

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

27 day of July 1861.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.				Total.	No. of Inmates and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse.	957	337												
Permanent Buildings.														
Additional Workhouse.														
Permanent Fever Hospital.	67	10												
Fever Sheds.														
TOTAL.	1024	347												
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			12	94	51	75	20	18	20	28	31	349	In Workhouse Hospital. 129	
Admitted during the week.			6	4		1			1			12	In Fever Hospital. 10	
TOTAL.			18	98	57	76	20	18	21	28	31	361	Total. 201	
Discharged during the week.			6	5	1	1					1	14		
Died.														
Total Discharged and Dead.			6	5	1	1					1	14		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			12	93	50	75	20	18	21	28	30	347		
													NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1860. 305	
													In 1861. 42	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 27 day of July authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	41	97			41	97
No. II.						
No. III.						
TOTAL.	41	97			41	97

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Thursday, the 1<sup>st</sup> day of August 1861.

PRESENT: In the Chair, W. A. Leifunt Esq.

Other Guardians: R. Jordan, M. Summitt, M. Browne, J. Doyle Esq., J. Doyle J. M. Doyle, P. Hunt

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.

George Stacy of Ballyoghtra  
and  
Eliza Essey Hughes of Incheester  
Parish of Inch

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 456 to No. 458 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. 724 to No. 727, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That the Rate Books being nearly ready the Collectors duty is to fill up Collecting Books from them if they cannot do them properly I shall get them done for them under my own inspection and at a very moderate rate of charge. The Clerk mentions this to the Board that they and the Commissioners may be aware of the arrangement.

Ordered, The Board are satisfied with this arrangement between the Clerk and the Collectors.

The Board will please to make an order as to what newspapers shall the publication of the Rates be made, they will have to be published on Saturday next as the advertisements must appear at least 14 days previous to the Books being signed exclusive of Sundays.

Ordered, To be advertised in the local papers.

The Master had returned & resumed his duties.

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

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

Paid during the week, £ 71. 14. 3

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was £ 336. 13. 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.	Total.	Remaining.	Total.	Date of last Attendance.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
JAMES DOYLE.....	Enniscorthy, -			18 10 3		
	Ballyhogue, -			2 19 4		
	Bree, -			2 1 6		
	The Leap, -			3 15 11		
	Total, -				27 11 1	
MICHAEL BYRNE....	Ferns, -			5 6 3		
	Tinnacross, -			3 14 4		
	Kilbora, -			3 17 1		
	Ballycarney, -			2 15 2		
	Total, -				15 76 10	
WM. FITZPATRICK....	Newtownbarry, -			2 5		
	Kilrush, -			3 5		
	Tombrack, -			5 8		
	Cranemore, -			1 0		
	St. Mary's, -			1 3		
	Total, -				2 11 11	
NICHOLAS KEHOE....	Ballyhuskard, -			2 11 1		
	Kilmallock, -			1 4 5		
	Edermine, -			6 12 11		
	Total, -				10 8 5	
JOHN CULLEN.....	Killan, -					
	Clonroche, -			2 14 7		
	Castleboro, -			1 6 11		
	Kiltealy, -			10 1		
	Total, -				4 11 7	
EDWARD DOYLE.....	Marshallstown, -			4 10		
	Killoughram, -			3 3		
	Ballindaggin, -			11		
	Castledockrill, -			8		
	Rossard, -			2 5		
	Total, -				12 1	
EDWARD GAHAN....	The Harrow, -			10		
	Ballymore, -			2		
	Kilcormack, -			13		
	Total, -				16 9	
HENRY WALSH.....	Castletalbot, -			4 7		
	Castle-Ellis, -			0 2		
	Bolaboy, -			1 5		
	Ballyvaldon, -			1 8		
	Total, -				7 9	
	Total, £				62 16 8	

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

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



The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 3. 13. 11 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. 4. 4  
Establishment 1. 12. 9  
Disburse<sup>no</sup> 16. 10  
£ 3. 13. 11

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By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 67 s. 6 d. 0

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 46. 17. 10

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, ... 3. 3

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 3. 8

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

Meat	261 lbs	Ox Heads	2
Bread	2500	Sheep Heads	7
India Meal	1120	Whiskey	2 gals
Buttermilk	150 gals	Wine	1/2 doz
Sweetmilk	880 gals	Candles	6 lbs
Salt	112 lbs	Soap	112
Sea	108 oz	Starch	3 1/2
Sugar	778	Blue	1/2
W Soda	3 1/2 lbs	Tobacco	4 oz

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 27 day of July, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	...	...	...	5. 4. 6
In Kind,	...	...	...	...
Total	...	...	...	5. 4. 6

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

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

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

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

133.	Peter Doyle	Rent	1	10	.
134	A Ferrick	Relieving Officer	5	.	.
135.	P Coleman	School requisites	1	17	4

## 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:

3 Hides Bull Leathers  
1 of Hairs  
1 gross fresh Soap  
1 Apron Do  
2 stn'd Lined Metal  
Scales for the Infirmary

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

## Medical Officers Report

Remaining in Hospital from last week 92  
Admitted during the week 9  
Total 101

Discharged cured 12  
Sent to Poor Hospital 0  
Dead 0  
Remaining 89

Number in Infirmary Diet at Hospital 7  
Do in Isolation Wards 29

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

## Masters Report

That the Hay having been sold by Auction on yesterday realised the sum of £28.18.0  
Held over for use of the animals at same valuation 8.0.0  
£36.18.0

The Lunatic Johna Usher was conveyed to Carlow Asylum on Saturday last.

The Schoolmistress required a few sponges for use of the children at the recommendation of Mr Clarke, National School Inspector.  
Ordered. The Sponges allowed.

The Schoolmaster required a few school requisites a list of which was submitted to the Board.  
Ordered. School requisites allowed.



That Mr. Crickton had left yesterday and the new Schoolmaster Mr. Colman had entered upon the discharge of his duties in the Male School.

## Agricultural Report

The Farm and male school were visited on Saturday last by Mr. Brogan sub agricultural Inspector who made the following report.

Agricultural Instruction	-	Satisfactory proficiency
Supply of Books	-	supply sufficient
Preservation	-	Pretty good
Now Read	-	Agricult. Class Book page 12
Cultivation of Crops	-	Same as at last visit
Culture	-	very fair and efficient
Cropping	-	Judicious & very successful on the whole
Manures	-	Carefully managed

Though some of the more advanced boys left since my last visit the organization & instruction of the Agricultural classes is still satisfactorily maintained and the pupils receive a very respectable amount of proficiency in both the theory and practice of improved agriculture.

The farm cultivation continues to be effectively and successfully conducted and the cropping, both green and grain crops promise a very fair return - indeed much better than could reasonably be expected considering the unfavorable effect on vegetation of the dry weather in April, May & June.

With reference to a Resolution recently adopted by the Board of Guardians with the object of further developing the beneficial results of

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

the system of industrial training so successfully carried out in this institution. I beg to say that should the Commissioners of National Education refer to me on the matter - I will deem it my duty to recommend as earnestly as possible cooperation with the views of the Guardians.

July 27<sup>th</sup> 1861.

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 31 July '61 } Enclosing questions for answer  
No. 10556 } by the persons who may be appointed to collect the rent rates in the Union.



# Ordinary Proceedings

The Board proceeded to consider the applications for relief from the Relieving Officers Report Book and admitted to the Workhouse and Dress Hospitals of the Union.

A Letter was read from the Chairman Lord Carson dated London 29<sup>th</sup> 21<sup>st</sup> enclosing a copy of the "Irish Poor removal Bill," which was to be read a second time that night in the Lords. — as the Board might wish to see its provisions. He stated that he had presented the Boards Petition some time since and expected to be at Castlebar next week.

Mr. Gairford of Carine appeared requesting to be allowed to take out to service the girl Mary Carley aged about 21 years. Both agreed in presence of the Board for the ensuing 12 months — Clothing to the value of £3 allowed.

Mary Walsh of Marley applied for the girl Eliza Brady aged 12 years. Mr. Patrick Doyle the Guardian of the Division in which Mary Walsh lived promised to see the little girl occasionally and engaged she should be properly cared and attended to by Mary Walsh. Clothing allowed £1-0-0.

John Kehoe of Ballyboy requested to be allowed to take out the boy Edward Cronan aged 16 and undertook to pay him £2 - a year — Clothing allowed £1-5-0.

Mrs. Lacey of Tombrack applied for the girl Bridget Kelly aged 19. Both agreed to the wages £6 a year — the girl to get a gown, Bonnet and pair of shoes from the Board which they allowed.

Mr. Doyle the Guardian for Kiltaleah applied for the woman Eliza Kavanagh and child aged 4 years. The child to be taken out by its grandfather and be supported by him. The mother to go to service in some townland — the Guardian undertaking to see this arrangement faithfully carried out.

Ordered. Clothing allowed.

The Chairman then signed the Orders and Cheques & 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	...	...	1
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	...	...	45
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	...	...	"

*Philip M. L. M.*  
*2* *Guinnian* *8<sup>th</sup>*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the  
 day of *August* 18*64*

*Murray*

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORTHY UNION, on  
Thursday, the 1<sup>st</sup> day of August 1861, —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 Clonsilla Dispensary District, approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and Directions were given thereon as follows:—

*Ordered, The Medical  
requirements allowed.*

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

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

*See last page*



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

Read Letter from  
stating that

*P. L. Commissioners* dated 31 July /61  
No. 16556

With reference to minutes of the Guardians of the 25<sup>th</sup> 2<sup>nd</sup> inst. proposing to remunerate Doctor Goodisson for his services in the Dispensary District of Killeen during the illness of the Medical Officer Doctor Lang at the rate of £8.0.0 p<sup>a</sup> month for two months expressing their approval to the proposed remuneration.

(Signed,)

*Philip M. O'Connell*

*Chairman.*

*M. Munnay*

Clerk of the Union.

# ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Population in 1851.....53,862

Present Net Annual Value,....£109,526.

AREA in Statute Acres, 190,689.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the

3 day of August 1861.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
													Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Inmates and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse, Permanent Buildings.	957	325													
Additional Workhouse, Permanent Fever Hospital.	67	8													
Fever Sheds.															
TOTAL.	1024	343													
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			12	93	50	25	20	18	21	28	30	347	In Workhouse Hospital. { 57	In separate Wards. { 128	
Admitted during the week.			13	6	1			1	1	1	2	25	In Fever Hospital. { 8	In Wards with other inmates { -	
TOTAL.			25	99	51	25	20	19	22	29	32	372	Total, 105	Total, 128	
Discharged during the week.			7	12	1	0	1	1	1	2	3	28			
Died, - - - - -				1								1			Died 1
Total Discharged and Dead.			7	13	1		1	1	1	2	3	29			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			18	86	50	25	19	18	21	27	29	343	NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1860 { 289		1861 { 34

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 3 day of August authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	42	100			42	100
No. II.						
No. III.						
TOTAL.	42	100			42	100

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Thursday, the 8<sup>th</sup> day of August 1861.

PRESENT: In the Chair,

*P. M. Cooke Esqr & subsequently John Cullen Esqr and Rt. Hon. Lord Carson*

Other Guardians:

*Lieut. W. P. Power, J. Sweetman, G. C. Roberts, J. Bolger, G. Store, John Doyle Esqr, M<sup>r</sup>. Doyle, Chas. Lett,*

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. 4578 to No. 4603 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. 7527 to No. 7530, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.  
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:—

*That the Rate Books were now ready for the Collectors to copy into the collecting Books and begged to suggest respectfully that the Collectors may receive directions to come and fill them up as is their duty to do.*

The Ledger was produced by the Clerk, posted up to the last day of Meeting, with the proper Debits and Credits, as ordered on that day.  
The Treasurer's Book of Receipts and Payments was produced, by which it appeared that there had been received during the week, ... .. £ . . .  
Paid during the week, ... .. £ 20 . 16 . 3  
And that the Balance on the Account *against* the Guardians was £ 567 . 9 . 10

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			Date of last Attendance.
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
JAMES DOYLE.....	Enniscorthy, -							18	10	3½				
	Ballyhogue, -							2	19	4½				
	Bree, -							2	1	6				
	The Leap, -							3	19	11½				
	Total, -										27	11	1½	
MICHAEL, BYRNE....	Ferns, -							5	6	3				
	Tinnacross, -							3	14	4				
	Kilbora, -							3	17	1½				
	Ballycarney, -							2	19	2				
	Total, -										15	16	10½	
WM. FITZPATRICK....	Newtownbarry, -							2		5½				
	Kilrush, -								3	5½				
	Tombrack, -								5	8½				
	Cranemore, -								1	0½				
	St. Mary's, -								1	3½				
	Total, -										2	11	11½	
NICHOLAS KEHOE....	Ballyhuskard, -							2	11	1				
	Kilmallock, -							1	4	5				
	Edermine, -							6	12	11				
	Total, -										10	8	5	
JOHN CULLEN.....	Killan, -													
	Clonroche, -							2	14	7½				
	Castleboro, -							1	6	11				
	Kiltealy, -								10	1				
	Total, -										4	11	7½	
EDWARD DOYLE.....	Marshallstown, -								4	10				
	Killoughram, -								3	3				
	Ballindaggin, -									11				
	Castledockrill, -									8				
	Rossard, -								2	5				
	Total, -											12	1	
EDWARD GAHAN....	The Harrow, -									10½				
	Ballymore, -								2					
	Kilcormack, -								13	11				
	Total, -												16½	
HENRY WALSH.....	Castletalbot, -								4	7½				
	Castle-Ellis, -									0½				
	Bolaboy, -								1	5				
	Ballyvaldon, -								1	8½				
	Total, -												79½	
	Total, £										62	16	8	

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



The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £3. 14. 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.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £45 s. 5 d. 0

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.  
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 48. 14. 11

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.  
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... 2. 1. 1/2  
Average cost in Infirmary, ... 3. 3  
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 5. 4

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

Meat	160 lbs	Sheep Heads	5
Bread	2440	Whiskey	2 gals
Buttermilk	140 gals	Wine	3/4 doz
Sweetmilk	880 qts	Candles	6 lbs
Salt	112 lbs	Soap	112 "
Tea	110 oz	Starch	3 "
Sugar	576	W Loda	3 "
Corned Beef	81 lbs	Blue	1 "
Onions	2	Tobacco	4 oz

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

In Money,	...	...	...	5. 8. 0
In Kind,	...	...	...	...
Total	...	...	...	5. 8. 0

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

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

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

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

137.	Saml. Gordon	Hospital fees	19	2	7
138.	Richard Barry	do	10	9	4
139.	Maria Maguire	Groceries	8	7	9
140.	Same	same	1	7	7
141.	Edward Roche	same	7	8	"
142.	Andrew Doyle	Buttermilk	8	1	8
143.	Mary Sherron	Sweetmilk	6	18	4
144.	Mary Davis	do	11	8	8
145.	Robert Cosgrove	do	10	11	4
146.	Wm. J. Plakerty	Clothing	1	1	9
147.	Saml. Armstrong	Lard	1	16	"
148.	David Connor	Flour	6	13	10
149.	Robert Swayne	Chandlery	5	8	7
150.	Mell. Stock	Vaccinations	5	"	"
151.	Robert Swayne	Soap	1	7	8
152.	Peter Shearnan	Meat	16	12	1
153.	Edward Phelan	Quails	29	14	"
154.	Andrew Arnuch	Apples	5	"	"

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

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

6 reaping Hooks  
3 1/2 lbs car grease  
20 sup Leather  
3 1/2 Hemp

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

# Medical Officers Report

Remaining in Hospital from last week 89  
Admitted during the week 11  
Total 100

Discharged Cured 6  
Sent to Fever Hospital 1  
Died 0  
Remaining 93

Womles on Infirmary Pato out of Hospital 7  
Do in Edist wards 29

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

# Masters Report

He had the Hay collected and made into a Rick on Tuesday last. He had also about 8 1/2 statute acres of the wheat cut and in stack.

He begged to lay before the Board the meat delivered on this day for inspection.

Miss Maguire had delivered the Leather ordered on last Board day please to have it inspected.

Thomas Macness admitted 21<sup>st</sup> May last then subject to Epilepsy has since become insane it will therefore be necessary



to make application for his admission to Carlow Asylum.

Ordered. The Meat to be boiled and the Master to report on next Board Day (Wednesday) the quantity of Bone in it. Application to be made to the Governor of Carlow Asylum for admission of MacInnes. - the other requirements allowed.

The Visitors Book showed the following entry,

I visited every department of the Workhouse this day and found it in good order - all in the Hospital well cared and no complaints. The children in both schools orderly and apparently in good health the greater part of the women & men that could work out with the Master on the Farm reaping & binding. The wheat crop will not be as productive as last year as it appears thin and in some parts blighted partially. I doubt if there will be more than half the produce of last season - also the Harpolds I fear will be a short crop this year as they appear at present to be getting on very slowly in their growth - many have suffered from the drought when sown ~~and came up~~ and came up very unevenly.

Signed  
Thomas Lett

August 6<sup>th</sup> 1861.

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 1<sup>st</sup> Aug<sup>r</sup> 1861 } Requiring particulars of Matters  
no 1408 } made or agreed to be made  
in the Union during the month  
of July last.

7 Aug<sup>r</sup> 1861 } In reference to the Clerks report  
no 17006 } of last Board day respecting the  
preparation of the collecting Books  
either by the Collectors themselves  
or if done under his own inspection  
they allowing remuneration to the  
writers who would be engaged  
at that work - The Commissioners  
do not think it advisable for the  
Clerk to have anything to do with the  
Books as if a Collector cannot prepare  
his own Collecting Books it would  
appear doubtful whether he is  
competent to discharge the duties  
of a Collector satisfactorily.

Moved by Mr. B. L. G. G.  
Seconded by Mr. Nich. Doyle

That the Collectors Books be filled  
up in the way they have been  
hitherto by the Clerk.



# Ordinary Proceedings

The Board proceeded with the admission of paupers from the Relieving Officers Book and admitted to the Workhouse and Sewer Hospitals of the Union.

Mary Kimmey aged 15 applied for admission after having returned from the service of John Kelly of Brunswick who took her out of the House three months ago at wages of a quarter - He offered only 3/- to her and she was obliged to summon him for the balance.

Ordered, Mary Kimmey admitted.

Ordered, That Mr Doyle Ballymore-naue be informed that the girl Bolger recently taken out for service by him came to the Workhouse today for admission but without the clothing she got going out.

A Letter was read from the owner of the House used as a Branch Dispensary at Glendaw in the Ennisworth Dispensary District claiming to have the Rent raised from £3 - to £5.5/- per ann. He offering to supply all coals required, candle light, attendance and stable for the accommodation of the Medical Attendant.

Ordered, The Rent of £5.5/- per ann to be allowed to Humphrey Connolly as proposed - a Contract to be entered into with 3 months clause of surrender and the advanced rate of rent to take effect from the 29<sup>th</sup> September next.

Ordered, That the Collectors make a Return to the Board by Wednesday next of their outstanding arrears for examination and in Order to ascertain what rates should be inserted in the new rate Books or what may be irrecoverable.

Ordered, That as next Sunday will be a Holiday the Board adjourn this meeting to Wednesday the 14<sup>th</sup> Inst.

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



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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	...	...	13

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	45
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 *Wednesday* the *14<sup>th</sup>* day of *August* 1861

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(No. 27.) }

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORTHY UNION, on Thursday, the *8<sup>th</sup>* day of *August* 186*1*,—continued.

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

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

An Invoice of Medicines forwarded by the Contractor, for the *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  
stating that*

*dated*

*(Signed,)*

*W. Kennedy*  
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

10<sup>th</sup> day of August 1861.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building as the above date	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS.
		Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse.	957	331												
Permanent Buildings.														
Additional Workhouse.	67	10												
Permanent Fever Hospital.														
Fever Sheds.														
TOTAL.	1024	341												
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.		18	86	50	75	19	18	21	27	29	343	In Workhouse Hospital, 199	In separate Wards, 129	
Admitted during the week.		13	7	2		1	1	1		3	28	In Fever Hospital, 10	In Wards with other inmates, -	
TOTAL.		31	93	52	75	20	19	22	27	32	371	Total, 199	Total, 129	
Discharged during the week.		11	11	2		1	2		1	1	30			
Died, - - - -														
Total Discharged and Dead.		12	11	2		1	2		1	1	30			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.		19	82	50	75	19	17	22	26	31	341			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 10 day of August authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	35	78			35	78
No. II.						
No. III.						
TOTAL.	35	78			35	78

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Thursday, the 14<sup>th</sup> day of August 1861.

PRESENT: In the Chair,

P. M. Cooke Esq. & J. Cullen Esq.

Other Guardians:

J. A. Lett, G. H. Hore, J. Bolger, M. Keill, J. P. Patrick, M. Doyle, J. B. Bardon, J. Doyle Jr., M. Smith, C. Byrne.



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.

David Tennott of Ballytauna  
to  
Mary Cahill of Style Culant

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4603 to No. 4631 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. 2530 to No. 2530, 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 Mr. Jordall had lodged £28-12/- yesterday for hay and deposited the Bank Receipt with him — the expenses charged were of as per account.

That Mr. Patrick Cullen had perfected a Bond of Security for the cabbages lately purchased from the Board — on yesterday.

Begged very respectfully to ask the Board to reconsider the Order made on the Commissioners' letter last Board day — respecting the Collectors being directed to fill up their Collecting Books from the Rate Books which are now ready.

Ordered, That the Clerk write to the Collectors to give their attendance for the completion of their Collecting Books before the 29<sup>th</sup> inst. on which day they are to be signed and delivered to them. Also to perfect their Bonds before that 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, ... .. £28-12-0

Paid during the week, ... .. £105-13-8

And that the Balance on the Account *against* the Guardians was £644-11-6

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

The Weekly balance-sheets of the several Collectors were laid before the Board, and were examined, retained and authenticated by the Clerk.

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			Date of last Attendance.
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
JAMES DOYLE.....	Enniscorthy, -							18	10	3 <sup>2</sup>				
	Ballyhogue, -							2	19	4 <sup>2</sup>				
	Bree, -							2	1	6				
	The Leap, -							5	19	11 <sup>2</sup>				
	Total, -										27	11	1 <sup>2</sup>	
MICHAEL BYRNE....	Ferns, -							5	6	3				
	Tinnacross, -							3	14	4				
	Kilbora, -							3	17	1 <sup>2</sup>				
	Ballycarney, -							2	19	2				
	Total, -										15	16	10 <sup>2</sup>	
WM. FITZPATRICK...	Newtownbarry, -							2		5 <sup>2</sup>				
	Kilrush, -							3	5 <sup>2</sup>					
	Tombrack, -							5	8 <sup>2</sup>					
	Cranemore, -							1	0 <sup>2</sup>					
	St. Mary's, -							1	5 <sup>2</sup>					
	Total, -										2	11	11 <sup>2</sup>	
NICHOLAS KEHOE....	Ballyhuskard, -							2	11	1				
	Kilmallock, -							1	4	5				
	Edermine, -							6	12	11				
	Total, -										10	8	5	
JOHN CULLEN.....	Killan, -													
	Clonroche, -							2	14	7 <sup>2</sup>				
	Castleboro, -							1	6	11				
	Kiltealy, -							10	1					
	Total, -										4	11	7 <sup>2</sup>	
EDWARD DOYLE.....	Marshallstown, -							4	10					
	Killoughram, -							3	3					
	Ballindaggin, -								11					
	Castledockrill, -								8					
	Rossard, -							2	5					
	Total, -										12	1		
EDWARD GAHAN.....	The Harrow, -								10 <sup>2</sup>					
	Ballymore, -							2						
	Kilcormack, -							13	11					
	Total, -										16	9 <sup>2</sup>		
HENRY WALSH.....	Castletalbot, -							4	7 <sup>2</sup>					
	Castle-Ellis, -								0 <sup>2</sup>					
	Bolaboy, -							1	5					
	Ballyvaldon, -							1	8 <sup>2</sup>					
	Total, -										17	9 <sup>2</sup>		
Grand Produce					28	12								
Total, £					28	12					62	16	8	

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



The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 1. 16. 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. 1. 4  
Establishment 0. 15. 0

£ 1. 16. 4

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By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 42 s. 13 d. 1.  
Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account. £ s. d.  
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 48. 4. 5  
Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.  
And the general average Cost of an Inmate for the week was ... 2. 1  
Average cost in Infirmary, ... 3. 3  
Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 5. 2  
The Master's estimate of Requirements for the ensuing week was examined and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:—

Meat	190 lbs	Whisky	2 gals
Coarse do	90 "	3 good Stone	
Bread	2400	Candles	6 lbs
Oatmeal	1120	Blue	3 1/2
Buttermilk	140 gal	W Soda	3 1/2
Sweetmilk	880 qt	Lamp Oil	4 gals
Sea	110 oz	Blue	1 lb
Sugar	580	Ox Heads Sheep Heads	4

The following Books were also produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his Signature:  
1. The several Clothing Accounts.  
2. The Medical Officers' Books.  
The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books for the several Relieving Officers, were then produced by the Clerk, their accuracy having been previously ascertained by him, and authenticated by his signature.  
The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 10 day of August whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	...	...	...	4. 9. 6
In Kind,	...	...	...	
Total	...	...	...	4. 9. 6

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

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

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

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

£ s. d.

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

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## 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 Officer Reported

Remaining in Hospital from last week 93  
 Admitted during the week 9  
 Total 102

Discharged Cured 8  
 Sent to Poor Hospital 0  
 died 0  
 Remaining 8  
 94

Waulers in Infirmary Deto out of Hosp. 7  
 do in Idiot Wards 29

He hoped the Guardians will kindly give him leave of absence for two or three weeks.

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

Doctor Sheridan will discharge the duties during his absence  
 Ordered. Leave granted.

Masters Report

Begged to state that he had completed harvesting the wheat crop yesterday and he expected to have it collected and ready for the threshing machine by Monday week the 26<sup>th</sup> Inst.

An inmate named Joanna Church admitted 12<sup>th</sup> June last then pregnant and registered in her religious denomination as a Protestant has since been confined and requests to have her child baptised in the R C Church. The Master communicated the circumstance to the Protestant Chaplain who enquired into the case and stated that as it was her



wish he had no objection.

Ordered. The girl was called before the Board and stated her wishes and the Registrar was altered accordingly.

That he had the form of admission for Thomas Headams filled up and forwarded to Doctor White Resident Physician of Carlton Asylum by the post of yesterday.

The Visitors Book showed the following entry  
by

Visited the House this day and carefully inspected every department, found it clean & well ventilated - On going thro the dormitories it struck me that a touch of the whitewash brush would be of use but if this be done periodically the Master knows when the time arrives to do it, another thing I wish to remark - on going from the women's yard into the dayroom I noticed to the matron some slops thrown out, some refuse matter which appeared to be the ingredients of soup - this if allowed to remain would generate smells and consequently <sup>be</sup> unwholesome.

On visiting the Schools I found some children in both. <sup>Agriculturist's Report.</sup> Others as I was informed on the land gleaming - the infants appeared healthy - scarcely any Ophthalmia which some years since was very prevalent amongst this class. The schoolmaster appears to me to be a very efficient teacher he examined a class for me. The answering was good but the proficiency not at all as it should be from the length of time some of the boys are in the school. He appears low spirited from what the late schoolmaster told him of the boys - that they were much given to tell untruths. This I have reason to believe from circumstances which if present I will explain to the Board. I would recommend the Board to have the schoolmaster called up.

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

and give him encouragement to go on with his business - at the same time to give him any directions they may think necessary for his guidance - when on the work-shops my attention was drawn to some old shoes that were at one side, I asked the shoemaker were these rejected - he said they were left there that he might pick out the best of them. He then took me to a loft where he said the cast off ones were - as I am of opinion the greater part of them can be made available I would recommend a Committee to inspect them. It struck me that the object was to get new work done forthwith to teach the boys

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):-

- the repairing <sup>respectively as follows</sup>:-  
- entirely neglected. I also visited the Farm where I found the Master was very busy with all the paupers that could or should work. Harvesting the wheat crops which I think will be very deficient this year - the yield will be a little more than half of former years but this is not to be wondered at as the season all the from the sowing to the present time has been the very opposite to what would bring a wheat crop to perfection. The Mangolds are a patchy crop - came up unevenly and remain so but this is general thro the country. The crops generally I remarked to the master are not as luxuriant as other years as if the land appears to be losing its fertility. The Master said that latterly he is short of manure and consequently is obliged to economise it by mixing head lands &c. so as to have enough with the aid of stimulants for the green crops. The Hospital is clean - Patients apparently well cared and no complaints.

Signed  
Joshua Lett.

Ordered. The Committee having inspected the old shoes it is our opinion that no new work should be put on hands until the old shall be looked over - selected and made available and that the shoemaker get orders to that effect, also the attention be called of the Matron to



called not to allow slops of any kind to be thrown at the entrance of the workhouse wall.

## No Commissioners Letters this day

## Ordinary Proceedings.

The Board proceeded with the admission of paupers to relief in the Workhouse and Fever Hospitals of the Union from the Relieving Officers Book,

The Board then proceeded to the election of Collectors for the new Rates and opened tenders.

Moved by Mr. Corpe and  
Seconded by Mr. Gore  
That the tender of James Doyle be accepted  
Sureties Messrs. Nathan Durling, and Stephen Doyle  
Wexford.

Moved by Mr. Bolger  
Seconded by Mr. Fitzpatrick  
That the tender of Edward Gahan be accepted  
Sureties Messrs. William Murphy Knockavacca  
and Walter Gahan Ballinacorney.

Moved by Mr. Byrne  
Seconded by Mr. O'Keill  
That Edward Doyle's tender be accepted  
Sureties Messrs. Nathan Durling, and Edward  
Leary of Marshalestown.

Moved by Mr. Fitzpatrick  
Seconded by Mr. Byrne  
That the tender of Mr. Bolger be accepted  
Sureties Messrs. Mr. Bolger, Ballybeg and  
Styles Doyle Bolinacorney.

Moved by Mr. Cooke  
Seconded by Mr. Bolger  
That the tender of Henry Walsh be accepted  
Sureties Edward Walsh Tinnucridge and  
Denis Byrne of Upston.

Moved by Mr. Bolger  
Seconded by Mr. Doyle  
That John Cullins tender be accepted  
Sureties Trinity Cullen, of Knockstown and  
James Cullen of Immeably.

Moved by Mr. Barlow  
Seconded by Mr. Bolger  
That the tender of Nicholas Tehee be accepted  
Sureties Messrs. James Durling of Jamestown  
and John Durling of Jamestown.

Moved by Mr. O'Fall.  
Seconded by Mr. Fitzpatrick  
That the tender of William Fitzpatrick be  
accepted. Sureties William Fitzpatrick, Ballin-  
acorney and John Wedd of Raheen.

They were severally put from the chair  
and unanimously appointed collectors. In the  
case of Mr. Bolger who is a new appointment  
in room of Michael Byrne - he was called before  
the Board and examined - his writing and totalling  
of figures approved. They all subsequently signed  
the sheets of Questions & Answers for the Commissioners  
and received directions to perfect their Bonds and attend  
the Clerk to put in the arrears into the new Rate  
Books and complete collecting Books by the 26<sup>th</sup>.  
That as all their Books will be ready to be taken



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Change of in the following Board day.

Mr. Bolger gave 14 days notice for alteration of that portion of the Resolution adopted on the 25<sup>th</sup> ulto relating to the period then named for completing the collection of the new Rates with the view of extending the period to the 1<sup>st</sup> March 1862.

The Schoolmistress applied for leave of absence for a fortnight or three weeks being ill from an affection in her throat and chest.

Ordered, Leave granted, the Master to make arrangements for care of the female School children during her absence and which the Master promised to do as best he could.

The Chairman then signed the Orders and Cheques & 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	...	...	15
The number of Applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	15

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	"
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	35
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 ... .. "

Philip M. Bolger  
Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August 1861.

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(No. 27.)

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORTHY UNION, on  
Wednesday the 14<sup>th</sup> day of August 1861, —continued.

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

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

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  
stating that

dated

(Signed,)

Philip McLooney  
Chairman

Clerk of the Union.

W. J. McLooney

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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 17 day of August 1861.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied.		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					No. in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Idiots in the Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse.	957	314													
Permanent Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,	67	18													
Permanent Fever Hospital Fever Sheds,															
TOTAL.	1024	332													
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.			19	82	50	25	19	17	21	26	31	341	In Work-house Hospital.	In Fever Hospital.	
Admitted during the week.			3	11				2	1	1		18			
TOTAL,			22	93	50	25	19	19	23	27	31	359			
Discharged during the week,			7	8	3		2		2	1	3	26			
Died, - - - - -					1							1			
Total Discharged and Dead,			7	8	4		2		2	1	3	27			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			15	85	46	25	17	19	21	26	28	332			
In Work-house Hospital. 194 In Fever Hospital. 18 In separate Wards. 129 In Wards with other inmates. 29 Total, 229															
Died - - - 1															
NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1860. 275															

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 17 day of August authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31. s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	35	78			35	78
No. II.						
No. III.						
TOTAL.	35	78			35	78

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Thursday, the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August 1861.

PRESENT: In the Chair, P M Cook Esq.

Other Guardians: G. Fox, J. Bolger.

Capt. Hamilton P.I. Inspector was in attendance.

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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 4631 to No. 4649 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. 730 to No. 730, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.  
The Clerk's Report on the execution of Orders previously made by the Board was read, to the following effect:—

*That the Rate Books are now ready and will be submitted to the Board for signature at the close of the Ordinary Business.*

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

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

Paid during the week, ... .. £66 - 2 - 10

And that the Balance on the Account *against* the Guardians was £ 710 - 14 - 4

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.			Total.			Remaining.			Total.			Date of last Attendance.
		£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	£	s.	d.	
JAMES DOYLE.....	Enniscorthy, -							18	10	3 <sup>2</sup>				
	Ballyhogue, -							2	19	6 <sup>2</sup>				
	Bree, - - -							2	1	6				
	The Leap, -							3	19	11 <sup>2</sup>				
	Total, -										27	11	1 <sup>2</sup>	
MICHAEL BYRNE....	Ferns, - - -							5	6	3				
	Tinnacross, -							3	14	4				
	Kilbora, - -							3	17	1 <sup>2</sup>				
	Ballycarney, -							2	19	2				
	Total, -										15	16	10 <sup>2</sup>	
WM. FITZPATRICK....	Newtownbarry, -							2		5 <sup>2</sup>				
	Kilrush, - -								3	5 <sup>2</sup>				
	Tombrack, - -								5	8 <sup>2</sup>				
	Cranemore, -								1	0 <sup>2</sup>				
	St. Mary's, -								1	3 <sup>2</sup>				
	Total, -										2	11	11 <sup>2</sup>	
NICHOLAS KEHOE....	Ballyhuskard, -							2	11	1				
	Kilmallock, -							1	4	5				
	Edermine, - -							6	12	11				
	Total, -										10	8	5	
JOHN CULLEN.....	Killan, - - -													
	Clonroche, - -							2	14	7 <sup>2</sup>				
	Castleboro, - -							1	6	11				
	Kiltealy, - -								10	1				
	Total, -										24	11	7 <sup>2</sup>	
EDWARD DOYLE.....	Marshallstown, -								4	10				
	Killoughram, -								3	3				
	Ballindaggin, -									11				
	Castledockrill, -									8				
	Rossard, - - -								2	5				
	Total, -											12	1	
EDWARD GAHAN.....	The Harrow, -									10 <sup>2</sup>				
	Ballymore, - -								2					
	Kilcormack, -								13	11				
	Total, -											16	9 <sup>2</sup>	
HENRY WALSH.....	Castletalbot, -								4	7 <sup>2</sup>				
	Castle-Ellis, -									0 <sup>2</sup>				
	Bolaboy, - - -								1	5				
	Ballyvaldon, -								1	8 <sup>2</sup>				
	Total, -											7	9 <sup>2</sup>	
Total, £											62	16	8	

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



The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 2 - 17 - 0 was produced and passed.  
The following Books were exhibited by the Clerk, he having first ascertained the accuracy of the entries made therein by the Master of the Workhouse, and authenticated the same by his signature

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

Clothing 1-1-4  
Establishment 1-15-8

£ 2 - 17 - 0

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By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 42 s. 18 d. 6

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 44 - 18 - 6

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, ... 3 - 3

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

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

Meat	190 lbs	Wine	None
Cow do	90	Whiskey	1/2 gal.
Bread	2400	Candles	6 lbs
Buttermilk	140 gals	Soap	112
Sweetmilk	880 qts	Starch	3 1/2
Cow Sheep Heads	4	W Soda	3 1/2
Tea	107 oz	Blue	1/2
Sugar	788	Samp Oil	4 gal.

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 17 day of August whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	...	...	£	s.	d.
In Kind,	...	...	4	9	0
Total	...	...	4	9	0

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

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

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

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account.

158. Andrew Herrick Out relief 5  
159. Nicholas Kehoe Collection Fees 4 17

3. Workhouse Invoice Account.

£ s. d.

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

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

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

## Medical Officers Report

Remaining in Hospital from last week	94
Admitted during the week	11
Total	105

Discharged Cured	13
Sent to Poor Hospital	0
Died	1
Total Remaining	91

Edward Byrne aged 63 died of Hematuria & Malignant disease of the Stomach, was admitted in a dying state.

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

## Masters Report

Begged to submit a letter he received from the Resident Physician of Cork Lunatic Asylum stating that there is no vacancy at present for male patients.

That he had received a letter from Doctor Carey stating that as there was so much in the increase he required the following articles: 18 Bolsters, 12 pairs Sheets and 12 women's shifts which he forwarded them yesterday. It appears from a subsequent letter to the Clerk that there are at present 20 Patients in that Hospital which is over the number it is allowed by the Commissioners. The Doctor also states that he requires an additional Nurse & some



bed tickets. Should Fever increase in that Hospital it will be necessary to provide further accommodation.

He has the corn all collected with the exception of 4 small stacks and will be ready for the threshing Machine as soon as the weather takes up.

The Rev. T. Roche has received a Bill of Exchange for £15 - from a person named Daniel Kavanaugh now in California for the purpose of procuring an Outfit for his wife and child now inmates of this Workhouse also a passage ticket for them from New York to San Francisco. Should that sum be insufficient the Board will please to take into consideration the advisability of allowing him an additional sum. The Master has got the ticket and Letter in his possession.

His anxiety to get the corn together on yesterday caused him to overwork himself and consequently got cold <sup>Agriculturist's Report</sup> which prevents him from attending the Board today.

Ordered, That the Clothing be got ready and forwarded to N. J. Barry with the least possible delay - That he be allowed an additional three and every necessary requirement whilst the Epidemic continues - That his attention be called to the provisions of the Commissioners Sealed Order in reference to the number to be maintained in that Hospital namely 19 Patients at one time and that he be requested to send to the Fever Hospital at Emisaverty any cases of Applicants who can be safely removed.

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

There being ample accommodation at the Hospital here for them and that his attention be given to those cases whose residence is equally near to Emisaverty as Newtown Barry.

In reference to the Masters Report on the quality of the meat on the 8<sup>th</sup> Inst and the Order then made the Master is requested to report on next Board-day - also to ascertain the particulars that may be necessary to guide the Board in the amount to be granted to assist the Emigrants to California before next Board day and then report.

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

Dated 14<sup>th</sup> Aug<sup>r</sup> 1861 } In reference to the Resolution made  
No. 17549 } by the Board on the 8<sup>th</sup> Inst. in which the Guardians direct that the Collectors Books be filled up in the way they have hitherto been filled namely by the Clerk of the Union, from which the Commissioners desire to refer the Guardians to the General Regulations Article 49 No. 1 by which it will be seen that it is the duty of each Collector to fill up and prepare his own collecting Book.

Ordered. The Collectors have since been directed to act on this regulation and they have consented to do so.

Dated 14 Aug<sup>r</sup> 1861 } Enquiry relative to a payment  
No. 17549 } made to Doctor Stock for vaccinations whether the requirements of the Act and Articles 3 & 4 of the Vaccination Order had been previously complied with.

Ordered. The requirements under the Vaccination Act and Articles 3 & 4 of the Order were duly complied with before being paid.



Dated 20th Aug. 1864 } Sanctioning the appointments of J. Bolger  
 No. 17972 to 9 } J. Doyle & Mehan & Doyle, J. Callan  
 & Cahaw, J. J. Patneil, and  
 J. Walsh as collectors in the Union  
 on the terms proposed for collecting  
 the new rates.

## Ordinary Proceedings

The Board proceeded to admit applicants for relief in the Workhouse and Fever Hospitals of the Union from the Relieving Officers application Book.

The Clerk was directed to send a Circular to the Medical Officers requesting them to return all the empties in hands to the Contractors for Medicines soon as convenient.

Ordered, that in compliance with the suggestion of Captain Hamilton - all the boys attend school from 10 to 1 o'clock each day instead of having evening and morning school as at present.

The Clerk then produced the Rate Books duly certified by himself in order to be signed and declared by the Board. The following Books were then signed by the President, Chairman and two Guardians for the amount of Rates in each viz -

Poundage Rate	£	s	d	Poundage Rate	£	s	d
Ballindagin 5	43		8	Perno 2.4	235	19	2
Ballynogue 8	129	14	8	Tilboro 28	7	10	
Ballyhurst 8	180	4	6	Tilcosmack 96	1	3	
Ballycarney 7	63	13	7	Orellaw 144	12	8	
Ballymore 14	131	15	9	Killingham 98	5	2	
Ballyralton 7	100	17	4	Kilmallack 181	10	11	
Bolaboy 8	87	16	2	Kelush 105	7	5	
Bree 11	166	17	9	Kiltealy 61	18	7	
Castleboro 1.0	162	19	6	Marshallstown 170	6	11	
Castleknock 10	75	5	2	Saint Marys 40	13	1	
Castle Ellis 9	141	7	1	St Barry 453	8	9	
Castle Talbot 9	128	1	1	Rossard 57	9	1	
Clonroche 11	180	13	2	The Hamm 53	3	1	
Crausmore 8	50	1	2	The Leaps 170	17	4	
Edersmire 7	163	2	8	Tormacrops 183	9		
Emmiscothy 2.4	172	17	3	Tombrack 153	4	6	
				Total 5763	2	3	

Ordered, The Clerk to publish these Rates in the local papers and direct the Collectors to be in attendance next Board day to receive their Books upon the perfection of their Bonds in the sums already decided on.

Budget Pigley and daughter applied for clothing going out to service to Mr. Cooney of Yuletown from whom a letter was read offering to take them at fair wages - to which they had consented.

Ordered, Clothing allowed to B. Pigley and daughter.

The Chairman then signed the Orders 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	...	...	18

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	"
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	35
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	...	"

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

*John Doyle Chm.*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 29<sup>th</sup>  
 day of August 1861.

*M. M. M.*  
 Clerk of the Union.

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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORTHY UNION, on  
Thursday, the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of August 1861, —continued.

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

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

*Dispensary*

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

*Dispensary District*

*having been received from*

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

*Dispensary*



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

*Read Letter from  
stating that*

*dated*

(Signed,) *John Dwyer*  
*Murray*  
Clerk of the 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

24 day of August 1861.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
													No. of Inmates and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	No. of Inmates and Idiots in Hospital on the above date.	
Workhouse.	57	106													
Permanent Buildings.															
Additional Workhouse.	67	19													
Permanent Fever Hospital.															
Fever Sheds.															
TOTAL.	1024	325													
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	15	85	46	75	17	19	21	26	28	332			In Workhouse Hospital.	In Fever Hospital.	
Admitted during the week.	14	7	2	1	2	1				3	30				
TOTAL.	29	92	48	76	19	20	21	26	31	362					
Discharged during the week.	10	16	2	1				1		3	33				
Died, - - - - -		2								1	4				
Total Discharged and Dead.	10	18	2	1				1		4	37				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	19	74	46	75	19	20	20	25	27	325					

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 24 day of August authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	33	71			33	71
No. II.						
No. III.						
TOTAL.	33	71			33	71

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Thursday, the 29<sup>th</sup> day of August 1861.

PRESENT: In the Chair, John Doyle Esq.

Other Guardians: W A Le Sante, G Hore,  
J Bolger, A Nathan, P M Cooke,  
W Macntchen, M Brown, W Barton,  
M Smith.



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. 4669 to No. 4679 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. 7530 to No. 7534, inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That the Collecting Books were now ready for signature by the Board this day their Binds are submitted for inspection as some are not yet completed the time inserted for their duties to be discharged is 5 months.

Ordered, The Board will allow 6 in the pound on all sums collected up to the 1<sup>st</sup> March and only 3 on any receipts after that date.

That only five collectors attended to receive their Books their Binds were submitted & inspected by the Board. all the Collecting Books were now ready to be signed & delivered and the Collectors may be sent out at once as the Rates have had due publication and the Union is heavily in debt to the Treasurers and upwards of £300 due for bread alone

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

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

Paid during the week, £ 5. 17. 11

And that the Balance on the Account of the Guardians was £ 18. 11. 11

Against the Guardians was £ 722. 17. 10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.	Total.	Remaining.	Total.	Date of last Attendance.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
JAMES DOYLE.....	Enniscorthy, -	3 19 4		14 11		
	Ballyhogue, -			2 19 6		
	Bree, -			2 1 6		
	The Leap, -			3 19 11 1/2		
	Total, -		3 19 4		23 11 10	
MICHAEL BYRNE....	Ferns, -			5 6 3		
	Tinnacross, -			3 14 4		
	Kilbora, -			3 17 1/2		
	Ballycarney, -			2 19 2		
	Total, -				15 16 10 1/2	
WM. FITZPATRICK....	Newtownbarry, -			2 8		
	Kilrush, -			3 5 1/2		
	Tombrack, -			5 8		
	Cranemore, -			1 0 1/2		
	St. Mary's, -			1 5 1/2		
	Total, -				2 11 11 1/2	
NICHOLAS KEHOE....	Ballyhuskard, -			2 11 1		
	Kilmallock, -			1 4 5		
	Edermine, -			7 7 9		
	Total, -				11 3 3	
JOHN CULLEN.....	Killan, -					
	Clonroche, -	1 18 7		16 1		
	Castleboro, -			1 6 11		
	Kiltealy, -			10 1		
	Total, -		1 18 7		2 13 1	
EDWARD DOYLE.....	Marshallstown, -			4 10		
	Killoughram, -			3 3		
	Ballindaggin, -			11		
	Castledockrill, -			8		
	Rossard, -			2 5		
	Total, -				12 1	
EDWARD GAHAN....	The Harrow, -			10 1/2		
	Ballymore, -			2		
	Kilcormack, -			13 11		
	Total, -				16 1/2	
HENRY WALSH.....	Castletalbot, -			4 7 1/2		
	Castle-Ellis, -			0 1/2		
	Bolaboy, -			1 5		
	Ballyvaldon, -			1 8 1/2		
	Total, -				7 9 1/2	
	Total, £		5 17 11		57 13 8 1/2	

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

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

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The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 1. 19. 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.

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 40 s. 9 d. 5

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 43. 2. 9

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, ... 3. 4. 1

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 4. 3. 1

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

Meat	190 lbs	Beef	4
Corned Beef	90	Whisky	1 1/2 gal
Bread	2400	Candles	6 lbs
Buttermilk	140 gal	Starch	3
Wheatmill	880 gal	W Soda	3
Salt	112 lbs	Blue	1
Tea	106	Tobacco	4 1/2
Sugar	560		

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 24 day of August, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	...	...	...	43. 6
In Kind,	...	...	...	

Total ... 43. 6

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

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

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Name of Relieving Officer.	By Check on Treasurer.		By Order on Contractors.	
		Article and quantity	Value.	Article and quantity	Value.
No. I.					
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.

161. A. J. Smith Outrelief 4



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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:

12 frop of S. H. H.

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

## Medical Officers Report

Remaining in Hospital from last week	91
Admitted during the week	7
Total	100

Discharged Cured	7
Sent to General Hospital	0
Dead	3
Remaining	90

Number in Infirmary Dets out of Hospital	7
" in Isolation Wards	29

Sally Carney aged 24 died of Mesenteric disease

The Report of the Medical Officers was read and orders were made thereon as follows:—

Mary McMichael aged 3 Mo died of Marasmus

Ellen James aged 26 died of Phtisis

Rebecca was the child of an Irishman & always delicate. James was prematurely confined of a male child and died on the 4<sup>th</sup> day after delivery of exhaustion being far advanced in Phtisis. In reference to a statement made by the Rev. Mr. Johnson as to my certifying that the child of Ellen James was in a very weak state and that it was right to have it baptised — I beg to state that I did not certify the matter nor did I consider the child's life to be in immediate danger or that a clergyman should be sent for but rather to await his usual time of visiting. I am of opinion that her mind was wandering and in a disturbed state — she spoke incoherently & raved for two or three days before death as is usual with persons dying of exhaustion.



# Masters Report

Has written to Mr. Neill New town relative to the employment of an inmate named Mary Murphy but as yet received no answer. Agreeably to the direction of the Board he had weighed the bone contained in the piece of Beef shown to the Board in the 8<sup>th</sup> Inst. the whole weighed 27<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> lbs - the bone 5<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> lb instead of 4 lbs being two pounds over the weight of bone allowed per the Contractors agreement.

That he had written to Mr. Dinton for particulars respecting the passage fare of Dora Karanagh & child to New York but had not yet got a reply.

Mr. Rice of Sherwood proposes taking into a boy named Thomas Kehoe aged 14 and pay him 30<sup>1</sup>/<sub>2</sub> a year provided the Board give him clothing. The boy consents to go.

He begged to call the attention of the Board to the Order made last Board day directing that all the boys tailors & shoemakers attend school from 10 to 1 o'clock each day by which arrangement <sup>Agriculturist's Report.</sup> the Board will be saving the tailors & shoemakers for standing idle - it will therefore be necessary to enter into other arrangements - say the boys to be employed at trades from 8 to 1 o'clock and in school the afternoon when the tradesmen leave for dinner. This practice was carried out heretofore until objected to by a former teacher.

He begged to suggest that an additional door be placed in the Chapel at the female side as at the male side in order that the old women &c can have access to the Chapel without interfering with the classification.

Doctor Curry requires the following clothing in addition to those heretofore allowed - 6 pr. Blankets 12

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

led 12 No. 12 bolster cases for straw. 6 pr. Blankets & 12 womens caps.

He had the threshing Machine on Tuesday & Wednesday and completed the straw rick this morning.

He begged to call the attention of the Board to the report of the Rev. Mr. Johnson as entered on the Protestant Chaplains Book.

Ordered, That the Master deduct from the Contractor the weight of bone beyond the Contract and that in future the Officers meat be delivered on Thursdays before 12 o'clock instead of Saturdays.

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):-  
Clothing allowed to the boy Kehoe going to Mr. Rice. A Committee consisting of Messrs. Le Dent, & Gore was appointed to inspect the Chapel & report - who in their return reported that the door was necessary - and the Master is directed to get the work done. 12 pr. pair of Blankets, 6 bed ticks, 6 Bolsters & 12 caps allowed for St. Barrys Poor Hospital. That the price of clothing for females leaving the House be fixed at 15/- and for males 10/- in future.

For P Chaplains report see Ordinary Proceedings.

## Commissioners Letters

Dated 23<sup>rd</sup> Aug<sup>r</sup> 61 } Enclosing copies of the Resolutions No 160 } agreed to by the Committee of the House of Commons of last Session on the subject of the Irish Poor Relief Acts and Medical Charities Acts, & particularly to the Resolutions No 14 & 15.

Ordered, Plans for Religious worship are fairly provided for the inmates of this Workhouse and the Classification is also fairly provided for

" 23<sup>rd</sup> Aug<sup>r</sup> 61 } Enclosing a Copy of the Act according the Law relating to the removal of poor persons from England to Ireland giving extracts from the Amendment Act. That no alteration appears to have been made respecting the removal of poor persons from Scotland,



Dated 27 Aug 61 In reference to Bonds given by the  
No 162 Guarantue Society for faithful work  
on the part of Officers of Workhouses.

Ordered. All securities entered into by Officers of this  
Union are personal and not by any Guarantue Society  
— they are all submitted to the Auditor every half year  
and are not defective.

" 27<sup>th</sup> Aug 61 } From the Secretaries of National  
No Male Board of Education Vis  
" In the female School the proficiency of the pupils is exceedingly  
low. Of 17 boys present only 4 could be said to read and  
that but imperfectly, there knew something also of the outlines  
of the Map of the World, 6 worked easy sums in the  
Simple Rules Correctly and one had a copy book written  
fairly in small hand. Many of the boys have been for  
years in the House, there are 7 of 12 years of age and  
upwards and as they will leave School at 15 passing into  
the Adult Class — I think that when grown up both they  
and a great majority of those now at School will be found  
unable to read and write. This is the third Schoolmaster  
in charge within a limited period and he too is about  
to leave. These changes appear to me unfavorable to the  
success of the School. He states that the boys show a  
complete want of interest in their literary instruction  
and they much prefer being set to work on the Farm.

At present the children are divided into two Classes the  
Morning and evening Classes — whilst one is at work  
in the School the other is at the farm. This arrangement  
by separating them — and they are now very few in number  
— diminishes the interest they may feel in the School.  
It would be a good improvement to alter it and have all  
the Pupils taught together in each School for 4 Hours  
if possible instead of Three — and then that they  
should work together.

In the female School the proficiency is higher and  
there has been an improvement since last inspection  
— writing from Dictation however requires more attention.

Signed  
Maurice Cross and  
James Kelly

Ordered. The arrangement made last Board day at the  
suggestion of Captain Hamilton and which approaches that  
proposed by the School Inspector to be carried out under the  
next visit of Captain Hamilton to this Workhouse, that  
the Tradesmen be in their Workshops after dinner at 1 O'clock  
every day and that they pay every attention to their trades from  
8 O'clock till each day.

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

## Ordinary Proceedings

The Board proceeded with the consideration of claim for relief  
of the Applicants on the Relieving Officers Books and admitted  
to the W. House and Fever Hospital of the Union.

The Chaplain Books were laid before the Board and  
the following entry in that of the P. Chaplain was read dated  
the 24<sup>th</sup> Instant " A woman named Ellen Lamm was  
confining here on Tuesday Morning at 3 O'clock the child  
was evidently very weak and I understand that Dr O'Rourke  
certified that fact in case the Chaplain should think right  
to baptize it. Ellen Lamm requested that I should be sent for,  
I got no notice whatever with respect to the matter and did  
not hear of it until I chanced to visit the sick ward on  
Thursday afternoon and I then baptised the child, such an  
omission should be guarded against in future "

Signed Henry Johnston

August 29<sup>th</sup> "I have also to complain that sufficient consideration  
was not shown to Ellen Lamm (now dead) during her illness.  
On Tuesday last I visited her and she told me she was much  
annoyed every evening by the presence of the women who were  
in the habit of coming in to the fire which was in her ward  
to smoke and talk. I immediately mentioned this to the Nurse  
hoping that it would be put a stop to quietly. Early next  
morning I was sent for and found Ellen Lamm very near  
her end. She had evidently suffered owing to my interference  
for she reproached me for it and her mind was so full of the  
subject that I found it hard to direct her thoughts to any thing else  
whence her information came I cannot say but I venture to  
suggest that measures should be taken to prevent the last  
hours at least of a patient being disturbed in this sort of way  
Signed Henry Johnston

The Nurse having been called upon the Board and this  
report read to her she was required to give her testimony and  
told to be very particular in her statement as she would in all  
probability be examined hereafter on oath. She stated that



that Ellen Saun did not request the Protestant Chaplain to be sent for on the day stated in the Rev Mr Johnsons report namely Tuesday the 20th but did request at her suggestion that he be sent for on Saturday the 24th. She then went to the Master and told him. The Master then ordered sent the Messenger boy for the Rev Mr Johnson and he was very soon in attendance on Ellen Saun. In reference to that part of his Complaint that sufficient Consideration was not shown to Ellen Saun during her illness the Nurse states that every attention in her power was paid to her and denies that any women came in except the two that were attending her neither of whom smoke — that when the Rev Mr Johnson mentioned the matter to the Nurse she told him it was not the fact — that it was no such thing — that she would make strict enquiry about it — that she did so and found it was not the case at all. That she paid every attention to Ellen Saun after the report of the Rev Mr Johnson had been made in fact the same as before, but she is aware of the state of the mind of Ellen Saun having been affected and that she raved on several occasions. The Nurse was then directed to withdraw.

The Medical Officer having been also examined gave oral testimony the same as in his written report.

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	...	...	19

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	33
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 5th day of September 1864

The Collecting Books were then duly signed by the Chairman and two Guardians and the Five Collectors who attended received their Books with instructions to proceed to collect the Rates without delay the Clerk to write to the remaining three Collectors to come down a further Book or otherwise fresh Collectors would be admitted for immediately.

The Clerk was directed to write to several Unions for their Scale of distress.

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

Chairman Noon 28th Aug  
Sir, I have read with some surprise yet painful interest Mr Letts report on the crops of the W. House farm, — the falling off apparently in the wheat produce by no means caused the Scorpion as I fear the same must be said of the best wheat growing lands this year. Neither does the potato — irregular appearance of the Mangold crop surprise me as the same may be said of nearly all the Mangolds grown this year in England and Ireland. But what did surprise me was Mr Letts supposed reasons for these things which if I recollect rightly was owing to a decrease in the fertility of the land which Superintended the Master's Application for an increase of Manure. As I do not think that the land can be decreasing in general fertility as a member of the Agricultural Committee I should respectfully caution the Board against incurring expense for extravagant manures until we can ascertain (if it be possible to do so) whether such manures be absolutely necessary and if so what kind may be most advisable to procure. The importance of this consideration not only to the Work House farm itself but to the Union at Large together with some other matters to which I could wish to draw the attention of the Board — induces me to suggest the advisability of your Summoning a Special Meeting of the Board on some day not a Regular Board day. At the risk of being considered an Alarmist I think the State of the Farming Class in whose success that of all



Other Classes is so deeply interwoven renders it necessary that the Members of all Boards of Guardians should respectively take Council with each other for their mutual interests and shall I add their mutual instruction - I mean for social purposes avoiding every thing of a political tendency. Should this suggestion meet the concurrence of the Board I think the best time to summon the Members for such a Meeting would be when the Agricultural Statistical Average Returns will be required to be certified by the Members for the Registrar General.

If my suggestions be approved by the Board I think I shall be able to show how our Board can set an example not only to the Irish Boards but to those of England & Scotland well worthy of imitation. How this can be done without any additional cost to the Union altho it may give some additional work to you the limits of this note do not admit of my explaining.

As my residence is so far from your Board and this being a hurried season must plead my apology for not oftener attending personally.

Yours  
Edward Carroll  
P. L. Guardian

To the Clerk of the Union,

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

Meunier  
Clerk

Arthur J. L. Clerk

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORTHY UNION, on  
Thursday, the 29<sup>th</sup> day of August 1861, -continued.

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

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

Oulart Dispensary

Ordered, The Medicines and Medical  
Requirements Allowed.

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

Dispensary District  
having been received from

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

Dispensary

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

Read Letter from  
stating that

dated

(Signed,)

*John L. C. C.*

*J. Kennedy*

Clerk of the Union.



# ENNISCORTHY UNION.

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

AREA in Statute Acres, 190,689.

STATE OF THE WORKHOUSE for the Week ending Saturday, the day of

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					No. of In-mates and Idiots in Hospital on the above date.	No. of In-mates and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse,	957	199													
Permanent Buildings,															
Additional Workhouse,	67	18													
Permanent Fever Hospital															
Fever Sheds,															
TOTAL,	1024	517													
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return,			19	74	46	75	19	20	20	25	27	325	In Work-house Hospital, 82	In Fever Hospital, 18	In other parts of the Union, 29
Admitted during the week,			11	17	2	1	.	.	.	2	4	57			
TOTAL,			30	91	48	76	19	20	20	27	31	382	Total, 100	Total, 29	
Discharged during the week,			12	14	1	1	1	1	.	5	6	41			
Died, - - - - -			.	1	2	.	.	.	.	.	1	4			
Total Discharged and Dead,			12	15	3	1	1	1	.	5	7	45			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,			18	76	45	75	18	19	20	22	24	317			

*Read 4*

NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1860.....267  
Increase 50

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the day of authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	27	50			27	50
No. II.						
No. III.						
TOTAL,	27	50			27	50

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Thursday, the 5th day of September 1861

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Joshua Lett Esq.*

Other Guardians: *G. Hume. J. Bolger  
J. Warren. J. Doyle Senr  
J. Brown. M. Doyle  
J. Graham. W. Barlow*

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.

*John Black of Croonegriffon  
to  
Mary Sunderland of Garrynew*

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1679 to No. 4716 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. 7534 to No. 7534 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 Wm Fitzpatrick has not yet come for his Books altho he received positive instructions to take charge of them and proceed with the Collection on the 29th ulto. The Board will please give directions what steps to take as he is in the habit of acting in this manner — last year he did not proceed with his Collection for a month after the other Collectors.*

*Ordered, The Clerk to advertise for Tenders for a Collector for N.T. Barry district.*

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, ... .. £ 101. 16. 2

Paid during the week, ... .. £ 8. 14. 8

And that the Balance on the Account *Against* the Guardians was £ 630. 6. 10

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.	Total.	Remaining.	Total.	Date of last Attendance.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
JAMES DOYLE.....	Enniscorthy, -	1 . .		14 11 0		
	Ballyhogue, -	2 1 .		2 19 4		
	Bree, - - -	. . .		2 1 6		
	The Leap, -	3 7 .		3 19 11		
	Total, -		1 5 8		23 11 10	
MICHAEL BYRNE....	Ferns, - - -			5 6 3		
	Tinnacross, -			3 14 4		
	Kilbora, - -			3 17 12		
	Ballycarney, -			4 12 7		
	Total, -				17 10 3 1/2	
WM. FITZPATRICK....	Newtownbarry, -			2 0 5 1/2		
	Kilrush, - -			3 5 1/2		
	Tombrack, - -			5 8 1/2		
	Cranemore, -			1 0 1/2		
	St. Mary's, -			1 3 1/2		
	Total, -				2 11 11 1/2	
NICHOLAS KEHOE....	Ballyhuskard, -			2 11 1		
	Kilmallock, -			1 4 5		
	Edermine, - -			6 12 11		
	Total, -				10 8 5	
JOHN CULLEN.....	Killan, - - -			. . .		
	Clonroche, - -			. 16 1		
	Castleboro, - -	. 10 6		. 16 5		
	Kiltealy, - -			. 10 1		
	Total, -		. 10 6		2 2 7	
EDWARD DOYLE.....	Marshallstown, -			4 10		
	Killoughram, -			3 3		
	Ballindaggin, -			. 11		
	Castledockrill, -			. 8		
	Rossard, - - -			2 5		
	Total, -				12 1	
EDWARD GAHAN....	The Harrow, -			10 1/2		
	Ballymore, - -			2 0		
	Kilcormack, -			13 11		
	Total, -				16 9 1/2	
HENRY WALSH.....	Castletalbot, -			4 7 1/2		
	Castle-Ellis, -			. 0 1/2		
	Bolaboy, - - -			1 5		
	Ballyvaldon, -			1 8 1/2		
	Total, -				7 9 1/2	
Lodged on account of New Rates			100 0 0			
particulars on next Board day			101 16 2		58 1 9	
Total =						

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

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



The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 4. 19. 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. 8. 8 ✓  
Establishment 1. 12. 10 ✓  
Inoculation 1. 12. 0 ✓  
Beveries 2. 8 ✓  
Dispersals 3. 0 ✓  
Blanching  
£ 4. 19. 2

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By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 45 s. 16 d. 7 1/2

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... £ 12. 8. 10

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, ... 3. 3 1/2

Average cost in Fever Hospital, ... 4. 1

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

Meat 190 lbs	Whiskey 1 1/2 gals
Coarse Beef 90 "	Canada 8 lbs
Bread 2400 "	Soap 112 "
Buttermilk 140 gals	Starch 3 1/2 "
Scumtink 880 gals	Blue 1 1/2 "
Salt 112 lbs	W Soda 3 1/2 "
Tea 106 oz	Tobacco 4 oz
Sugar 560 oz	Lamp oil 1 gal
W. & M. 4	

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

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

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

The Abstract of the Out-door Relief Lists was also produced by the Clerk, having been duly entered up by him for the last week ended Saturday, the 31 day of Aug<sup>r</sup> 1861 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	...	£ 3. 7. 6
In Kind,	...	...
Total	...	£ 3. 7. 6

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

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

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

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

1. Clothing Account.

163	Thomas G. Hether Broad. Meal &c	319	9	3 ✓
164	Stephen and E. Lett Cash	20	0	0 ✓
165	Edward Roche Groceries	11	13	6 ✓
166	Maria Maguire do	10	12	3 ✓
167	Sam Leather	7	7	4 ✓
168	Mary Davis Scumtink	14	6	5 ✓
169	Robert Corrigan do	13	11	8 ✓
170	Mary Hernon	9. 12. 6 ✓		
171	Peter Shearman Meat	20	10	0 ✓
172	Sam S O Flaherty Clothing	10. 9. 6 ✓		
"	Same for F Hospital	9. 13. 6 ✓	20	3 4 ✓
173	Andrew Doyle Buttermilk	7	15	10 ✓
174	Patrick Breen Hardware	3. 1. 5 ✓		
"	" Clothing	1. 16. 9 ✓		
"	" Linnen Lamp oil	1. 2. 3 ✓	6	0 5 ✓
175	James Wilkinson Carpentry	18	2	11 ✓
176	Thomas Bradford Smith work	4	7	2 ✓
177	John Breen Coffins	3. 7. 6 ✓		
"	do Establishment Carpentry	1. 13. 11 ✓	5	1 5 ✓
178	Robert Tennant Glazing	2. 7. 2 ✓		
"	do Iron Hospital	1. 4 ✓	2	8 6 ✓
179	Stephen & Edw Lett Guano	2	11	6 ✓
180	Edward Ryan Hardware	1	10	0 ✓
181	James Mathewson Woodwork	1	5	0 ✓
182	W. S. & E. Pardon Farmers Gazette	1	0	0 ✓
183	Samuel Grobissom Med. Seminars	16	0	0 ✓
184	Same Iron Hospitals	18	0	4 ✓
185	Richard Carey Same	18	5	8 ✓
186	Andrew Heunick Out Relief	4	0	0 ✓
187	George Maguire for Threshing Expenses	3	9	2 ✓

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 Gallon Colza Oil  
6 doz Owl brand  
1 oz Nails  
3 1/2 lb Pitch & Rosin

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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	90
Admitted during the week	14
Remaining	104

Discharged Cured	10
Sent to Fever Hospital	0
Died	3
	13
	91

Number of Sufferers sent out of Hospital	7
Number in Suffering Ward	29

Samuel Abraham aged 6 days died from premature birth  
John Grogan — 83 yrs died of Infirmitv  
Martha Keownan 90 yrs died of Infirmitv

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

## Masters Report

Beg'd to lay before the Board some articles that were found with a woman named Casey when leaving the House and as it appears the inmates have again commenced knitting it will be necessary to call the Matrons attention again to it also that every person be searched when leaving the Main Building to see their friends or taking their discharge from the House.

Mr Charles Byrnes of Ballyvaughan will take out a boy named William Pepper and instruct him in the Shoemaking trade provided he get clothes. Pepper was admitted 15<sup>th</sup> December 1853 then 9 years old and charged on Feenon Electoral Division

He had the shed cleaned and ready for Market please to direct how it will be disposed of, there are about 80 Barrels a sample of which he laid before



In Submitting the Minutes in the House this day it was seen that there are 57 more than this day 12 months.

Ordered. The Motion was called before the Board and the Woman in whom the articles were found and after investigation the Motion was directed to be very particular in future in searching all paupers leaving the main building whether to be printed or taking their discharge. Clothing allowed to Wm Pepper. Tenders for Wheat to be received on this day fortnight.

The Visitors Book showed the following entry,

I visited the House this day and found it Clean and well ventilated in every part also went thro the Hospital — Inmates apparently well attended to and no Complaints also visited the Male School where I found the Master engaged teaching lessons and from the appearance of the Children I have reason to hope for a great improvement shortly. I visited the farm also — the Mangolds appear to be improving — the Wheat is nearly threshed and ready for Market — the Sample seems to be pretty good but as I remarked in a former Report the yield will be little more than one half of last year.

*Agriculturist's Report.*

The Master wishes that one of the days for delivery of Meat be Saturday and the other Thursday, in order to give the Board an opportunity of inspecting on Board days.

Ordered. The Change 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 2<sup>nd</sup> Sept 61 } Enclosing the usual monthly Form  
No 161 } to fill up for all rates made or  
 } agreed to be made in the Union  
 } during the month of August last.

" 4<sup>th</sup> September 61 } Desiring to acquaint the Board of  
c/o 1900 } Guardians that they received a  
 } report from their Inspector Captain  
 } Hamilton of his recent inspection of  
 } the Workhouse in which he states  
 } that the several Departments of the  
 } Workhouse are in good order,

Ordered. The Boardful Obies to Captain Hamilton

At this period of the proceedings Doctor Cartan entered the Board room and stated that he had attended with the young man John Mayhem who was now in the Hall and who intimated he would bring him before the Board to return thanks to the Gentlemen thro whose benevolence in granting him out-door relief since last harvest (when he was struck down by the mischievous hand of God whilst reaping) he now stood indebted for his life. John Mayhem was then ordered up and he modestly thanked the Board stating that altho he was obliged to walk with a stick from the affection of one of his limbs — he thought he would be fully able to earn subsistence by minding Cattle and be no longer a burden to the ratepayers of CastleEllis — he then retired.



## Ordinary Proceedings

The Board proceeded with the consideration of applications for relief to the W. House and F. Hospitals of the Union from the Relieving Officers Books and admitted accordingly.

In the examination of the accounts for payment it was found that a Bill for Repairs at the Ennisconny and Olygate Dispensaries amounting to £18.2.11 was much greater than they supposed the repairs would come to.

It was then determined no bills will be paid however authentic without a Board's order for every branch of work or goods received — that however on the explanation afforded by the Medical Officer Doctor Crawford under whose inspection Mr. Wilkinson did the work we shall pass the account.

Mr. Melon of Trillick appeared before the Board and requested to take out the boy James Stokesbury aged 13 years. He was examined and appeared willing to go at the wages offered namely six shillings a quarter.

And clothing allowed the boy Stokesbury going out to service.

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

The Clerk submitted the State of arrears of the former Rates and the Board stated the following arrears as irrecoverable being made on houses unoccupied at the time of the Rate being made and on others which had been thrown down either before or immediately subsequent to the making of that Rate viz

Ballyhogan	1 4	of Ballyhogan	7 18 1
Ballykirkland	4 3	Terms	18 0
Ballymore	2 0	Kilbora	8
Ballysalmon	1	Kilcormack	4 10
Bolaboy	1 5	Killan	1
Castleboro	2 2	Killoughram	2 3
Castledocknee	8	Kilmallock	1 11
Castle Ellis	1	Killrush	3 6
Castletalbot	3 9	Kiltally	8
Clonroche	2 9	Marshals town	4 10
Cranmore	1 1	St Marys	1 4
Edermine	4	N. J. Barry	9 2
Ennisconny	6 18 3	The Leap	1 4
	7 18 14	Tombrack	1 4
		Total	10 8 0

The Chairman then signed the Order and Cheques after which the Board adjourned.



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	...	...	17

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	"
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	27
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	...	"

The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	...	...	"
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*M. Kinch Char-*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 12<sup>th</sup>  
day of September 18 61

*M. Kinch Char-*  
Clerk of the Guardians

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORTHY UNION, on  
Thursday, the 5<sup>th</sup> day of September 1861, —continued.

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

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

The Clerk reported that he had received a Registry of names of Children & other persons vaccinated by Doctor Cartan from the Oulart Dispensary Committee numbering 266 names of those — successfully vaccinated and would lay for inspection in the Board Room for 28 days

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

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



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

Read Letter from  
stating that

dated

(Signed.)

*McKinch Chairman*

*J. Kennedy*  
Clerk of the Union.

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided.	No. that can be accommodated in each building on the above date	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied.		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age but not working.		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK & LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
			Males.	Fem.	Males.	Fem.	Boys.	Girls.					Number in Hospital on the above date.	No. of Lunatics and Idiots in Workhouse on the above date.	
Workhouse,	407	304													
Permanent Buildings,	67	15													
Additional Workhouse,															
Permanent Fever Hospital															
Fever Sheds,															
TOTAL,	1024	319													
Remaining on Previous Saturday, as per last return.	18	76	45	75	18	19	20	22	24	317			In Workhouse Hospital 153	In separate Wards 129	
Admitted during the week.	4	12	3	3	1				1	4	28		In Fever Hospital 15	In Wards with other inmates 14	
TOTAL,	22	88	48	78	19	19	20	23	28	345			Total, 178	Total, 143	
Discharged during the week,	5	9	1	2	2	2	2		1	24					Died 2
Died, - - - -	1			1						2					
Total Discharged and Dead,	6	9	1	3	2	2	2		1	26					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	16	79	47	75	17	17	18	23	27	319					NUMBER IN THE HOUSE CORRESPONDING WEEK IN 1860 1266

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last week ended Saturday, the 7 day of Sept 1861 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting

RELIEF DISTRICT.	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse under 10 Vic. c. 31, s. 1.		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse, but not comprised in sec. 1.		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons, including Applicant and Family, dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	27	50			27	50
No. II.						
No. III.						
TOTAL,	27	50			27	50

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a meeting held on Thursday, the 12 day of September 1861.

PRESENT: In the Chair, *Mathew Finch Esqr & Subordinate*  
*John Rogers Esqr & J Bullib Esqr*  
 Other Guardians: *G Horo, Walter Barlow, J Warren*



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

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 1716 to No. 1744 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. 734 to No. 737, 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 Edward Gahan in taking his Oath, stated he was then only recovering after a tedious illness — and he certainly had that appearance — but he begged the Board would allow him a fortnight to get strong and he would then proceed with the collection in his district with activity.

By Order Board

That the Contract for Bread, Oatmeal, India Meal & Flour will expire on the 29<sup>th</sup> Inst.

Ordered. Advertisements to issue for those articles — Tenders to be received and considered for either 2, 4 or 6 months supply on this day fortnight to commence from the 29<sup>th</sup> Inst.

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, ... .. £167. 10. 11

Paid during the week, ... .. £230. 4. 8

And that the Balance on the Account *Against* the Guardians was £693. 0. 7

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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

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

Name of each Collector.	Electoral Divisions arranged in Collectors' Districts.	Collected and Lodged.	Total.	Remaining.	Total.	Date of last Attendance.
		£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	£ s. d.	
JAMES DOYLE.....	Enniscorthy, -	68 18 1		1560 11 10		
	Ballyhogue, -			132 10 8		
	Bree, -			168 19 3		
	The Leap, -			124 12 5		
	Total, -		68 18 1		2036 14 2	
MICHAEL BYRNE... <i>Timothy Bolger</i>	Ferns, -	40 9 9		198 12 11		
	Tinnacross, -			186 3 5		
	Kilbora, -			31 15 9		
	Ballycarney, -	3 18 2		62 10 8		
	Total, -		44 7 11		479 2 9	
WM. FITZPATRICK....	Newtownbarry, -			455 0 3		
	Kilrush, -			105 7 5		
	Tombrack, -			153 8 11		
	Cranemore, -			50 1 2		
	St. Mary's, -			40 13 1		
	Total, -				804 10 10	
NICHOLAS KEHOE....	Ballyhuskard, -	11 4		171 11		
	Kilmallock, -	38 1 7		144 1 6		
	Edermine, -	5 3		164 12 4		
	Total, -		54 4 11		480 4 10	
JOHN CULLEN.....	Killan, -			144 12 8		
	Clonroche, -			181 6 6		
	Castleboro, -			163 13 9		
	Kiltealy, -			62 8		
	Total, -				552 0 11	
EDWARD DOYLE.....	Marshallstown, -			170 6 11		
	Killoughram, -			98 6 2		
	Ballindaggin, -			43 1 7		
	Castledockrill, -			75 5 2		
	Rossard, -			57 11 6		
	Total, -				444 11 4	
EDWARD GAHAN....	The Harrow, -			53 4		
	Ballymore, -			131 15 9		
	Kilcormack, -			96 10 4		
	Total, -				281 10 1	
HENRY WALSH.....	Castletalbot, -			128 2		
	Castle-Ellis, -			141 7 1		
	Bolaboy, -			87 16 2		
	Ballyvaldon, -			100 19		
	Total, -				458 4 3	
	Total, £		167 10 11		5336 19 2	

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

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

The Clerk's Account of petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 4. 9. 7 was produced and passed.

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

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

Clothing 1. 8. 10  
Establishment 1. 6. 0  
Elect. Luv. 1. 7. 8  
Invoice 0. 7. 1  
£ 4. 9. 7

By which it appeared that the Cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 33 s. 8 d. 2/4

Debit Provision Account and Credit Invoice Account.

The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was ... 42. 5. 0 1/2

Debit Maintenance Account and Credit Provision Account.

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

Average cost in Infirmary, ... 3. 4

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

The Master's estimate of Requirements for the ensuing week was examined and Order, were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:—

Meat	190 lbs	Whiskey	1/2 gal
Coarse Beef	90	Wine	1/2 doz
Ox & Sheep Heads	4	Candles	10 lbs
Bread	2400	Starch	3/2
Sweetmilk	880 gals	W Soda	3/2
Buttermilk	140 gals	Blue	1/2
Tea	106 oz	Orlance	4 oz
Sugar	784		

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 7 day of Sept. whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	...	...	...	3. 7. 6
In Kind,	...	...	...	...
Total	...	...	...	3. 7. 6

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

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

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

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

1. Clothing Account.

£ s. d.

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

2. Establishment Account

189. John Tennott Plumbers work 12 6 5  
190. Andrew Arnold Messing Officer 3 . .



## 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. wool Oil  
7 lbs Black Lead

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

Medical Officers Report

Remaining in Hospital from last week	91
Admitted during the week	9
Total	100

Discharged Cured	13
Int. to Poor Hospital	0
Died	1
Remaining	86

Men Infirm Diet out of Hospital	1
in Infirmary Wards	29

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

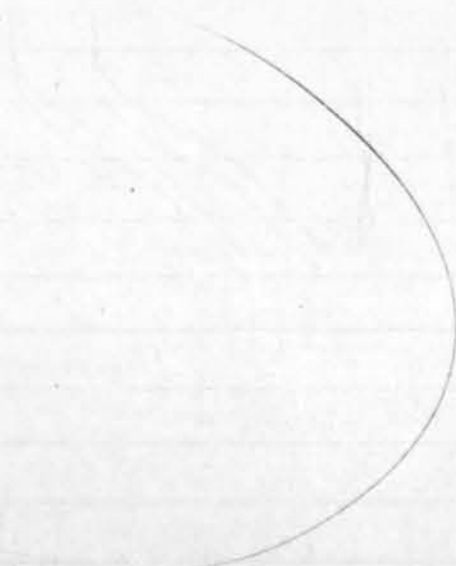
Masters Report

Begged to submit for inspection the coarse Beef as in some instances part of the Meat is taken off the Shins and Houghs intended for soup. Orders are requested for 1 gal. wool oil & 7 lbs Black Lead.

Ordered. The Board having inspected the meat and having found that almost all the meat was cut away from the Houghs of Beef the Master was directed to return them to the Contractor and in future to take no meat but the best Beef & Mutton agreeably to the Contractors Bond.



*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):—*

*None this week*



# Ordinary Proceedings

The Board proceeded with the consideration of applications for admission to the Workhouse from the Relieving Officers Books and admitted the following

Sam<sup>l</sup> Murphy aged 47 & wife - admitted  
to Workhouse on Enniscathy

Ellen Barry 22 Single Unhealthy - do

M<sup>rs</sup> Murphy wife & 4 children destitute - do

P. Fitzpatrick 60. sore leg Union

Quith Tommy 76. widow allowed 1/6 a week  
out of relief Cornbrack

Ann Byrne 30 & 3 illegitimate children  
Destitute 10 Burny

Betty McDaniel 22 & illegitimate child - Enniscathy

Peggy Doyle aged 77. Widow from Ballypreas  
prayed for out door relief which was  
refused without a certificate from  
the Guardian was offered the  
House which she refused

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

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	...	...	18

The number of cases of provisional Out-door Relief was	...	...	...
Ditto, ditto, in which Relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	26
The number of other Applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	...	...
The number of Applicants for whom Relief was not ordered	...	...	...

John Warren Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 19<sup>th</sup> day of September 1861.

W. Kennedy



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

MINUTES of PROCEEDINGS of the BOARD of GUARDIANS of the ENNISCORTHY UNION, on  
Thursday, the 12 day of Sept 1861, —continued.

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

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

*Dispensary*

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

*Dispensary District*

*having been received from*

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

*Dispensary*

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

Read Letter from  
stating that

dated

(Signed,) John Warren Chairman  
*J. Kennedy*  
Clerk of the Union.