

Poor Law Union minute book  
Enniscorthy Union

**WX/BG 87/1/49**

11 January 1872 – 4 July 1872

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# ENNISCORTHY UNION.

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Population in 1871—

Present Net Annual Value, £109,700.

Area in Statute Acres, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the

6<sup>th</sup> day of January 1872.

Number of Inmates for each 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, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 7 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 10 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND 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	957	308													
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital	37	4													
St. John's do.	19	1													
St. Mary's do.	11	1													
Total,.....	1024	314													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	10	57	50	65	9	18	43	32	16	300		In Work-house Hospital 69	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 28		
Admitted during the Week,	5	5	3	2		1	2	2	1	21		In Hospital 6			
Total	15	62	53	67	9	19	45	34	17	321		Total, 75	Total, 30		
Discharged during the Week,	4	1	1						1		7				
Total Discharged and Dead,	4	1	1						1		7				
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	11	61	52	67	9	19	45	33	17	314					
NIGHT LODGERS.															
												Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL

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REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			11	61	52	67	9	19	45	33	17	314	No. Relieved during week 4	No. in Work-house at date 1
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RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the 6th day of January 1872, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	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.	137	238			137	238
No. II.	34	83			34	83
No. III.	69	90			69	90
TOTAL.	260	411			260	411

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday, the 11th day of January 1872.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

*W. J. Corkman Esq.*

Other Guardians—

*W. J. Le White, J. Durling, E. Stealing,  
Charles Lott, M. Sutton, J. Smith,  
J. Sheil, J. B. Moore, J. Deatke,  
J. P. Murphy, A. Deatke,*



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 210 to No. 230 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. 2620 to No. 2637 both 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 Doctor Cranfield who has been ill for a long time died on Tuesday last,

Moved by Mr. Emmott  
Seconded by Mr. LeDante and  
Resolved, That this Board cannot separate without giving expression to their sincere regret at the loss of an Officer who for many years discharged his duties to the entire satisfaction of the Board and the advantage of the Poor who were placed under his care and the sincerely sympathise with his family in their sad bereavement,

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

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

Paid during the week

And that the Balance on the Account

against

the Guardians was £

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	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Date of Last Attendance
JOHN FULHAM,	Enniscorthy ...			1417 18 10		
	Tinnacross ...			97 16 0		
	Total ...				1515 14 10	May 3
MATHEW DOYLE,	Ballyhogue ...			112 0 7		
	Bree ...			128 15 5		
	The Leap ...			107 0 9		
	Total ...				347 16 9	Dec 27
MATHEW CANNING,	Cranmore ...	12 13 2		56 5 3		
	Kilrush ...			56 18 9		
	St. Mary's ...	10 10 3		30 19 2		
	Newtownbarry ...	22 13 9		156 11 7		
	Tombrack ...	15 7 2		53 12 2		
	Total ...		61 4 4		352 6 11	May 9
MATHEW GAHAN,	Ballycarney ...			35 14 10		
	Ballymore ...			24 2 1		
	Ferus ...			132 10 8		
	Kilbora ...			11 12 1		
	Kilcormack ...			64 8 11		
	The Harrow ...			57 4 1		
	Total ...				325 12 8	May 3
JAMES SOMMERS,	Castleboro' ...			50 7 7		
	Clonroche ...			96 13 11		
	Killan ...			57 10 6		
	Kiltealy ...			28 4 10		
	Total ...				226 16 10	May 2
THOMAS TOBIN,	Ballindaggin ...			93 8 9		
	Castledockrill ...			41 19 5		
	Killoughram ...			74 18 0		
	Marshallstown ...			97 4 0		
	Rossard ...			164 3 9		
	Total ...				371 13 11	Dec 27
JAMES PARKER,	Ballyvaldon ...			53 18 8		
	Boonaboy ...			52 3 6		
	Castle Ellis ...			31 2 6		
	Castle Talbot ...			51 1 6	188 6 2	Dec 18
	Total ...					
JAMES MURPHY,	Ballyhuskard ...			157 15 4		
	Edermine ...			203 4 8		
	Kilmallock ...			112 10 0		
	Total ...		23 4 2		467 10 0	Dec 27
	Total Union, £		84 8 6		379 18 1	

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



The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 5 : 13 : 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 £ 34 s. 9 d. 11/2

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	-	-	-
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	40	5	0
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	-	-	-
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	-	-	-
Average Cost in Infirmary	-	-	-
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	-	-	-

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

Meat 219 1/2 lbs	Whiskey - 2 gal.
Bread 2422 1/2 "	Coals 400 cut
Oatmeal 1120 "	Candles 26 lbs
Flour 224 "	Soap - 112 "
Buttermilk 103 gal	Starch - 3 1/2 "
Sweetmilk 831 qt	Blue - 1/2 "
Tea - 169 oz	Soda - 3 1/2 "
Sugar - 752 oz	Lamp Oil - 1 gal.

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of 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 6th day of January 1872, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money, ...	£ 25	s. 7	d. 7
In Kind, ...	3	10	0
Total, ...	28	17	7

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, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
TOTAL				

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

	£	s.	d.
151. Mary Davis sweetmilk	13	0	9
152. Robert Caspary Do	11	5	0
153. P. Ryan Buttermilk	5	13	11
154. P. FitzPatrick seed wheat	8	6	0
155. E. J. Laffan Stationery	3	10	2
156. William Burke Registrars	3	15	0
157. Samuel Jordan Do	3	5	0
158. John Taylor Do	2	4	0
159. P. Murphy Outrelief	18	0	0
160. P. Murphy Do	4	0	0
161. J. O'Brien Do	5	0	0
162. J. J. Ryan Suppl. Sect.	13	17	2
163. P. Atkin Do	5	10	0

Debit the respective Accounts, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.

L 8. d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit the respective Accounts, with the several sums as above.

Orders on Contractors and others were signed for the following:—

1 yd. of Chain 3 Crows 2 worth of powder, shot &  
 Cap. 7 lbs. of thread, 100 yds. of Calico,  
 100 yds. of Bengal stripe,

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

## Medical Officers Report

Admission in Infirmary last week	63
Admitted during the week	11
Total	74

Discharged cured	2
Sent to Dever Hospital	0
Died	1
Admission	71

Number on Infirmary sent out of Hospital	15
Do on Short Hands	31

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

## Masters Report

Mr. Downes has delivered the Union - please have it inspected,

Ordered, A Committee examined and reported the goods equal to sample,

I beg to report to the Board that Mary Sutton refused making Affidavit as to the father of her child,



I also beg to report to the Board that one of the female children broke her thigh bone whilst the children were playing on last Thursday. I sent for the Medical Officer and he set the thigh - the child is getting on very well,

Mr E Redmond received a reply from the Fire Insurance Office which I place before the Board,

He requested leave of absence for one day in the ensuing week.

*Agricultural Report.*

That he was employed drawing home turnips and adding to the manure heaps.

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:)-

Mt 2<sup>nd</sup> Nov 1872 } Requesting a Return  
No 1 } of the number of cases of Ophthalmia or other inflammatory diseases of the Eye treated in the Workhouse during the year ended 31<sup>st</sup> December 1871.

3<sup>rd</sup> Nov 72 } Requesting a Return  
No 2 } respecting any rates made or agreed on in the month of December last,

8<sup>th</sup> Nov 72 } Sanctioning the appointment  
No 32698 } -ment of Bridget Roche as Wardsmaid to the Emmentry Poor Hospital at 10<sup>th</sup> of month and rationed,

13<sup>th</sup> Dec 71 } Requesting a  
No 32,045 } Return showing the number of Idiots and Epileptic Idiots in the Workhouse on the 31<sup>st</sup> Dec 1871.



# Many Proceedings

The Board proceeded with the consideration of applications for relief in the Workhouse and Poor Hospitals of the Union — also to out door relief,

A Letter was read from the Town Dore Office in reply to the inquiry regarding paraffin oil — stating that paraffin oil may be burned in the Workhouse — but that every precaution should be taken in its use,

A Letter was read from J. C. Roberts Esq. stating that Capt. Chickster proposes attending here to receive the rents due to Earl Portsmouth ending the 23<sup>rd</sup> March 1871 — on the 24<sup>th</sup> 25<sup>th</sup> & 27<sup>th</sup> Inst.

Ordered, That a Cheque be drawn for the half years rent on this day next,

Constable J. Wallace appeared and requested the Board to guarantee

the expenses which may be incurred in arresting Thomas Whitney for desertion of his wife and child,

Ordered, That the Board agree to guarantee the expenses aforesaid,

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...	...
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	14
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	...	...	...
Do., do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	260
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	...	...	...

Jonathan Dunsford

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 11<sup>th</sup> day of

January 1872

Signed,

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic. cap. 68 (No. 27.)

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE ENNISCORTHY UNION.

on Thursday, the 4<sup>th</sup> day of January 1872 continued.

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

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

Letter read from Dr. Durlong enclosing a list of children above the age of 6 months who do not appear to have been vaccinated - there are 69 Cases on the list.

Ordered, That Mr. Murphy & Co. Officers make inquiries concerning the above cases and report to the Board in a month or five weeks.

Mr. Murphy then explained to the Board that he had made search of

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:

Last year into upwards of 200 Cases - serving notices and bringing several cases before the Bench whom he prosecuted but was glad to inform the Board that 148 Cases had brought in their children for vaccination and now he hoped the Board would grant him remuneration as his expenses had been considerable - whilst this



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

Dispensary District.

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

year there had come in already lists of payments of 100 Cases,

Ordered, the Board consider it is better to grant Dr. Murphy an annual stipend under the Compulsory Vaccination Act for his services in all cases that may come before the Board in his district and on consideration we

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year,

187, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish

half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 187.

District, £

District, £

agree to allow him five Pounds a year and request the Commissioners to sanction the same,

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

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

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

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

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



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

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

## ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Population in 1871—

Present Net Annual Value, £109,700.

Area in Statute Acres, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the

13<sup>th</sup> day of January 1872

Number of inmates for whom accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 5 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 15 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND 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	957	304												
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital	37	4												
Enniscorthy do.	19	1												
Enniscorthy do.	11	2												
Total	1024	311												
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			11	61	52	67	9	19	45	33	17	514		
Admitted during the Week.			5	6	4	2				2		20		
Discharged during the Week.			3	8	3	1			1	2	2	22		
Dead.														
Total Discharged and Dead.			3	8	3	2			1	2	2	23		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			13	59	53	67	9	18	43	33	16	511		
												NIGHT LODGERS.		
												Males	Females	Children under 15
												No. Relieved during week	3	1
												No. in Workhouse at date	1	0
												No. at corresponding period last year	334	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the 13<sup>th</sup> day of January 1872, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	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.	147	274			147	274
No. II.	54	83			54	83
No. III.	67	88			67	88
TOTAL	268	445			268	445

That in and out of the Workhouse { 311 }  
{ 445 }  
{ 756 }

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday, the 18<sup>th</sup> day of January 1872.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

J. Haughton Esq. & M. Seggins Esq.

Other Guardians—

M. Kelly, J. Cullen,  
J. Deathe, J. Durlong,

Haughton  
Chairman

Signed, M. Mundy  
Clerk of the Union.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 231 to No. 250, 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. 2638 to No. 2651, both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and Counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

That he had received from the Commissioners His Majesty's draft on the Bank of Ireland amount £303.3.5 as Parliamentary grant for the half year ending 29th September last. That it will be lodged with Treasurer tomorrow—and thus the Board will be put out of debt.

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

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

Paid during the week

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

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	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Date of Last Attendance
JOHN FULHAM,	Enniscorthy ...	119 16 8		1298 2 2		
	Tinnacross ...			97 16 0		
	Total ...		119 16 8		1395 18 2	May 14
MATHEW DOYLE,	Ballyhogue ...			112 0 7		
	Bree ...			128 15 5		
	The Leap ...			107 0 9		
	Total ...				347 16 9	Dec. 27
MATHEW CANNING,	Cranmore ...			56 5 3		
	Kilrush ...			56 18 9		
	St. Mary's ...			30 19 2		
	Newtownbarry ...			56 11 7		
	Tombrack ...			53 12 2		
	Total ...				354 6 11	May 9
MATHEW GAHAN,	Ballycarney ...			35 14 10		
	Ballymore ...			24 2 1		
	Ferus ...	53 10 4		79 0 4		
	Kilbora ...			11 12 1		
	Kilcormack ...	19 11 4		44 17 7		
	The Harrow ...			57 4 1		
	Total ...		73 1 8		252 11 0	May 15
JAMES SOMMERS,	Castleboro' ...			50 7 7		
	Clonroche ...			96 13 11		
	Killan ...			57 10 6		
	Kiltealy ...			28 4 10		
	Total ...				226 16 10	May 2
THOMAS TOBIN,	Ballindaggin ...			93 8 9		
	Castledockrill ...			41 19 5		
	Killoughram ...			74 18 0		
	Marshallstown ...			93 4 0		
	Rossard ...			64 3 9		
	Total ...				371 13 11	Dec. 27
JAMES PARKER,	Ballyvaldon ...			33 18 8		
	Booalaboy ...			32 3 6		
	Castle Ellis ...			31 2 6		
	Castle Talbot ...			51 1 6		
	Total ...				188 6 2	May 18
JAMES MURPHY,	Ballyhuskard ...			157 15 4		
	Edermine ...	29 6 10		173 17 10		
	Kilmallock ...	26 12 1		83 14 11		
	Total ...		55 18 11		411 11 1	Dec. 27
Total Union, £			248 17 3		3349 0 10	

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 : 11 : 10 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 62 s. 13 d. 10

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	41	11	6
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	"	2	7
Average Cost in Infirmary	"	3	7
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	"	5	

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

Meat 230 3/4 lbs	Whiskey 2 gals
Bread 2220 3/4	Spice 1/2 doz
Buttermilk 148 1/2 gals	Candles 26 lbs
Sweetmilk 906 qts	Soap 3 1/2 "
Tea 165 oz	Blue 1/2 "
Sugar 754 oz	W Soda 3 1/2 "

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of 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 13th day of January 1872, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure on Out-door Relief was

In Money,	...	...	...	...	...	26	15	6
In Kind,	...	...	...	...	...	3	2	0
Total,	...	...	...	...	...	29	17	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, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
TOTAL				

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

	£	s.	d.
165. Henry & Will Rephtams	2	8	6
166. Thomas Redmond Do	2	17	6
167. P. Murphy & Co. Dublin	18	0	0
168. P. Murphy & Co. Do	6	0	0
169. J. O'Brien Do	6	0	0
170. John Dullam Potatoes	6	14	2
171. Capt. W. Chester Tent	50	18	9

Debit the respective Accounts, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.



L. s. d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit the respective Accounts, with the several sums as above.

Orders on Contractors and others were signed for the following:

100 yds. Check, 1 doz sheets of tin, 1/2 prof. lead  
 tape, 1/2 prof. mason tape, 1 doz Chauncer Caudle to the,  
 1 Tea Boiler, 12 doz tin Cans, 1/2 doz quart jugs,  
 1 gal. wood oil, 1 Tin Can, 1 pref. lock,  
 200-6 nails, 200-4 DO, 200 slate nails,  
 8 yds 3/4 in rope,

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

Medical Officers Report

Remaining in Infirmary last week	71
Admitted during the week	13
Total	84

Discharged cured	8
Sent to River Hospital	0
Died	3
Remaining	73

Number on Infirmary Sent out of Hospital	14
Do in Isolation Wards	32

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

Masters Report

Mr. Downes has delivered  
 the blue Calico - please have it inspected,

Ordered, Clothing inspected  
 and found equal to sample,

L. S. d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit the respective Accounts, with the several sums as above.  
Orders on Contractors and others were signed for the following:—

100 yd. Check, 1 doz sheets of tin, 1/2 prof. lead  
tape, 1/2 prof. narrow tape, 1 doz Chandler Caudle's  
Tea Boilers, 12 doz tin Cans, 1/2 doz quart jug,  
1 gal. wood oil, 1 Fin. Can, 1 prof. lock,  
200-6 nails, 200-4 do, 200 plate nails,  
8 yd. 3/4 in hoop,

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

## Medical Officers Report

Remaining in Infirmary last week	71
Admitted during the week	13
Total	84

Discharged cured	8
Sent to River Hospital	0
Died	3
Remaining	73

Number on Infirmary Sent out of Hospital	14
Do in Isolated Wards	32

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

## Masters Report

Mr. Downes has delivered  
the clay Calico - please have it inspected,

Ordered, Clothing inspected  
and found equal to sample,



# Agriculturists Report

That he was employed during the last week - casting turnips - preparing ground for Calibages - and adding to the Manure heap,

Agriculturist's 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 11<sup>th</sup> May 1872 }  
No 9 } In reference to the election of Guardians for the ensuing year enclosing directions to the Returning Officer on that subject,

Dated 14<sup>th</sup> May 1872 }  
No 27661 } Enclosing a draft on the Bank of Ireland for the sum of £305.3.5 - amount of the Parliamentary Grant for half year ending 29<sup>th</sup> September last for Medical and Educational purposes,  
Medical Salaries and Appliances £284.3.5  
Salaries of Teachers £21.0.0

Ordered, That a stamped receipt for the amount of the draft signed by the Chairman and two Guardians and countersigned by the Clerk has been duly perfected and will be forwarded to the Commissioners by the Clerk,

Dated 16<sup>th</sup> May 1872 }  
No 2 } From the Registrar General stating that owing to the death of Dr. Craufield Mr. William Cowle - Deputy Registrar has received directions to discharge the duties of Registrar until a successor to Dr. Craufield be appointed,

Dated 17<sup>th</sup> 1872 }  
No 1218 } Acknowledging the receipt of a Resolution of the Board of Guardians



of the 4<sup>th</sup> Inst. proposing to increase the salary of Mr. Murphy or Relieving Officer by £5.0.0 per annum - and the Commissioners desire to point out that 14 days notice of this proposal should be given in accordance with article 13 of the General Regulations,

Ordered, The Board on the 11<sup>th</sup> Inst. agreed to grant Mr. Murphy the £5.0.0 a year for duties discharged under the Compulsory Vaccination Act not for increase of salary under the Poor Law Act and the Board trust the Commissioners will sanction it without the 14 days notice,

## Ordinary Proceedings

The Board proceeded with the consideration of applications for relief in the Workhouse and Fever Hospitals of the Union - also to out door relief in certain cases,

Anne Dowdall an inmate with four children applied for one Pound's worth of clothing to enable her to leave the Workhouse,

Anne Dowdall an inmate

Ordered, The Master to write to Mr. Keating - the Guardian of the division to which she is chargeable for his consent before the clothing be granted,

On examination of the Register it was found that Joseph Macready to whom relief was granted by Way of Loan should have been entered on the separate Register,

Ordered, That his name be taken off the Indoor Register and the Master is directed to put his name on the separate Register,

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...	...
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	12
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	...	...	...
Do., do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	268
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	...	...	...

*W. A. Cookman* Chairman

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 23<sup>rd</sup> day of

January 1872

Signed,

*W. A. Cookman*  
Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic. cap. 68 (No. 27.)

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE ENNISCORTHY UNION,

on Thursday, the 18<sup>th</sup> day of January 1872 continued.

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

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

A Letter read from Mr. P. M. Cooke informing the Board that he had written by this night post to the Poor Law Commissioners, telling them that the Post of Medical Officer to this District was now vacant in consequence of the death of Dr. Craupield and asking them to take the usual necessary steps to have the vacancy filled up &c.

*No Order made,*

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

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



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

Dispensary District.

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

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included dated 16th December, 1853 ]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 187 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish

to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the

half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 187 .

District, . . . . . £

District, . . . . . £

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

lation in 1871—

Present Net Annual Value, £109,700. Area in Statute Acres, 190,689.

TE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 20<sup>th</sup> day of January 1872

Number of Inmates for whom accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 5 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 AND 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		
House	957	311														
County Fever Hospital	37	6														
do.	19	1														
do.	11	3														
Total	1824	321														
Remaining on previous Saturday, after last Return.	13	59	53	67	9	18	43	33	16	311		In Work-house Hospital	75	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates.	30	
Admitted during the Week.	10	8	3	2		2		2		27		In Work-house Hospital	10		2	
TOTAL	23	67	56	69	9	20	43	35	16	338		TOTAL	85	TOTAL	32	
Discharged during the Week.	3	3	1	3		1	1	1		13		NIGHT LODGERS.				
Do.			3	1						4		Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL	
Total Discharged and Dead.	3	3	4	4		1	1	1		17		No. Relieved during week	6	0	0	6
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	20	64	52	65	9	19	42	34	16	321		No. in Work-house at date	5	0	0	5
												No. at corresponding period last year				334

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the 28<sup>th</sup> day of January 1872 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	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.	145	252			145	252
No. II.	56	90			56	90
No. III.	69	92			69	92
TOTAL.	270	434			270	434

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday, the 25<sup>th</sup> day of January 1872

PRESENT: In the Chair—

*N. N. Cookman Esq.*

Other Guardians—

*Thos. Linnott, R. Jordan, W. Rudd,*

*Mr. Kenney, J. Browne, P. Cuan,*

*E. O'Brien,*

Signed *M. Kennedy*  
Clerk of the Union.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 251 to No. 276 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. 2652 to No. 2658 both 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 Doctor Ryan reported to him on last Monday of the admission of a bad case of Small Pox into the Oulart L Hospital requesting an assistant Nurse to be sent to him. The Clerk engaged Nurse Catherine Leary same evening who went out at once but not less than 7/- a week & Rations for a fortnight—The Board will be so good as to sanction same

Ordered — Allowed

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

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

Paid during the week

And that the Balance on the Account in favour of the Guardians was £ 636. 15. 11

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	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Date of Last Attendance
JOHN FULHAM,	Enniscorthy ...			1298 2 2		
	Tinnacross ...			97 16 0		
	Total ...				1395 18 2	Jan 17 <sup>th</sup>
MATHEW DOYLE,	Ballyhogue ...	34 1 9		77 18 10		
	Bree ...	24 11 5		104 4 0		
	The Leap ...	23 14 0		83 6 9		
	Total ...		82 7 2		265 9 7	Jan 22 <sup>nd</sup>
MATHEW CANNING,	Cranmore ...			56 5 3		
	Kilrush ...			56 18 9		
	St. Mary's ...			30 19 2		
	Newtownbarry ...			156 11 7		
	Tombrack ...			53 12 2		
	Total ...				354 6 11	Jan 9 <sup>th</sup>
MATHEW GALLAN,	Ballycarney ...			35 14 10		
	Ballymore ...			24 2 1		
	Ferus ...			79 0 4		
	Kilbora ...			11 12 1		
	Kilcormack ...			44 17 7		
	The Harrow ...			57 4 1		
	Total ...				252 11 0	Jan 15 <sup>th</sup>
JAMES SOMMERS,	Castleboro' ...			50 7 7		
	Clonroche ...			96 13 11		
	Killan ...			51 10 6		
	Kiltealy ...			28 4 10		
	Total ...				226 16 10	Jan 2 <sup>nd</sup>
THOMAS TOBIN,	Ballindaggin ...	12 18 5		80 10 4		
	Castledockrill ...	5 5 1		36 14 4		
	Killoughram ...			74 18 0		
	Marshallstown ...	22 0 9		75 3 3		
	Rossard ...			64 3 9		
	Total ...		40 4 3		331 9 8	Jan 18 <sup>th</sup>
JAMES PARKER,	Ballyvaldon ...	33 2 4		20 16 4		
	Booleboy ...			52 3 6		
	Castle Ellis ...	22 8 7		8 13 11		
	Castle Talbot ...	37 12 0		13 9 6		
	Total ...		93 2 11		95 3 3	Jan 18 <sup>th</sup>
JAMES MURPHY,	Ballyhuskard ...	48 10 6		93 4 10		
	Edermine ...	33 7 8		140 10 2		
	Kilmallock ...	18 18 7		66 19 4		
	Total ...		100 16 9		300 14 4	Jan 23 <sup>rd</sup>
Parliamentary Grant			305 3 5			
Total Union, £			621 14 6		3222 9 9	

NOTE—A Total is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of each Collector's District, as well as for the entire Union. Debit the 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 : 16 : 6 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 33 s. 0 d. 8

	£.	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	-	-	-
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	-	-	-
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,	-	-	-
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	-	-	-
Average Cost in Infirmary	-	-	-
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	-	-	-
The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:	-	-	-

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Meat - 231 lbs  
Bread - 2145 "  
Buttermilk 102 gals  
Sweetmilk 915 qts  
Tea - 170 oz  
Sugar 773 "  
Whiskey 1/2 gal

Wine 1/2 doz  
Candles 32 lbs  
Soap 112 "  
Starch 3 1/2 "  
Blue 1/2 "  
w. Soda 3 1/2 "  
Lamp oil 1 gal

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of 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 20th day of January 1872 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£.	s.	d.
In Money, ...	28	6	1
In Kind, ...	1	4	0
Total, ...	29	10	1

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, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
TOTAL.				

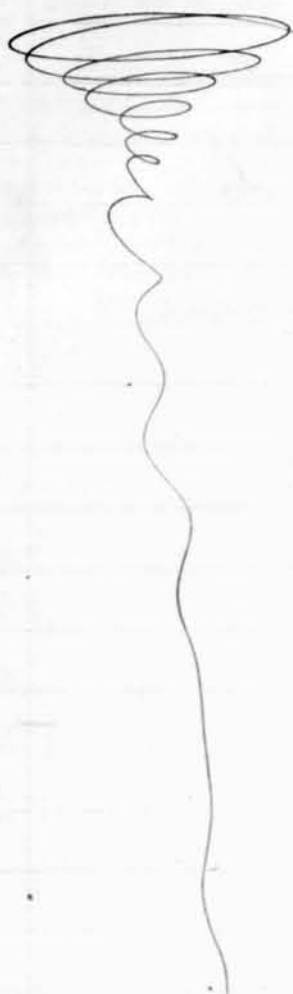
On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills, having been duly examined and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:—

	£.	s.	d.
173 Patrick Murphy Jr Out relief	18	0	0
174 Patrick Murphy Sr Do	7	0	0
175 Terence O'Brien Do	<del>2</del> 7	0	0
176 Edward Walsh Advertisements	2	0	0

Debit the respective Accounts, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.



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Credit Treasurer and Debit the respective Accounts, with the several sums as above.  
Orders on Contractors and others were signed for the following:—

1 gal Colza oil, 1 lb knitting wire, 1 gross of Spoons,  
100 quart Tins, 100 pint do, 50 b. Naggin do,  
1 quart of Sweet Oil, 2 House Buckets 3 1/2 lbs Shoe Horn

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

### Medical Officers Report

Remaining in Infirmary last week	73
Admitted during the week	4
Total	77

Discharged Cured	4
Sent to Fever Hospital	0
Died	1
Remaining	5
	72

Numbers on Infirmary Diet out of Hospital 13

Do in Idiot Wards 32

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

### Masters Report

I beg to report to the Board that Mrs Davis - Contractor for Sweetmilk is unable to fulfil her Contract owing to her Cows having the foot and mouth disease, I place before the Board a letter received from her —

Ordered — Advertisements to be issued for an additional supply of Sweetmilk — 12 gallons per day — in the interim the Master to supply himself with all the Sweetmilk he can procure —

I also beg to inform the Board that I had a letter from Doctor Ryan Medical Officer of Oulart saying he had admitted to Oulart Fever Hospital a Case of Small Pox

from Ballymurran - Electoral Division of Kilmallock

Mr. Downes has delivered the Bengal Stripe  
please have it inspected,

Ordered - Clothing found equal to sample

Agriculturist's Report.

That he was employed this week manuring Cabbages  
Storing Coals and adding to the Manure Heap

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 24 Jan 72 } In reference to the Resolution of the Board  
No 1918 } of the 18th Inst relating to the proposal to allow  
Mr Murphy Jr. Relieving Officer - a sum of £5-  
annually for duties discharged by him under the Compulsory Vaccination  
Act and the Commissioners state that the Vaccination Acts do not provide  
for the payment of an Officer to perform the duties referred to and  
the payment proposed must be deemed part of the Relieving  
Officers Salary and permanent increase in such Salary can only  
be made after 14 days notice,

Moved by Mr. Cookman

Seconded by Mr. Linnott

That on this day fortnight we will move that in  
consequence of the increase of duties of Mr. P. Murphy Jr.  
under the Compulsory Vaccination Act he be allowed  
£5.0.0 per annum as increase to his Salary.

The Clerk to give Notice also for con-  
sideration of the Commissioners letter of the 29th ult on  
the subject of an application made by him as Reliev-  
ing Officer for an increase in the allowance he receives  
for his duties as such,



## Ordinary Proceedings

The Board proceeded with the Consideration of Applications for Relief in the Workhouse and Fever Hospitals of the Union - Also to Out door Relief

An application was made by John Rogers an inmate to have his boots repaired and he would leave the House

Ordered - Request Allowed.

Catherine Foley - an inmate requested the Board would grant her Out door relief and she would leave the House

Ordered - Application refused.

Letter read from Doctor Wood N.T. Barry Fever Hospital complaining of the quality of meat supplied by the Contractor both as to the quantity of bone and gristle in the Meat Ordered on Saturday last that in any Contract for a Fever Hospital there should be a Specification that the Meat Supplied be without fat or nearly so -

Ordered The Clerk informs the Board that he has written to the Secretary of the Fever Hospital Committee on receipt of Dr Woods letter and received the following answer this morning -

I called on Mr E Lawlor Meat Contractor to the Fever Hospital and read your letter and Doctor Woods to him - he has promised me to be more careful in future as to the quality of the meat supplied to the Fever Hospital and that there shall be no cause of complaint in future -

Signed Percival Atkin

N.T. Barry 24<sup>th</sup> Jan'y 72.

The following entry appeared in the punishment Book Margaret Byrne and Anne Larkin guilty of disorderly Conduct and fighting in the Laundry

Ordered Cautioned to conduct themselves well in future and the Master was directed that if such occur again he is to bring them before the Magistrates.

The Medical Officer of the Ennis corthy Fever Hospital reported that the Assistant Nurse Bridget Roche has given every satisfaction up to this - She objects to her rations - I would recommend the Board to give the Nurses 2 ounces of Tea and <sup>quarter</sup> ~~half~~ a pound of Sugar in addition to their present weekly allowance

Ordered - Additional Tea & Sugar allowed to both Assistant Nurses, as above recommended -

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...
Ditto disallowed	...	...
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	11
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	...	...
Do., do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	270
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	...	...

*A. Deane Ch. M. M.*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 1<sup>st</sup> day of

February 1872

Signed,

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE ENNISCORTHY UNION.

on Thursday, the 25<sup>th</sup> day of January 1872.—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 Oulart 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 hereon, as follows:

*Ordered - Medical Appliances allowed*

*Doctor Ryan of Oulart sent in a list of five children not vaccinated - Form P -*

*Ordered Referred to Mr. P. Murphy <sup>sent</sup> to report in a fortnight,*

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

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



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

Dispensary District.

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

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts, dated 16th December, 1853.] An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 187, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for the

half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 187 .

_____ District,	£
_____ District,	£

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

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

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

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

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

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

Read Letter from *P. L. Commissioners* dated *24 Jan 72* stating that

In reference to a supply of Vaccine Lymph drawing the attention of the Guardians to their Circular Letters of the 7th March 1848 and the 8th July 1852 in which they recommended the Guardians to make arrangements for procuring supplies of Vaccine Lymph from time to time as required by the Medical Officers of the Union,

Ordered - The Board subscribe Annually to the Cowpock Institution Sackville St Dublin many years of which all the Medical Officers are aware.

*J Deathe Ch. Man*

Signed,

*M. Mundy*  
Clerk of the Union.

# ENNISCORTHY UNION.

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STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the *27th* day of *January* 187*2*

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			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	957	311												
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital	37	7												
Enniscorthy do.	19	0												
Enniscorthy do.	11	0												
Total														
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			20	64	52	65	9	19	42	34	16	321	In Workhouse Hospital 71	In separate Wards, in Wards with other inmates, 30
Admitted during the Week.			6	4	1	2	1	1	1	1		17	8	2
Total			26	68	53	67	10	20	43	35	16	338	TOTAL 79	TOTAL 32
Discharged during the Week.			12	1	2	2	"	1				18		
Dead.														
Total Discharged and Dead.			13	1	2	2	"	1				19		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			13	67	51	65	10	19	43	35	16	319	No. at corresponding period last year 352	

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the *27th* day of *January* 187*2* authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

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	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.	150	260			150	260
No. II.	56	90			56	90
No. III.	71	97			71	97
TOTAL,	277	447			277	447

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday, the *1st* day of *February* 187*2*

PRESENT: In the Chair—

*John Deathe Esq* and  
subsequently *John Bullen Esq.*  
Other Guardians—

*Martin Kelly*, *James O'Connor*  
*W. Rudd*, *N. Keating*  
*J. Graham*



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 277 to No. 293 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. 2659 to No. 2669 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and Counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

Paid during the week

And that the Balance on the Account

*favor*

the Guardians was

The Book was signed by the Chairman.

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	Tinnacross ...	50 0 10		47 15 2		
	Total ...					
MATHEW DOYLE,	Ballyhogue ...		132 0 9	77 18 10	265 9 7	Jan'y 22
	Bree ...			102 4 0		
	The Leap ...			83 6 9		
	Total ...					
MATHEW CANNING,	Cranmore ...	27 11 5	132 0 9	28 13 10	222 6 2	Jan'y 30 <sup>th</sup>
	Kilrush ...	32 18 9		24 0 0		
	St. Mary's ...	9 0 6		21 18 8		
	Newtownbarry ...	47 11 11		108 19 8		
	Tombrack ...	14 18 2		38 14 0		
	Total ...					
MATHEW GAHAN,	Ballycarney ...	29 6 11	74 9 4	6 7 11	178 1 8	Jan'y 29
	Ballymore ...			24 2 1		
	Ferns ...	23 13 6		55 6 10		
	Kilbora ...			11 12 1		
	Kilcormack ...			44 17 7		
	The Harrow ...	21 8 11		35 15 2		
	Total ...					
JAMES SOMMERS,	Castleboro' ...	27 1 9	98 5 7	23 5 10	128 11 3	Jan'y 30
	Clonroche ...	47 1 4		19 12 7		
	Killan ...	24 2 6		27 8 0		
	Kiltealy ...			28 4 10		
	Total ...					
THOMAS TOBIN,	Ballindaggin ...		24 12 10	80 10 4	70 10 5	Jan'y 30
	Castledockrill ...			36 14 4		
	Killoughram ...			74 18 0		
	Marshallstown ...			75 3 3		
	Rosard ...			64 3 9		
	Total ...					
JAMES PARKER,	Ballyvaldon ...	13 3 6	24 12 10	7 12 10	331 9 8	Jan'y 18
	Boalaboy ...			52 3 6		
	Castle Ellis ...	5 18 10		2 15 1		
	Castle Talbot ...	5 10 6		7 19 0		
	Total ...					
JAMES MURPHY,	Ballyhuskard ...		633 17 1	93 4 10	300 14 4	Jan'y 23
	Edermine ...			140 10 2		
	Kilmallock ...			66 19 4		
	Total ...					
Total Union, £				2588 12 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 : 10 : 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 £ 34 s. 5 d. 6

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	41	6	0
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2	7	
Average Cost in Infirmary	3	7	
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	5	1	

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

Wheat	236 lbs	Sugar	698 oz
Bread	2317 "	Whiskey	1 1/2 gal
Oatmeal	1120 "	Candles	32 lbs
Buttermilk	112 gals	Starch	3 1/2 "
Sweetmilk	879 qts	Blue	1/2 "
Fat —	224 lbs	W Soda	3 1/2
Tea —	168 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 of 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<sup>th</sup> day of January 1872 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	£	s.	d.
In Kind,	28	5	0
	7	13	0

Total, £

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

The requirements of each Relieving Officer for the ensuing week having been duly considered and estimated by the Board, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
TOTAL,				

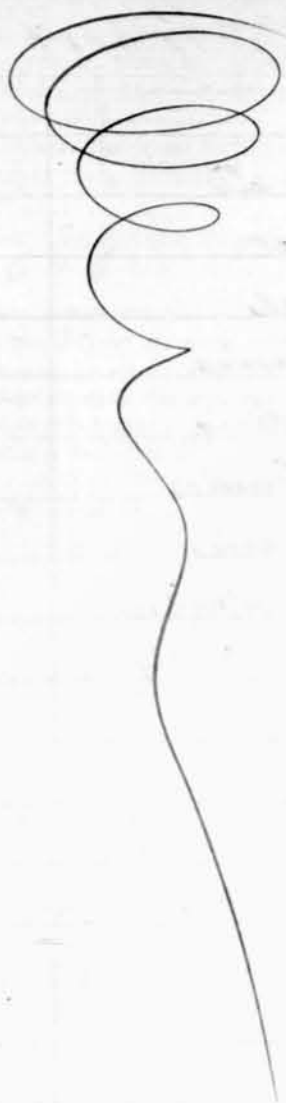
On the Report and recommendation of the Finance Committee, the following Bills, having been duly examined and found to be correct, and in accordance with the several Orders, were directed to be paid, and Cheques for the several amounts were duly drawn on the Treasurer, and Signed, namely:—

178	Thomas Doyle	Bread	52	3	4
179	Elija Henrick	Meat	22	17	6
180	Samu Malone	Coals	19	10	0
181	P. Fitzpatrick	Groceries	15	6	0
182	John Downes	Clothing	11	5	0
183	Pat H. Green	Hardware	6	14	10
184	Saml. Goodisson	Salaries	8	10	0
185	Geo. W. Wood	Registration	3	12	6
186	P. Murphy Junr	Out Relief	18	0	0
187	P. Murphy Senr	do	7	0	0
188	Terence O'Brien	do	8	0	0

Debit the respective Accounts, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.



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Credit Treasurer and Debit the respective Accounts, with the several sums as above.

Orders on Contractors and others were signed for the following:—

1 Tin Can, 4 yards Lime, 200 8-Nails,  
 200 4" do, 200 12" do, 20 lb. Hip Leather  
 5000 keel Nails,

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

Medical Officers Report

Remaining in Infirmary last week	—	72
Admitted during the week	—	4
Total	—	76

Discharged Cured	10	
Sent to Fever Hospital	0	
Died	1	11
Remaining	—	65

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

Masters Report

Mr. J. Flaherty has delivered the Check  
 please have it inspected

Ordered - Inspected and found  
 equal to Sample,

## Agriculturists Report

That he was employed this week planting  
Cabbage and making a manure heap —

Agriculturist's 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 31 Jan 1872 } Expressing their Sanction to the Proposal  
N<sup>o</sup> 2623 - } to remunerate Catherine Leary for her  
services as temporary Nurse in Oulart Fever Hospital  
at 7/- per week and rations —

Dated 31 Jan 1872 } Sanctioning the Proposal to allow the Assistant  
Nurses in Enniscomby Fever Hospital 2 oz of Tea  
and 1/4 lb of Sugar in addition to their present  
weekly allowance —

Dated 31 Jan 1872 } From the Commissioners of Valuation —  
transmitting the Valuation Lists of the  
Enniscomby Union as revised and amended  
for the present year —



## Ordinary Proceedings

The Board proceeded with the Consideration of Applications for Relief in the Workhouse and Fever Hospitals of the Union - also to Out-door Relief

A Letter read from Ellen Willis stating that as her husband Richard Willis has now come to Emancipation and makes no offer to give me any support she hoped the Guardians after all the law they have had in his case will compel him to maintain me,

Ordered The Relieving Officer Mr P. Murphy Juro to take the necessary steps under the directions of our Solicitor in this case,

14 and 15 Vic. cap. 68 (No. 27.)

## MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE ENNISCORTHY UNION.

on Thursday, the 7<sup>th</sup> day of Feb 1872 continued.

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

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

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

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

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...
Ditto disallowed	...	...
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	10,
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	...	...
Do., do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	277.
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	...
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered	...	...

*J. South Ch. M. M.*

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 8<sup>th</sup> day of

February 1872

Signed,

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

*Dispensary District.*

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

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included dated 16th December, in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended 187, having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included dated 16th December, in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for 1853.]

half-year ended _____	187	£
District,		£
District,		£

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

A report from P. was read from Doctor Wood H. J. Barry containing 26 cases not vaccinated within the last six months

Ordered. Referred to Relieving Officer Mr O'Brien to enquire and report to the Board soon as possible

Letter read from Mr P. Murphy Senr. Relieving Officer stating that he had served Notices on the Parents of six children who were defaulters under the Compulsory Vaccination Act in the Electoral Division of Innacross and have to inform the Board that five of the children have since been successfully vaccinated by Doctor Goodisson and that the other child is at present in an unfit state for vaccination

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Signed *M. Kennedy*  
Clerk of the Union.

## ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Population in 1871—

Present Net Annual Value, £109,700. Area in Statute Acres, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of February 1872

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 5 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 AND 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	957	304													
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital	37	8													
Enniscorthy do.	19	0													
Enniscorthy do.	11	0													
Total	1024	313													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	13	67	51	65	70	19	43	35	16	319			In Workhouse Hospital 60	In separate Wards, in Workhouse with other inmates, 30	
Admitted during the Week.	5	3	1	2		1	1			13			In Fever Hospital 9		
Total	18	70	52	67	70	20	44	35	16	332			Total 69	Total 32	
Discharged during the Week.	4	7	2	1		1	1	1	1	18					
Total Discharged and Dead.	4	7	2	1		1	1	1	2	19			No. Relieved during week 4	0	0
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	14	63	60	10	10	19	43	34	14	313			No. in Workhouse at date 2	0	0
													No. at corresponding period last year 362		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the 3<sup>rd</sup> day of February 1872 authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	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.	150	256			150	256
No. II.	58	89			58	89
No. III.	70	96			70	96
TOTAL.	278	441			278	441

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday, the 8<sup>th</sup> day of February 1872

PRESENT: In the Chair—

John Deathe Esqr & Subsequently by  
W. W. Cookman Esqr & M. A. Maher Esqr

Other Guardians—

J. C. Roberts Wm Cookman Wm A. LeHunte  
W. Rudd James Downes M. Kelly  
R. Jordan James Theill J. Sutton  
P. Crean Michl Sutton J. Honnor  
E. O'Brien Edw. Feating P. Atkin  
W. Macutcher J. Graham N. Keating  
M. Kenny Jas. Murphy J. Sinaott,



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 294 to No. 306 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. 2670 to No. 2680 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and Counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

Paid during the week

And that the Balance on the Account *in favor* the Guardians was £1158 11 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	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Date of Last Attendance
JOHN FULHAM,	Enniscorthy ...			104 3 14 5		
	Tinnacross ...			47 15 2		
	Total ...				1091 9 7	Jan 31
MATHEW DOYLE,	Ballyhogue ...			77 18 10		
	Bree ...			104 4 0		
	The Leap ...			83 6 9		
	Total ...				265 9 7	Jan 22
MATHEW CANNING,	Cranmore ...			28 13 10		
	Kilrush ...			24 0 0		
	St. Mary's ...			21 18 8		
	Newtownbarry ...			108 19 8		
	Tombrack ...			38 14 0		
	Total ...				222 6 2	Jan 30
MATHEW GAHAN,	Ballycarney ...			6 7 11		
	Ballymore ...			24 2 1		
	Ferus ...			55 6 10		
	Kilbora ...			11 12 1		
	Kilcormack ...			44 17 7		
	The Harrow ...			35 15 2		
	Total ...				178 1 8	Jan 29
JAMES SOMMERS,	Castleboro' ...			23 5 10		
	Clonroche ...			49 12 7		
	Killan ...			27 8 0		
	Kiltealy ...			28 4 10		
	Total ...				128 11 3	Jan 30
THOMAS TOBIN,	Ballindaggin ...	27 10 8		52 19 8		
	Castledockrill ..			36 14 4		
	Killoughram ...	21 14 0		53 4 0		
	Marshallstown ...			75 3 3		
	Roscard ...	23 8 9		40 15 0		
	Total ...		72 13 5		258 16 3	July 3
JAMES PARKER,	Ballyvaldon ...			7 12 10		
	Boolaboy ...			52 3 6		
	Castle Ellis ...			2 15 1		
	Castle Talbot ...			7 19 0		
	Total ...				70 10 5	Jan 30
JAMES MURPHY,	Ballyhuskard ...	22 11 2		70 13 8		
	Edermine ...	49 9 4		91 0 10		
	Kilmallock ...	27 18 0		39 1 4		
	Total ...		99 18 6		200 15 10	July 6
Gorey Union			13 14 2			
Total Union, £			186 6 1		2416 0 9	

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

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The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 3 : 4 : 8 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 38 s. 12 d. 10

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	39	18	11
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2	7	
Average Cost in Infirmary	3	7	
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	5	1	

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

Meat	182 lb.	Coals	20 ton
Bread	2236 "	Candles	32 lb.
Suetmick	800 qt.	Soap	112
Buttermick	136 gal.	Starch	3 1/2
Tea	172 oz.	Blue	1/2
Sugar	689 oz.	W. Soda	3 1/2
Whiskey	1/2 gal.	1 gal Paraffin Oil	

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 of 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<sup>rd</sup> day of February 1872, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	£	s.	d.
In Kind,	30	8	0
	1	3	0
Total,	£	31	11 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, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
TOTAL.				

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

190 Percival Atkin F. Hospital accts	£	s.	d.
	4	14	6
191 Mary Davis Suetmick	11	0	10
192 Robt Cosgrave Do	17	4	2
193 Patk Ryan Buttermick	6	1	8
194 John Nolan Chandlery	6	15	7
195 Maria Maguire Leaden	3	0	8
196 P. Ryan Hardwares	2	5	0
197 P. Murphy Junr Out Relief	18	0	0
198 P. Murphy Senr Do	7	0	0
199 Terence O'Brien Do	6	0	0
200 G. V. Wood Vaccinations	5	0	0

Debit the respective Accounts, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.



L s. d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit the respective Accounts, with the several sums as above.  
Orders on Contractors and others were signed for the following:—

Orders were signed for

1 st Iron 7 lb Steel, 1 Board 1 1/2 in 3 Boards 3/4 in  
1 doz Whitewash Brushes 2 Coffins, 1 st Car grease  
2 qts Varnish 1 qt Turpentine 4 Sheets of Glass Paper  
1 Paint Brush 1 dust brush 1 lb Blue paint  
100 yds Calico 500 Sewing Needles

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

### Medical Officers Report

Remaining in Infirmary last week	65
Admitted during the week	6
Total	71

Discharges Cured	7	
Sent to Fever Hospital	1	
Died	1	9
Remaining		62

Number on Infirmary Diet out of Hospital 13

Do in Idiot wards 32

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

### Masters Report

Number in Original Building	306
Do in Emiscorthy St Hospital	8
Do in N. J. Barry Do	0
Do in Oulact Do	1
Total	315

Do Same week last year	382
Decrease	67

Number on Out door Relief	441
Do Same week last year	502
Decrease	61

Lodgers last week	4
Deaths in W. House	1

I beg to report to the Board that I will require  
a Carpenter for a few days

Ordered — Allowed

### Agriculturists Report

That he was employed this week repairing  
the lane and helping Mr Copeland to  
clear the river where the land slipped in —

Agriculturists Report.

The following Letters from the 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 Feb 1872 }  
No 19 }

Requesting a Return in the enclosed Form  
of rates made or agreed on during the month  
of January 1872

The Commissioners Letter dated Decr 29<sup>th</sup> 1871 No 30299 was  
then read upon which the following Resolution was moved by  
Mr Downes and Seconded by Mr Graham, That having considered  
the length of time since the Commissioners first appointment of  
a Returning Officer for the Union now over 31 years and the  
Remuneration £10 per year then allowed to be now inadequate —  
we are of opinion that an increase of £10 a year should be  
given for the services of Returning Officer in the Union

In the Course of taking the Poll and observing the  
majority of votes to be against — Mr Downes withdrew his motion  
the Clerk consenting to a postponement of the question



## Ordinary Proceedings

The Board proceeded with the Consideration of applications for Relief in the Workhouse and Fever Hospital of the Union also to Out door Relief in certain cases

An Application was made by an Inmate named Catherine Foley with six children to be granted Out door Relief and she would leave the House with her children

The Master informed the Board that some of her children were not quite well to be allowed to go out with her for some days at least

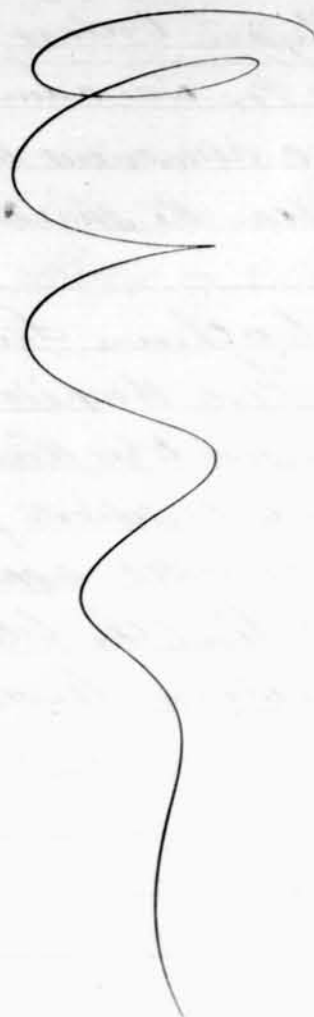
Ordered, To be discharged as soon as the Medical Officer declares the children to be fit to leave and to be allowed 5/- a week out relief for one month and if then in want to apply again

Mr. Atkin Guardian for N. J. Barry gave notice that he will on this day fortnight move that Catherine Donnelly and her daughter Mary Donnelly both able bodied women Capable of earning their support outside be discharged from the Workhouse —

Letter read from the Representative Body of the Church of Ireland in reference to a claim for Poor rates due on the Glebe of Bunnagunagh E. Division of N. J. Barry stating that when the Glebe Committee give instructions they will write again. the sum due is £3. 15. 10, which the late Incumbent wrote to the Collector he was not now liable to pay.

Letter read from Dr. Ryan Oulart Fever Hospital stating that another case of Small Pox was admitted into Hospital last Sunday. The want of a permanent assistant Nurse is absolutely necessary as I fear the spread of the disease in the district

Ordered That Catherine Leary be appointed Assistant Nurse in the Oulart Fever Hospital for one month at 7/- per week and Ration. not to be discharged without an order from the Board and a Certificate from the Medical Officer that she is fully protected against disseminating Small Pox in the mean time the Clerk to advertise for a permanent Assistant Nurse tender to be considered on the 22nd Instant



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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...
Ditto disallowed	...	...
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	9
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	...	...
Do., do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	278
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	...
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered	...	...

*J. Mayhew*  
Chairman

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

February 1872

Signed

Clerk of the Union.

14 and 15 Vic. cap. 68 (No. 27.)

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE ENNISCORTHY UNION.

on Thursday, the 8<sup>th</sup> day of February 1872 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 *Killan & Clonroche* 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 hereon, as follows:

Ordered Medical Appliances allowed

Letter read from Mr. P. Murphy Senr in reference to the five cases returned by Doctor Ryan of Oulston form. P. one of the children is dead another is unfit for vaccination two have been vaccinated on last Tuesday and I will report again in reference to the last child

Mr. Cookman brought forward the motion of which he gave notice respecting the increase of £5.0.0 a year to the salary of Mr. Patrick Murphy Junr for his heavy duties in enforcing the provisions of the Compulsory vaccination Act as directed to be by the Board

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:

and after fully explaining the provisions of the Law left the matter in the hands of the Board

The Chairman then took vote when there appeared for the Resolution 14  
 & against — 7  
 when the Chairman declared the Resolution carried



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

Dispensary District.

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

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included dated 16th December, 1853.]

An Account of the Expenses incurred for the service of each Dispensary District in the Union, for the half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 187 , having been submitted to the Board, the Clerk was directed to furnish

half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 187 .

District, \_\_\_\_\_ £

District, \_\_\_\_\_ £

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

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

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

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

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

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

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

## ENNISCORTHY UNION.

Population in 1871—

Present Net Annual Value, £109,700. Area in Statute Acres, 190,689.

STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of February 1872

Number of inmates for whom accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 7 and under 15 years of age.		Children above 5 and under 7 years of age.	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age.	Infants under 2 years of age.	Total.	RETURN OF SICK AND 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	957	301													
Emergency Fever Hospital	37	11													
Newnham do.	19	0													
Out-patients do.	11	2													
Total,.....	1024	314													
Remaining on previous Saturday, per last Return.	14	63	50	66	10	19	43	34	14	313	In Work-house Hospital	57	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates,	30	
Admitted during the Week,	6	5	4	4	1	2	1	2	25		In Fever Hospital	13		2	
Deceased															
TOTAL	20	68	54	70	11	21	43	35	16	338	TOTAL	72	TOTAL	32	
Discharged during the Week,	7	6	2	2	1	1	1	2	1	23	NIGHT LODGERS.				
Dead,												Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead,	7	6	2	2	1	1	1	2	2	24	No. Relieved during week	8	2	4	14
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	13	62	52	68	10	20	42	33	14	314	No. in Work-house at date	1	0	0	1
												No. at corresponding period last year, 368			

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week, ended Saturday, the 10<sup>th</sup> day of February 1872, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	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.	151	272			151	272
No. II.	59	92			59	92
No. III.	70	91			70	91
TOTAL	280	455			280	455

COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday, the 15<sup>th</sup> day of February 1872.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

J. Haughton Esq<sup>r</sup> and subsequently  
N. V. Cookman Esq<sup>r</sup>

Other Guardians—

W. A. Le Monte H. J. Bryan W. Rudd

Richard Jordan J. Deaths J. Cullen

Thomas Linnott N. Keating J. Browne

J. Haughton

Signed J. Haughton  
Clerk of the Union.



The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 307 to No. 331 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. 2681 to No. 2695 both inclusive, by the signature of the Chairman, and Counter-signature of the Clerk.

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

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

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

Paid during the week

And that the Balance on the Account in favor the Guardians was £1453.15.1

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	Amount Collected and Lodged £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Remaining £ s. d.	Total £ s. d.	Date of Last Attendance
JOHN FULHAM,	Enniscorthy ...	214 4 3	214 4 3	829 10 2	877 5 4	July 14
	Tinnacross ...	.		47 15 2		
	Total ...					
MATHEW DOYLE,	Ballyhogue ...	24 0 0	91 6 2	53 18 10	174 3 5	July 12
	Bree ...	55 2 11		49 1 1		
	The Leap ...	12 3 3		71 3 6		
	Total ...					
MATHEW CANNING,	Cranmore ...	12 19 9	72 15 5	15 14 1	149 10 9	July 13
	Kilrush ...	13 17 9		10 2 3		
	St. Mary's ...	6 6 9		15 11 11		
	Newtownbarry ...	33 11 2		75 8 6		
	Tombrack ...	6 0 0		32 14 0		
	Total ...					
MATHEW GAHAN,	Ballycaulney ...			6 7 11	178 1 8	Jan 29
	Ballymore ...			24 2 1		
	Ferns ...			55 6 10		
	Kilbora ...			11 12 1		
	Kilcormack ...			44 17 7		
	The Harrow ...			35 15 2		
	Total ...					
JAMES SOMMERS,	Castleboro' ...			23 5 10	128 11 3	Jan 30
	Clonroche ...			49 12 7		
	Killan ...			27 8 0		
	Kiltealy ...			28 4 10		
	Total ...					
THOMAS TOBIN,	Ballindaggin ...			52 19 8	258 16 3	July 3
	Castledockrill ...			36 14 4		
	Killoughram ...			53 4 0		
	Marshallstown ...			75 3 3		
	Rosard ...			40 15 0		
	Total ...					
JAMES PARKER,	Ballyvaldon ...			7 12 10	70 10 5	Jan 30
	Boolaboy ...			52 3 6		
	Castle Ellis ...			2 15 1		
	Castle Talbot ...			7 19 0		
	Total ...					
JAMES MURPHY,	Ballyhuskard ...			70 13 8	200 15 10	July 6
	Edermine ...			91 0 10		
	Kilmallock ...			39 1 4		
	Total ...					
Total Union, £			378 5 10		2037 14 11	

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

*201*  
The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him, since last Meeting, amounting to £ 3 : 13 : 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.

*201*  
By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 57 s. 19 d. 1

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account,	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	39	6	8
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account,			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was	2	7	
Average Cost in Infirmary	3	7	
Average Cost in Fever Hospital	5	1	

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

Meat	224 1/2 lbs	Pepper	14 lbs
Bread	2166 "	Whiskey	1 gal
Oatmeal	1120 "	Wine	1/2 doz
Buttermilk	116 gals	Candles	32 lbs
Sweetmilk	882 qts	Starch	3 1/2
Tea	142 oz	Blue	1/2
Sugar	924 "	W. Soda	3 1/2

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books of 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<sup>th</sup> day of February 1872, whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	...	...	...	...	...	29	1	0
In Kind,	...	...	...	...	...	2	16	6
Total,	...	...	...	...	...	31	17	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, cheques 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 Cheque on Treasurer £ s. d.	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and Quantity	Value £ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
TOTAL,				

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

202 Patrick Murphy Jun <sup>r</sup> R. Officer	18	0	0
203 Patrick Murphy Sen <sup>r</sup> Do	6	0	0
204 Terence O'Brien Do	7	0	0

Debit the respective Accounts, and Credit Treasurer with the several sums as above.



L s. d.

Credit Treasurer and Debit the respective Accounts, with the several sums as above.  
Orders on Contractors and others were signed for the following:—

50 yds winery	7 lbs black lead
1 Sale Plate	1 Sack Mould
4 Urin Ball	6 qt Jugs

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

### Medical Officers Report

Remaining in Infirmary last week	62
Admitted during the week	<u>8</u>
Total	70

Discharged Cured	5	
Sent to Fever Hospital	2	
Died	<u>1</u>	<u>8</u>
Remaining		62

Number on Infirm Diet out of Hospital 13

Do in Idiot wards ————— 32

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

### Masters Report

Number in Original Building	298
" Emigration Hospital	10
" Outlast do	1
" N. J. Barry do	0
Total	<u>309</u>

Number same week last year	360
Decrease	<u>51</u>

Number on Out door Relief	455
" same week last year	<u>502</u>
Decrease	47

Deaths in W House - 1

" Hospital - 1

He beg<sup>d</sup> to inform the Board that Berry has declined sweeping the Chimneys according to his Contract.

Ordered The Master to employ a Sweep

Mr Downes has delivered the Blue Calico and Miss Maguire has delivered the Best Leather  
Please have them inspected

Ordered A Committee inspected the goods and found them equal to sample.

*Agriculturist's Report.*

That he was employed last week turning and adding to the Manure heap, he hopes the Board will be so good as to grant a Supper to the men turning manure

Ordered A Supper allowed

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 Jan<sup>y</sup> 31. 72, from the Valuation Office

stating that the Revised Valuation Books were returned to this Union,

Dated 13 Feb<sup>y</sup>. 72 } Enclosing Questions for answer by the Clerk  
No 4004 } and Margaret Leary who has been appointed Assistant Nurse in the Oulart F. Hospital

Dated 13 Feb<sup>y</sup>. 72 } Sanctioning the increase of £5 a year to  
No 4004 } the Salary of Mr P. Murphy Junr Retaining Officer —



## Ordinary Proceedings

The Board proceeded to the consideration of applications for Relief in the workhouse and Fever Hospitals of the Union also to Out door Relief in certain Cases

A Letter was read from the Porter of the Fever Hospital calling the attention of the Board to the Removal of provisions between the Fever Hospital and the Workhouse and that he considers it a very heavy extra duty on him that an alteration would prevent him from getting very heavy weddings and he would be thankful to the Board if they would have them sent over

Ordered Referred to the Master,

Mr. Haughton gave notice that on this day week he will move for the discharge of Anne Byrne from the Division of Senns and her readmission on the Union as the case on investigation may appear,

Copy of Resolution as adopted by the Waterford Union was read respecting the anomalous condition of the charges for Lunatic Asylums and Gaols in this Country that those charges should be levied on the principle of the Poor Rates as the Cost of a Pauper in a Lunatic Asylum is more than double the Cost of an Inmate in the Workhouse and is exclusively borne by the Rated Occupiers, and requesting that a similar Memorial to the Government be adopted by this Board as that from Waterford,

Ordered Unanimously Adopted

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

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

Ditto disallowed ...

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ...

The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was ...

Do., do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians ...

The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was ...

The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered ...

Next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of February 187 2

Signed,

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

14 and 15 Vic. cap. 68 (No. 27)

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE ENNISCORTHY UNION,

on Thursday, the 15<sup>th</sup> day of February 187 2—continued.

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

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

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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.

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*Dispensary District.*

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

[This at the end of each half-year, in pursuance of Articles 28 & 29 of the General Rules for Dispensary Districts to the Committee of each Dispensary District a Statement of all the Expenses of the District which have been included dated 15th December, in the half-year's Accounts. The following is the Total Expenses incurred for each Dispensary District for 1853.]

half-year ended \_\_\_\_\_ 187 .

District, \_\_\_\_\_ £

District, \_\_\_\_\_ £

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

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## ENNISCORTHY UNION.

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Report of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the 17<sup>th</sup> day of February 1872

of Inmates for whom accommodation provided	No. who can be accommodated in each building	Total No. accommodated 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 5 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 5 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.	
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Born																
TOTAL	17	65	54	71	12	22	43	36	15	335		TOTAL,	81	TOTAL,	32	
Discharged during the Week,	4	3					3	3	1	17		NIGHT LODGERS.				
Dead,								1		1			Males	Females	Children under 15	TOTAL
Total Discharged and Dead,	4	3					3	4	3	1	18	No. Relieved during week	2	1	0	3
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE,	13	62	54	71	12	19	39	33	14	317		No. in Workhouse at date	"	"	"	"
												No. at corresponding period last year,			361	

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COPY of MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday, the 22<sup>nd</sup> day of February 1872

PRESENT: In the Chair—

*Thomas Sinnott Esq*

Other Guardians—

*Martin Kelly, James Murphy, P. Atkin*

*W. Macutoher J. Browne J. Sheil,*

Signed,

*M. Munnedy*  
Clerk of the Union.