same to be given up without delay.

Signed  
P. D. O'Leary Solr.

To the Board of Guardians  
Ennisworthy Union }

Ordered: Referred to the Committee of Jerns Dispensary District with a request that they Consider and report.  
the Clerk to furnish a Copy to Mr. John Seaton.

(Signed.)

J. M. Keeney  
John Keeney

Clerk of the Union.