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 19 day of November 1859

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the Corresponding date	Able-bodied. Males.	Able-bodied. Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working. Males.	Aged and Infirm persons. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Girls.	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.
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings, Additional Workhouse, Temporary Fever Hospital, Temporary Hospital	1541	301										
	220	10										
TOTAL,	1761	311										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			12	77	40	77	28	11	14	19	24	302
Admitted during the week.			4	3	1	4	.	2	.	.	2	16
TOTAL,			16	80	41	81	28	13	14	19	26	318
Discharged during the week.			3	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	6
Died.			.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1
Total Discharged and Dead.			3	3	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	7
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			13	77	40	81	28	13	14	19	26	311

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS. Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
In Workhouse Hospital.	68	In Workhouse.	29
In Fever Hospital.	10	In Workhouse Lunatic Asylum.	-
Total.	78	Total.	29

OBSERVATIONS.

Died in W House 1
" " Hospital 0
1

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1858 313
Decrease 2

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 19 day of November as tendered 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. Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not compelled to s. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. 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 24th day of November 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, Sid Carew

Other Guardians: G C Roberts, J Stoe, J Bolger, W Fitzpatrick, J Byrne, J Berry, P Rankin, Jas Stoe, Wm Doyle.

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The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

Robert Foster of Bally Ellis
and
Mary Redmond of Bridewell Big
Both in the Parish of Carnew

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3055 to No. 3071 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:—

Reqd. to submit the valuation Sheets for inspection by the Board previous to their transmission to the Commissioner of Valuation.

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, ... £113 · 3 · 10

Paid during the week, ... £ 26 · 5 · 8

And that the Balance on the Account Against *the Guardians was* £ 131 · 16 · 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, their accuracy being duly examined and 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. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.	Date of last Attendance.
JAMES DOYLE.....	Enniscorthy, -	32	3	10				557	12	4				
	Ballyhogue, -	.	.	.				117	10	0½				
	Bree, - - -	.	.	.				113	0	10				
	The Leap, -	3	3	8				91	10	3				
	Total, -				35	7	6				873	13	5½	
MICHAEL BYRNE ...	Ferns, - -	8	12	1				161	7	6½				
	Tinnacross, - -	19	3	6				62	4	10½				
	Kilbora, - -	.	.	.				41	6	2½				
	Ballycarney, -	1	19	3				34	9	2				
	Total, -				29	14	10				299	7	9½	
WM. FITZPATRICK...	Newtownbarry, -	.	.	.				244	3	1½				
	Kilrush, - -	.	.	.				101	5	7				
	Tombrack, - -	.	.	.				96	19	9½				
	Cranemore, - -	.	.	.				25	5	.				
	St. Mary's, - -	.	.	.				47	11	4				
	Total -				.	.	.				515	4	10	
NICHOLAS KEHOE...	Ballyhuskard, -	8	1	10				83	2	11				
	Kilmallock, - -	11	12	2				83	6	2½				
	Edermine, - -	28	7	6				88	8	11½				
	Total, -				48	1	6				254	18	1	
JOHN CULLEN.....	Killan, - -	.	.	.				71	6	11				
	Clonroche, - -	.	.	.				120	3	3				
	Castleboro, - -	.	.	.				82	8	7				
	Kiltealy, - -	.	.	.				35	16	1½				
	Total, -				.	.	.				309	15	8½	
MOSES BYRNE.....	Marshalstown, -	.	.	.				88	16	1				
	Killoughram, -	.	.	.				126	16	6				
	Ballindaggin, -	.	.	.				73	9	4				
	Castledockrill, -	.	.	.				47	19	6				
	Rossard, - -	.	.	.				54	8	2½				
	Total, -				.	.	.				391	9	7½	
EDWARD GAHAN....	The Harrow, -	.	.	.				44	15	4				
	Ballymore, - -	.	.	.				57	8	6				
	Kilcormack, - -	.	.	.				32	10	9½				
	Total, -				.	.	.				133	14	7½	
HENRY WALSH.....	Castletalbot, -	.	.	.				57	12	10				
	Castle-Ellis, - -	.	.	.				82	2	0½				
	Bolaboy, - -	.	.	.				65	18	11				
	Ballyvaldon, -	.	.	.				86	7	2				
	Total, -				.	.	.				292	0	11½	
	Total, £				113	3	10				3070	5	1	

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.

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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

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

Clothing 1 · 8 · 4
Establishmt 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 £23 *s.* 16 *d.* 1

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	31	19	9
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	1	1	1¾
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	3	2	
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	3	2	

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

Meat	110 lbs	Cowheads	1 —
Bread	2200 "	Whiskey	1 gal.
Oatmeal	1120 "	Candles	20 lbs
Buttermilk	150 gals	Soap	224 "
Sweetmilk	868 qts	Starch	3½ "
Tea	96 oz	Soda	3½ "
Sugar	392 "	Tobacco	1 oz
Coarse Beef	81 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 15 *day of* Nov. 1859. *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
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. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. 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.*

£	s.	d.

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

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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 Gal. Spirits of Impontine
12 Gros Stubs

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 — 11
Total 77

Discharged Cured 5
Sent to Fever Hospital 1
Died 1 7
Remaining 70

Number on Infirm Diets out of Hospital 6
in Short Wards 29

Cause of Death
Stephen Scallon aged 80 died of Debility
he was in a dying state on admission.

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

Masters Report

He required a Mason for a few days to reset the grates in the Dissentry Fever Hospital and put in new backs and Fire Bricks there will be about 4 day required. A Carpenter also will be required to repair the doors Windows and shutters in the same Establishment

The Matron is ill and confined to bed since Thursday last. It has the Mangold Crop raised with exception of about 3 roods. there are also 3 roods of turnips to be raised which he will have done with as little delay as possible. — there will be about 120 tons of Mangold for sale. The turnips will be required for soup for the Establishment.

He was engaged the past week

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preparing part of No. 3 plot for a wheat crop which he expected to have finished tomorrow.

Ordered. The Mason and Carpenter allowed. — The Mangold to be advertised ~~for~~ to be sold at 20/ a ton.

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 23rd Nov. /59 } Enclosing a plan referred to
No. 25232 } in their Letter of the 8th Inst.
for fitting up a portion of the Dining Hall of the Workhouse as a Roman Catholic Chapel and stating that they considered it of very great importance that the apartment provided for the purpose of a Dining Hall or so much thereof as may be necessary — should be used for that purpose exclusively.

Ordered. The Plan sent down by the Commissioners to be submitted to the same Committee as that appointed on the 27th Ult. namely the three Chairmen and Messrs. Roberts, Rose, Lett, and Doran, who are requested to meet on Thursday next at ½ past 11 O'Clock and report to the Board. The Clerk to give notice to the Committee.

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Ordinary Proceedings.

The Board proceeded to consider the applications for relief from the Relieving Officers Book and admitted the following.

Samuel Delaney aged 63. single native of Newtown Barry. admitted to the Newtown Barry Fever Hospital.

Mary A Stephens 50 married from Ballincash admitted to the Oulart Fever Hospital.

Richard Doyle 30 married from Templeshannor admitted to Enniscorthy Fever Hospital.

Eliza Hughes 20 single — servant. from Duffry Street. admitted to Enniscorthy Fever Hospital.

Sarah Sheridan 37 and child left the House only a fortnight since. Admitted on Bonlaback.

Fanny Brien 22 married and child from Regan's Lane admitted on Enniscorthy.

Mary Doyle 33. married. Discharged from the House 4 weeks. was then admitted to Relief by Stay of Loan. Doctor Cranfield will guarantee her maintenance as heretofore. admitted on Marshalstown.

Mary Lacey Widow aged 32 and two children — left the House last Harvest. — admitted on the Union.

Mary Murphy 17 single. was taken out of the House for service on the 14th Inst. and now returned. Upon consideration she was admitted — on Castletalbot.

The Board proceeded to open tenders for the Office of Head Nurse to the Fever Hospital at Newtown Barry. One was from Anastasia Dowd of Oulart Hospital and another from Anne White of Newtown Barry. The testimonials of both were excellent but as Mrs White understood reading the Medical Officers directions she was preferred. both were before the Board and underwent examination in respect of capacity. after which it was

Moved by Mr Borkey and Seconded by Mr Fitzpatrick
That Anne White be appointed to the Office of Nurse in the Fever Hospital at Newtown Barry which was passed unanimously. subject however to the Medical Officers Report respecting her in a month. She was directed to take charge on Monday next and the Master to take Stock at the Hospital that day and deliver them into her Custody.

Moved by Mr Borkey and Seconded by Mr Fitzpatrick
That the Clerk be instructed to lay before the Board on this day fortnight the date on which the late Medical Officers Salary was raised from £50 to £75 pr. ann. also the Resolution of the Board on that occasion — the number of paupers then in the House and the number at present.

The Punishment Book showed a

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charge against Anne Murphy for assaulting Margaret Cleary and Margaret Cleary for assaulting Bridget Redmond. — All the parties came before the Board and underwent crossexamination.

Ordered. Milk to be stopped for a week subject to the Medical Officers approbation.

The Sheets or Lists for revision of the valuation were then submitted for inspection and signature of the Chairman after which the Cheques and Orders were signed and 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	12

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	.

Arthur Kettle
Clerk

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 1st day of December 1859

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORTHY UNION, on Thursday, the 24th day of September 1860,—*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 Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon as follows:—

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

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

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

Read Letter from *dated*
stating that

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

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Workhouse,	141	304										
Permanent Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital	220	12										
Canvas Hospital												
TOTAL,	361	316										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			13	77	40	81	28	13	14	19	26	311
Admitted during the week.			2	6	.	.	.	1	.	1	2	12
TOTAL,			15	83	40	81	28	14	14	20	28	323
Discharged during the week,			2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	7
Died, - - - -			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
Total Discharged and Dead,			2	3	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	7
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			13	80	40	81	28	14	14	20	26	316

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
In Workhouse Hospital.	68	In separate Wards.	29
In Fever Hospital.	12	In Wards with other Inmates	..
Total,	80	Total,	29

OBSERVATIONS.

Died in W House 0
" Hosp. 0
0

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1858 } 321 / 5 Decrease

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 26 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. Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. 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 1st day of December 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, Joshua Lett Esq. & subsequently J. Maher Esq.

Other Guardians: G. C. Roberts, G. Ace, J. Cullen, M. Kelly, R. Jordan, C. Byrne, J. Doyle, J. Bolger, W. A. Le Hunt

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

That he had transmitted the Valuation lists to the Valuation Office Dublin and had received a receipt from the Superintendant. He begs to suggest that the Board make an Order requesting the Revision to be completed and delivered to the Board in the Second or third week of April.

Ordered. The Clerk to write to R Guppith Esq.r stating that the Board are desirous to have the Books revised by the middle of April.

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, ... £244-9-7

Paid during the week, ... £ 6-13-4

And that the Balance on the Account In favor *the Guardians was* £ 105-19-8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

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JAMES DOYLE.....	Enniscorthy, -	36	3	10				515	8	6				
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	Bree, - - -	3	17	3				109	3	7				
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	Total, -				46	4	10				827	8	7½	
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	St. Mary's, - -							47	11	4				
	Total -				53	12	7				461	12	3	
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	Total, -				54	1	1				337	8	6	
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Establishment	3 · 3 · 9
Invoice	· 6 · 8
Law &c	· 5 · 0
£	5 · 3 · 9

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By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £35 *s.* 4 *d.* 3

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	32	15	3
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...		1	11¾
Average cost in Infirmary, ...		3	2
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...		4	3

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

~~Bread~~		Coarse Beef	92 lbs
Meat	110 lbs	Sheepheads	2 "
Bread	2200 "	Whiskey	1 Gal.
Indian Meal	1120 "	Candles	20 lbs
Flour	224 "	W Soda	3½ "
Buttermilk	150 Gals	Starch	3½ "
Sweetmilk	868 qts	Blue	½ "
Salt	112 lbs	Tobacco	1 oz
Tea	98 oz	Lamp Oil	2 Gals
Sugar	704 "		

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 26 *day of* Nov.r 1859 *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	0	5	0
In Kind, ...	"	"	"
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. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. 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	35. James O'Flaherty	Clothing	10	14	2
	51. Patrick Ryan	Lamp Oil, shoefitting &c	2	18	11

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

	51. Patrick Ryan	Hardware &c	9	2	5
	36. Thomas O'Leary	Books Stationery &c	32	16	"
16	37. Thomas Murphy	Carpentry	1	16	"
	38. Thomas Murphy	Do	1	1	"
	39. Robert Tennant	Painting	1	9	4
	50. John D Murphy	Salt as Manure	1	5	"

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

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3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
51.	Patrick Ryan Lamp Oil	2	4	.
52.	Mortimer Glynn Bread Meal & Flour	57	10	9
40.	Thomas Keating Groceries	11	8	9
41.	Nicholas Henrick Meat	7	5	10
42.	Do Do Do	3	17	1
43.	Saml. Sparrow Buttermilk	5	1	8
44.	Mary Davis Sweetmilk	6	10	6
45.	Robert Cosgrove Do	5	11	5
46.	Michael Hernon Do	3	11	..
47.	Thomas Keating Groceries	3	11	8
48.	~~Thomas~~ John Nolan Soap	3	2	..
	Fever Hospitals			
49.	Saml. Goodisson Emiscorthy Hospital	16	9	1

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

4. Out-Door Relief Invoice Account.

		£	s.	d.
54.	Andrew Henrick Out door Relief	1	0	0

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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:

3½ lbs pitch & Rosin. 4 12 ft ¾ Boards. 3 12 ft 1 in do. 48 ft Scantling. 1. 12 ft 1 in Board. 15 feet Scantling. 3 12 ft 1 in Boards. 3 ft Scantling. 4 12 ft ¾ in Boards. 6 ft ½ in Board. 16 feet ½ in do. 6 feet plank. 3 12 ft in Boards. 4 12 ft ¾ in Boards.

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

Medical Officers Report

Remaining in Hospital from last week		70
Admitted during the week		9
Total		79
Discharged Cured	12	
Sent to Fever Hospital	1	
Died	0	13
Remaining		66
No on Infirm Duts out of Hospital		6
No in Idiot Wards		29

The Matron has resumed her duties being quite recovered from illness.

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

Masters Report

He had attended the N. S. Barry Fever Hospital on Monday last for the purpose of taking stock of Clothing &c in that Establishmt which he found correct and condemned the following articles viz 3 sheet 14 Blankets. 3 Rugs. 1 shirt & 8 towels. Remaining in Hospital 57 sheets 10 Blankets 26 Rugs 21 ticks. 42 Bolsters. 25 shirts. 30 shifts. 32 night Caps 3 Cloaks & 1 towel which he gave in charge to the new Nurse. Required for use of the Hospital 10 pair Blankets. 6 towels & 12 tin plates. the beds are much in want of fresh straw. parts of the Hospital require whitewashing — The Chimneys require repairs also a few of the windows. He found the Hospital in all other respects perfectly clean & in good order. the number of Patients 4. One of them a very bad case

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of Dysentery.

The late Nurse requests the Board will be good enough to give her a testimonial — which he verily believes she justly deserves. That part of the wall as reported on his last visit has not yet been executed.

He also attended at Oulart Hospital on Tuesday for some purpose and found all correct with the exception of 3 Shirts which were not forthcoming. The remainder of the Clothing was perfectly clean and in good repair and the Hospital in good Order. The Kitchen and adjoining rooms require whitewashing. Required for use of the Hospital 1 frying Pan 2 Sweeping Brushes, 2 Tin Candlesticks 1 set of measures, 1 mop Head, 2 Stockpots for Kitchen and hall door, 1 hand basket. Straw is also required.

Many of the Inmates are in want of Shoes particularly the adult females.

A Painter is required for a few days to paint the portion of the doors and door frames that have been repaired for the last fortnight.

~~Agriculturist's Report~~

Ordered. Ten pair of Blankets.

The Masters report to be referred to the Inner Hospital Committee.

A Testimonial to be given to the Nurse at N S Barry.

The Nurse at Oulart is accountable for the Shirts. the Committee are requested to consider the Masters report and also if the assistant Nurse might not be replaced by a less dissatisfied person. — Master to apply to Philip Murphy in respect of the Shoes required and see if he can employ an assistant. — Dan Lappan to be called on to resign the 1st January.

Two days painting allowed.

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 23 Nov 1859 No 247 } Requesting to be furnished with a statement shewing the amount of Poor Rate lodged and the Total expenditure of the Union during the year ended 29th September last, Also the expenditure under the Medical Charities Act and the expence of each Dispensary.

" 29 Nov 1859 No 265 } Requesting a Return shewing the expence of Vaccination for the same period.

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Ordinary Proceedings.

The Board entered upon the consideration of the Commissioners Letter of the 23rd Nov 1859. No. 25232 in reference to the proposal to alter the Dining Hall into a R.C. Chapel and the two Old Schoolrooms into refectories, and in the first instance directed the following Letter to be read and placed on the Minutes,

Castlebar 28th Nov 1859.

Sir

I am prevented from attending the Board next Thursday being obliged to go to Westport on business.

With regard however to the question of turning the present Hall into a Chapel I do not see much difficulty provided the Guardians consent to the expence.

It seems that the Commissioners are in error with regard to the available dimensions of the Hall and if so this would be a ground for asking them to reconsider their Letter and allow the two spare rooms to be used as a dining Hall as the present Hall is considerably shorter than they supposed. Should they on this ground allow this to be done the expence of the alteration will be trifling — but should they object the Guardians would then have to consider the propriety of enlarging the Hall according to the plan and a builder would estimate the expence — I still think that the original proposal was one that was the simplest and least Expence. I shall be at Ennis on the following Board day.

Signed
Carson

To the Clerk

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

Ordered. Having read the Commissioners Letter and examined the plan forwarded for the formation of a Chapel & having fully considered the subject We beg to state that the Guardians some years ago converted a portion of the Dining Hall about 11 feet in length into two vestries for the accommodation of the Clergy and built a partition wall in which the Altar is placed at present, they have also caused a Communion Rail to be put up at 11 feet from the Altar with every accommodation for a Chapel which arrangement perhaps the Commissioners may have overlooked so that taking off 22 feet the space occupied by vestries Altar & Sacristy — 28 feet only would remain for a Chapel, the adoption of their plan would cause considerable inconvenience and Expence which the Guardians are not disposed to incur. The Vestries Communion Rail, Altar, Surgery Nurses Room and cross Walls should be all removed and similar apartments provided elsewhere which with the additional Aisles recommended to be placed at both sides of the Dining Hall as shown on plan would cost a large sum whereas the plan the Guardians propose to adopt will be only the cost of a brick partition raised to the height of the apartment. The Guardians under these circumstances propose to place a New Door leading to the mens yard opposite that at the female side with a brick partition as mentioned above and shown on the plan, leaving a space of 60 feet for a Chapel and 27 feet for a passage into male & female yards or to be used for any other purpose the Commissioners may desire, by which arrangement there would be a considerable saving of expence and much better accommodation, provided the Commissioners allow the two large rooms now vacant to be

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used as dining Rooms more particularly as they adjoin the male & female Halls and as the Chapel is already complete with exception of the partition and new door. The Rooms originally designed as Schools have been long superseded for that purpose by commodious ones in the new buildings. They are no longer necessary as Workrooms and should at any time an unusual pressure render them necessary for that purpose the Guardians will be always ready to provide for the contingency.

The following Orders were considered and accepted.

Thomas Sinnott 20 stone best fleece wool at 23/6.

Thomas O'Leary Binding the Registers at 4/6 each.

An Order was read from the Court of Quarter Sessions signed by the Clerk of the Peace — directing that the premises rated to the relief of the Poor in the name of B. Teresa Kennedy be exempt from

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	7
Ditto, disallowed	.
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	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 8th day of December 1859

S. Kennedy
Clerk of Union

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the payment of Rate and that the name of the Appellant be struck out of the Rate Book in respect of said premises, same being used exclusively for charitable purposes.

The Visitors Book was laid before the Board and showed the following Entry.

We visited the Workhouse this day and having made a minute inspection we found it in what we considered the best order, clean and under the best discipline the Patients appearing very happy and contented.

Signed { Francis Davis Kilcarden
John Sheppard Langan

Nov. 28th /59

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

Caveo.

S. Kennedy
Clerk

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORTHY UNION, on Thursday, the 1st day of December 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 Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon as follows:—

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

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

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

Read Letter from *dated*
stating that

(Signed,) Carro.

M Murrady

Clerk of the Union.

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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 3rd day of December 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. Males.	Able-bodied. Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working. Males.	Aged and Infirm persons. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	Boys and Girls. Girls.	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.
Workhouse,	1541	312										
Permanent Buildings,												
Additional Workhouse,												
Permanent Fever Hospital	220	12										
Campile Hospital												
TOTAL,	1761	324										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			13	80	40	81	28	14	14	20	26	316
Admitted during the week.			4	5	1	.	.	1	2	.	3	16
TOTAL,			17	85	41	81	28	15	16	20	29	332
Discharged during the week,			4	1	.	.	.	.	1	.	.	6
Died, - - - - -			.	.	1	1	.	.	.	.	.	2
Total Discharged and Dead,			4	1	1	1	.	.	1	.	.	8
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			13	84	40	80	28	15	15	20	29	324

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
In Workhouse Hospital.	70	In separate Wards.	29
In Fever Hospital.	12	In Wards with other Inmates	.
Total,	82	Total,	29

OBSERVATIONS.

Died in Wkhouse 0
" in Hospitals 2
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NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1858 321
Increase 3

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 3 day of December 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. Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. 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 8th day of December 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, Lord Carew

Other Guardians: P O'Flaherty, J Cullen, Scott, G Roe, J Bolger, J Doyle, J Bolton, W Cloney, W Fitzpatrick.

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The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3083 *to No.* 3099 *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 made out the expenditure on each Dispensary District and furnished the Committees with the accounts by Post for the half year ending 29th Sept. last.

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, ... £169 - 17 - 4

Paid during the week, ... £204 - 18 - 4

And that the Balance on the Account in favor *the Guardians was* £ 71 - 4 - 8

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, examined, bound, the first and tained 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. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.	Date of last Attendance.
JAMES DOYLE.....	Enniscorthy, -	19	5	.				496	3	6				
	Ballyhogue, -	13	10	9				107	7	1½				
	Bree, - - -	15	13	2				93	10	5				
	The Leap, -	3	3	4				84	15	4				
	Total, -				51	12	3				775	16	4½	
MICHAEL BYRNE ...	Ferns, - -	8	13	5				152	14	1				
	Tinnacross, - -	3	3	.				59	1	10				
	Kilbora, - -	12	2	7				29	2	10½				
	Ballycarney, -	1	11	10				32	17	3½				
	Total, -				25	10	10				273	16	1	
WM. FITZPATRICK...	Newtownbarry, -	.	.	.				202	..	5½				
	Kilrush, - -	.	.	.				89	15	8				
	Tombrack, - -	.	.	.				96	19	9½				
	Cranemore, - -	.	.	.				25	5	.				
	St. Mary's, - -	.	.	.				47	11	4				
	Total -				.	.	.				461	12	3	
NICHOLAS KEHOE...	Ballyhuskard, -	11	16	10				71	6	1				
	Kilmallock, - -	31	3	10				52	2	5				
	Edermine, - -	.	.	.				88	8	11½				
	Total, -				43	..	8				211	17	5½	
JOHN CULLEN.....	Killan, - -	.	.	.				35	0	1½				
	Clonroche, - -	.	.	.				105	10	10½				
	Castleboro, - -	.	.	.				82	8	7				
	Kiltealy, - -	.	.	.				35	16	11½				
	Total, -				.	.	.				258	16	6½	
MOSES BYRNE.....	Marshalstown, -	.	.	.				74	10	1				
	Killoughram, -	.	.	.				87	1	4½				
	Ballindaggin, -	.	.	.				73	9	4				
	Castledockri'l, -	.	.	.				47	19	6				
	Rossard, - -	.	.	.				54	8	2½				
	Total, -				.	.	.				337	8	6	
EDWARD GAHAN....	The Harrow, -	.	.	.				39	15	1½				
	Ballymore, - -	.	.	.				22	11	7½				
	Kilcormack, - -	.	.	.				31	15	11				
	Total, -				.	.	.				94	2	8	
HENRY WALSH.....	Castletalbot, -	5	16	7				57	16	2½				
	Castle-Ellis, - -	17	10	4				64	11	8½				
	Bolaboy, - -	5	15	2				60	3	9				
	Ballyvaldon, -	20	11	6				65	15	8½				
	Total, -				49	13	7				242	7	4½	
	Total, £				169	17	4				2655	17	3	

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

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £3 . 2 . 6 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

Clothing 1 . 8 . 4
Establish 1 . 11 . 8
Electn Lawyr 0 . 2 . 6
£3 . 2 . 6

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By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 30 *s.* 4 *d.* 7

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	32	4	5
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ...	1	11	3/4
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	3	2	
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	5	1	

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

Meat	120 lbs	Sheep Heads	1 —
Bread	2200 "	Pepper	14 lbs
Oatmeal	1120 "	Whiskey	1 gal
Buttermilk	160 gals	Candles	20 lbs
Sweetmilk	868 qts	Washing Soda	3½ "
Tea	99 oz	Starch	3½ "
Sugar	596 "	Blue	½ "
Coarse Beef	88 lbs	Tobacco	1 oz
		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 3rd *day of* December *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	"	5	"
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. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. 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.
	3			

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

16	58. Thomas Murphy Carpentry	1	0	3
	Fever Hospitals			
19	55. Richard Carey N.B. Barry Hospl	13	11	1
	Burials			
22	56. John Breen Coffins	4	10	"

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

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	3. Workhouse Invoice Account.	£	s.	d.
10	57. Stephen & Edlett Coals	39	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 Cut Linseed Meal. 1 Prop and Blades. 2 dy and Hafts, 6 sides rounded Slitter.

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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		15
Total		81
Discharged Cured	8	
Sent to Fever Hospital	0	
Died	0	8
Remaining		73

No on Infirm Diet out of Hospital 6
No in Short Wards 29

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

Masters Report

Mr Davis Clonmore proposes to take out a boy named Patrick Doyle and pay him at the rate of 8/ a quarter provided the Board supply him with clothes — Doyle is 15 years old and chargeable to Enniscorthy Division.

There are about 110 yards of rope wanted for the drying Poles in the Laundry and a Carpenter to put them up.

Many of the wool and Flax Wheels are in want of repairs and as there is no Wheelright at present in this town he wished to know how they are to be done.

He received an order for 6 Tons of Mangold this week so that he thought they will be sold very quick and would recommend parties requiring them to make early application.

Mr Davis Sweetmilk Contractor

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was 205 quarts deficient last week for which he procured Tea at the Rate of 8 a Gal. and charged it to her account which is a loss of 12/ to her.

Ordered, The Boy Doyle to be provided with clothing going out. The Rope allowed. The Master to make Enquiry of Mr. Connors can he undertake to repair the Flax Wheels. The Clerk to advertise the Mangolds at £1 a ton.

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):—

A Letter was read from the National Board of Education awarding the Agriculturist £2 10/ and the Schoolmaster 10/.

A Letter was read from the General Valuation Office Dublin stating that arrangements will be made to have the annual Revision of the Valuation of the Union completed in the month of April next.

A Letter from the P L Commissioners dated 5th Inst. No 26596. requesting on part of the Inspector of Lunatic Asylums to be furnished with a Return of the Number of Lunatics, Idiots and Epileptic Insane at present in the Union Workhouse distinguishing the Number of each class and the number of Males and Females also the Electoral Divisions to which they are chargeable and in the case of Union Paupers the name of the townland from which he or she came.

Ordered, The Return is in course of preparation.

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One Dated 1st Inst No 253. Requesting a Return of all Rates made or agreed to be made in the Union during the month of November last.

Ordinary Proceedings.

The Board proceeded with the consideration of applications for relief in the Workhouse and Fever Hospitals of the Union Viz.

Catherine Doyle aged 5. in Fever – admitted to Hospital on Enniscorthy Division.

Ellen Byrne – 11 in Fever – admitted to Hospital on N S Barry Division.

James Fector – 79 – debilitated from Monart admitted to Infirmary on Killoughram.

Mary Roche – 20 Single – left the House about 18 months ago – lived with her mother in Irish St who is not now able to maintain her – can get no employment admitted on Enniscorthy.

Mary Berney 40 married – states she is deserted & is sickly – is from Duncrold – admitted on Enniscorthy.

Simon Leary – 34 – married left the House last June – is unhealthy – was from Ballinavary – admitted on Bree.

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians [illegible] with [illegible] thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election in every year.)

John Monahan 77 – Widower – left the House last April – is from Ballinaglish admitted on Castle Talbot.

Mary Lawlor 17 – single – came from Ross last week – admitted provisionally and to be prosecuted as a vagrant.

Margaret Keating 35 married – is unhealthy & has been confined to bed admitted to the Infirmary on Enniscorthy.

Myles Balf 40 married – had met with a fracture in the leg – had lived at Spout Lane admitted on Enniscorthy.

The Board then read the following Letters.

One from the Shoemaker who is at present engaged vamping shoes stating he cannot get any assistant at a lower rate than 1/3 a pair and that he can only finish his own Contract.

Ordered. The Clerk to advertise for a Shoemaker, Tenders to state the terms as to weekly wages – his whole time to be given to the shoemaking and instruction of the boys to the trade.

One from Mr Philip Doyle Baker stating his reasons for parting the boy John Doyle.

Ordered. The Board cannot interfere further in the matter.

One from Doctor Carey Newtown Barry Hospital stating that Anne Dunne who had been temporarily engaged as Wardsmaid was suitable and that a tender will be sent in Hiring her services on the same terms as

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the late Wardmistress,

Ordered. Mr Brokey Guardian for the N Barry Division will make enquiry respecting her and report to the Board,

One from Mr Ogle Inspector of Weights and Measures Wexford stating in reply to an enquiry as to the dimensions and contents of the Imperial Statute Bushel for Corn Measure – that it is 8½ inches high and 60 Inches in circumference — contents in Cubic Inches 2218.

The Clerk then submitted the Return which was ordered to be made on the 24th Ult. from the Minutes of the 19th May 1849. the date on which an alteration in the Salary of the Medical Officer was made,

Extract "The question of an increase in the Salary of the Medical Officer of the Workhouse owing to his increased duties was considered and it was proposed and Seconded to raise it to £80 – a year,

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

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

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 15th day of December 1859

Clerk of the Union

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An Amendment was also proposed and seconded that the salary be £70 – a year but after due consideration it was Unanimously Resolved – That the salary of the Medical Officer be increased from £50 to £75 per annum by reason of his increased duties and to continue so long as the present crowded state of the House warrants such increase,

Number in the House 19th May 1849. – 1692
Number in the House 19th Novr 1859. – 3224

The following Notice was then handed to the Chairman by Mr Brokey which having been read was Ordered to be placed on the Minutes,

I beg leave to give notice that on this day fortnight I will move, That as the Salary of the Medical Attendant of this House was increased by the unanimous vote of this Board on the 19th May 1849. by a Resolution as follows — That the Salary of the Medical Officer be increased from £50 to £75 per annum by reason of his increased duties and to continue so long as the present crowded state of the House warrants such increase – that this arrangement was only for a time and that the great decrease now existing from 1692 to 3224 lessening the time of Medical Attendance required from 7 hours to one, Warrants us as faithful Guardians of the interests of the Ratepayers, bound in conscience to economise in every

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particular and not to suffer any unnecessary waste of the funds of this Institution in placing the Salary on its original footing.

8th Decr 1859. Signed, James Bolton

Ordered. That the Clerk issue Circulars calling on the Guardians to consider this notice on this day fortnight.

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

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORTHY UNION, on Thursday, the 8th day of December 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 Dispensary *District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a requisition from the* Committee *for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon as follows:—*

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

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

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

Read Letter from , *dated* *stating that*

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

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ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Population in 1851.....53,862. Present Net Annual Value,....£109,526

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STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the 10th day of December 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. Males.	Able-bodied. Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working. Males.	Aged and Infirm persons. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	Girls.	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.
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings,	141	312										
Additional Workhouse,		—										
Permanent Fever Hospital	220	9										
Cemple Hospital		—										
TOTAL,	361	321										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			13	84	40	80	28	15	15	20	29	324
Admitted during the week.			4	4	2	.	.	.	.	.	.	10
TOTAL,			17	88	42	80	28	15	15	20	29	334
Discharged during the week,			4	2	.	.	1	1	1	.	.	9
Died, - - - - -			2	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	1	4
Total Discharged and Dead,			6	3	.	.	1	1	1	.	1	13
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			11	85	42	80	27	14	14	20	28	321

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
In Workhouse Hospital.	78	In separate Wards.	29
In Fever Hospital.	9	In Wards with other Inmates	—
Total,	87	Total,	29

OBSERVATIONS.

Died in Workhouse 3
" in Hospitals 1
4

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1858..... 321

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 10th day of December 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. Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. 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 15th day of December 1859

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* Joshua Lett Esq. & subsequently John Cullen Esq.

Other Guardians: G. Fore, R. Jordan, J. Bolger, J. Warren, J. Graham.

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The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3099 to No. 3109 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 an Offer from the Imperial Insurance Company No 1 Broad Street London to effect an Insurance at 2/6 pr Ct on the Workhouse. the Sun Office charges 3/ pr Ct on £8320 — If the Board make an order to transfer the Insurance to the Imperial there will be a saving of £2 odd pr ann — and there can be no doubt whatever of the Imperial being one of the best Offices in England,

It lie over until this day week,

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

The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, ... £222 · 0 · 1

Paid during the week, ... £47 · 16 · 9

And that the Balance on the Account in favor the Guardians was £245 · 8 · 0

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, and the following [illegible] tained 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. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.	Date of last Attendance.
JAMES DOYLE.....	Enniscorthy, -	40	16	10				455	6	8				
	Ballyhogue, -	6	5	7				95	1	6½				
	Bree, - - -	3	1	6				90	8	7				
	The Leap, -	8	18	1				25	17	3				
	Total, -				59	2	..				716	14	0½	
MICHAEL BYRNE ...	Ferns, - -	.	.	.				152	14	1				
	Tinnacross, - -	.	.	.				59	1	10				
	Kilbora, - -	.	.	.				29	2	10½				
	Ballycarney, -	.	.	.				32	17	3½				
	Total, -				.	.	.				273	16	1	
WM. FITZPATRICK...	Newtownbarry, -	.	.	.				202	.	5½				
	Kilrush, - -	.	.	.				59	15	8				
	Tombrack, - -	40	1	3				56	18	6½				
	Cranemore, - -	.	.	.				25	5	.				
	St. Mary's, - -	.	.	.				47	11	4				
	Total -				40	1	3				421	11	.	
NICHOLAS KEHOE...	Ballyhuskard, -	.	.	.				71	6	1				
	Kilmallock, - -	.	.	.				52	2	5				
	Edermine, - -	.	.	.				88	8	11½				
	Total, -				.	.	.				211	17	5½	
JOHN CULLEN.....	Killan, - -	.	.	.				35	0	1½				
	Clonroche, - -	.	.	.				105	10	10½				
	Castleboro, - -	23	1	7				59	7	.				
	Kiltealy, - -	22	0	4				13	17	4				
	Total, -				45	1	11				213	15	4	
MOSES BYRNE.....	Marshalstown, -	9	10	5				64	19	8				
	Killoughram, -	.	.	.				87	1	4½				
	Ballindaggin, -	11	15	6				61	13	10				
	Castledockrill, -	10	14	.				37	5	6				
	Rossard, - -	9	7	8				45	0	6½				
	Total, -				41	7	7				296	0	11	
EDWARD GAHAN....	The Harrow, -	7	9	6				32	5	7½				
	Ballymore, - -	3	9	4				19	2	3½				
	Kilcormack, - -	13	8	6				18	7	5				
	Total, -				24	7	4				69	15	4	
HENRY WALSH.....	Castletalbot, -	.	.	.				51	16	2½				
	Castle-Ellis, - -	.	.	.				64	11	8½				
	Bolaboy, - -	.	.	.				60	3	9				
	Ballyvaldon, -	.	.	.				65	15	8½				
Farm	Rental Total, -				12	.	.				242	7	4½	
	Total, £				222	0	1				2445	17	6½	

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.

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £4 · 3 · 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	1	8	4
Establisht	2	12	8
Elections Lam-H	0	2	6
£	4	3	6

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By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £33 s. 11 d. 0½

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	33	12	3
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	1	11¾	
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:—

Meat	120 lbs	Dept Candles	16 lbs
Bread	2300 "	Moulds	4 "
Sweetmilk	868 qts	Wine	6 Bottles
Buttermilk	160 gals	Whiskey	1 gal
Tea	99 oz	Starch	3½ lbs
Sugar	484 "	W Soda	3½ "
Coarse Beef	86½ "	Blue	½ "
Cow Heads	1 —	Tobacco	1 oz
		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 10th *day of* December *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
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. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
Total,				

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

£	s.	d.

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

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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:

None

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

Medical Officers Report

Remaining in Hospital from last week		73
Admitted during the week		14
Total		87
Discharged Cured	8	
Sent to Fever Hospital	0	
Died	3	11
Remaining		76
Number on Infirm Diets out of Hospital		6
do in Idiot Wards		29

Ellen Farell aged 10 mo. died of Hydrocephalus
Anne Doyle aged 15 years died of Tonsula
Thomas Murphy aged 70 years died of Gangrene
Farell was admitted in a dying state. the other cases were of long standing.

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

When filling up last Vaccination report on the 5th November last he stated that owing to the prevalence of Chicken Pox amongst the Children there remained 8 or 10 cases to be vaccinated which would be attended to when the disease disappeared. He was now happy to say that it has subsided and that he had successfully vaccinated since 12 cases up to yesterday. He would most respectfully request that his duties and attendance would be carefully examined into as he is confident they will be found equal if not more than those of his predecessors which can be tested by the records of the House.

Masters Report

That he had made out the Return of the number of Lunatics, Idiots and Epileptics as required by the Commissioners which are as follows Viz.

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Male Lunatics	2
Female do	4
Male Idiots	6
Female do	5
Male Epileptics	7
Female do	8
Total	32

and their chargability is as follows.

Enniscorthy Electoral Division	13
Bree	1
Ballyhogue	2
Newtown Barry	1
Ferns	1
The Leap	1
Ennacrow	1
Killtealy	1
Kilcormack	1
Marshalstown	1
Clonroche	2
Tombrack	1
Killenghram	1
Union at Large	3
	30

That Mr Tennott had delivered the Wool which he requested would be inspected, also the Leather delivered by him this day. There have been upwards of 40 Tons of the Mangold sold up to the present time and there is every probability of a speedy sale. Beg to refer the Board to a Letter from Doctor Carton requiring Rubbers and Towels for the Outdoor Hospital. Had delivered the Blanket to Newtown Barry Hospital as directed. — The deaths of the week in the Infirmary 3. and in Fever Hospital 1. Total 4.

Ordered. The Committee appointed to inspect the wool and Leather report the wool approved of but the leather not having been sounded agreeable to Sample to be returned. The Rubbers and towels requested allowed.

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 12 Decr/59 No 2-74 } Requesting to be informed whether any and what steps have been taken at the time of the death of the late Mr Braddell with a view to the audit of the accounts of the Union and whether notice of audit had been given.

Ordered. The Clerk states he forwarded the Abstracts to the late Mr Braddell on the 20th October last since which date he heard nothing nor did he receive notice of audit, that on receipt of the letter he made out fresh Abstracts and forwarded them to the Commissioners by yesterdays post.

Dated 14 Decr/59 No 2-7222 } Enclosing questions for answer by the Clerk and the person who may be appointed to the situation of Storemaster to the Workhouse.

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Dated 14th Oct. '59 No. 26693 — In reference to the proposal of the Guardians on the 1st Inst. to set apart the Dining Hall of the Workhouse for the purpose of a R C Chapel and to use the two apartments now vacant as Dining Rooms for the pauper Inmates, suggesting a slight alteration from the original plan which would give sufficient accommodation, and that a similar plan is now carrying out in the adjoining Union of New Ross.

Ordered. The Board have decided to erect no new work outside the Workhouse and are under the impression the Commissioners do not understand what the Guardians have resolved on, — the subject will be however disposed of on next Board day when a full Board is expected.

Ordinary Proceedings.

The Board proceeded with the consideration of applications for relief in the Workhouse and Fever Hospitals of the Union.

Mich.l Walsh aged 18 single, admitted to Fever Hospital on Newtown Barry.

Philip Copeland 24 married — lived in Guttle St. — by trade a tailor, admitted to Infirmary.

Thomas Quinn 44, married, a labourer from Spout Lane, — admitted to the Workhouse.

Catherine Hunt 20 single, from Duffry Hill, — left the House about 2 years ago, — admitted to the Workhouse.

Anne Roche 18, single, left the House about 2 years ago to work at Mr Rowe's Factory, — remained since in Mohurry, admitted on Kiltealy.

Catherine Redmond 19, single — applied here last October, — then a Stranger, — had been taken out for service to Kiltealy, came from Ballinvullar last Monday, — shoulder now out of joint, — admitted on the Union.

Tenders for the situation of Shoemaker to the Workhouse were opened and read there were seven applicants, all of whom were brought before the Board & examined — after which Edward Leeson was duly elected at 9/ a week and to take charge on Monday.

Ordered. That the Porter be requested to lay before the Board on this day week the time spent by the Medical Attendant on duty in the Workhouse each day for the last 12 months.

Mr Bolger gave notice that on this day fortnight he will move the following Resolution — That a Committee of this Board be appointed to consider an item of expenditure fast increasing to an important sum — that is — Clothing boys and girls leaving the House at £1 — each without an express Contract as those leaving amount to such a large number it is worth the attention of the Board to try whether the present rate of payment is not too high and above value received.

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Tenders for the Office of assistant Matron to the Ballytrim Fever Hospital were considered and that from Anne Dunne accepted having been recommended by Doctor Carey and Mr Thompson.

Mr Donovan made enquiry whether the Lease of the Dispensary at Ballaghkeane was to be made to the Guardians or to the P L Commissioners and was informed the Lease was to be made by Richard Buttan to the Guardians at £9 – a year as per original agreement.

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	6

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	"

J Mullin } Guardians
John Boyce }

Clerk

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 22nd day of December 1859

J Kennedy
Clerk of the Union

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

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

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

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

Read Letter from *dated*
stating that

John Sullivan
John Boiger } (Signed,) Guardians Carew. Chairman

Alex Kennedy
Clerk of the Union.

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Workhouse, Permanent Buildings,	141	215										
Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital Campile Hospital	220	9										
TOTAL,	1761	324										
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			11	85	42	80	27	14	14	20	28	321
Admitted during the week.			3	8	.	.	.	.	1	.	1	13
TOTAL,			14	93	42	80	27	14	15	20	29	334
Discharged during the week,			1	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	5
Died,			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	5	5
Total Discharged and Dead,			1	3	.	1	.	.	.	.	5	10
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			13	90	42	79	27	14	15	20	24	324

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
In Workhouse Hospital.	24	In separate Wards.	30
In Fever Hospital.	9	In Wards with other Inmates	.
Total,	33	Total,	30

OBSERVATIONS.

Died in Workhouse 5
" in Hospitals 0
5

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1858 329
Decrease 5

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 17 day of Dec. 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. Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. 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 22nd day of December 1859

PRESENT: In the Chair, Rt. Hon. Lord Carew

Other Guardians: Sir J Power, L Freeman, J Lett, W A Le Hunte, B O Flaherty, J Pounder, W J Blacker, J Cullen, G Hore, E Carroll, C Byrne, J Doyle, J Harper, M Kelly, J Bolger, W Fitzpatrick, J Browne, R Jordan, J Walsh, W Cloney, P Murphy, J Leary, M Doyle, J Murphy, E Hore, L Doran, J Rynehart, Wm Stackpoole, J Doyle, Jno. M Neill, Ed. Donohue, M Blum, J Bolger,

Captain Hamilton was in attendance

The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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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.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3109 *to No.* 3122 *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:—

Beg. again to draw the attention of the Board to the question of Insurance which was postponed last Board day.

The Clerk to write to Sec. of the principal Offices in London & Dublin for Offers of Insurance by next Board day.

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, ... £ 188-8-9

Paid during the week, ... £ 4-3-6

And that the Balance on the Account In favor *the Guardians was* £ 429-13-3

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board by the Clerk, having been examined 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. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.	Date of last Attendance.
JAMES DOYLE.....	Enniscorthy, -	144	18	1				410	8	7				
	Ballyhogue, -	4	1	8				90	19	10½				
	Bree, - - -	15	11	2				74	17	5				
	The Leap, -	6	11	11				69	5	4				
	Total, -				71	2	10				645	11	2½	
MICHAEL BYRNE ...	Ferns, - -	10	11	11				142	2	2				
	Tinnacross, - -	10	14	.				48	7	10				
	Kilbora, - -	.	.	.				29	2	10½				
	Ballycarney, -	3	19	9				28	17	6½				
	Total, -				25	5	8				248	10	5	
WM. FITZPATRICK ...	Newtownbarry, -	24	12	4				177	8	1½				
	Kilrush, - -	7	12	.				82	3	8				
	Tombrack, - -	.	.	.				56	18	6½				
	Cranemore, - -	.	.	.				25	5	.				
	St. Mary's, - -	1	10	9				46	..	6½				
	Total -				33	15	1				387	15	10½	
NICHOLAS KEHOE...	Ballyhuskard, -	.	.	.				71	6	1				
	Kilmallock, - -	.	.	.				52	2	5				
	Edermine, - -	.	.	.				88	8	11½				
	Total, -				.	.	.				211	17	5½	
JOHN CULLEN.....	Killan, - -	.	.	.				35	0	1½				
	Clonroche, - -	.	.	.				105	10	10½				
	Castleboro, - -	.	.	.				59	7	.				
	Kiltealy, - -	.	.	.				13	17	4				
	Total, -				.	.	.				213	15	4	
MOSES BYRNE.....	Marshalstown, -	.	.	.				64	19	8				
	Killoughram, -	.	.	.				87	1	4½				
	Ballindaggin, -	.	.	.				61	13	10				
	Castledockrill, -	.	.	.				37	5	6				
	Rossard, - -	.	.	.				45	.	6½				
	Total, -				.	.	.				296	0	11	
EDWARD GAHAN...	The Harrow, -	.	.	.				32	5	7½				
	Ballymore, - -	.	.	.				19	2	3½				
	Kilcormack, - -	.	.	.				18	7	5				
	Total, -				.	.	.				69	15	4	
HENRY WALSH.....	Castletalbot, -	12	1	11				39	14	3½				
	Castle-Ellis, - -	.	.	.				64	11	8½				
	Bolaboy, - -	11	1	4				49	2	5				
	Ballyvaldon, -	11	18	7	35	1	10	53	17	1	207	5	6	
Farm Produce	Total, -				23	3	4							
	Total, £				188	8	9				2280	12	0½	

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.

[illegible] Treasurer and Credit the several Electoral Divisions, with the respective amounts lodged.

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £2 - 18 - 2 *was produced and passed.*

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

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

Clothing	1	12	10
Establisht.	1	4	0
Burials	0	1	4
£	2	18	2

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By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £26 *s.* 1 *d.* 6

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	33	15	2
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.			
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	1	11½	
Average cost in Infirmary, ...	3	1½	
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ...	4	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: –

Meat	120 lbs	Pr Heads	1
Bread	2300 "	Whiskey	1 gal
Oatmeal	1120 "	Coals	20 tons
B Milk	160 gals	Candles	20 lbs
S Milk	968 qts	Soap	224 "
Salt	112 lbs	W Soda	3½ "
Tea	99 oz	Starch	3½ "
Sugar	454 "	Blue	½ "
Coarse Beef	862 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 17 *day of* December *whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was*

	£	s.	d.
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. £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors. Article and quantity	Value. £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
Total,				

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

1. *Clothing Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

2. *Establishment Account.*

		£	s.	d.
16.	62. John Pilkington Printing	2	3	6

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

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3. *Workhouse Invoice Account*

	£	s.	d.

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

4. *Out-Door Relief Invoice Account.*

	£	s.	d.

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

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

Orders on Contractors and others were signed for the following:

1 Pd. Spirits of Turpentine.

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

Medical Officers Report

Remaining in Hospital from last week		76
Admitted during the week		5
Total		81
Discharged Cured	7	
Sent to Fever Hospital	0	
Died	5	12
Remaining		69

Number on Infirm Diet out of Hospital	7
Number in Idiot Wards	30

Mary Flynn	died of Hydrocephalus
Catherine Dyne	Anasarcha
Mary Doyle	Marasmus
Mary Murphy	Convulsions
Edward Redmond	Pertussus

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

Masters Report

It is hoped the Board will allow a meat Dinner to the Inmates on Christmas Day they will be so good as to appoint a Committee to select it. the quantity required will be about 284 lbs.

Ordered. A meat Dinner allowed and a Committee consisting of Messrs. Cullen & Bolger undertake to inspect it.

Numbers in the House this day 311
Numbers in the House at this time last year 324

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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 20 Decr 1859 No. 27627 } In reference to the small progress making by the Collectors in getting in the Rates and calling on the Guardians to urge them to a more active discharge of their duties

Ordered, That the Clerk write to the Collectors giving notice that the most stringent measures will be resorted to unless the Rates are immediately collected,

" 8th Decr 1859 } From William Donnolly Registrar General enclosing copies of Returns showing the estimated average produce by the acre of the various crops grown in 1859, in each Electoral Division of the Union requesting the opinion of the Guardians as to the yield of the respective crops,

Ordered, That the Clerk forward to the Guardians of the several Electoral divisions one copy to be inspected, signed & returned,

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Ordinary Proceedings

The Board proceed with the admission of paupers to the Workhouse and Fever Hospitals of the Union during which the Ordinary class of paupers were admitted.

The Porter laid on the Boards table the Return he was ordered to make on last Board day.

The question of the alteration proposed to be made in the dining Hall was further postponed.

Mr Byrne Guardian for Rosard informed the Board that there were still some Boilers which had been used in 1847 by the Relief Committees but as those Boilers had now become the property of the Guardians they ought to be looked after,

Ordered. That any information given to the Clerk on the subject and in whose possession any of those Boilers may be shall be attended to and application be made by him to the party to deliver them up to the Board.

The Chairman then called on the Clerk to read the notice of Motion placed on the Books by Mr Barkey which having been read a Resolution was put forward by Mr Barkey and seconded by Mr Fitzpatrick which having been objected to as not similar to the Notice both were read and compared by the Chairman who stated they were substantially the same altho some difference in the wording only but at the

same time requested Mr Barkey to put forward the notice as already set forth on the Minutes of the 8th Inst. and move it to be adopted as his Resolution to which Mr Barkey assented — previous however to his Lordship putting Mr Barkeys Resolution which went for £50 a year, an amendment was handed in by Mr Patrick Doran and seconded by Mr Donohoe to the following effect "That the Salary of the Medical Officer of this House be £65 a year henceforward upon which the Chairman put the Amendment and took down the voting which appeared to be

For Mr Dorans Amendment 11
~~Mr Barkeys Resolution~~
Against Mr Dorans Amendment 16

after which Mr Carroll moved another amendment which was seconded by Sir J Power "That the Medical Officers Salary shall be continued under existing circumstances at the rate of £75 pr Ann as already fixed on, upon which the Chairman again proceeded to take a poll and having counted votes they appeared to be

For Mr Carrolls Amendment 21
For Mr Barkeys Resolution 10

subsequently the Chairman put the original Resolution and declared it to be lost and Mr Carrolls Amendment carried.

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

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardian[illegible] thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Election [illegible]

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was 2
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 29th
day of December 1859

John [illegible]
Clerk of the Union

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORTHY UNION, on Thursday, the 22nd day of December 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 Dispensary *District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a requisition from the* Committee *for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon as follows:—*

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

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

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

Read Letter from) *dated*
stating that —

(Signed,) John Doyle Chairman

Clerk of the Union.

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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 24th day of December 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
Workhouse,	1541	319
Permanent Buildings,		
Additional Workhouse,		
Permanent Fever Hospital	220	11
Campile Hospital		
TOTAL,	1761	330

	Able-bodied. Males.	Able-bodied. Fem.	Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working. Males.	Aged and Infirm persons. Fem.	Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age. Boys.	Girls.	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.
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return,	13	90	42	79	27	14	15	20	24	324
Admitted during the week.	3	8	1	2	1	1	1	2	-	19
TOTAL,	16	98	43	81	28	15	16	22	24	343
Discharged during the week,	4	3	.	.	.	.	1	1	1	10
Died, - - - - -	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	2	3
Total Discharged and Dead,	4	4	.	.	.	.	1	1	3	13
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	12	94	43	81	28	15	15	21	21	330

RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.

Number in Hospital on the above date.		No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
In Workhouse Hospital.	73	In separate Wards.	29
In Fever Hospital.	11	In Wards with other Inmates.	-
Total,	84	Total,	29

Died in W House 3
" " Hospl. 0
3

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1858 326
Increase 4

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 24 day of Dec. 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. Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1. Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Total relieved out of the Workhouse. 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 29th day of December 1859

PRESENT: *In the Chair,* John Doyle Senr. Esq. Subsequently J. Cullen Esq. & Lord Carew

Other Guardians: C. Hill, B. Doherty, L. Sweetman, G. Hore, J. Pounder, J. Bolger, C. Lett, J. Browne, J. Graham, W. Kirkpatrick, P. Doran, G. C. Roberts, J. Furling.

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The Minutes of last Meeting were read and Signed.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 3122 to No. 3141 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. 7131 to No. 7132 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:—

Begs to submit for consideration the Letters he had received from the Insurance Offices and it is necessary to decide the question today as the premium of Insurance must be paid on next Board day to keep within the limit of 15 days allowed after the 25th Inst.

Ordered. The Insurance in the Sun Office be continued on the terms prefixed in their Letter dated 29th Inst the Tender being reasonable.

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, ... £192 . 8 . 8

Paid during the week, ... £21 . 14 . 9

And that the Balance on the Account In favor *the Guardians was* £ 600 . 7 . 2

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, duly verified, and have been 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. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.	Remaining. £	s.	d.	Total. £	s.	d.	Date of last Attendance.
JAMES DOYLE.....	Enniscorthy, -	10	17	10				399	10	9				
	Ballyhogue, -	1	10	.				89	9	10½				
	Bree, - - -							74	17	5				
	The Leap, -	1	8	6				67	16	10				
	Total, -				13	16	4				631	14	10½	
MICHAEL BYRNE ...	Ferns, - -	.	.	.				142	2	2				
	Tinnacross, - -							48	7	10				
	Kilbora, - -	.	.	.				29	2	10½				
	Ballycarney, -	.	.	.				28	17	6½				
	Total, -										248	10	5	
WM. FITZPATRICK ...	Newtownbarry, -	.	.	.				177	8	1½				
	Kilrush, - -	.	.	.				82	3	8				
	Tombrack, - -	.	.	.				56	18	6½				
	Cranemore, - -	.	.	.				25	5	.				
	St. Mary's, - -	.	.	.				46	.	6½				
	Total -				.	.	.				387	15	10½	
NICHOLAS KEHOE ...	Ballyhuskard, -	35	0	11				36	5	2				
	Kilmallock, - -	.	.	.				52	2	5				
	Edermine, - -	30	10	10				57	18	1½				
	Total, -				65	11	9				146	5	8½	
JOHN CULLEN.....	Killan, - -	.	.	.				35	0	1½				
	Clonroche, - -	32	16	.				72	14	10½				
	Castleboro, - -	.	.	.				59	7	.				
	Kiltealy, - -							13	17	4				
	Total, -				32	16	.				180	19	4	
MOSES BYRNE.....	Marshalstown, -	5	1	7				59	18	0½				
	Killoughram, -	21	1	.				66	0	4½				
	Ballindaggin, -	.	.	.				61	13	10				
	Castledockrill, -	3	9	8				33	15	10				
	Rossard, - -	8	2	8				36	17	11				
	Total, -				37	14	11				258	6	.	
EDWARD GAHAN....	The Harrow, -	11	18	10				20	6	9½				
	Ballymore, - -	9	12	8				9	9	8				
	Kilcormack, - -	3	18	2				14	9	2½				
	Total, -				25	9	8				114	5	8	
HENRY WALSH.....	Castletalbot, -	.	.	.				39	14	3½				
	Castle-Ellis, -	.	.	.				64	11	8½				
	Bolaboy, - -	.	.	.				49	2	5				
	Ballyvaldon, -	.	.	.				53	17	1				
Farm Produce	Total, -				17	.	.				207	5	6	
	Total, £				192	8	8				2105	3	4½	

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.

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £3 - 15 - 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

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

Clothing	1	7	4
Establishm.t	0	15	0
Dispensr	1	10	0
Elections, Lands	0	3	0
£	3	15	4

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By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £57 s. 3 d. 0

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	35	2	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	3
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... -		3	9

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

Meat	120 lbs	Coarse Beef	89 lbs
Bread	2300 "	Ox Heads	1 —
Flour	224 "	Whiskey	48 ℔
Buttermilk	170 Gals	Candles	20
Sweetmilk	868 qts	Starch	3½
Salt	112 lbs	Washing Soda	3½
Tea	99 Ozs	Blue	½
Sugar	708 "	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 24 day of December whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ... -		5	"
In Kind, ... -			
Total ... ... -		5	"

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

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

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

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.*

63.	Revd. D Byrne	P Chaplain	Salary	7 10 -
64.	Revd. H Murphy	R C do	do	15 - -
65.	P Rourke	Medl. Officer	do	18 15 -
66.	J. Kennedy	Clerk	do	27 10 -
67.	G. Maguire	Master	do	15 - -
68.	Mary Martin	Matron	do	6 - -
69.	Mrs. Kenny	Schoolmaster	do	5 - -
70.	Margaret Harris	Schoolmistress	do	5 - -
71.	John Doyle	Porter	do	3 15 -
72.	Catherine McLean	Nurse	do	3 15 -
73.	Andrew Hamill	Relieving Officer	do	6 5 -

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66.	J Kennedy	Returning Officer	Salary	2 10 -

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

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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.

24	82	Andrew Henrick Relieving Offic		

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

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

Orders on Contractors and others were signed for the following:

2 lbs Lump Sugar, 21 lbs Logwood, 7 lbs Copperas
3½ lbs Sumack, 1 gal wool oil, 1 gal train oil,
3½ lbs Hemp, 6 Padlocks.

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

Medical Officers Report

Remaining in Hospital from last week		69
Admitted during the week		9
Total		78
Discharged Cured	7	
Sent to Fever Hospital	0	
Died	3	10
Remaining		68
Number on Infirm Diets out of Hospital		6
do in Idiot Wards		29

Jane Kirchick aged 42 died of Scrofula
James Dowd aged 6 weeks Hydrocephalus
Mary Ryan " 13 mo. Pertussis

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

Masters Report

The Matron requires 500 yds of Linsey for Outside Petticoats also 100 Handkerchiefs,

Owing to the sudden change in the Weather he was prevented from going on with the wheat sowing and he could not yet attempt putting a plough in the Land. There have been 67 tons of the Mangold sold up to the present.

Ordered. That advertisements issue for the Linsey and Handkerchiefs, Tenders to be considered on this day fortnight.

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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 22nd Decr. 59 No. 284 } Informing the Board that Mr. Simms has been appointed to audit the accounts of the Union and that he will communicate with the Clerk when notice is to be given for audit,

" 22nd Decr. 59 } From the Secretaries of the National Board of Education enclosing Receipts for the gratuities awarded to the Agriculturist and Teacher,

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Ordinary Proceedings

The Board proceeded with the consideration of applications for relief in the Workhouse and Fever Hospitals of the Union from the Relieving Officers Books viz

Bridget Byrne or Nolan aged 4 years who had been admitted provisionally – her mother being in Wexford Gaol. – admitted on the Union.

Mary Keegan 66 – single, left the House lately – was now brought sick in a Car. Admitted on Killtealy.

Anne Fitzpatrick 25. single – in Fever admitted to Hospital on Newtown Barry.

Mary Furlong 10. Child – had lived with her Grandfather in Blackwater the last 7 years came to Enniscorthy last August admitted to Hospital on Castle Talbot.

Daniel Nolan 20. – single who had been provisionally admitted from the effects of a sore foot and not being able to work. admitted on the Union.

Anty Connolly 30 single servant, pregnant, lived last year in Crane and the year previous in Marshalstown. admitted on Tinnacrofs.

James Kirwan married, labourer from Templeshannon – worked in Rofs with Mr Roche from 1st September 1857 to the month of June 1858. – is a Malster admitted on the Union.

Catherine Kelly 28 single a servant was confined to bed the last 18 months in Tomma had lived four years previously with Mr Robinson Bryanstown. a certificate was produced from the Doctor and Priest that she was unable to be removed to the Workhouse Admitted to Out door Relief for a week until next Board day the Relieving Officer to visit and report again on the question of residence next Board day.

Owen Foley 35. single, Shoemaker – admitted provisionally – from New St with pains admitted on Enniscorthy.

Mary Oakes 16 single, – her father confined to bed the last fortnight in Templeshannon. – admitted on Enniscorthy.

Mary Byrne 16 – was taken out of the House last harvest by Mr Mill of Crane near Ferns and hired her at £6 a quarter she being then an Inmate of the Workhouse, the agreement was that she should be kept for a year at that rate upon which the Board gave her a new suit of clothing going out. She had been there five months and received but 8/ Mr Mill told her last week that he would pay her no more wages but that she might stop if she liked without wages.

Ordered. Mary Byrne is admitted on the Union. the Clerk to write the above statement to Mr Mill and request he will attend the Board for explanation on this day week.

David Cuthbert an Inmate who had been in the Militia applied for some clothing to enable him to leave the Workhouse. He was called up and examined.

Ordered. That the Master supply

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him with such clothing as he can make up from the clothing of inmates who died in the House,

Moved by Mr Cullen
Seconded by Mr Roberts & Resolved

That as there have not been any Reports from the Visiting Committee for some length of time and it being desirable that some members of the Board should visit the House from time to time, that the following members be requested to visit and report each week in turn, that this course was suggested by Captain Hamilton who found it to work well in Other Unions, the Clerk to write to each member when his week for reporting shall come round. By carrying out this arrangement each member would pay a visit only once in four months on any day of the week which may suit his convenience viz, Lord Carew, J Maher, G C Roberts, O Hill, B O'Flaherty, H A LeHunte, L Sweetman, J Litt, A J Cliffe, J J Lane, J Cullen, J Bolger, G Hore, M Kinch, Chas Litt, J Browne, P Doran, J Furling. —
Lord Carew promised to take next week as a beginning.

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	9

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	.
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	3
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	.

Arthur Litt

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 5th day of January 1860

Thomas

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Clerk of the Union

Moved by Mr Cullen
Seconded by Mr Bolger

That having further considered the necessity of providing a ~~R C~~ R C Chapel for the Inmates the Guardians still adhere to their former proposition viz. to erect no new buildings outside but to take the Chapel off the Dining Hall — and now propose instead of a brick Partition to put up a moveable sliding partition in the Dining Hall to the height of the Girder, divided into 7 Parts which will require to be framed, those adjoining each wall to be 3½ feet in Width and be made stationary, the Intermediate five to be made 3 feet each, four of them to act on Rollers or Pullies and the other one to be a folding frame which will answer as a door, the Opes between the Girder Freempost and Principals to be filled up with the old Sashes now in store, by this arrangement there will be 33 feet by 22 for a Chapel and 32 feet by 22 for a Dining Hall in which 100 Inmates can dine at once and is sufficiently large to afford accommodation to the present numbers without any additional Buildings and should the numbers increase which is very improbable the partition can be very easily removed, the Clerk to send the plans to the Commissioners for their Information,

Mr Bolger brought under consideration the notice of motion placed on the Books on the 15th Inst which the Chairman read to the Board

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after due consideration it was
Moved by Mr Bolger and
Seconded by Mr Sweetman
That all orders for the supply of boys & Girls clothing when leaving the Work-house be advertised for in future.

The Schoolmistress requested leave of absence on business of importance to herself for a few days,

Ordered, Leave granted for a week the Monitress to take charge under the Superintendance of the Station,

The Clerk submitted a list of vaccination cases transmitted to the Board by the Dispensary Committee of Killan,

Ordered, That the Vaccination of these cases be paid for in one month under the Vaccination Act,

The Chairman then signed the Orders and Cheques after which the Board separated,

M Kennedy
Clk

John Lett

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

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

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

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

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The following 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 £
					£ s. d.
30.	74.	M J Carton	M D	Salary	18 - 15 - 0
31.	75.	Frederick Stock	do	do	18 - 15 - 0
26.	76.	Richard Carey	do	do	17 - 10 - 0
27.	77.	G H Lang	do	do	16 - 5 - 0
28.	78.	J Taylor	do	do	16 - 5 - 0
29.	79.	Saml. Goodisson	do	do	12 - 10 - 0
29.	80.	T G Cranfield	do	do	12 - 10 - 0
30.	81.	Patrick Pettham	Porter at Workhouse		3 - 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, . . £

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[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,)*

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

Read Letter from *dated*
stating that

(Signed,)

Clerk of the Union.

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