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MINUTE BOOK.

Emuscorthy UNION.



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THE BOOKS AND PAPERS REQUIRED BY THE IRISH POOR RELIEF ACTS.

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

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

Present Net Annual Value,....£109,526

AREA, in Statute Acres 190,689.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

8 day of October 1859

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, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
												Total.	No. of In-mates and Idiots in the above Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings,	124	259												
Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital	220	9												
Campile Hospital														
TOTAL,	176	298												
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			13	23	37	26	28	12	12	20	23	294	In Work-house Hospital. 159 In Fever Hospital. 9 Total, 68	In separate Wards. 129 In Wards with other inmates. 0 Total, 29
Admitted during the week.			3	6	1	1	2				1	14		
TOTAL,			16	29	38	27	28	14	12	20	24	308		
Discharged during the week,			3	5			1				1	10		
Died, - - - - -														
Total Discharged and Dead,			3	5			1				1	10		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			13	24	38	27	27	14	12	20	23	298		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 8 day of October 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.	2	2			2	2
No. II.						
No. III.						
TOTAL,	2	2			2	2

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Thursday, the 13th day of October 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, Edward Carroll Esq. and subsequently Lord Carson

Other Guardians: J. Lett, P. O'Flaherty, G. Hore, J. Bolger, J. Brown, J. Cullen, J. Doyle, J. Donohoe, H. Rynehart, M. Busn, J. Murphy.

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 Thorpe of Templehammond
and
Bridget Kelly of Templehammond*

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No 2974 to No 2988 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 7431 to No 7431, 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 having been specially summoned by the Clerk of the Peace to attend the Newsing Barrister at Gorey Court House this day — he was obliged to absent himself from the Board's meeting today. — He left a few small accounts on the file due on the 29th September which he trusted the Board will pay in order to close all outstanding accounts to that date. — They will soon be ready for audit.

Had not received any communication from the C. Members with reference to the Rathdrum Petition.

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £ 81-19-11

Paid during the week, £ 360-16-6

And that the Balance on the Account *Against* the Guardians was £ 457-0-9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy having been 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, -	40 10 2		716 14 6		
	Ballyhogue, -			118 14 4		
	Bree, - - -			140 19 3		
	The Leap, -			126 1 4		
	Total, -		40 10 2		1102 2 5	
MICHAEL BYRNE ...	Ferns, - - -	4 10		190 16 9		
	Tinnacross, -			84 18 11		
	Kilbora, - - -			44 1 11		
	Ballycarney, -	4 5		42 4 1		
	Total, -		8 15		362 1 8	
WM. FITZPATRICK...	Newtownbarry, -			328 15 6		
	Kilrush, - - -			105 11 7		
	Tombrack, - -			114 16 10		
	Cranmore, - -			25 5		
	St. Mary's, - -			47 11 4		
	Total -				622 4 3	
NICHOLAS KEHOE...	Ballyhuskard, -			113 4 9		
	Kilmallock, - -			100 18 5		
	Edermine, - - -			128 16 6		
	Total, -				342 19 8	
JOHN CULLEN.....	Killan, - - -	7 12		120 15 7		
	Clonroche, - -			156 9 6		
	Castleboro, - -			102 4 4		
	Kiltealy, - - -	8 10		37 17 4		
	Total, -		16 2		417 6 9	
MOSES BYRNE.....	Marshallstown, -	8 10 5		97 14 5		
	Killoughram, -			149 17 1		
	Ballindaggin, -			85 10 7		
	Castledockrill, -	8 2 4		52 9 10		
	Rossard, - - -			67 2 4		
	Total, -		16 12 9		451 14 10	
EDWARD GAHAN....	The Harrow, - -			57 16 2		
	Ballymore, - -			66 4 7		
	Kilcormack, - -			20 0 2		
	Total, -				194 0 11	
HENRY WALSH.....	Castletalbot, -			78 17		
	Castle-Ellis, - -			102 3 7		
	Bolaboy, - - -			87 16 7		
	Ballyvaldon, -			86 7 2		
	Total, -				355 4 4	
	Total, £		81 19 11		3848 1 11	

NOTE—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. 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 £2-16-6 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.

Clothing 0-18-4
Establishment 1-18-2
£2-16-6

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £33 s.12 d. 3.

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 29-17-2

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... 1-11-

Average cost in Infirmary, ... 3-2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 3-10-

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 2000 lbs	Corn Heads 1
Meat 110 "	Whiskey 1 gal.
Sweetmilk 868 gts	Wine 6 Bottles
Buttermilk 125 gals	Sheep Heads 2
Tea 96 Oz	Candles 10 lbs
Sugar 472 "	Starch 3-
Sops of Beef 78 lbs	Blue 1-
	W Soda 3-

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 8 day of October whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, ...	0-5-0
In Kind, ...	0-0-0
Total ...	0-5-0

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.

5 Moses Burs a Horse 10 0 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:

1 Oz Tobacco, 1 doz white Cotton wadding,
1 gal. Wool Oil, 6 Pieces Blue Calico,

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

Medical Officers Report

Remainning in Hospital from last week 38
Admitted during the week 6
Total 64

Discharged Cured 3
Sent to Fever Hospital 0
Died 0
Remainning 61

No on Infirm Diet at Hospital 6
" in Isolation Wards 29

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

Masters Report

The Committee appointed to purchase the Horse bought one from Mr. Bunn of Dorchester for the sum of £10. The Board will please grant a Cheque for the amount.

Ref. to refer the Board to his report of this day week,

Permitted the Schoolmaster to absent himself on yesterday for the purpose of applying for a situation in Wexford.

Ref. to lay before the Board for inspection samples of meat, Bread, Oatmeal, India Meal, Flour, Buttermilk, Sweetmilk, Tea & Sugar.

With reference to the Masters Report of this day week considering it necessary to have the strabont of better quality as suggested by the Medical Officer it was ordered. - That 8 Oz of meal be allowed to No 2 Clap and that they receive the strabont in same proportion as heretofore.

Also that advertisements be issued for ramping 200 pair of shoes of different sizes. - persons tendering to state the price per pair the Board supplying materials, and the price at which they will do the work finding materials themselves. - application to be made to the Master who will give particulars.

Agriculturist's Report.

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

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

Dated 8 Oct/59 } Requesting a Return in
No. 208 } the enclosed form as soon
as possible of the number
of children in the Workhouse
on the 8th Inst distinguishing
the Legitimate from the
illegitimate according to
the annexed form.

Ordinary Proceedings

The Board proceeded to consider the applications for relief to the Workhouse and Fever Hospital of the Union.

Carberry Budget 19 single -
In Oulart Fever Hospital from
Ballymacsmur -
admitted on Ballyvaldon.

Alcock Jane 15 - single
admitted Provisionally - in healthy
from Barnahack
admitted on Newtown Barry.

McCarthy Daniel 32 - single
laborer - admitted provisionally with
fractured Arm - from Ballyhack.
admitted on the Union.

Heave David 12 - deserted - his
parents are in America - left the House
last June - from Coolmacor.
admitted on Clonroche.

Bolger Anne 16 single - left the
House last July - admitted on Ferns.

Gallagher Ellen 30 & child -
single - left the House 3 months.
admitted on Ferns.

The Clerk laid before the
Board a letter from the Clerk of Forry
Union requesting particulars as to Pa-
tients from that Union in Oulart
Fever Hospital.

Ordered. That the Clerk write to Doctor Cartan requesting him to furnish this Board with the names, dates of admission and dates of discharge of all persons admitted into Oulart Fever Hospital from Forry Union.

Ordered. That the Clerk write to the Collectors to get in the Rates as fast as possible and particularly those who have not yet made any payment.

The Letter from P L Comptons dated 27th Sept. 59 No 21295. with reference to the leave of absence of Doctor Lang and the appointment of Doctor Goodisson to act as his substitute which was postponed for consideration to this day is further postponed to this day week.

Any Application was read from Mr. Michl. Murphy for one Ton of Coals for Oylgate Dispensary.

Ordered. Referred to Dispensary Committee.

The Chairman then signed the Orders and Cheques after which 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.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...	2
Ditto, disallowed	...	...	"
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	7

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	"
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	2
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 20th day of October 1859

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORRY UNION, on
Thursday, the 13th day of October 1859,—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET :—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS 1848 & 1849.

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

Dispensary

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of 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.

Dispensary District
having been received from

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

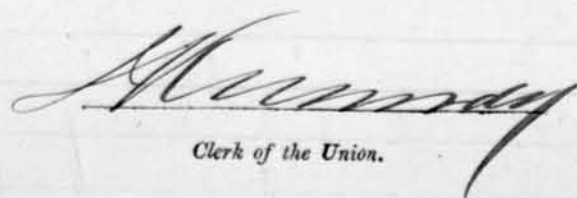
Dispensary

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
stating that—

dated

(Signed,)


Clerk of the Union.

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

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

Present Net Annual Value,....£109,526

AREA, in Statute Acres 190,689.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

15 day of October 1859

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital, Cottage Hospital			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in the above Workhouse on the above date.
TOTAL.	104	1295												
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			13	74	38	77	27	14	12	20	23	298	61	29
Admitted during the week.			6	7	1		1		2	1	1	19	9	
TOTAL.			19	81	39	77	28	14	14	21	24	317	70	29
Discharged during the week.			6	3	1			1	1	1		13		
Died, - - - - -														
Total Discharged and Dead,			6	3	1			1	1	1		13		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			13	78	38	77	28	13	13	20	24	304		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 15 day of October 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.	2	2			2	2
No. II.						
No. III.						
TOTAL.	2	2			2	2

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Thursday, the 20th day of October 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, R. H. Lord Cairn

Other Guardians: J. Maher, W. P. Darrac, B. O'Maherty, W. A. Liffante, J. Brown, W. Clonry, P. Duns, J. Doyle, J. Harris, & J. Murphy.

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 Hope of Templehammond
and
Bridget Kelly of Templehammond
Wm. Norton of Clonmore Parish of Ashmore
and
Mary Gomers of Clonmore Parish of Ashmore

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No 2988 to No 3007 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 7431 to No 7431, 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 Abstracts of the half years accounts were now ready to be forwarded to the Auditor and first lieg to lay them before the Board for approval. He will have to attend the Reviewing Barrister under the Parliamentary Voters Act on Friday the 21st Inst and at Tullon Co. Courthouse on Saturday the 22nd. Mr. M. Mahon had forwarded by post copies of the Acts of Affiliation now in force in England also a Letter in reply to the request made by the Board on the 29th ult which would be read after the Ordinary Business is transacted.

That he had attended the Quarter Sessions Court yesterday at the hearing of the Appeal against the Rate by the Superintendents of the Presentation Convent and that the Appellant succeeded in quashing the Rate.

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

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

Paid during the week,

And that the Balance on the Account Against the Guardians was £457-10-1

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, they were examined, balanced 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, -	9 4		207 10 5		
	Ballyhogue, -			118 4 4		
	Bree, - - -			140 19 3		
	The Leap, -	13 11 10		112 2 6		
	Total, -		22 15 10		1079 13 7	
MICHAEL BYRNE ...	Ferns, - - -			190 16 9		
	Tinnacross, -			84 18 11		
	Kilbora, - - -			44 1 11		
	Ballyearney, -			42 4 1		
	Total, -				362 1 8	
WM. FITZPATRICK ...	Newtownbarry, -			328 19 6		
	Kilrush, - - -			105 11 7		
	Tombrack, - -			114 16 10		
	Cranmore, - -			25 5		
	St. Mary's, - -			47 11 4		
	Total, -				622 4 3	
NICHOLAS KEHOE ...	Ballyhuskard, -			113 4 9		
	Kilmallock, - -			100 18 5		
	Edermine, - - -			128 16 6		
	Total, -				342 19 8	
JOHN CULLEN.....	Killan, - - -			120 15 7		
	Clonroche, - -			156 9 6		
	Castleboro, - -			102 4 4		
	Kiltealy, - - -			37 17 4		
	Total, -				417 6 9	
MOSES BYRNE.....	Marshallstown, -			97 4		
	Killoughram, -	9 7		140 10 0		
	Ballindaggin, -	5 18 2		79 12 5		
	Castledockrill, -			52 0 10		
	Rossard, - - -	12 14 1		54 8 2		
	Total, -		27 19 3		423 15 6	
EDWARD GAHAN....	The Harrow, - -			57 16 2		
	Ballymore, - -	5 15 10		60 8 9		
	Kilcormack, - -	10 18 10		59 1 3		
	Total, -		16 14 8		177 6 3	
HENRY WALSH.....	Castletalbot, -			78 17		
	Castle-Ellis, - -			102 3 7		
	Bolaboy, - - -			87 16 7		
	Ballyvaldon, - -			86 7 2		
	Total, -				353 4 4	
	Total, £		67 9 9		3780 12	

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 to 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 £2-9-7 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.

Clothing 0-18-4
Establishment 1-6-9
Dispersals 0-2-0
Expense 0-2-6
£2-9-7

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £29 s. 4 d. 8

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 30-7-11

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... 1-11³/₄

Average cost in Infirmary, ... 3-2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 3-5

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

Bread 2100 lbs	Cow Heads - 1
Meat 110 "	Sheep Heads - 3
Buttermilk 125 gals	Candles - 16 lbs
Sweetmilk 868 gals	Starch - 32 "
Salt 112 lbs	14 Soda - 32 "
Tea 96 lb	Blue - 1 "
Sugar 472 "	Whiskey - 12 gals
Coarse Beef 71 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 15 day of Oct^r, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	...	...	£	s.	d.
In Kind,	...	...	0	5	0
Total	...	...	0	5	0

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

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

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

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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

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

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

Orders on Contractors and others were signed for the following:

3 doz Nailors Thimbles
4 Bunches Seed Cats
1 Oz Tobacco
3 1/2 lbs Twine

Medical Officers Report

Remaining in Hospital from last week 61
Admitted during the week 8
Total 69

Discharged Cured 4
Sent to Fever Hospital 0
Died 0
Remaining 14
65

No on Infirmary Diet out of Hospital 6
in Shot Wards 29

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

Masters Report

That he had completed the Return required by the Commissioners as follows. Children whose parents are in the Workhouse. Legitimate 16. Illegitimate 34. Orphans or other children relieved without parents Legitimate 35. Illegitimate 11.

He drew under the notice of the Board a Letter published in the Emancipator of last Saturday and the Vice Chairman read it for the Board. It contained charges against the treatment of the boys such as want of sufficient food & exercise and that the Guardians showed a want of humanity in the general treatment of the boys—every charge of which was wholly unfounded. The Master forwarded also a statement in reply

which he requested the Guardians would allow him to have inserted in the News-papers — the Chairman read it to the Board and it was unanimously agreed to allow the Master to do as he requested,

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 14th Oct. 1892 } Enclosing questions for
No 22437 } answer by the Clerk
and the person to be appointed
Wardmaid to the Fever
Hospital at Newtown Barry.

Ordered. No Tender for the situation
has been received. the Clerk
to advertise again for this
day fortnight.

Ordinary Proceedings

The Board proceeded to consider the applications for relief in the Workhouse and Fever Hospitals of the Union from the Relieving Officers Book.

The Medical Officer reported in the case of Ellen King who was lately admitted as in bad health and who stated at the time that she was afflicted with Epilepsy - that having closely watched her he could not but conclude she had deceived the Board.

Ordered. That Ellen King not being considered an object of Charity, be discharged from the Workhouse she being quite able-bodied.

Eliya Redmond & child applied for admission - she had been recently in England where her father is at work and having got clothing from the Board to go there the Master was directed to write to her Father at No 44 King St Bolton, enquiring the reason she had left him - In the interim she was admitted on Enniscooting.

A Letter was read from Mr Mc Mahon one of the C^o Members in reply to the Enquiry made by the Board as to his views in reference to the Law of Affiliation in England and to its extension to this Country. It was accompanied by Copies of the Act.

Ordered. That the Letter of Mr Mc Mahon be taken into consideration this day week when it is expected there will be a large attendance of Guardians.

A Letter was read from the Medical Officer at Oulart Fever Hospital in reference to the number of Patients relieved there from the Gorry Union during the last half year and the period spent in the Hospital by each.

Ordered. That the Clerk write again to the Medical Officer as the Gorry Master has charged but 114 days whilst the Master here has charged 121 days and to be good enough to state which is right.

Tenders for Clothing were opened and the samples inspected and compared after which the following were accepted being recommended by the Clothing Committee viz.

Mr Joyce 360 y^d. Navy Blue at 6^p y^d.

Mr J O Blaherty 300 y^d. Serge at 4^p y^d.
600 y^d. Flannel at 4^p y^d. and
400 y^d. Bengal Stripe at 6^p y^d.

Mr Gahan Collector applied to the Board under the Circumstance of having been fined £5 - by the Reviving Barrister for absconding himself from the Court on Saturday last, it appeared that he had been in attendance up to one O'Clock and then supposed that his evidence was not necessary under the impression his lists had been all gone through, he left the Court and proceeded to Ferns where he was required to be at two O'Clock before one of the Inland Revenue Officers to

perfect a Bond for collection of Income Tax, the Board considered his case and signed a Memorial to the Barrister stating the facts and giving him a good Character for general attention and punctuality.

The Chairman then signed the orders and Cheques after which 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.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...	2
Ditto, disallowed	...	...	2
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	6

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	2
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	2
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	...	2

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 27th day of October 1859

John G. G.

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORIBHY UNION, on
Thursday, the 27 day of 6th 18th,—continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS 1848 & 1849.

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

Dispensary

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of 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.

Dispensary District

having been received from

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

Dispensary

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
stating that

dated

(Signed,)

W. H. H. H. H.
W. H. H. H. H.
Clerk of the Union.

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

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

Present Net Annual Value,....£109,526

AREA, in Statute Acres 190,689.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

22 day of October 1859

No. of inmates for whom 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.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	Number in Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse.	1241	299												
Infant Hospital.	220	11												
TOTAL.	1761	310												
Admitted on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	13	78	38	77	28	13	13	20	24	304	In Workhouse Hospitals 1.	In separate Wards 129		
Admitted during the week.	5	6	1	1		1	1		1	16	In Fever Hospital.	In Wards with other inmates 2		
TOTAL.	18	84	39	78	28	14	14	20	25	320	Total, 76	Total, 29		
Discharged during the week.	2	2			1	2	1			8	Died in Workhouse 2			
Dead.		2								2	Died in Hospital 0			
Total Discharged and Dead.		4			1	2	1			10				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	16	80	39	78	27	12	13	20	25	310	NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1858			302

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 22 day of October 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.	2	2			2	2
No. II.						
No. III.						
TOTAL.	2	2			2	2

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Thursday, the 27th day of October 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Joshua Litt Esq. and Subsequently
Lord Carson

Other Guardians: W R Darnley, C H Hill, S Pender,
J Howe, J Bolger & Doran, J C Roberts,
P Doran, M Kelly, James Donohoe,
J Leary, P Burke.

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

*William Morton of Clonmore
and
Mary Sommers of Clonmore
both in the Parish of Siskinfern*

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3007 to No. 3023 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. 7431 to No. 7431, 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 attended the Board of Quarter Sessions on Friday last and at Tullow on Saturday — as summoned by the Clerks of the Peace for both Counties.
That he had forwarded the Abstracts to the Auditor on last Thursday Evening.
That as the Porter at the Fever Hospital was lying very ill of Fever he begd leave respectfully to state that it had become necessary to place some person in charge of the place and keep up the weekly accounts as otherwise great irregularity in the Books would ensue.*

Ordered. That the Clerk procure a competent person to do the duties for a week or two and to report again.

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £149-3-2

Paid during the week, £49-3-4

And that the Balance on the Account *Against* the Guardians was £357-10-3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, the 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.	
AMES DOYLE.....	Enniscorthy, -	40 2		66 8 5 1/2		
	Ballyhogue, -			118 14 4 1/2		
	Bree, - - -	27 18 5		113 - 10		
	The Leap, -			112 9 6		
	Total, -		68 - 5		1011 13 2	
MICHAEL BYRNE ...	Ferns, - - -	7 4 9		183 11 3 1/2		
	Tinnacross, -	3 10 6		81 8 5		
	Kilbora, - - -			44 1 11		
	Ballycarney, -	3 16 7		38 7		
	Total, -		14 11 10		347 8 7 1/2	
WM. FITZPATRICK...	Newtownbarry, -			328 19 6		
	Kilrush, - - -			105 11 7		
	Tombrack, - -			114 16 10		
	Cranmore, - -			25 5		
	St. Mary's, - -			47 11 4		
	Total -				622 4 3	
NICHOLAS KEHOE...	Ballyhuskard, -	18		113 4 9		
	Kilmallock, - -	3		100 18 5		
	Edermine, - - -	8		128 16 6		
	Total, -		29		313 19 8	
JOHN CULLEN.....	Killan, - - -			120 15 7		
	Clonroche, - -			156 9 6		
	Castleboro, - -			102 4 4		
	Kiltealy, - - -			37 17 4		
	Total, -				417 6 9	
MOSES BYRNE.....	Marshallstown, -			97 4		
	Killoughram, -			140 10 0 1/2		
	Ballindaggin, -			79 12 5		
	Castledockrill, -			52 0 10		
	Rossard, - - -			54 8 2 1/2		
	Total, -				423 15 6	
EDWARD GAHAN....	The Harrow, - -			57 16 2		
	Ballymore, - -			60 8 9 1/2		
	Kilcormack, - -			59 1 3 1/2		
	Total, -				177 6 3	
HENRY WALSH.....	Castletalbot, -	9 5 1		69 11 11		
	Castle-Ellis, - -			102 3 7		
	Bolaboy, - - -	10 18 2		76 18 5		
	Ballyvaldon, -			86 7 2 1/2		
	Total, -		20 3 3		335 1 1	
	Total, £		149 3 2		3648 15 3 1/2	

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £1 18 14 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.

Clothing 0-18-4
Establishment 0-18-0
Expenses 0-2-0
£1-18-14

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By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £22 s. 6 d. 10 1/2

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	31	8	9 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2	0	
Average cost in Infirmary,	3	2 1/2	
Average cost in Fever Hospital,	3	5 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 2200 lbs	Whisky 48 pags
Meat 120 "	Dist Candles 16 lbs
Flour 224 "	Mould do 4 "
Sweetmilk 808 qts	Soap 224 "
Buttermilk 140 gals	Starch 3 1/2 "
Coarse Beef 85 lbs	St Soda 3 1/2 "
Corn Heads 2	Blue 1/2 "
Salt 112 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 22 day of October whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	£	s.	d.
In Kind,	0	5	0
Total	0	5	0

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

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

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

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

Debit 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:

12 Iron Bars, 2 Boilers, 4¹/₂ gal. each,
3¹/₂ lbs Pearl Ash, 6 Lamp glasses,
1 Oz Tobacco.

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

Medical Officers Report

Remaining in Hospital from last week 65
Admitted during the week 8
Total 73

Discharged Cured 5
Sent to Fever Hospital 0
Died 2
Remaining 66

No on Slopism Diet out of Hospital 6
No on Idiot Stands 29

Cause of Death
Ellen Nolan aged 24 died of Phthisis
Elye Evans 31 - phthisis

Nolan's case was one of many yrs. duration she had ulceration of Elbow joint with profuse discharges which was originally caused by an extensive burn before admission, she was repeatedly advised to have amputation performed as the only means of cure but nothing could induce her to consent.

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

Masters Report

He beg^d to state that he sent a form for admission of Bridget Tobin to Doctor White Carlow Asylum on Saturday last and had since written to him requesting to be informed if there was a vacancy for her, had received no answer yet.

He laid before the Board for inspection a sample of Bread delivered each day for the last 3 days as he considered it not to be of good quality.

At the request of the W.C. Chaplain he beg^d respectfully to recommend for consideration of the Board the necessity of converting the Dining Hall into a Chapel to be used exclusively for religious purposes — also that the Weaver's shop formerly the boys schoolroom be made a Dining room for the male inmates of the Workhouse and the workroom formerly the girls schoolroom for the female inmates — more particularly as there are only about 50 adult females and about 30 girls who take their food in the Dining Hall at present and who dine at separate houses — same as regards the men & boys — whereas these rooms are 43 feet by 26 and will afford sufficient accommodation for 160 to dine. Whatsoever, besides as these rooms are uncupied at present there can be no difficulty in converting them into Dining rooms only to remove the Tables and Forms from the present Dining Hall into them. The expence will be very trifling — merely a few forms for the use of the Chapel. Should the numbers increase (which is now very improbable) to above that which these rooms are capable of accommodating, they can be removed Agriculturist's Report. back again,

Ordered. The recommendation to be considered on this day week, in the mean time a Committee is appointed consisting of the three Chairmen, Messrs Roberts, Litt, Gore & Doran who will view the rooms and report their opinion to the Board — the Clerk to inform the members of the Committee that the hour fixed for meeting is 1/2 past 11 O.C. A.M. on Thursday next.

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):—

None this week

Ordinary Proceedings.

The Board proceeded to the consideration of applications for relief from the Relieving Officers Application and Report Book.

Mary Earl aged 20 single, worked in the Factory at C. Loham on the last 7 months. previously lived in the forry Union 16 months. - Admitted to the Newtownbury Fever Hospital on the Union.

James Skill 24 single, not able to work, was from Countracuddy. Admitted to the Workhouse on Castlebow.

Francis Simon aged 17 from Templeby had his leg broken. - Admitted to the Infirmary on the Leaps.

Cath. Cahill aged 16. left the House last May, was from Drumfold. Admitted on Bree.

Margt. McDaniel 64 Widow, left the House last June - now bad with sore feet. - Admitted on Ferns.

Mary Kuisella 49 & daughter Eliza 19 left the House last August, upon investigation both were admitted to the Workhouse the former on Enniscahy and the latter on the Union.

Tenders to repair shoes were considered as advertised for and that from Philip Murphy accepted at 10 p^r pair the Board finding materials or at 3 p^r pair supplying the materials himself.

In reference to the Masters Report respecting the Bread - the Contractor was sent for, who having appeared the Board showed him the samples. He imputed the inferiority to the hardness of the weather and the yellowish colour to the use of lard instead of butter between the loaves before putting into the oven. - his Bond was read to him and after consideration he was informed that upon a similar complaint the Master would order Bread from the best maker in town and charge him with the difference in the price paid and that at which he contracted to supply the House & would continue to do so during the unexpired term of his Contract. He promised there should be no complaint in future.

A Letter was read from the Kellau Dispensary Committee detailing the proceedings of a Meeting held on Tuesday the 25th Inst. Amongst those proceedings a Resolution then passed to the following effect,

That as Doctor Goodison performed the duties of Doctor Laug in the Kellau Dispensary District during the absence of the latter viz from the 1st September to the 1st October Instant - We recommend that he be paid for his services during that time at the Rate of 200s Per Annum p^r week - We consider that sum the least remuneration that could be fairly offered to Doctor Goodison.

Kellau Disp^y
25 Oct 1859

Agnes Wilson Blaxter, Chairman
Edmund J. Leep.

Ordered. The remuneration recommended by the Committee is allowed.

The Board considered the question of the extension of the Law of Affiliation in England to this Country which resulted in its postponement to the meeting of Parliament it being expected that the Government will bring forward a measure calculated to meet the growing evils of illegitimacy complained of by Boards of Guardians, and that if not there will be then time enough to Petition Parliament on the subject.

The Chairman then signed the Orders and Cheques after which 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.

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...	3
Ditto, disallowed	...	...	"
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	7

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	"
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	2
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 3rd
day of November 1859

14 and 15 Vic., c. 66. }
(No. 27.)

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORTHY UNION, on
Thursday, the 27th day of October 1859, —continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET :—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68 ; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS 1848 & 1849.

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Dispensary District

having been received from

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

Dispensary

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
stating that

dated



(Signed,)

Arthur Lett
McMurray
Clerk of the Union.

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Present Net Annual Value,....£109,526

AREA, in Statute Acres 190,689.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

29 day of October 1859.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
													No. of In-mates and Idiots in the above date.	No. of In-mates and Idiots in the above date.	
Workhouse,	241	299													
Permanent Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,	220	9													
Permanent Fever Hospital															
Complete Hospital															
TOTAL,	1761	308													
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	16	80	39	28	27	12	13	20	25	310			In Work-house Hospital, 64	In separate Wards, 29	
Admitted during the week.	3	2		2								7	In Fever Hospital, 9	In Wards with other inmates, 0	
TOTAL,	19	82	39	80	27	12	13	20	25	317			Total, 73	Total, 29	
Discharged during the week,	3	5		1								9			
Died, - - - - -															
Total Discharged and Dead,	3	5		1								9			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	16	77	39	79	27	12	13	20	25	308					

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 29 day of October 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.	2	2			2	2
No. II.						
No. III.						
TOTAL,	2	2			2	2

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Thursday, the 3rd day of November 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Isma J. H. Esq.* and subsequently *Lord Carson*
 Other Guardians: *J. Maher, J. Bullin, G. Gore, J. Bolger, P. Doran, R. Jordan, J. Dunlop, J. Doyle, J. Warren.*

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

*William Morton of Clonmore &
and
Mary Sommers of Clonmore
both in the Parish of Sistrinfern*

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3023 to No. 3030 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. 7431 to No. 7431, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That he had forwarded the usual revision sheets to all the Collectors to have entered thereon all the cases requiring revision in the Union and expected them to be returned filled up and to submit them to the Board by this day week.

He begd to refer the Board to certificates from the Clerks of the Peace of this County and the County of Carlow for the discharge of his duties under the Parliamentary Voters Act and respectfully requested the Board to consider on & make an order for remuneration.

Ordered £20. allowed

He begd to submit a letter received from the Secretary to the Asylum for the Blind Postoffice, Dublin

That the Porter at the Poor Hospital was now convalescent and the Medical Officer informed him that he did not think it would be

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as necessary to appear 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, and were examined, retained 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, -	18 3		649 5 52		
	Ballyhogue, -	1 4 4		117 10 02		
	Bree, -			113 0 10		
	The Leap, -	2 7 6	21 14 10	110 2		
	Total, -				989 18 4	
MICHAEL BYRNE ...	Ferns, -			183 11 32		
	Tinnacross, -			81 8 5		
	Kilbora, -			44 1 11		
	Ballycarney, -			38 7		
	Total, -				347 8 72	
WM. FITZPATRICK...	Newtownbarry, -			328 19 6		
	Kilrush, -			105 11 7		
	Tombrack, -			114 16 10		
	Cranemore, -			25 5		
	St. Mary's, -			47 11 4		
	Total, -				622 4 3	
NICHOLAS KEHOE...	Ballyhuskard, -			113 4 9		
	Kilmallock, -			100 18 5		
	Edermine, -			128 16 6		
	Total, -				343 19 8	
JOHN CULLEN.....	Killan, -	33 13 3		87 2 3		
	Clonroche, -			56 9 6		
	Castleboro, -	10 16 1		91 8 3		
	Kiltealy, -	1 19 8		35 16 112		
	Total, -		46 9		370 16 112	
MOSES BYRNE.....	Marshallstown, -	8 7 11		97 4		
	Killoughram, -			140 10 02		
	Ballindaggin, -			79 12 5		
	Castledockrill, -			52 0 10		
	Rossard, -	4 1 4		54 8 22		
	Total, -		12 9 3		423 15 6	
EDWARD GAHAN....	The Harrow, -	12 6 2		45 10		
	Ballymore, -	7 14 3		52 14 7		
	Kilcormack, -	5 5		58 15 11		
	Total, -		20 5 10		157 0 6	
HENRY WALSH.....	Castletalbot, -			69 11 11		
	Castle-Ellis, -			102 3 7		
	Bolaboy, -			76 18 5		
	Ballyvaldon, -			86 7 2		
	Total, -				335 1 1	
	Total, £		107 16 6		3360 4 11	

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

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 £ 1-15-10 was produced and passed.

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

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

Clothing 0-18-4
Establishment 0-17-6
£ 1-15-10

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By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 30 s. 3 d. 5

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account,

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 31-16-2

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... 0-2-0

Average cost in Infirmary, ... 0-3-2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 0-3-6

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 2300 lbs	Salt 112 lbs
Suetmilk 868 qts	Tea 96 oz
Buttermilk 150 gals	Sugar 472
Meat 120 lbs	Candles (dpt) 16 lbs
Coarse Beef 79	Shells 4
Conspicuous 1	Starch 32
Sheep Heads	St Yoda 32
Oatmeal 1120 lbs	Blue 1/2

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 29 day of October whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	...	...	...	6	5	0
In Kind,	...	...	...	0	0	0
Total	...	...	...	0	5	0

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.
14 Edward Doyle Wool	6	3	9

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

2. Establishment Account.

8 James Bolger Oats	2	10	
10 James Gordison Emisif, Appl.	15	2	3

Out door Relief

15 Andrew James out door relief	1		
16 John Kennedy services under Parks	20		

9 Robert Cosgrove Miler 5 13 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:

2 Suits Clothing
Putting in 7 Pavers of Slabs
12 days Carpentry.

Medical Officers Report

Remaining in Hospital from last week 66
Admitted during the week — 7
Total — 73

Discharged Cured — 12
Sent to Dover Hospital — 0
Died — 0
Remaining — 61

No on Infirmary Diet out of Hospital 6
" in Short Wards — 29

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

Masters Report

Had better than an acre and a half of Mangold Crops raised together with 1/2 an acre of Yellow Land which is intended for a wheat crop and as the land is of a wet nature — he would prefer shovelling it to either ribbing or drilling if the Guardians have no objection more particularly as the leaves can be ploughed in and will serve as manure which could not be done if ribbed or drilled as the plough would raise them up to the surface. He begged again to call the attention of the Board to the necessity of entering the Religious Denomination of each applicant — in the application & Report Book at the time of their admission. One of the Chimney caps of the Infirmary was blown down on Monday night last by the high wind. The Chimney was also much shaken and will require immediate repairs.

He required a Carpenter for about 10 or 12 days to execute general repairs on Forms, Tables, carts, box beds, Laundry Bars, Doors &c. A new door is required for the refractory Ward or the old one repaired and lined with sheet Iron. The Schoolmaster complains of being kept out by the Porter on Sunday night on which occasion he (the Schoolmaster) had permission to spend the evening with a few friends.

— Captain Hamilton visited on Thursday Evening last at 5 1/4 O'Clock and inspected the House and inmates. — No deaths in Workhouse or Prison Hospitals this week.

Ordered. No objection to the Masters suggestion respecting the raising of the Crops — The Board will enter the Religious Denominations in future. The Contractor for repairs on the Roof & Chimneys to get notice. Carpenter allowed at 2/6 a day. — A new door to be made for the refractory Ward and to be lined with sheet Iron. The Porter states that he did not hear the Bell and the Board has directed him when any Officer is out with leave of the Master not to go to bed until 11 O'Clock.

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 1st Nov. 1859 }
No 234 } Requiring a Return of the number of persons who were admitted to the Workhouse during the year ended 29th September last distinguishing the number who were sick at the time of their admission also the No. of Births & Deaths during the year. The Commissioners further requested to be informed of the number of sick persons treated in the Workhouse Hospitals during the same period.

Ordinary Proceedings

The Board proceeded with the consideration of applications for relief from the Relieving Officers Books and admitted to the Workhouse and Fever Hospitals of the Union.

Patrick Walsh 34. Smith by trade, from Templehamon. — admitted to Fever Hospital.

Alice Connors 17. Single. a servant out of place — had resided at Shile Hill with her stepmother who is not able to support her — did not appear & was rejected.

Kitty Curran 23. Single — was pregnant — had lived in Cobladine — admitted on Ennisenthy.

John Rath 61. Single — left the House last May — had been in Ballinacash — admitted on Killeenmach.

Alison Kavanagh 40. Single — Pregnant — had been travelling about — was lately in Shillelagh Union — Character bad. — admitted on the Union.

Anne Frake 82. Widow — had been travelling about and no fixed residence. admitted on the Union.

Saunders Clony 16. had been taken out to service last June and then got clothing. — had no discharge from his master. Ordered to be sent back to his master — the Relieving Officer to go to the Master and enquire the cause of his parting the boy — to report to the Board on Thursday as the boy looked as one who had been taken care of.

A Letter was read from B Maria White Nurse at Newtown Barry Fever Hospital giving notice of her intention to resign that situation having one in view more suitable to herself and husband.

Ordered. Resignation accepted in a month from this date. The Clerk to advertise for a Nurse and assistant Nurse to be considered this day 3 weeks the 24th Inst.

The Letter from the Asylum for the Blind at Portobello stated that there is now ample accommodation for a large number of inmates and that the Committee are prepared to receive the boy & girl proposed to be sent by the Board on any day they may be sent.

Ordered. That the boy William Leary and girl Ellen O'Connell be got ready and sent to the Asylum accompanied by the Master and Matron next week on the terms proposed namely £10 — a year each and £1 — entrance for each.

A Letter was read from Michl. Murphy owner of the Dispensary House Oylgate applying for one ton of Coals.

Doctor Carsp list of vaccinations in the half year ended 29th Inst. at the Newtown Barry Dispensary which had been submitted to the Board more than a month since and numbering 167 was Ordered to be paid viz £8. 0. 0 —

The Committee appointed to meet today and inspect the Dining Hall and former boys & girls schools. — visited those parts of the building and afterwards submitted the following report which on being read from the Chair was unanimously adopted, —

The Committee appointed last Board day having viewed the dining Hall & rooms in question are of opinion that it would be advisable to adopt the Master's suggestion and that the Weavers Shop be made a Dining Room for the male inmates and the room formerly the girls schoolroom be used as a Dining Hall for the female inmates — they are of opinion that the classification of the inmates would be best attended to by this arrangement and the Master is requested to carry it out subject to the approval of the Commissioners, — they also recommend that the present Dining Hall be used as a Chapel which can easily be done by glazing the upper Arch over the entrance door with some spare sashes in the Master's possession and placing a Vicket in the present wide doors which may be kept closed.

Signed on part of the Committee
 Carson Chairman

Doctor Cartan appeared before the Board to explain some discrepancy in the numbers returned from the Oculant Hospital to the Master.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...	...	1
Ditto, disallowed	...	...	...	"
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	...	5

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	...
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	2
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 10th
 day of November 1859

Ordered That the Clerk send a Copy of the Doctors admissions & discharges to the Governing Board of Guardians and inform them that the Medical Officer will attend at their Meeting on Saturday next to explain as he has done here today.

The Chairman then signed the Orders and Cheques after which the Board Separated.

John Doyle Chm.

Murray
 Clerk

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORBY UNION, on
Thursday, the 3rd day of *March* 1859, —continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS 1848 & 1849.

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

Dispensary

*An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the
in pursuance of an Order of the Board in their Minutes of*

*Dispensary District
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 Directions as may be given):

Dispensary District,

Account of Mr.

for

: Amount £

27 | 11. Sam. J. Goddison Medical attendance at Shillan Dwyer 8-0-0
26 | 12. Richard Carey Vaccination 8-0-0

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 and 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.] An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 18, 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 18

District,	.	.	£
District,	.	.	£

[This to be entered on the occasion of every appointment of a new Committee, after the Annual Election of Guardians, and on the occasion of any election to fill any vacancies in a Dispensary Committee.] The Board elected the following 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, (Forms E 1 and E 2,) in pursuance of Article 27 of the Dispensary Regulations, to the new Members of the Committees; namely:—

Dispensary District, Mr.

of

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

Order dated

, (state subject,)

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

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

(Signed,)

Edmund Doyle Esq. Chairman

M. Mundy
Clerk of the Union.

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

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

Present Net Annual Value,....£109,526

AREA, in Statute Acres 190,689.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

5 day of Nov 1859

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.
													Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Inmates and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse,	154	258													
Permanent Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,	220	9													
Permanent Fever Hospital															
Complie Hospital															
TOTAL,	76	307													
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	16	77	37	29	27	12	13	20	25	308		In Workhouse Hospitals 1.	In separate Wards.	129	
Admitted during the week.	3	4	1	2	1		1			12		In Fever Hospital.	In Wards with other inmates		
TOTAL,	19	81	40	81	28	12	14	20	25	320		Total, 73	Total, 29		
Discharged during the week,	5	4		2						11					Died in Workhouse 2
Died, - - - -		1		1						2					" " " " 0
Total Discharged and Dead,	5	5		3						13					2
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	14	76	40	78	28	12	14	20	25	307		NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1858.....		307	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 5 day of Nov. 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.	2	2			2	2
No. II.						
No. III.						
TOTAL,	2	2			2	2

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Thursday, the 10th day of November 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair,

Wm Doyle Esq. & subsequently
 Wm Maher Esq.
 Other Guardians: B O Flaherty, W A Se Hunt
 J Now, J Prandy, J Donohue,
 P Doran, W J Flaherty.

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., s. 81.

William Morton of Clunmore
and
Mary Sommers of Clunmore
both in the Parish of Lifford

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3030 to No. 3042 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. 7431 to No. 7431 inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That he had received and lodged a sum of £3.8s sent by the Guardians of Grey Union in payment for maintenance of Patients from that Union in the Ocular Fever Hospital namely 119 days at 4/- per week.

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £150-19-8

Paid during the week, £69-15-1

And that the Balance on the Account *Against* the Guardians was £176-7-6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, and were examined, retained 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, -	47 3 5		602 1 11		
	Ballyhogue, -			117 10 0 1/2		
	Bree, - - -			113 0 10		
	The Leap, -			110 2		
	Total, -		47 3 5		942 14 9 1/2	
MICHAEL BYRNE ...	Ferns, - - -	13 12 4		169 19 8		
	Tinnacross, -			81 8 5		
	Kilbora, - - -	2 15 8		41 6 2 1/2		
	Ballycarney, -	1 19 1		36 8 4 1/2		
	Total, -		18 7 1		329 2 8	
WM. FITZPATRICK...	Newtownbarry, -	59 6 10		269 12 8		
	Kilrush, - - -	4 3 5		101 8 1 1/2		
	Tombrack, - -	7 10 11		107 5 10 1/2		
	Cranemore, - -			25 5		
	St. Mary's, - -			47 11 4		
	Total, -		71 1 2		551 3	
NICHOLAS KEHOE...	Ballyhuskard, -	4		91 4 9		
	Kilmallock, - -	3		94 18 5		
	Edermine, - - -	14		116 16 6		
	Total, -		11		302 19 8	
JOHN CULLEN.....	Killan, - - -			87 2 3		
	Clonroche, - -			156 9 6		
	Castleboro, - -			91 8 3		
	Kiltealy, - - -			35 16 11 1/2		
	Total, -				370 16 11 1/2	
MOSES BYRNE.....	Marshallstown, -			88 16 1		
	Killoughram, -			140 10 0 1/2		
	Ballindaggin, -			79 12 5		
	Castledockrill, -			47 19 6		
	Rossard, - - -			54 8 2 1/2		
	Total, -				411 6 3	
EDWARD GAHAN....	The Harrow, -			45 10		
	Ballymore, - -			52 14 7		
	Kilcormack, - -			58 15 11		
	Total, -				157 0 6	
HENRY WALSH.....	Castletalbot, -			69 11 11		
	Castle-Ellis, - -			102 3 7		
	Bolaboy, - - -			76 18 5		
	Ballyvaldon, -			86 2 2		
	Total, -		3 8		335 1 1	
	Total, £		150 19 8		3400 4 11	

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

Debits and Credits the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 5-14-9 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 1-9-6
Clothing 1-8-4
Fever Hospital 1-0-0
Invoices 1-3-11
Burials 0-1-4
Collection Fees 0-11-8
£ 5-14-9

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 32 s. 9 d. 0

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... £ 32 s. 4 d. 1

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, ... 0 s. 2 d. 0

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 0 s. 3 d. 2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 0 s. 4 d. 4

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

Meat 120 lbs	Whiskey 32 nags
Bread 2200 "	stine 6 Botts
Buttermilk 140 gals	Coals 20 tons
Milk 868 qts	Candles 21 lbs
Tea 96 oz	Starch 3 1/2 "
Sugar 584 "	W Soda 3 1/2 "
Cornheads 2 -	Blue 1 1/2 "
Sheepheads 7 -	

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 5 day of Nov^r, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	...	...	£ 0 s. 5 d. 0
In Kind,	...	...	0 s. 0 d. 0
Total	...	...	0 s. 5 d. 0

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

17. James J O'Donoghue Clothing	115	0	0
18. Do Do Do	200	1	19 8
19. Richard Joyce	57	8	19 6
20. Thomas Pinnott Leather	13	9	6

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

2. Establishment Account.

Election Law & Other Expenses

31. George Mayne Expenses of Blind & Asylum in Dublin	5	9	6
Emigration £2-14-9			
Castalbert 2-14-9			

Fever Hospitals

29. Richard Barry W Barry Hospital	6	14	4
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3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

21. Mortimer Glynn Bread & Meat	67	17	7
22. Thomas Treating Groceries	16	9	9
23. Nicholas O'Brien Meat	7	13	4
24. do do do	4	1	2
25. Mary Davis Suetmilk	9	18	2
26. Michl. O'Brien do	4	1	3
27. Saml. Sparrow Buttermilk	5	14	5
28. John Nolan Soap	6	4	.

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

4. Out-Door Relief Invoice Account.

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

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

Orders on Contractors and others were signed for the following:

1 Cwt Salt & 1 lb Blue Stone.
 7 lbs Black Lead
 1 new stock for Plough.
 1 gal. wool oil.

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

Medical Officers Report

Remaining in Hospital from last week 61.
 Admitted during the week 11
 Total 72

Discharged Cured 4
 Sent to District Hospital 0
 Died 2
 Remaining 66

On Infirmary out of Hospital 6
 in District Hospitals 29

Margt. Meehan aged 44 died of diffused Abscess.

Bath. Wensella aged 70 died of Infirmitas.
 Meehan was admitted in a dying state.

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

Masters Report

That he had forwarded the two blind inmates to Dublin on Monday last in charge of the Station & Schoolmaster. He left to submit a letter from Doctor White Physician to the Carlow Asylum in reference to the Laminar Budget Dublin but made no allusion therein relative to the admission of Francis Hughes for whom application was made about 12 mo. ago.

He left to lay before the Board the expense of Material and workmanship of 12 pair of Shoes.

Butt Leather 9 lbs at 1/11	0.9.9
Slitter 2 lbs 6 q at 1/4	0.3.3
Hemp 1 lb at 1/6	0.0.9
Wax	0.0.1
Nails 2000 at 1/3	0.2.6
Workmanship	0.10.0
	£ 1.6.4

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Average 12 pair shoes at $\frac{2}{2}\frac{1}{4}$ for pair.

The Secy. again to state that shoes are much required for the use of the inmates as they are becoming more out of order every day.

Ordered. Masters requirements allowed. The Board will address a Memorial to the Lord Lieutenant praying for accommodation for Lunatics in this County.

Commissioners Letters.

Dated 1st Nov. 59 } Requesting that the annual Return
No. 235 } of the numbers vaccinated in the
Workhouse agreeably to the Form
enclosed, be filled up & returned.

1st Nov. 59 } Requesting a Return of all Rates
No. 233 } made or agreed to be made in the
Union during the month of October last.

2nd Nov. 59 } Sanctioning the payment to Doctor
No. 24219 } Goodison for his services whilst
acting Agriculturist's Report. as substitute for
Doctor Lang Medical Officer
of the Killan Dispensary District.

7th Nov. 59 } In reference to the small progress
No. 24572 } making in the Collection of the
Rates by the Collectors.

Ordered. The Clerk to write again to the Collectors tomorrow that severe measures shall be resorted to unless active and immediate progress is made in the Collection of the Rates.

Dated 8th Nov. 59 } In reference to the Masters
No. 24737 } Report of the 3rd Inst relative
to the necessity of entering the

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

Religious Denomination of each applicant for relief in the application & report Book, pointing out that it is the duty of the Master to enter in the Workhouse Register the particulars required according to the printed headings of the Register and that there is no column in the application and Report Book for a statement of the Religious Denomination of the applicants for relief.

Ordered. The Guardians think it advisable that the religious denomination should be decided before the Guardians and Relieving 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):—

Officers on the admission of the pauper which has been the practice at all times in this Union.

Dated 8th Nov. 59 } In reference to the Resolution
No. 24737 } of the Guardians on the 3rd Inst
relative to the conversion of the
Dining Hall into a Chapel
and the old male and female Schools
into Dining Halls. Stating that they
cannot approve of the proposed changes
— but they will submit a plan
which has been found to answer all
the purposes in other Unions if the Guardians
so desire.

Ordered. The Guardians deprecate any unnecessary expense whilst there is so much room unoccupied in the Workhouse, at the same time they request to have the plan of the Commissioners sent down. The Guardians would consider it a decided improvement to the discipline and comfort of the paupers if they may have the sanction of the Commissioners to use the vacant workrooms as Dining Halls for the present Winter Season.

Ordinary Proceedings.

The Board proceeded to consider the applications for relief from the Relieving Officers Books. —

Elya Murphy 20 single was admitted to the Culcut River Hospital on Boleahy Division.

Margt. Royce 60 single from Graiguebeg was admitted to St Mary's River Hospital on St Mary's Division.

John Thorpe 24 single also admitted to River Hospital.

Edward Elye 8 from Duffry Hill admitted to Ennisenthy River Hospital.

Catherine Fortune 20 single from Pe Lave — also admitted to Ennisenthy R. Hospital.

Michl. Redmond 9 from Black Strops ribs broken — admitted provisionally to Workhouse Infirmary.

Audrey Harris 25 came from Limerick where he lived the last 10 months — admitted to Infirmary.

Saunders Clony 16 was at service and left. — admitted on Ennisenthy. Clerk to write to Mr. Longford.

Sarah Collins 16 — left the house last June — admitted on Ballymore.

Margt. Smith 18 went out last July. has sore Eyes, admitted on the Union.

A smart boy aged 15 whose name is John Doyle came before the Board and stated he had been taken out of the House to live with Mr. Stephen Doyle of Naheen, that he had lived 4 mo. with him and then wanted his quarters wages which Mr. Doyle refused — that he then went to Mr. John Kidd of Naheen where he now lives — He begs the Board to interfere with Mr. Doyle to pay his wages.

Ordered. the Clerk to write to Mr. P Doyle Naheen requesting to know the particulars and asking what reason if any the boy's wages are refused.

Miles McDonald of St. Leonard's appeared requesting to take out the boy Edward O'Leary aged 15. both were examined and the boy appeared unwilling to go owing to the state of his clothing — The Master having made out some for him he consented and McDonald agreed to give him 7/6 a quarter.

A Letter was read from the Secretaries of the Board of Education stating for information of the Guardians that Margaret Harris Schoolmistress neglected to attend the annual examination of Teachers held at Wexford on the 18th & 19th Inst. to which she was summoned by the Inspector of the District.

Ordered. That the Clerk record on the Minutes the explanation of Mrs. Harris for information of the Commissioners of Education "I was prevented by sickness from attending at the annual examination of Teachers which both the Doctor and Matron can testify — I was confined to bed from Thursday the 13th October for a week and regretted much I was not able to attend."

Signed. Margaret Harris,

The Treasurer requested the Books to be signed by a Committee on part of the Board.

Ordered that Messrs. Gore & Bolger be a Committee appointed to sign on part of the Board.

The Dispensary Committee Book of the Emmentry District was submitted to the Board and Minutes of a meeting held on the 8th Inst. read. An Application for a Don of Coals each for the Branch Dispensaries of Oylgate and Clondaw had been made to the Committee by the owners of those Dispensary Houses and their Application was recorded as having been granted, previous to the Board giving their sanction thereto the Chairman asked to see the Contracts with the owners of those Houses and upon production of their Bonds by the Clerk it was ascertained they were bound to supply firing themselves and the Board made the following order — The Board of Guardians beg to submit for consideration of the Dispensary Committee that in the Contracts for the Branch Dispensaries of Oylgate and Clondaw fuel is included for the

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Ditto, disallowed	"
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	9

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...	"
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	...	2
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	"
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	"

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rent named in their Bonds.

A Letter was read from the Committee at present engaged in soliciting subscriptions towards a National Testimonial to Captain McBrade of Belfast for his exertions on part of the Destitute Poor deported from Scotland and England.

Ordered. Postponed for Consideration.

A Letter was read from Doctor Canny of St. Barry's Fever Hospital stating that he was obliged to hire a woman to act as Wardmaid since Budget Kelly had left but on the same terms.

Ordered. As the head Nurse had sent in her resignation on last Board day the Clerk has been directed to advertise for a Nurse and Wardmaid both of whom will be elected on the 24th Inst. The Medical Officer to keep on the woman as Wardmaid until then.

Mr. Brittain of Ballaghkeene enquired of the Board when would it be their convenience to fulfill the agreement on which he erected and gave them possession of the Dispensary House at the Ballagh. On Consideration it was

Ordered. That the Solicitor prepare a lease for 21 years from Richard Brittain to the Board of Guardians

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on the rent agreed to namely
£9 per ann.

The Chairman then signed
the orders and Cheques after which
the Board separated.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORIBHY UNION, on
Thursday, the 10th day of November 1859, —continued.

SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET:—MEDICAL CHARITIES ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and
NUISANCES REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS 1848 & 1849.

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

Dispensary

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Dispensary District

having been received from

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

Dispensary

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,)

C. M. W.

Clerk of the Union.

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

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

Present Net Annual Value,....£109,526

AREA, in Statute Acres 190,689.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

12 day of November 1859.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building as the above date	Total No. in each building as the above date	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls, above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
												Total.	No. of In-mates and Idiots in the above date.	
Workhouse,	154	294												
Permanent Buildings,														
Additional Workhouse,														
Permanent Fever Hospital,	220	8												
Complete Hospital														
TOTAL,	176	302												
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	14	76	40	78	28	12	14	20	25	307		In Workhouse Hospital 13	In separate Wards 129	
Admitted during the week.	3	6	4									13	8	
TOTAL,	17	82	44	78	28	12	14	20	25	320		25	29	
Discharged during the week,	4	5	3	1		1			1	15				Died in Workhouse 2
Died, - - - - -	1		1						1	3				3 Hospital 1
Total Discharged and Dead,	5	5	4	1		1			1	18				3
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	12	77	40	77	28	13	14	19	24	302				NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1858 311

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 12 day of November 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.	2	2			2	2
No. II.						
No. III.						
TOTAL,	2	2			2	2

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Thursday, the 17th day of November 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, R. H. Ambler Esq. Lord Cavan

Other Guardians: P. O. Flaherty, J. Cullen, J. Bolger, G. How, J. Doyle

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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.

Robert Foster of Ballyellis Parish of Carnarvon
and
Mary Steadman of Rudemell Big or Do

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3042 to No. 3055 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. 7431 to No. 7431, 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 has been engaged almost all the past week at the Revision of Valuations, and the revised lists will be ready to forward to the Commissioners of valuation in a few days. Had written as directed last week to all the Collectors urging them on part of the Board to make active progress in the Collection of the Rates.

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, £216-15-10

Paid during the week, £259-3-1

And that the Balance on the Account *Against* the Guardians was £218-14-9

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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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, -	18 5 9		583 16 2		
	Ballyhogue, -			117 10 0 1/2		
	Bree, - - -			113 0 10		
	The Leap, -	15 8 1		94 13 11		
	Total, -		33 13 10		909 0 11 1/2	
MICHAEL BYRNE ...	Ferns, - - -			169 19 8		
	Tinnacross, -			81 8 5		
	Kilbora, - -			41 6 2 1/2		
	Ballycarney, -			36 8 4 1/2		
	Total, -				329 2 8	
WM. FITZPATRICK...	Newtownbarry, -	25 9 6		244 3 1 1/2		
	Kilrush, - -	2 7		101 5 7		
	Tombrack, - -	10 6 1		96 19 9 1/2		
	Cranemore, -			25 5 4		
	St. Mary's, -			47 11 4		
	Total, -		35 18 2		575 4 10	
NICHOLAS KEHOE...	Ballyhuskard, -			91 4 9		
	Kilmallock, -			94 18 5		
	Edermine, - -			116 16 6		
	Total, -				302 19 8	
JOHN CULLEN.....	Killan, - - -	15 15 4		71 6 11		
	Clonroche, - -	36 6 3		120 3 3		
	Castleboro, -	8 19 8		82 8 7		
	Kiltealy, - -			35 16 1 1/2		
	Total, -		61 1 3		309 15 8 1/2	
MOSES BYRNE.....	Marshallstown, -			88 16 1		
	Killoughram, -	13 13 7		126 16 6		
	Ballinduggin, -	6 3 1		73 9 4		
	Castledockrill, -			47 19 6		
	Rossard, - -			54 8 2 1/2		
	Total, -		19 16 8		391 9 1 1/2	
EDWARD GAHAN...	The Harrow, -	14 8		44 15 4		
	Ballymore, - -	1 6 1		57 8 6		
	Kilcormack, -	21 5 1		37 10 9 1/2		
	Total, -		23 5 10		133 14 7 1/2	
HENRY WALSH.....	Castletalbot, -	11 19 1		57 12 10		
	Castle-Ellis, -	20 1 6		82 2 0 1/2		
	Bolaboy, - -	10 19 6		65 18 11		
	Ballyvaldon, -			86 7 2		
	Total, -		43 0 1		292 0 11 1/2	
	Total, £		216 15 10		3185 9	

NOTE—A total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the Treasurers 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 . 3 . 4 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

The Weekly Relief List and Abstract.

The Provision Check Accounts.

The Provision Receipt and Consumption Account.

Clothing 1. 8. 4
Establishment 0. 15. 0
£ 2. 3. 4

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By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 43 s. 12 d. 9 1/2

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 32 . 7 . 0 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... 2 . 0

Average cost in Infirmary ... 3 . 2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 4 . 0

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

Bread	120 lbs	Sheep Heads	1
Meat	2200 "	Whiskey	32 pags
Sweetmilk	868 qts	Candles	20 lbs
Buttermen	150 gals	Starch	3 1/2 "
Salt	112 lbs	W Soda	3 1/2 "
Tea	96 oz	Blue	1/2 "
Sugar	472 "	Tobacco	1 oz
Coarse Beef	91 lbs	Lamp Oil	2 gals

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 12 day of Nov: whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	...	...	£	s.	d.
In Kind,	...	...	0	5	0
Total	...	...	0	5	0

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

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

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

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

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Elections Jan & Other Expenses

33. George Godfrey Place for maintenance and 10 0 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:

10 Cwt Salt. 3 lbs Hemp. 3 doz yarn.
1 doz Hairs. 3 doz and Blades. 1 doz Hatts.
3 Rack Stones. 1 gal train Oil. 1000 sewing
Needles. 7 lbs sewing thread. 3 lbs Cotton Balls.

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

Medical Officers Report

Remaining in Hospital from last week 66
Admitted during the week 7
Total 73

Discharged Cured 4
Sent to Fever Hospital 1
Died 3
Remaining 8
65

Number in Infirmary Dept out of Hospital 6
do in Isolation Wards 29

Patrick Kennedy aged 3 died of Hydrocephalus
Moses Dempsey aged 39 died of Hydrothorax

Dempsey was in a dying state on admission
had general anasarca with Tumor

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

Masters Report

That he had completed the Return
required by the Commissioners — of the number
of paupers admitted to the Workhouse of
Emmetsburgh Union during the year ended 29th
September 1859. — Also the number of Births
and Deaths in that House during the year viz
Suffering under Fever or other contagious Disease 148.
Suffering under other Diseases 109
Suffering from accidental Injury 13
Total admitted in sickness 270
Number admitted who were not sick 447
Total Number admitted during the year 717
Number of Births in the Workhouse during the year 22
Number of Deaths in Workhouse during the year 61

Return of the Number of sick persons treated in
the Workhouse and Fever Hospitals of the Union during
same period

Fever Cases 162
Other Diseases 542
Accidentally injured 14
Total 718

It will be necessary to advertise for wool as that on hand is nearly all spun.

As the Registers 7 in number are much worn from constant use it will be necessary to have them newly bound or repaired at the back.

He has about 2 acres of wheat sown and is at present engaged raising the green crop which he expects to have completed by Saturday, there will be a very fair yield notwithstanding the unfavorable season he expects to be able to submit an estimate of the quantity on this day week. A list of materials and their cost in the tanning of 12 pair of shoes and making them nearly as good as new was appended and shown that the average cost was about 2/8 a pair.

Ordered. That advertisements issue for 20 stone of wool and Senders for binding the backs of all the Registers.

Agricultural National School Report by the Sub-Inspector Mr. Brogan under the following heads.

Practical Agricultural Instruction. Pretty fair Proficiency
Theoretical " Very unsatisfactory - only one boy
Supply of Agricultural Books, ^{valued any fair amount of intelligence} Supply sufficient - Preservation
" { Pretty good, now read.
" { Agricultural Class Book page 14

Farm Management, Rotation. Model of Culture { Rotation same as at last visit.
" { Culture careful & efficient.
" { Cropping judicious & very fairly successful on the whole.

Farm Offices. None used but a Stable.

Live Stock. Horses and how kept { Same as at last visit with the addition of a horse by which the tillage can be much more expeditiously & effectually performed.

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

Implements & Machines. Same as at last visit.
Manures - Carefully managed.

Farm Accounts. Accurately kept with the exception of one item I found in the inventory of valuation at the close of the last half year an item giving the farm credit for the value of a draft Animal that died of Disease. This is quite wrong as such

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):-

casualties are necessarily necessary to farming - and a farmer's real profit is the net amount remaining after all wear and tear, casualties in live stock &c have been allowed for,

Classes in Literary Department to which Agricultural Pupils belong { Third - 2 }
" { Second - 3 } Total 7
" { First - 2 }

Observance of former Suggestions { None required at last visit.

General Observations. The farm management continues to be conducted in a highly efficient and satisfactory manner and from what I have seen of the farm accounts which are not yet finally closed for the half year ended 30th Sept. I am of opinion that the pecuniary result will be highly favorable. I regret that it is not in my power to refer in the same satisfactory and approving terms of the state of Agricultural instruction and industrial training. The number in the Agricultural class is very low and their proficiency extremely unsatisfactory - so that making all due allowance for their limited

capacity it does not appear that this branch of instruction is duly attended to. I find too that the former arrangement whereby the labour of the Workshop and of the Farm were made to alternate with each other and by which the boys were far better prepared for maintaining themselves by their own labour hereafter than when confined exclusively to the practice of trades which they may never continue after they quit this Institution - has been abandoned and that in consequence but very few boys now take part in the farm operations.

Ordered. To be placed on the Minutes - the Master has submitted the Farm Account posted up to the day - which showed a Balance in favor of £243-12-6 - and explained that the total amounts were only in pencil when the Inspector made his visit.

Commissioners Letters, &c. this week. Ordinary Proceedings.

The Board proceeded with the admission of paupers.

Martha Fortune aged 21, from Clonham was admitted to the St. Mary's Fever Hospital.

Thomas Meehan 42, widower, a nailor from Templeghannon was admitted to Ennisorthy Fever Hospital.

Alicia Connors 17, servant, left the House last year, had been living at Skells Well with her stepmother, was admitted to the Workhouse in Ennisorthy.

Margaret Meehan 6 months, an Orphan, was admitted on the Union at Large.

Josann Wilkinson 9, parents in America was taken out last May by her uncle - now not able to support her - admitted on the Union.

Bridget Fitzharris, married, im healthy, beg^d to be admitted to the Infirmary without her husband a poor laboring man. - admitted on Clonmole.

Mary Kavanagh 50, Widow and daughter Ellen 14, travelling, left the House ^{last time} and lately lived in Moyrady. - admitted on the Union.

John Murphy 80, admitted last week provisionally from debility, came from America with other paupers and was landed in Liverpool, came from that to Wexford, was a native of Cairne or Tynnacloppa and emigrated to America about 50 years ago. -

Admitted on the Union at Large.

Margaret Nolan 43 married, states her husband deserted her, came to town last night from Shierguff Co. Carlow, has 3 children at service - admitted on the Union provisionally, to be prosecuted for vagrancy - having come from the Carlow Union, her husband is a mason.

Budget Stafford 100 Widow, Beggar, left the House lately - admitted on the Union.

A Letter was read from the School-mistress asking leave of absence to see her sister who is ill in the Barmy North for a day or two.

Ordered. Leave granted.

A Letter was read from the Secretary of St. Mary's Institution for the Blind acknowledging the receipt of the amount required for outfit of the boy Leary and the girl Ormond who have been received into that Institution and requesting that a half years pension for Maintenance of both be paid in advance namely Ten Pounds.

Ordered. That a Cheque be granted in payment of the above.

The Punishment Book showed a case of disobedience by Mary MaCann in refusing to allow her child to be vaccinated. She and the Matron were called before the Board and examined, and upon investigation Mary MaCann was reprimanded.

The Chairman then signed the Orders and Cheques after which the Board Separated.

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Ditto, disallowed	"
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	11

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	"
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	2
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 24th
day of November 1859

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

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Dispensary District

having been received from,

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

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