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Read Letter from _____ dated _____ stating that

John Flynn Esq

Signed, *M. Munday*
Clerk of the Union.

ENNISCORTHY UNION.

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STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the

6 day of *September* 1873

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. residing on the above date	Able-bodied				Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age, but not working				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	279															
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital	37	5															
Newtownbarry do.	19	-															
Oula do.	11	-															
Total.....	1024	284															
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			4	42	52	84	15	14	27	28	19	285	In Work-house Hospital	60	In separate Wards	36	
Admitted during the Week, . . .			4	4	2	3	.	.	.	.	2	7	16	In Hospital in Fever Hospital	5	In Wards with other inmates,	2
Born . . . . .			.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	.
TOTAL			8	46	54	87	15	14	27	30	20	301	TOTAL,	65	TOTAL,	38	
Discharged during the Week, . . .			4	3	2	3	.	.	.	.	3	7	16				
Died, . . . . .			.	.	1	.	.	.	.	.	.	.	1				
Total Discharged and Dead, . . .			4	3	3	3	.	.	.	3	1	17					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE, . . .			4	43	51	84	15	14	27	27	20	284	No. relieved during week	5	No. in Work-house of date	1	No. at corresponding period last year
																	235

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 6th day of *September* 1873, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 1st 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.	149	270			149	270
No. II.	89	129			89	129
No. III.	55	71			55	71
TOTAL	293	470			293	470

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday, the 11th day of *September* 1873.

PRESENT: In the Chair— *John Flynn Esq* Subsequently
William Cookman Esq J.P.

Other Guardians—

*W. A. Le Hunte, J. Sinnott,
M. Murphy, P. Whelan, and M. O'Neill,*

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2817 to No. 2832 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. 3646 to No. 3650 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 the Auditor attended on the 5th Inst. and closed his audit on the 9th taking the account of the Township Commissioners and of the Asylum in the interim, That his report on the ^{audit of the} Union accounts was read to the Board this day and the Abstracts Signed by the Chairman,

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 - £ 271 . 16 . 3

And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was - £ 865 . 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 FULLAM ...	Enniscorthy ...			22 3 0		
	Tinacross ...			1 7 10		
	Total ...				23 10 10	Closed
MARK STAFFORD...	Ballyhogue ...			2 6 11		
	Bree ...			5 0		
	The Leap ...			1 5 10		
	Total ...				3 17 9	Closed
MATHEW CANNING	Cranmore ...			3		
	Kilrush ...					
	St. Mary's ...			11 0		
	Newtownbarry ...			15 7 0		
	Tombrack ...			3 8		
	Total ..				16 1 11	Closed
MATHEW GAHAN	Ballycarney ...					
	Ballymore ...					
	Ferns ...			6 2		
	Kilbora ...					
	Kilcormack ...					
	The Harrow ...					
	Total ...				6 2	Closed
JAMES SOMMERS ...	Castleboro' ...			7		
	Clonroche ...					
	Killan ...					
	Kiltealy ...			1 1 11		
	Total ...				1 2 6	Closed
THOMAS TOBIN ...	Ballindaggin ...			6		
	Castledockrill ...			3		
	Killoughram ...			3		
	Marshallstown ...			4		
	Rossard ...					
	Total ...				1 4	Closed
JAMES PARKER ...	Ballyvaldon ...					
	Boolaboy ...			1		
	Castle Ellis ...			2		
	Castle Talbot ...					
	Total ...				3	Closed
JAMES MURPHY ...	Ballyhuskard ...			28		
	Edermine ...			1		
	Kilmallock ...			7		
	Total ...				34	Closed
	Total Union £				45 4 1	

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

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 3 2 0 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 70 s. 9 d. 3 1/2

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	44	15	0 1/2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	3 1/2
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	6

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

Meat	218 lbs	Wine	1 dozen
Bread	2149 lbs	Candles	18 lbs
Buttermilk	125 gallons	Molds	2 lbs
Sweetmilk	855 qts	Soap	112 lbs
Tea	173 ozs	Starch	3 1/2 lbs
Sugar	714 ozs	Blue	1/2 lb
Whiskey	1 1/2 gallon	W Soda	3 1/2 lbs

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books 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 September 1873 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	28	18	6
In Kind, ...	1	4	0
Total, ...	£ 30	2	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	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and Quantity	Value
		£ s. d.		£ s. d.
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
TOTAL,				

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

		£	s.	d.
259	McLaffan Stationary	2	9	0
260	Murphy Out-Relief	17	0	0
261	Murphy do-	9	0	0
262	McBrien do	5	0	0
263	Parkin J. Hosp. accept.	6	2	5

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

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

1 package of bent Sack, 1 dozen Boxes wax wicks and Hooks
3 Boards, 500 Nails, 1 piece Scantling, 1 H Hinge
1st Jar Grease.

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

Medical Officers Report.

Remaining in Infirmary last week ----- 60
Admitted during the week ----- 3
Total ----- 63

Discharged Cured ----- 1
Sent to Fever Hospital ----- 0
Died ----- 0 ----- 1
Remaining in Infirmary ----- 62
Number same week last year ----- 45
Increase ----- 17

N^o. on Infirmary diet out of Hospital ----- 17

N^o. in Idiot Ward. ----- 37

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

Master's Report.

That Mr. Murphy has delivered the Linen
please have it inspected.

Ordered. Inspected and found equal to Sample.

That on Monday the 8th Inst. the Male and Female
children of the Workhouse were kindly invited by Lady
Carew to Castleboro where they were served out with
all the luxuries that could be provided, after which
they were conducted over that magnificent demense
— availing themselves of the fruit as they passed
through the garden. They were then put through
a series of amusements befitting children by the
Rev^d

Rev. R. C. Blacker which they fully enjoyed. On leaving for the Vans provided for the conveyance by his Lordship - they were plentifully helped to Sweetcake, fruit, and Toys by the Hon. R. Carr. Lord Carr and Lady Carr and a number of Ladies and Gentlemen from England who were present. The Male and female Teachers were both in attendance on the Children.

Ordered. That the Clerk convey the thanks of this Board to Lord and Lady Carr for their kind invitation and treatment to the W House Children at Castle bar on the 8th Inst.

Agriculturist's Report.

That he was employed during the past week ploughing and reaping the corn.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 4 Sep^r 1873 }
No 22411 } Enclosing questions for answer
by the Clerk and the persons who
may be appointed to the Office of
Collector in room of Mr. Mc Canniff.

Dated 5 Sep^r 1873 }
No 141 } Requesting a return of Rates made
or agreed on during the month
of August ~~1873~~ last,

Dated 9 Sep^r 1873 }
No. 22916 } In reference to the proposal of the
Guardians to assist the emigration
of Mary Oakes and her children
forwarding a discipline list to be
filled up with particulars and be signed by the
Medical Officer as being in good health and fit for
emigration

Dated 10 September 1873 }
No 22916 } Enclosing questions for answer
by the Clerk and the person
who may be appointed to the
Office of Collector in room of
Mr. Mark Stafford,

Ordinary Proceedings

The Board then proceeded to the consideration of applications for ~~out door~~ relief in the W House and fever hospitals of the Union also for Out door relief which they grant in certain cases.

Sarah Sheridan an inmate requested leave of absence for a few hours to see her sister
Ordered: Leave Granted.

The Board request the L. G. Board to be so good as to cause a Specification for painting the Workhouse to be forwarded to the Guardians as advertisements for tenders will appear in the Local papers of Saturday next for consideration in a fortnight, and that the Guardians are of opinion the Board Room should be added to the outside work in the contract.

Mr. Peter Whelan Guardian for Killarny stated to the Board that in reference to the disallowance in the case of Patrick Walsh of the Killarny Division in Mr. Murphy's accounts of the sum of £1.2.6 consisting of 15 weeks out door relief at 1/6 per week over 2/6 per week which was entered in his application and report Book — that as Guardian gave directions to the Relieving Officer to have the relief to Walsh increased from 2/6 to 4/6 per week which I am aware Walsh has been receiving since I gave that direction that the Relieving brought the instruction before the Board but the Chairman omitted to enter the increase on the Book and which the Chairman of that day who is also the Chairman of today states he recollects to be the fact.

Signed

Peter Whelan

I know the above statement is strictly accurate

Signed

John Flynn

Chairman

The Bonds and other securities in force were laid before the Guardians by the Clerk, together with his Report thereon, as follows: (this on the second Meeting after the Annual Meeting of 1887)

The Board request that the disallowance of the Auditor will be abated under these circumstances by the Local Government Board.

Auditor's Report

I hereby disallow the sum of 7/- charged as having being paid as out door relief to Anty Barty of the Electoral Division of Ballyhogue over and above the amount authorized by the Board of Guardians, and I hereby debit Mr. Patrick Murphy Relieving Officer with the above sum of 7/- and require him to lodge it with the Treasurer to the credit of the Board of Guardians.

I also disallow as illegal the out door relief granted by the Board of Guardians to the Undermentioned and charged to the Electoral Division of Blonroche, viz,

Anne Carrall 39 widow ablebodied with 1 child	£ 0 . 10 . 0
Michael Murphy 47. ablebodied. Labourer.	12 . 6
Catherine Mott 51 ablebodied. Widow. without children	7 . 6
	£ 1 . 10 . 0

and I hereby debit the Undermentioned Guardians who by their initials authorized this illegal expenditure with the proportions set opposite their respective names, viz,

Mr. John Cullin 13/-

Mr. Jonathan Haughton 17/-

and I require the to lodge their respective amounts to the credit of the Board of Guardians.

I also disallow as illegal the Out door relief granted by the Board of Guardians to the Undermentioned persons and charged to the Electoral Division of Enniscorthy, viz,

Mary Murphy aged 31. ablebodied. widow. without children	£ 1 . 2 . 6
Ann Dillon " 51 do labourer.	1 . 16 . 0
Kate Curran " 31 do widow. without children	1 . 2 . 6
Ellen Murray " 37 do widow with one child	1 . 1 . 0
David Cullin " 31 do	6 . 0
Thomas Quinn " 27 do	5 . 0
Mary Doyle " 47 do widow no child	10 . 0
Mary Codd " 29 do widow one child	10 . 0

£ 6 . 13 . 0
and

and I hereby debit the undermentioned Guardians who by their initials authorized this illegal expenditure with the proportions of the above sum of £6.13.0 set opposite their respective names viz.

Mr John Cullen £0.18.0 }
 Mr Jonathan Haughton £5.5.0 }
 Mr Nathaniel Cookman 10.0 }

I also debit Mr Patrick Murphy Relieving Officer with the sum of 4/6 charged as having been paid to the above Owen Dillow over and above the amount authorized by the Guardians, and I require the parties debited to lodge the respective amounts to the credit of the Board of Guardians.

I also disallow the sum of £1.2.6 charged to the Hellam & Division as having been paid to Patrick Walsh, over and above the amount authorized by the Board of Guardians as out door relief and I debit the Relieving Officer Mr Patrick Murphy with the said sum of £1.2.6 and require him to lodge it with the Treasurer to the credit of the Board of Guardians.

Signed
 George W Finlay
 9 September 1873.

I request that the Relieving Officers will in future supply the necessary information in each case as indicated by the headings

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...	8
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	8
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	...	...	...
do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	293
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	...	...	...

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 18th day of September 1873.

Signed,

Clerk of the Union

headings of the Columns in their Books owing to their omission to do so it is a work of great labour and difficulty to ascertain the legality the out-door relief given by them.

I find that the practice of giving additional food to the inmates employed on the Farm has existed in this Union for a very long period and the number of recipients appears to be increasing. As this practice is directly opposed to the 22nd Article of the Workhouse rules, I request that the matter may be brought under the special notice of the Board of Guardians and the L.G. Board as I feel that in future I ought to surcharge the Master with the cost of this additional allowance of food.

Signed
 George W Finlay
 9 September 1873.

Signed *W. H. M. M. M.*
 Clerk of the Union.

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

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

on Thursday, the 11th day of September 1873.—continued.SUPPLEMENTAL SHEET—MEDICAL CHARITIES' ACT, 14 & 15 Vic., cap. 68; and NUISANCES
REMOVAL AND DISEASES PREVENTION ACTS, 1848 & 1849.

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

At a meeting of the Kilmann Dispensary Committee
held at the Committee Room, Coolree on Tuesday the
9th September 1873

The following members were present,

J Moffatt, J Sutton, P Whelan, E Byrne, J Sheill,
H King, M Codd, J Redmond.

The Chair was taken by
William Cookman Esq.

The Minutes of last meeting were read and signed by the
Chairman,

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:

Doctor Dyas was called before the Committee and
his resignation read and accepted he agreed to attend to the
duties of the District for one month from this date,

Ordered, ~~That~~ That advertisements be inserted in the usual
papers for a Medical Officer for the Kilmann Dispensary District
at a salary of £90 per ann. The Committee appoint Tuesday
the 30th September 1873 as the day of election of Dr Dyas.

Signed M. Mundy
Clerk of the Union

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount, £ _____

Successor, and that the Board of Guardians will not delay advertising,

Signed
Thomas Redmond
Honry Secretary

[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 Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 Local Government Board for Ireland, under the Medical Charities Act, were laid before the Board, and Directions given thereon, as follows :

Order dated _____ (state subject.)

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[A large, wavy, vertical line is drawn across the page, likely a placeholder for a signature or a decorative element.]

Signed, *[Signature]*
Clerk of the Union.

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Born										1					
TOTAL	17	45	36	86	16	16	28	28	20	312		TOTAL	69	TOTAL	38
Discharged during the Week.	7		3	2			1			13		NIGHT LODGERS OR CASUALS.			
Died,				1						1			Males	Females	Children under 15
Total Discharged and Dead.	7		3	3			1			14		No. relieved during week	13		13
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	10	45	53	83	16	16	27	25	20	298		No. in Work-house at date	4		4
												No. at corresponding period last year			
															237

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PRESENT: In the Chair— *J Haughton Esq.* Subsequently Lord Mayor.

Other Guardians—

A. J. Cliffe, L. Dundas, W. Cookman, W. A. Lett, M. Moffatt, J. Limott, J. Sheill, R. Keating, W. Cloney, P. Crean, P. Whelan, J. Brown, R. Jordan, J. Murphy, J. Gurlong, W. Rudd, J. Cullin, E. Lett, M. Tenny, P. Limott, E. Byrne, M. Murphy, J. Doyle, M. Smith, P. Atkin, W. Macatchew, R. Cowman, E. Byrne, P. Murphy, M. O'Neill

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2833 to No. 2860 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. 3657 to No. 3654 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 the Rate Books will be ready for Signature by the Chairman and two Guardians on next Board day.

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

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

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	The Leap ...			1 5 10		
	Total ...				3 17 9	Closed
MATHEW CANNING	Cranmore ...			1 3		
	Kilrush ...			1 1 0		
	St. Mary's ...			15 7 0		
	Newtownbarry ...			1 3 8		
	Total ...				16 1 11	Closed
MATHEW GAHAN	Ballycarney ...			1 1 1		
	Ballymore ...			1 6 2		
	Ferns ...			1 1 1		
	Kilbora ...			1 1 1		
	Kilcormack ...			1 1 1		
	The Harrow ...			1 1 1		
	Total ...				6 2	Closed
JAMES SOMMERS ...	Castleboro' ...			1 7		
	Clonroche ...			1 1 1		
	Killan ...			1 1 1		
	Kiltealy ...			1 1 1		
	Total ...				1 2 6	Closed
THOMAS TOBIN ...	Ballindaggin ...			1 6		
	Castledockrill ...			1 3		
	Killoughram ...			1 3		
	Marshalstown ...			1 4		
	Rossard ...			1 1 1		
	Total ...				1 4	Closed
JAMES PARKER ...	Ballyvaldon ...			1 1 1		
	Booleyboy ...			1 1 1		
	Castle Ellis ...			1 2		
	Castle Talbot ...			1 1 1		
	Total ...				3	Closed
JAMES MURPHY ...	Ballyhuskard ...			2 8		
	Edermine ...			1 1		
	Kilmallock ...			1 7		
	Total ...				3 4	Closed
Total Union £					45 4 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 264 £ 5 : 4 : 3 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 £ 37 s. 11 d. 11

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	45	5	2
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	3½
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	6

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

Meat	216 lbs	Sugar	740 ozs
Bread	1974 lbs	Whiskey	1½ gallons
Oatmeal	1120 lbs	Candles	18 lbs
Buttermilk	115 gallons	Molds	2 lbs
Sweetmilk	863 qts	Starch	3½ lbs
Salt	224 lbs	Blue	¼ lb
Tea	184 ozs	W Soda	3½ lbs

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

1. The several Clothing Accounts.
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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 September 1873 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	28	18	0
In Kind, ...	1	6	0
Total, ...	£ 30	4	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	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and Quantity	Value
No.	I.	£ s. d.		£ s. d.
No.	II.			
No.	III.			
TOTAL,				

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

		£	s.	d.
265	Thomas Limott Emigration	5	0	0
266	Murphy Out Relief	17	0	0
267	Murphy do	9	0	0
268	O'Brien do	5	0	0

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

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

1/2 lb Glue, 100.12 Nails, 50 yds Frieze,

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 ----- 11
Total ----- 73

Discharged Cured ----- 4
Sent to Fever Hospital ----- 0
Died ----- 0 ----- 4
Remaining in Infirmary ----- 69
Number same week last year ----- 51
Increase ----- 18

No. on Infirmary diet out of Hospital ----- 17

No. in Idiot wards ----- 38

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

Master's Report.

Mr. Murphy has delivered the Frieze please have it inspected,

Ordered. Inspected and found equal to Sample,

He would suggest the propriety of getting the corn threshed as it is now in rick,

Ordered. The Master to get Tenders and submit them to the Board this day week,

He beg^d to report to the Board that the Matron did not attend to her duties the end of last week, but has resumed this week,

Agriculturist's Report

That he was employed during the past week ploughing and ricking the corn, He suggest that the corn be threshed as soon as possible. He sold 3 loads of Cabbage for £1.7.6.
(For order see Master's Report)

Letters from Local Government Board

Dated 13th Sept. 1873 } No 147 } Enclosing for information of the Board of Guardians copies of a statement which they have caused to be prepared showing the several Nuisance Districts round the Coast of Ireland and the proper nuisance authority for each District charged with the duties arising under the Board's order of the 5th July 1873 for providing against the introduction of Cholera and for the treatment of cholera patients arriving in any vessel.

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Dated 17th Sept. 1873 } No 23480 } In reference to the application to abate the disallowance of £1.2.6 found by the Auditor against Mr. P. Murphy Relieving Officer for illegal out door relief declining to interfere on the Subject for reasons set forth.

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The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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) :-

have been kept — and directing they should keep them strictly according to the headings in the vol. of those Books.

Dated 17 September 1873 } No 23531 } In reference to the report on the state of the Workhouse at the recent visit of Captain Robinson to this Union in which he expresses his regret that he could not report favorable on the Management of the Workhouse, as its condition in several particulars shows that the Master and Matron as well as the Schoolmaster have of late been very negligent in the discharge of their duties, — the letter then proceeds to detail the particular faults he found in the departments under the Control of these officers respectfully. In reference to the Workhouse Farm the Government Board are of opinion that the time has arrived for the Guardians to consider the propriety of surrendering or disposing of it &c.

Moved by Mr. E. Byrne

Seconded by Mr. J. H. Penny

That the Master Matron and Schoolmaster be continued in their offices for a further trial

Amendment moved by L. Dundas

Seconded by A. J. Cliffe

That it is the opinion of this Board that the Master & Matron be called out to resign — but that the Schoolmaster in consequence of its being his first case of neglect be severely reprimanded.

The Chairman then took votes when there appeared for the Amendment. Nine,
for the Resolution. Twenty.

Masters' statement, That on the visit of the Inspector Captain

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Captain

Captain Robinson on the 3rd Inst. the House and concerns were in first class order never in my time as well, not a slate of the House nor a pane of glass broken, Walls clean all round the Building and all in good order save in the Women's Yard the Ash pit was not cleaned in as some straws were on the Yard as the Nurse in the female Idiot Ward brought some straw to renew the beds some of which fell in the yard and was not picked up. The male children were weeding the Turnips and Mangolds and their feet were not as clean as might be expected as if they were not so employed and the necks of 3 or 4 of them flea bitten as also their shirts were marked with flea bites as is always the case in Summer time where such a number of children are and can hardly be avoided. Three or four sheets in the Nurses Dormitory were soiled and not as clean as they should be and as a matter of course where infants are sleeping with their mothers it is to be expected the sheets would not be as clean as in other dormitories particularly so as there were 3 sets of Twins with their mothers in the same Dormitory. I had dismissed the Laundress a week before Cap^t. Robinson's visit from her neglect of duty and put another to do her business.

Ordinary Proceedings

The Board then proceeded to the Consideration of applications for relief in the Workhouse and Fever Hospitals of the Union, also for out door relief which they granted in certain cases.

Anne Timmott an Inmate requested a few hours leave of absence to go see her son.

Ordered. Leave granted.

Anastasia Murphy an Inmate also requested leave of absence for one day to see her nephew.

Ordered. Leave granted.

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

The Sub Inspector of Constabulary requested the Board to guarantee the expense of arresting Ellen Fallagher for deserting her children, under a warrant from the Comissary Magistrates.

Ordered. The expenses are guaranteed. payment,

Letter read from same that the Warrants against Thomas Doyle and Patrick McElean are not yet executed as all search after them has been up to this unavailing.

Letter read from Mr. J. Wilkinson Builder and Architect requesting payment for repairs of the old church yard in Temple Sharrow. If not settled he must put it into the hands of his solicitor.

Ordered. That the Town Clerk be requested to report against this day week as requested.

The Board then proceeded to elect a Collector for the District of Newtown Barry in room of ~~Mr~~ Matthew Canning, and for the District of Bree in room of Mark Stafford, and elected the following

Mr. Patrick Byrne, Ballyprecas, for the Newtown Barry District

Mr. James Timmott, Ballyhogue, for the Bree District, Ordered. These Collectors to attend the Clerk on Tomorrow to sign the Levy sheet,

Moved by Mr. Rudd. Seconded by Mr. Lett,

That the Relief disallowed was given during a time of great distress when the ground was covered with frost and snow in February last when it was impossible to get work. Had the relief given been then refused the recipients would have to abandon their Cabins to come into the Workhouse and become a permanent charge on the Rates,

ordered,

Ordered. That the Agricultural Committee get notice to meet on some convenient day and report to the Board this day fortnight on the best way to manage the Farms in future with the view of letting down the Farms in 1873. Also that the proceeds of the Farm and the outlay thereon for the last three years be submitted by the Master to the Committee before making their report.

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

The number of provisional admissions to the Workhouse confirmed was	...	...	13
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	15
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	...	...	...
Do., do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	294
The number of other applicants in the Relieving Officers' Books relieved by order of the Guardians was	...	...	...
The number of applicants for whom relief was not ordered	...	...	...

John F. G. O'Connell

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 25th day of September 1873.

Signed,

Clerk of the Board

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

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

on Thursday, the 18th day of September 1873.—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 thereon, as follows:

Ordered. Medical Appliances allowed

Letter read from Dr. McSwiney Medical Officer of the Oulart Dispensary District requesting leave of absence for 2 weeks Dr. Barthistle well attend to the duties of the Dispensary during his absence,

Ordered. Leave granted,

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[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, 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 Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 Local Government Board for Ireland and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively to the following effect, or orders were made on them respectively, as follows:

Read Letter from _____ dated _____
stating that _____

John Flynn Ch^r

Signed, *M. M. M. M. M.*
Clerk of the 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 20th day of September 1873

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total.	RETURN OF SICK 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	303													
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital	37	3													
Newtownbarry do.	19	-													
Oula do.	11	-													
Total.....	1024	306													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.			10	46	53	83	16	15	27	28	20	298	In Work-house (Hospital) 70	In separate Wards, In Wards with other inmates, 36	
Admitted during the Week.			12	11	10	2	1	3	6	4	4	53	In Fever Hospital 3		
Born															
TOTAL			22	57	63	85	17	18	33	32	24	351	TOTAL, 73	TOTAL, 38	
Discharged during the Week.			16	6	8	2		2	4	4	3	45			
Died.															
Total Discharged and Dead.			16	6	8	2		2	4	4	3	45			
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			16	51	53	83	17	16	29	28	21	306	No. relieved during week 13	No. in Work-house at date 3	No. at corresponding period last year 248

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 20 day of September 1873, 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	267			150	267
No. II.	92	137			92	137
No. III.	55	71			55	71
TOTAL.	297	475			297	475

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday, the 25th day of September 1873.

PRESENT: In the Chair— *J. Flynn Esq.* Subsequently *J. Haughton Esq.*

Other Guardians—

J. Limott, J. Bullin, J. Furlong, M. Murphy, and J. Sheill,

John Flynn Ch^r

Signed, *M. M. M. M. M.*
Clerk of the Union.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2861 to No. 2912 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. 3655 to No. 3659 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 Board will please to fix on the day for meeting of the Committee appointed last Board day as no day was then named. Notice to the Members should be issued tomorrow or Saturday.

Ordered. The Committee to meet on Thursday next at one o'clock.

The Rate Books are now ready for signing by the Chairman and Guardians.

Ordered. The Rate Books are duly signed by the Chairman and Guardians on part of the Board. The collectors Books to be submitted to the Board on this day fortnight for signature.

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 FULLAM ...	Enniscorthy ...			22 3 0		
	Tinacross ...			1 7 10		
	Total ...				23 10 10	Closed
MARK STAFFORD ...	Ballyhogue ...			2 6 11		
	Bree ...			1 5 0		
	The Leap ...			1 5 10		
	Total ...				3 17 9	Closed
MATHEW CANNING	Cranmore ...			1 1 3		
	Kilrush ...			1 1 0		
	St. Mary's ...			15 7 0		
	Newtownbarry ...			1 3 8		
	Total ...				16 1 11	Closed
MATHEW GAHAN	Ballycarney ...			1 1 1		
	Ballymore ...			1 6 2		
	Ferns ...			1 1 1		
	Kilbora ...			1 1 1		
	Kilcormack ...			1 1 1		
	The Harrow ...			1 1 1		
JAMES SOMMERS ...	Total ...				6 2	Closed
	Castleboro' ...			1 1 1		
	Clonroche ...			1 1 1		
	Killan ...			1 1 1		
	Kiltealy ...			1 1 1		
THOMAS TOBIN ...	Total ...				1 2 6	Closed
	Ballindaggin ...			1 1 1		
	Castledockrill ...			1 1 1		
	Killoughram ...			1 1 1		
	Marshallstown ...			1 1 1		
JAMES PARKER ...	Rossard ...			1 1 1		
	Total ...				1 4	Closed
	Ballyvaldon ...			1 1 1		
	Boolaboy ...			1 1 1		
	Castle Ellis ...			1 1 1		
JAMES MURPHY ...	Castle Talbot ...			1 1 1		
	Total ...				3	Closed
	Ballyhuskard ...			2 8		
	Edermine ...			0 1		
Other Receipts	Kilmallock ...			1 1 1		
	Total ...		1 9 0		3 4	Closed
Total Union			1 9 0		4 5 4 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, and the same is to be inserted in Red Ink at the foot of the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 10 : 1 : 0 was produced and passed.

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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 £ 47 s. 12 d. 8

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account	47	6	7
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was			
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account		3	3½
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		4	5
Average Cost in Infirmary			5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital			6

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

Meat	220 lbs	Whiskey	1½ gallons
Bread	2380 lbs	Candles	20 lbs
Buttermilk	120 gallons	Soap	112 lbs
Sweetmilk	884 qts	Starch	3½ lbs
Tea	187 ozs	Blue	½ lbs
Sugar	978 ozs	W soda	3½ lbs

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books 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 September 1873 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

	£	s.	d.
In Money, ...	28	18	0
In Kind, ...	1	10	6
Total, ...	£ 30	8	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	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and Quantity	Value
No. I.				
No. II.				
No. III.				
TOTAL,				

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

	£	s.	d.
270 Rev. J. L. Furlong Salary	15	0	0
271 Rev. R. W. Hardew do	7	10	0
272 P. Hawks M.D. do	25	0	0
273 J. Kennedy do	37	0	0
274 Thomas Madenon Master, do	15	0	0
275 Mary Martin, Matron, do	7	10	0
276 John McGuire, S. Master do	8	0	0
277 Ellen Murphy, S. Mistress do	7	10	0
278 Mary Kenny, Nurse, do	5	0	0
279 Margt. Harris, Super ⁿ do	2	10	0
280 Misses Lambert Porter do	3	15	0
281 P. Murphy, Relieving Officer do	7	10	0
282 J. Murphy do do	6	5	0
283 J. O'Brien do do	6	5	0
284 George V. Wood, M.D. M. J. Barry do	22	10	0
285 Same J. Hap ⁿ do do	7	10	0
286 Wm. Dyas M.D. do	22	10	0
287 John Taylor M.D. do	22	10	0
288 Samuel Gordon M.D. do	22	10	0
289 Nicholas Furlong M.D. do	22	10	0
290 M. O. B. M. D. do	22	10	0
291 Frederick Stock M.D. do	22	10	0
292 Elizabeth Bell Midwife do	22	10	0
293 Anastasia Doyle do	5	0	0
294 Mary Hadnett do do	5	0	0
295 Mary Carr do do	5	0	0
296 Cath. Ward Cantather do	1	10	0
297 Alice Redmond do do	1	0	0
298 R. A. Cowan, M. J. Barry Rent	6	0	0
299 Dady Leary Killam do	3	0	0
300 Patti Simmott Ferns do	3	5	0
301 Ellen Crowley Flanders do	2	12	6

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

			L	s.	d.
302	Michael Murphy Oylegate	Rent	2	12	6
303	John Britain Oulart	do	4	10	0
304	James Gector Clourocke	do	4	10	0
305	Margt. Kerry Bree	do	4	10	0
306					
306	Captain Checheste	do	57	12	11
307	Murphy	do	19	0	0
308	Murphy	do	8	0	0
309	Do Breen	do	5	0	0

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

2 lbs Tea, 8 lbs Sugar, 200 yd. Linsey Woolsey,
200 yd. Blay Felico.

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

Medical Officers Report

Remaining in Infirmary last week	69
Admitted during the week	6
Total	75
Discharged cured	1
Sent to Fever Hospital	0
Died	1
Remaining in Infirmary	73
Number same week last year	50
Increase	23

N^o. on Infirmary diet out of Hospital 18

N^o. in Idiot wards 38

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

Master's Report.

The Board will please appoint a Committee to take stock of provisions on the 29th Inst.

No order made.

He will thank the Board to appoint a committee to inspect the House.

No order made.

He directed the Steward on Monday last to draw ~~Money~~ to the Reservoir he did not do so and went to plough when he spoke to him on the subject he abused him — His reason was that the Board had it in Contemplation to let the Farm into grass.

No order made.

Agriculturist's Report

That he was engaged during the past week ploughing and drawing manure from Fever Hospital and drawing soil to the manure heap. Since the Master would not let him plough the land, which will have to be ploughed whether the land be let down in grass or not. The Board will please say will ^{he} plough the stubble land or not. If it is Mr. Flanagan's machine that will be got he wishes to get it after thrashing at the Asylum it is easy to get it out of it. There is Cabbage to be sold and he wants the ground it is on to sow cabbage plants in it and the Master will not let him sell it, and in fact will not let him do anything right.

No. order made

Letters from Local Government Board.

Dated 18th Sept^r 1873 } Informing the Board of Guardians that
No. 23486 } they will cause a specification for painting the Workhouse to be prepared and forwarded to the Board of Guardians as soon as possible.

Dated 17th Sept^r 1873 } Copy of Circulars to Boards of
No. 153 } Guardians as soon as possible,
Agriculturist's Report.

Dated 20th Sept^r 1873 } Subject. Hospital accommodation
No. 155 } in Port Unions.

Dated 23rd Sept^r 1873 } Enclosing a specification for painting
No. 22.916, 23486 } the outside wood and iron work of the Esmicorthy Workhouse and Fever Hospital and ^{the} painting of the ~~the~~ Board Room, and to paint

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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) :-

out that the Guardians should state the particulars thereon respecting the painting of the Board Room.
Ordered. Senders to be considered next Board day

Dated 24 Sept^r 1873 } Sanctioning the appointment of Mr.
No. 23.928 } James Timmott as Poor Rate Collector in the Esmicorthy Union at a remuneration of £ in the Pound upon all Sums collected by him and lodged with the Treasurer of the Union

Dated 24 Sept^r 1873 } Sanctioning the appointment of Mr. Patrick
No. 23.929 } Byrne as Poor Rate Collector in the Esmicorthy Union at a remuneration of £ in the Pound upon all Sums collected by him and lodged with the Treasurer of the Union,

Dated 24 Sept^r 1873 } That they have had before them a resolution
No. 23.926 } of the Board of Guardians of the 18th Inst^r in reference to certain disallowances under the head of Out-door relief made by the Auditor at the last audit of the accounts of the Union; and they desire to state that the Guardians are bound to administer relief at all times in a legal manner, and they request to be informed whether the Sums disallowed have yet been lodged with the Treasurer of the Union by the Relieving Officer and the Guardians debited by the Auditor.
Ordered. The Board acted with the best intention and all the cases they relieved were Infirm, Under these circumstances the Guardians consider the Chairman not liable, The disallowances not yet lodged except by the Relieving Officer,

Date 24 Sep^r 1873 } That they have had before them
No. 23,976 } a resolution of the Guardians of the 18th
Instⁿ in reference to the Board's letter of the
17th Instⁿ relating to neglect of duty on the
part of the Master, Matron and Schoolmaster of the W House
in which the Guardians propose to give those Officers a further
trial before requiring them to resign their offices. That they have
also had before them the Masters explanation on the subject
which is entered on the Guardians Minutes, and the Board
desire to state that the explanation is unsatisfactory and insufficient.
They desire also to point out that the Majority of the Guardians
who voted in favor of the Master and Matron's Continuance in
Office have given no reasons whatever for their vote, nor have
they assigned any grounds for desiring to leave the W House
in charge of Officers who have shown themselves so negligent
and less the Guardians can afford any good reason for
giving them a further trial, they ought to call upon them
to resign, therefore they request that the Guardians will
take the matter into Consideration,
Ordered, Consideration postponed untill this day fortnight,

Ordinary Proceedings,

The Board then proceeded to the Consideration of applications for
relief in the W House and Fever Hospitals of the Union, also
for out door relief which they granted in certain cases.

Many M^r Cam an inmate requested leave of absence ^{for a few hours} to see
her son,

Ordered. Leave granted.

John Martin an inmate requested leave of absence ^{for a few hours} to see a friend.

Ordered. Leave granted.

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

John Farrell ^{an inmate} requested leave of absence for a few hours
to see a friend

Ordered. Leave granted.

The Board considered Tenders for threshing the corn and
accepted Mr Patrick Kavanagh's Tender to thresh the corn
with steam machine at £1 per day whilst engaged,
Ordered. All the ablebodied inmates to be employed cleaning
the corn.

Letter read from Mr Thomas Wilkinson Clerk to the Town
Commissioners of Emisecorthy, acknowledging the receipt
of Copies of letters from the L. J. Board and Mr O'Harenty
Solicitor relative to expenses incurred by the Board of Guardians
in repairing the Walls of Templeshammas grave yard and
in reply stating,

That as the Town Commissioners never acted as a Burial
Board, never exercised ownership or Control over any grave
Yard, never contracted for or sanctioned the expenditure
of any sum in repairing the walls or fences of the Burial
grounds within the Town, and never had any legal authority
to do so, they decline to pay the expenses referred to out of the
Town Rates, or out of any other funds at their disposal,

The Town Commissioners are advised that under the
provisions of the Irish Church Act the Commissioners of Church
Temporalities must vest the Templeshammas grave yard in the
Guardians of the Poor of the Emisecorthy Union, and not in the
Town Commissioners and that the Guardians are to hold it "as
"if such Burial ground were a Burial ground purchased or taken
"by such Guardians, being a Burial Board under the
"provisions of the Burial Act 1856" and that there is no
distinction made in that Act between rural grave yards and
those situated in Towns.

An application was read from Mr Robert Allen White

Solicitor, for the sum of £ 31.10.0 amount of Mr. James Wilkisson's Contract for work done at the Templehamon Church Yard, on or before Saturday next or he shall have to take proceedings for recovery of same.

On reading the communication from the Town Commissioners it was ordered to be placed on the Minutes and that our Clerk be directed to apply at once to the Church Levee-Commissioners for the legal transfer of the Church Yard in Templehamon.

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	...	...	36
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	17
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	...	...	...
Do., do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	297
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	...	...	...

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 2nd day of

October 1873

Signed,

W. Kennedy
Clerk of the Union.

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

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

on Thursday, the 25th day of September 1873.—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount, £ _____

[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 Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 Local Government Board for Ireland and others were read by the Clerk, and directions given to answer them respectively to the following effect, or orders were made on them respectively, as follows:

Read Letter from
stating that

dated

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 27th day of September 1873

Number of inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that is accommodated in each building	Total No. residing in the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK 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	300													
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital	34	4													
Newtownberry do.	19														
Onla do.	19														
Total.....	1024	304													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	6	51	55	83	17	16	29	28	21	306			In Workhouse Hospital 68	In separate Wards, in Workhouse with other inmates, 36	
Admitted during the Week.	9	10	5	3	2	3	6	5	2	45			In Fever Hospital 4		
Born															
TOTAL	15	61	60	86	19	19	35	33	23	351			TOTAL 72	TOTAL 38	
Discharged during the Week.	7	12	3	2	2	3	9	5	3	46					
Died,															
Total Discharged and Dead.	7	12	3	3	2	3	9	5	3	47			No. relieved during week 12	No. in Workhouse at date 3	
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	8	49	57	83	17	16	26	28	20	304			No. at corresponding period last year 248		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 27 day of September 1873, authenticated and laid before the Board of Guardians at this Meeting.

Relief Districts	Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (under 10 Vic., c. 51, s. 1.)		Destitute Persons relieved out of the Workhouse (not comprised in Sec. 1.)		Total relieved out of the Workhouse.	
	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	153	265			153	265
No. II.	93	138			93	138
No. III.	54	69			54	69
TOTAL.	300	472			300	472

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday, the 2nd day of October 1873.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

J. Haughton Esq. Chairman
M. A. Maher Esq.

Other Guardians—

W. Brookman. J. Hutton J. Flynn
W. Cloney R. Leonard, E. Byrne, J. Sheille
M. Heaney E. Lett N. Keating, E. Keating
L. Brown Michl. Murphy, John Furlong

Signed,

M. Heaney
Clerk of the Union.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2913 to No. 2957 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. 3660 to No. 3660 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:—

Was principally engaged last week in preparing the Collectors Books for signature next Board day. They may be delivered to the Collectors the following day.

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

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

Paid during the week

And that the Balance on the Account

against the Guardians was

£ 5. 15. 7

£ 340. 0. 5

£ 1287. 4. 5

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 FULLAM ...	Enniscorthy ...			22 3 0		
	Tinacross ...			1 7 10		
	Total ...				23 10 10	Closed
MARK STAFFORD ...	Ballyhogue ...			2 6 11		
	Bree ...			5 0		
	The Leap ...			1 5 10		
	Total ...				3 17 9	Do
MATHEW CANNING	Cranmore ...			3		
	Kilrush ...					
	St. Mary's ...			11 0		
	Newtownbarry ...			15 7 0		
	Tombrack ...			3 8		
	Total ...				16 1 11	Do
MATHEW GAHAN	Ballycarney ...					
	Ballymore ...					
	Ferns ...			6 2		
	Kilbora ...					
	Kilcormack ...					
	The Harrow ...					
	Total ...				" 6 2	Do
JAMES SOMMERS ...	Castleboro' ...			7		
	Clonroche ...					
	Killan ...					
	Kiltealy ...			1 1 11		
	Total ...				1 2 6	Do
THOMAS TOBIN ...	Ballindaggin ...			6		
	Castledockrill ...			3		
	Killoughram ...			3		
	Marshallstown ...			4		
	Rossard ...					
	Total ...				" 1 4	Do
JAMES PARKER ...	Ballyvaldon ...					
	Boolaboy ...			1		
	Castle Ellis ...			2		
	Castle Talbot ...					
	Total ...				" " 3	Do
JAMES MURPHY ...	Ballyhuskard ...			2 8		
	Edermine ...			1		
	Kilmallock ...			7		
	Total ...				" 3 4	Do
	Total Union				45 4 1	

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

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 8.12.8 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 £ 35 s. 16 d. 4

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	47	17	0 1/2
Debit Maintenance Accounts and Credit Provision Account			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	3 1/2
Average Cost in Infirmary			4 1/2
Average Cost in Fever Hospital			5 1/2

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

Meat	296 lb	Whiskey	1 1/2 gals
Bread	2560 lb	Candles	18 lb
India Meal	1120 lb	Molds	2 lb
Butter Milk	167 gal	Starch	3 1/2 "
Sweet Milk	1145 qts	Blue	1/2 "
Tea	188 oz	Washing Soda	3 1/2 "
Sugar	756 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 27th day of September 1873 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	...	...	...	...	...	...	31	17	6
In Kind,	...	...	...	...	...	...	1	4	6
Total,	...	...	...	...	...	...	33	2	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	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and Quantity	Value
No. I.				£ s. d.
No. II.				
No. III.				
TOTAL,				

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

	£	s.	d.
311 William Cooke Medicines	31	15	8
312 Saml Goodisson 1/2 Hosp ^l acc ^t	8	10	0
313 Mick Meating Dispend ^d App ^l icians	3	9	0

New Account

1 Patrick Murphy Rel ^d Officer	17	0	0
2 Terom Murphy do	9	0	0
3 Tencum O'Brien do	5	0	0
4 John Maguire School requisites	4	17	11

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:—

400 Nails, 2 Gimblets, 100 yds Check
200 yds Flannel

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 — — — — — 2
Total 75

Discharged Cured — — — — — 9
Sent to Fever Hospital 0
Died . — . — . — — — — — 0
Remaining in the Infirmary 66
Number same week last year 52
Increase — . — . — . — . — . — 14

Number on Infirmary Diets out of Hospital 18
Number in Idiot wards — . — — 36

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

Masters Report

Mr O'Flaherty has delivered the Linsey Woolsey and Blag balies please have them inspected.

Ordered Inspected and found equal to Sample
He will thank the Board to relieve him from the responsibility of the Farm as he cannot satisfy himself to the insults and abuse of the Agriculturist when speaking to him about the business of the Farm.

Ordered. Postponed to this day week.
He sent an inmate named Margaret Byrne to Goal on Monday last for 14 days—for riotous and insubordinate conduct, also for abusive language, She was

She was defended by a Solicitor who says he does not know who employed him - which evidently shows it was some person who wishes to encourage disorder in the Workhouse and amongst the inmates.

The Woman Ellen Gallagher was arrested on a Warrant issued against her by order of the Board and was before the Bench of Magistrates on Monday last. Judgment was postponed for one week in order that she might take her three children out of the House.

He will thank the Board to appoint a Committee to inspect the House.

Ordered That the Oats be sold for Seed at 16/- a Barrel.

Agriculturists Report

That he was engaged last week ploughing & preparing ground to sow Cabbages. In Reference to the Masters Report of last Thursday he begs to state that on Monday morning he commenced to plough the stubble land & continued to do so up to 4 or 5 o'clock when the Master came to see and said, do you know that this land is to be let out. I said I did but that it must be ploughed in any case. The Master then said I should stop, it must not be ploughed. I asked him what would I go do then and he told me to go draw clay to the Reservoir.

For continuation of this Very long Report
See the Agriculturists Journal of this date

Matrons Statement

In reference to the Masters Report of the 18th ulto in which he states I absented myself from my duties I beg to inform the Guardians that my State of Health did not permit me for two days to leave my bed from an attack of Diarrhea.

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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):—

as is known by the Nurse who attended her and gave her Medicine by directions of the Doctor. Resumed my duties on the third day.

Commissioners Letters

Dated 24 Sep^r 73 } In reference to a Report on the
No 23976 } Minutes of the Guardians of the 18th
Inst. from the Master of the Workhouse
in which he states that the Matron did not attend to her duties for a portion of the previous week, That this is the second time within the last few weeks that the Matron has been reported unable to discharge her duties without any cause being assigned for her inability to act, and they request to be informed of the reasons assigned for this omission on her part to attend to the duties of her Office.

Ordered. The Doctor states that he prescribed for her but did not see her.

Dated 29 Sept^r 1873 } Enclosing Forms for the
No 156 } Annual Returns of Union Officers.

Dated 1st Oct^r 1873 } In reference to the Minutes of the
No 24417 } Guardians on the 25th ulto from which it appears that the Master requested the Guardians to appoint a Committee to take Stock of Provisions &c in the W. House requesting to be informed whether Stock has been taken in accordance with the Workhouse Rules

Ordered. Stock was taken by the Clerk and his Assistant in presence of the Master - No Committee of Guardians having attended.

Ordinary Proceedings

The Board proceeded to the Consideration of Applications for Relief in the Work House and Fever Hospitals of the Union, also for Out door Relief which they granted in certain cases.

Alice Kavanagh an Inmate requests leave of absence for a few hours to see a friend.
Ordered Leave granted.

Mary Dorod an Inmate requested leave of absence for a few hours to see a friend.
Ordered Leave granted.

Catherine Farrell an Inmate requested leave of absence to enable her and 4 Children to leave the House.

Ordered The Husband of this Woman to be proceeded against for desertion and so in all such cases as the present.

The Board considered Tenders for painting the Outside Wood and Iron Work of the W. House & Emiscontry F. Hospital also for any painting or Varnishing required in the Board Room and accepted that of Mr J. H. Smyth of Oulart for the sum of £29.0.0 to be done in five weeks from Commencement of the work.

Letter read from the Rev^d R. W. Hadden stating his regret to tender his Resignation of the Protestant Chaplaincy of the W. House and thanking the Board of Guardians for the kind attention always shown him.

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

in the Consideration of the many Cases that he had felt called on to bring before them from time to time.

Ordered. The Board hear with Regret of the departure of the Rev^d Mr Hadden who has always discharged his duties as Chaplain so conscientiously and Satisfactory while in that Capacity.

A Civil Bill process was read from R. A. White Solicitor on part of James Wilkinson Architect for the sum of £31.10.0 for Work done in the Repairing of the Walls of the old grave yard in Temple Shannon.

Ordered, Referred to Mr T. Flaherty our Solicitor to defend at the Emiscontry Deputa Sessions to be held before the Chairman Mr West on the 15th Instant.

Ordered That the Oats be sold for Seed at 16/- per Barrel to the following persons, John Fuoloug 5 Brls. Charles Lett 14 Brls. James Shill 6 Brls. Edward Byrne 6 Brls. William Cloney 8 Brls.

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	...	...	21
Ditto disallowed	...	...	...
The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was	...	...	22.
The number of cases of provisional Out-door relief was	...	...	...
Do., do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians	...	...	300
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	...	...	...

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 9th day of October 1873.

Signed,

Clerk of the Guardians

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

on Thursday, the 2nd day of October 1873.—continued.

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

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

At a Meeting of the Willan Dispensary Committee held at the Committee Room Coolree on Tuesday 30th September 1873 the following Members were in attendance

J. Moffatt, J. Shille, E. Byrne, M. Lodd
P. Whelan R. Jordan and J. Redmond,

The Chair was taken by Wm. Crookman Esq

The Committee proceeded to elect a Medical Officer in Room of Doctor O'gas Resigned

Two Gentlemen came forward viz
Doctor Henry Eccles Evans and
Doctor Jeremiah Doyle,

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 latter did not bring forward his Certificate, nor send in a Tender

The Majority of the Committee have called for a postponement of the Election for one fortnight in the Meeting to take place on the 14th of October next at one o'clock,

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount, £ _____

The Chairman cannot help saying that he looked on the proceedings as being irregular but must submit to the Majority

It was ordered, That Doctor Ogas receive £3 a week for such time as his Medical Services are required until the appointment of a Medical Officer to the Mellan Dispensary District. The payment to commence from the 9th of October 1873.

By order of the Committee
Thomas Redmond Hon Secy.

[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

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Dispensary District, Mr. _____ of _____

The following Orders of the Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 Local Government Board for Ireland 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 L. G. Board dated 30th Septem^r 1873
stating that no 20771

Requesting to be informed whether the necessary repairs at the Millau Dispensary have yet been executed.

Ordered. The Repairs are in progress but not yet finished.

Signed,

M. Kennedy
Clerk of the 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

4

day of October 1873

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. of each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm persons, and adult persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	Total	RETURN OF SICK 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.....	254	299													
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital	37	37													
Newtownberry do.	19	19													
Oula do.	11	11													
Total.....	102	302													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	8	49	51	83	17	16	26	28	20	304			In Work-house Hospital 65	In separate Wards, in Wards with other inmates 36	
Admitted during the Week.	7	7	4	2	3	1	3	"	"	27			In Work-house Hospital 3	In separate Wards, in Wards with other inmates 2	
Born										1					
TOTAL	15	56	55	85	20	17	29	28	21	332			TOTAL 68	TOTAL 38	
Discharged during the Week.	8	4	4	1	2	4	3	1	1	28					
Died.	1	1	1	2	1	1	1	1	1	2					
Total Discharged and Dead. . .	8	4	4	3	2	4	3	1	1	30			No. relieved during week 10	2	4
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	7	52	51	82	18	13	26	27	20	302			No. in Work-house at date 3	1	3
													No. at corresponding period last year 254		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the 4 day of October 1873, 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	242			145	242
No. II.	92	135			92	135
No. III.	50	60			50	60
TOTAL.	287	437			287	437

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday, the 9th day of October 1873.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

J. Haughton Esq.

Other Guardians—

*W. Cookman. J. Moffatt. A. J. Cliffe.
J. Cullin. J. Flynn. R. Jordan. M. Keating. J. Browne.
M. Kenny. M. Mill. J. Simott. J. Furlong. J. Murphy.
R. Cowman. W. Cloney. M. Murphy. E. Byrne. W. Rudd.
L. W. Morris.*

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2958 to No. 2985 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. 3666 to No. 3673 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 Collecting Books are now ready for signing ordered. The Collecting Books have been duly signed and the Collectors are directed to proceed at once with the Collection of the Rates,

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

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

Paid during the week - £ 141. 2. 11
And that the Balance on the Account against the Guardians was - £ 1428. 7. 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 FULLAM	Enniscorthy			22 3 0		
	Tinacross			1 7 10		
	Total				23 10 10	Clear
MARK STAFFORD	Ballyhogue			2 6 11		
	Bree			5 0		
	The Leap			1 5 10		
	Total				3 17 9	Clear
MATHEW CANNING	Cranmore			1 1 3		
	Kilrush			1 1 1		
	St. Mary's			1 11 0		
	Newtownbarry			15 7 0		
	Tombrack			1 3 8		
	Total				16 1 11	do
MATHEW GAHAN	Ballycarney			1 1 1		
	Ballymore			1 1 1		
	Ferns			1 6 2		
	Kilbora			1 1 1		
	Kilcormack			1 1 1		
	The Harrow			1 1 1		
	Total				6 2	do
JAMES SOMMERS	Castleboro'			1 1 7		
	Clonroche			1 1 1		
	Killan			1 1 1		
	Kiltealy			1 1 11		
	Total				1 2 6	do
THOMAS TOBIN	Ballindaggin			1 1 6		
	Castledockrill			1 1 3		
	Killoughram			1 1 3		
	Marshallstown			1 1 4		
	Rossard			1 1 1		
	Total				1 4	do
JAMES PARKER	Ballyvaldon			1 1 1		
	Boolaboy			1 1 1		
	Castle Ellis			1 1 2		
	Castle Talbot			1 1 1		
	Total				3	do
JAMES MURPHY	Ballyhuskard			2 8		
	Edermine			1		
	Kilmallock			7		
	Total				34	do
	Total Union				45 4 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. All the several Electoral Divisions with the respective amounts lodged.

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to 314 £ 6 : 3 : 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 £ 33 s. 17 d. 9

Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account	£	s.	d.
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	37	0	8 1/4
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	170 lbs	Pepper	14 lbs
Bread	1566 lbs	Whiskey	2 gallons
Oatmeal	1120 lbs	Dipt candles	18 lbs
Flour	224 lbs	Mould do	2 lbs
Buttermilk	81 gallons	Soap	112 lbs
Sweetmilk	643 qts	Starch	3 1/2 lbs
Tea	188 ozs	Blue	1/2 lb
Sugar.	754 ozs.	W Soda	3 1/2 lbs
		Lamp oil	1 gallon

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 4th day of October 1873 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	£	s.	d.
In Kind,	26	17	6
	1	4	0
Total,	£	28	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	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and Quantity	Value
No.	I.			£ s. d.
No.	II.			
No.	III.			
TOTAL,				

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

		£	s.	d.
315	Joseph Kennedy Bread	66	1	9
316	Same Oatmeal	8	18	4
317	Eliza Hennrich Meat	29	8	0
318	Edwin C. Seal Sweetmilk	23	17	6
319	Robert Cagraw do	9	15	0
320	Patrick Ryan Buttermilk	8	11	1
321	P Fitzpatrick Groceries	14	5	0
322	Dr Keating Whiskey	6	2	0
323	John Murphy Friere & Linen	24	12	2
324	Patrick Murphy Leather	8	17	7
325	Joseph Dollan Books & Forms &c	20	10	10
326	Robert Sterling Med. Services	13	19	0
327	Percival Atkin & Hosp. accf.	7	3	4
328.	P Fitzpatrick Disp. appliances	2	0	6

5	J Taylor MD Registrations	1	12	6
6	J Kennedy Petty Cash	4	6	0
7	P Murphy Out Relief	15	0	0
8	J Murphy do	9	0	0
9	J O'Brien do	5	0	0
10	Thomas Masterson to pay Workmen	7	0	0

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

Explanation of the Majority who ~~was~~ voted on the reading of the letter from the L. f. Board dated 13 Sep^r last No 147 also on that dated 24th Sep^r No 23,976 read again to day.

That the Master is well known to the Majority of this Board and from their knowledge of the past 30 years for some of them and for 25 years for others they feel he is not a man to do any dishonourable act.

That the Complaint brought against him through their knowledge of rearing children as would not fairly justify them in requiring his resignation as it is quite impossible to have clothes when children are sleeping unsoiled or flea bitten, We are convinced that these mishaps may occur to children in higher circles and that the Master has fairly carried out his promise made to us in last October at the investigation then held and consequently we feel bound in honour to request the Local Government Board to not require of us to demand his resignation and we pledge ourselves to keep a very strict watch over this Establishment and of the conduct of the Master and other officials

Signed on part of the Majority

Edward Byrne

Max Kenny

Ordered. To be placed on the Minutes,

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

1 gallon Wool oil, 1 gallon Colza oil, 7 lbs Iron, 1 Ton Coals, 2 6 Loaves, 4 ozs Tea, 2 lbs Sugar, 1 lb Butter, 1 dozen Eggs, 1 Ball of Black Twine, 2 lbs Beef, 100 Rugs, 200 y^d Wincing, 18 y^d Frieze,

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

Medical Officer's Report

Remaining in Infirmary from last week ----- 66
Admitted during the week ----- 4
Total ----- 70

Discharged Cured ----- 2
Sent to Fever Hospital ----- 0
Died ----- 1 ----- 3
Remaining in Infirmary ----- 67
Number same week last year ----- 49
Increase ----- 18

No. on Infirmary diet out of Hospital ----- 19

No. In Idiot wards ----- 38

The Board will be so good as to grant me leave of absence for a fortnight. Doctor Furlong has kindly consented to do duty for me whilst absent, Obedt Leave granted.

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

Masters Report.

As directed he placed before the Board a list of the Names of children admitted by the Board whose mothers are out of the House and which he submitted to the Board and no action was taken on it.

Ordered. The Mothers to be proceeded against also husbands who have wives in the House to be proceeded against.

He regrets to be obliged to report to the Board that the Matron neglected her duties on the 6th & 8th Inst. and that on both occasions she was under the influence of Liquor,

The Matron being called before the Board and asked did she send out for Whiskey on those days, she admitted she did. The Board then requested her to resign the situation of Matron upon which she handed in the following paper.

Mr. Chairman and gentlemen I resign my office of Matron to this Workhouse and request you will allow me one month to look for another situation

Signed
Mary Martin,

Ordered. The Board accept the resignation of the Matron and grant the month as requested, and that the Clerk issue advertisements for a Matron, Tenders to be considered this day three weeks the 30th Inst.

The Agricultural Committee consisting of Messrs. Tullin, Brown, Furlong, and Murphy visited the Farm and will defer reporting until next Board day, not having had time for due consideration until then,

Agriculturist's Report.

That he was engaged last week preparing ground to sow Cabbage and threshing the Corn. He requires powder and shot to shoot the Rooks and a powder horn,

Ordered, Powder, shot, Caps and Powder horn allowed,

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 4 Oct 1873 } Requesting a return of Rates made
No 159 } or agreed on during the month of
September last,

Dated 8 Oct 1873 } Acknowledging the receipt of minutes of
No 25031 } the 2nd Inst. from which it appears
that a letter was received by the Guardians
from the Rev. Mr. Harden resigning
the office of Protestant Chaplain of the Workhouse, and
desiring to state that Mr. Harden should tender his
resignation to them,

Dated 7th Oct 1873 } From the Church Temporalities
No. 7.873/6 } Commissioners informing the
Board of Guardians that the
vesting order is delayed in order
that all the Burial grounds in the Union which are to
be handed over to the Guardians may be included
in it. A return will be sent to be filled up in
which is to be set forth what burial grounds in the
Union are annexed to churches and what Burial
grounds are separate from them. The latter
will be vested in the Guardians,

Ordinary Proceedings

The Board then proceeded to the Consideration of applications for relief in the W House and Fever Hospital of the Union also for Outdoor relief which they granted in certain Cases,

Eliza Murphy an inmate requested a few hours leave of absence to see a friend,

Ordered: Leave granted,

Bridget Shallow an inmate requested leave of absence for a few hours to see her daughter,

Ord. Leave granted,

James Kennedy Shoemaker proposed to assist in repairing or mending shoes same as last year at 10/- a week,

Ordered, Reference was made to the Master who stated he did his work in a satisfactory manner upon which the Board accepted his tender,

Moved by J Haughton Seconded by W Cookman That we have heard with great regret of the death of Mr. Matthew Punch who was a member of this Board for more than 20 years and during that long period had the confidence and respect of the Guardians. He always attended to any measures for the relief and comfort of the Poor,

The following list of Rates and Arrears. and abatements of uncollected Rates owing to stores and Houses untenanted and thrown down was read to the Board by the Chairman and approved VV,

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

E Divisions	Rates			Arrears from 1845 to 1846			Total	Abatements by Board			on hand	on hand	on hand
Ballindaffin	137	10	8	.	.	.	137 10 8	.	.	6			1 4
Ballyhogue	211	2	2	2	6	11	213 9 1	.	.	.			1 1
Ballyhuskane	289	10	3	.	.	.	289 10 3	.	2	8			1 1
Ballycarney	94	5	0	.	.	.	94 5 0	.	.	.			10
Ballymore	86	3	6	.	.	.	86 3 6	.	.	.			10
Ballyvaldne	129	10	9	.	.	.	129 10 9	.	.	.			9
Boolebay	131	7	3	.	.	.	131 7 3	.	.	1			1 0
Bree	195	8	2	.	.	.	195 8 2	5	0				1 1
Castelboro	162	9	2	.	.	5	162 9 7	.	.	3			1 0
Castledock	149	19	7	.	.	.	149 19 7	.	.	3			1 8
Castle Ellis	172	4	6	.	.	.	172 4 6	.	.	2			11
Castle Talbot	170	7	4	.	.	.	170 7 4	.	.	.			1 0
Clonroche	327	19	9	.	.	.	327 19 9	.	.	.			1 8
Crannore	112	8	6	.	.	.	112 8 6	.	.	3			1 6
Edermine	235	13	2	.	.	.	235 13 2	.	.	1			10
Bermiscorthy	2034	11	8	4	19	1	2039 10 9	17	3	11			2 8
Ferus	152	1	7	.	6	2	152 7 9	.	.	.			1 5
Hillrow	53	6	8	.	.	.	53 6 8	.	.	.			0 9
Hilcomrack	143	18	5	.	.	.	143 18 5	.	.	.			1 0
Hillarns	271	15	5	.	.	.	271 15 5	.	.	.			1 5
Hilaughrim	157	1	8	.	.	.	157 1 8	.	.	3			1 4
Hilmallock	282	4	7	.	.	.	282 4 7	.	.	7			1 2
Hilmush	86	1	6	.	.	.	86 1 6	.	.	.			0 9
Hiltealy	73	10	8	1	2	0	74 10 8	.	.	.			1 0
Marshallstown	158	6	9	.	.	.	158 6 9	.	.	4			1 1
St Marys	115	5	4	.	9	8	115 15 0	.	1	4			1 5
Newtown Bang	379	12	7	13	10	8	393 3 3	1	16	4			1 3
Rossau	106	10	3	.	.	.	106 10 3	.	.	.			1 1
The Harrow	88	11	4	.	.	.	88 11 4	.	.	.			10
The Leap	227	4	8	.	14	10	228 1 6	.	11	0			1 4
Timanas	172	8	8	.	14	9	173 3 5	.	13	1			11
Tombrack	130	14	0	.	.	.	130 14 0	.	3	8			11
Total	7239	9	0	24	4	6	7263 12 0	20	19	6			

The following letter from the Auditor dated Ringstane 8th October 1873 was read,
Sir

The Local Government Board have transmitted to me a copy of the Correspondence which passed between them and the Board of Guardians of Enniscorthy Union relative to the disallowances made by me at the last Audit,

In reference thereto I beg to state that the reasons stated in the Guardians resolution of the 18th Ult^o afford no grounds whatever for the illegal expenditure of the Rates in the Cases to which my disallowances refer,

I shall therefore be under the disagreeable necessity of enforcing payment unless the amounts disallowed be lodged with the Treasurer at once,
To the Clerk
Enniscorthy Union,
Signed
G. W. Finlay

Ordered. The Guardians who have suffered by the disallowances intend to meet on Monday next at one o'clock to question the parties who got relief with regard to their state at the time. The Relieving Officer to bring the parties forward to the Board Room on that day,

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	...	...	16
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	...	...	287
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	...	...	...

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 16th day of October 1873.

Signed,

Clerk of the Board

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

MINUTES OF PROCEEDINGS OF THE BOARD OF GUARDIANS OF THE ENNISCORTHY UNION,
on Thursday, the 9 day of October 1873.—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 Officers of the Newtown Barry & Enniscorthy Dispensary Districts approved by the Committee of Management, was laid before the Board, with a Requisition from the Committee for the supply of the same, and directions were given thereon, as follows:

Ordered. Medical Appliances Allowed,

Chaplain's Report

Visited the Female School, examined some of the girls in reading and all those preparing for Confirmation. The Answering was very satisfactory.

Visited the Male School and heard some of the children read. They all appear happy and attentive and quite as clean as their condition and the nature of the clothing would permit.
9 October 1873, John L. Furlong.

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Account of Mr. _____ for _____ : Amount, £ _____

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Read Letter from *L. J. Board* dated *8 October 1873 No 25,034*.

Acknowledging the receipt of minutes of the Board of Guardians on the 2nd Inst. from which it appears that the Committee of Management of the Kilmarnock Dispensary District have appointed Dr. Dyas to act as temporary Medical Officer of that District at a remuneration at the rate of three pounds per week, and requesting to be informed whether the Board of Guardians agree to the amount of remuneration proposed to be paid to Dr. Dyas, Ordered. The Board agree to this Sum.

Signed,

W. J. Stone
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Clerk of the Union.

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STATE of the Workhouse for the Week ending Saturday, the *11th* day of *October* 1873

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and infirm 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	295													
Enniscorthy Fever Hospital	57	4													
Newtownbarry do.	19														
Oula do.	11														
Total.....	1024	299													
Remaining on previous Saturday, as per last Return.	7	52	57	82	18	13	26	27	20	30	20		In Work-house Hospital 67	In separate Wards, with other inmates, 36	
Admitted during the Week.	8	4	8	1	3	7	1	1	1	7	27		In Hospital 4		
Born															
TOTAL	15	56	65	83	21	14	27	27	21	32	29		TOTAL 71	TOTAL 38	
Discharged during the Week.	9	7	6		4	1	2		7	30					
Died,															
Total Discharged and Dead.	9	7	6		4	1	2		7	30					
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.	6	49	59	83	17	13	25	27	20	29	29		No. believed during week 11	No. in Work-house at date 1	No. at corresponding period last year 263

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *11th* day of *October* 1873, 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 Applicants and Family dependent on him or her	Number of cases relieved.	Number of Persons including Applicants and Family dependent on him or her.	Cases.	Persons.
No. I.	145	249			145	249
No. II.	85	117			85	117
No. III.	53	64			53	64
TOTAL.	283	430			283	430

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday, the *16th* day of *October* 1873.

PRESENT: In the Chair—

J. Haughton Esqr. & Subsequently by Wm. Rudd Esqr.

Other Guardians—

J. Simmott, J. Flynn, J. Furlong, W. Toloney, A. Keating.

The Workhouse Register was produced, examined, and authenticated, from No. 2986 to No. 3012 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. 3674 to No. 3678 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 attended the Court of Revision of Parliamentary Voters and Jurors Lists at forey on Monday last and at Enniscorthy on yesterday. That on Saturday next he is noticed by the Clerk of the Peace to attend at Wexford. and on Monday the 20th Inst. at New Ross.

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 FULLAM ...	Enniscorthy ...			2039 10 9		
	Tinacross ...			173 3 5		
	Total ...				2212 14 2	
MARK STAFFORD ...	Ballyhogue ...			213 9 1		
	Bree ...			195 8 2		
	The Leap ...			228 1 6		
	Total ...				636 18 9	
MATHEW CANNING	Cranmore ...			112 8 6		
	Kilrush ...			86 1 6		
	St. Mary's ...			115 15 0		
	Newtownbarry ...			393 3 3		
	Tombrack ...			130 14 0		
	Total ...				838 12 3	
MATHEW GAHAN	Ballycarney ...			94 5 0		
	Ballymore ...			86 3 6		
	Ferns ...			152 7 9		
	Kilbora ...			53 6 8		
	Kilcormack ...			143 18 5		
	The Harrow ...			88 11 4		
	Total ...				618 12 8	
JAMES SOMMERS ...	Castleboro' ...			162 9 7		
	Clonroche ...			327 19 9		
	Killan ...			271 15 5		
	Kiltealy ...			74 12 9		
	Total ...				836 17 6	
THOMAS TOBIN ...	Ballindaggin ...			137 10 8		
	Castledockrill ...			149 19 7		
	Killoughram ...			157 1 8		
	Marshallstown ...			158 6 9		
	Rossard ...			106 11 8		
	Total ...				709 10 4	
JAMES PARKER ...	Ballyvaldon ...			129 10 9		
	Booleboy ...			131 7 3		
	Castle Ellis ...			172 4 6		
	Castle Talbot ...			170 7 4		
	Total ...				603 9 10	
JAMES MURPHY ...	Ballyhuskard ...			289 10 3		
	Edermine ...			235 13 2		
	Kilmallock ...			282 4 7		
	Total ...				807 8 0	
	Total Union £				7263 13 6	

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

The Clerk's Account of Petty Disbursements made by him since last Meeting, amounting to £ 4 : 4 : 5 was produced and passed.

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

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

By which it appeared that the cost of Provisions and Necessaries received during the week was £ 48 s. 2 d. 9 3/4

	£	s.	d.
Debit Provision Account, and Credit Invoice Account			
The Cost of Provisions and Necessaries consumed was	48	4	10 3/4
Debit Maintenance Account, and Credit Provision Account			
And the General average Cost of an Inmate for the week was		3	3 1/2
Average Cost in Infirmary		4	5
Average Cost in Fever Hospital		5	6
The Master's estimate of Provisions and Necessaries required for the ensuing week was examined, and Orders were duly made for the several articles specified, namely:			

Meat	225 lbs	Whiskey	1 1/2 gallons
Bread	2101 lbs	Wine	1 dozen
Buttermilk	134 gallons	Candles	20 lbs
Sweetmilk	887 qts	Coals	400 cwt.
Tea	184 0/4	Starch	3 1/2 lbs
Sugar	748 0/4	Blue	1 lb
Salt	224 lbs.	Soda	3 1/2 lbs.

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

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

The Out-door Relief Lists and Weekly Receipt and Expenditure Books 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 Eleventh day of October 1873 whereby it appeared that in that week the Total Expenditure in Out-door Relief was

In Money,	...	...	...	...	...	...	27	0	0
In Kind,	...	...	...	...	...	...	17	6	
Total,	...	...	...	...	...	...	£ 27	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	By Order on Contractors	
			Article and Quantity	Value
No.	I.			£ s. d.
No.	II.			
No.	III.			
TOTAL,				

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

		£	s.	d.
329	M. G. McQuinn J. Hosp. acct	30	16	4
12	O. Murphy Out Relief	15	0	0
13	O. Murphy do	9	0	0
14	J. V. Brien do	5	0	0
15	D. Furlong Repatriation	3	7	0
16	O. Harough Threshing	3	10	0

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

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

6-6 Loaves, 1 lb Butter, 10 $\frac{1}{2}$ Tea, $\frac{1}{2}$ lb sugar,
4 Eggs, 4 lb meat. for men attending threshing
machine, 2 bar Pipes, $\frac{1}{2}$ st Steel, 1 st Iron
3 $\frac{1}{2}$ lb black Hemp, 1 lb Flaxing thread, 2 shoe knives,
5 lbs Pitch, 2 lb Resin,

The Report of the Visiting Committee was read, and Orders were made thereon, as follows:
Medical Officer's Report,

Remaining in Infirmary last week ----- 67
Admitted during the week ----- 5
Total ----- 72

Discharged Cured ----- 3
Sent to Fever Hospitals ----- 1
Died ----- 1 ----- 5
Remaining in Infirmary ----- 67
Number same week last year ----- 52
Increase ----- 15

N^o on Infirmary diet out of Hospital ----- 19

N^o in Idiot wards ----- 38

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

Master's Report.

Mr. Murphy has delivered the Rugs and Mr. O'Halloran,
the Check and Wincup please have them inspected,
Ordered. Inspected and found Equal to Sample.

He begs to report to the Board that he sold the Sawney
Oats and could have sold 100 Barrels if he had it,

There is a large plot of the Very Best Enfield
Cabbage plants for sale on the Workhouse Land
Ordered. To be sold at 3 for 100

He will thank the Board to appoint a Committee to take stock of clothing.

Ordered. Mess^{rs} Brown and Cloney be a Committee to attend. the Master & Clerk to take stock of clothing on Wednesday next at 11 o'clock,

He beg to report to the Board that whilst the Women were employed assisting at the threshing machine some of them came to the House from the field unattended and beg to say He will not hold himself accountable under the circumstances,

Ordered, Consideration postponed to this day fortnight the Board being so small to day,

Agriculturist's Report.

That he was engaged last week threshing the Corn and drawing straw for beds,

The following Letters from the Local Government Board for Ireland 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 15 October 1873 } Enclosing Questions for answer
No. 25603 } by the Clerk and the person whom may be appointed to the office of Master in room of Mr. Martin,

Dated 15 Oct 1873 } In reference to the explanation of
No. 25603 } the Majority who voted on the Continuance of the Master in his office on the reading of the L.G. Board's letters of the 13th & 24 September last stating in reply that altho differing entirely from the Majority of the guardians as to the advisability of retaining a Master in office who has during the past year performed his duties in such an inefficient and ~~and~~ unsatisfactory manner the Local Government Board will on this occasion again yield to the guardians intercession in his favour, but it must be distinctly understood that the next time he commits himself in any way — all that has past will militate against him and he will, without fail, be removed from his situation,

Ordinary Proceedings

The Board then proceeded to the consideration of applications for relief in the W House and Farm Hospitals of the Union also for Outdoor relief which they granted in certain cases.

A Letter was read from the Schoolmistress resigning her office. Having been promised full Support to obtain the Office of Matron Ship now Vacant, and beg to say she is most grateful to the Board of Guardians for their many acts of kindness to me since I took office under them.

Ordered. Resignation accepted. The Clerk to advertise for a Schoolmistress at a Salary of £30 a year with furnished apartments & Rations. The Board express their regret at losing the Services of M^{rs} Ellen Murphy in the Female School as she paid every attention to her duties and passed the examination of all the Inspectors with credit to herself and Satisfaction to this Board.

Ordered. That M^r Smith of Odell who has entered into a Contract with the Board for painting the outside Wood and Iron Work of this W House be directed to postpone the work until the 1st of March next, as the Frost and Rain of the Winter is very likely to effect the painting injuriously.

It being reported to the Board by the Master that the removal of the wall that was taken down from the ~~road~~ Ward for dissolute Characters some years ago has not led to the good results then expected the Board Considered the matter and

ordered. ~~as~~

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

Ordered. That we request the Local Government Board will allow the wall in question to be erected as before.

Letter read from the Porter of the W House requesting the Board to fix a proper time for him to take up the Keys to the Master at night as some parties differ about the time.

Ordered. That the Keys be delivered by the Porter to the Master not later than 9 O'clock P.M.

The undersigned members of the Agricultural Committee. Beg to report.

That they have carefully Inspected the Farm and recommend the following disposition to be made of it.

We find there are 6 acres laid down under grass We recommend that this portion remains so.

There are 3 1/2 Acres under green Crop at present We recommend that this portion be lined well, to be sown under Barley next spring under Barley and grass Seed.

There are 2 acres under Barley stubble We recommend that this be lined and sown next spring under Barley and grass Seed.

There are 9 acres under stubble and dirty Leat We recommend that this be ploughed deep and prepared for a green Crop, preparatory to its being let out next year.

Then all the Land will be ^{laid} down under grass by 1875 — Except about 2 acres which we recommend to be reserved to plant with vegetables for the use of the House.

Signed

John Flynn

Nicholas Keating

John Furlong

Ordered. That this report be 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 ... 12

Ditto disallowed

The number of applicants admitted to the Workhouse was ... 13

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

Do., do. in which relief was continued by the Guardians ... 283

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 ...

The next Meeting of the Guardians to be held on Thursday, the 23rd day of October 1873.

Signed,

M. M. M. M. M.
Clerk of the Guardians

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

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

on Thursday, the 16th day of October 1873.—continued.

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

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

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

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

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

Dispensary District.

Account of Mr. _____ for _____ Amount, £ _____

[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 Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 Local Government Board for Ireland, 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 Disease Prevention Acts from the Local Government Board for Ireland and others were read by the Clerk and directions given to them respectively as follows:

Read Letter from
stating that

L. J. Boddy, dated *4th October 1873*
No 24 772

In reference to proceedings of the Committee of Enniscorthy Dispensary District requesting the opinion of the Board thereon,

Ordered, That the question of an advance in the Salaries of Doctors Jordon and Turlough be considered on this day fortnight when a full Board is expected, and that the Clerk advertise for a midwife to that District at a salary of £30 per annum Jordon to be considered on same day.

Dated 15 Oct 1873 } Sanctioning the payment of £3 a
No. 25.604 } Week to Doctor Dyas for his services
as Temporary Medical Officer to the
Kellam Dispensary District,

Signed,

M. Murray
Clerk of the 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 *18th* day of *October* 1873

Number of Inmates for which accommodation is provided	No. that can be accommodated in each building	Total No. in each building on the above date	Able-bodied		Aged and Infirm persons, above 15 years of age, but not working		Boys and Girls above 9 and under 15 years of age		Children above 5 and under 9 years of age	Children above 2 and under 5 years of age	Infants under 2 years of age	RETURN OF SICK AND LUNATICS.		OBSERVATIONS.
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Born														
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Discharged during the Week.			10	6	2	2		1	3	3	1	28		
Died.					1									
Total Discharged and Dead.			10	6	3	2		1	3	3	1	29		
REMAINING ON THE ABOVE DATE.			7	48	64	83	18	14	24	25	21	304		

RETURN of DESTITUTE PERSONS relieved out of the Workhouse, as by Relief Lists, for the last Week ended Saturday, the *18* day of *October* 1873, 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.
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No. II.	89	132			89	132
No. III.	56	67			56	67
TOTAL.	296	457			296	457

COPY OF MINUTES of Proceedings of the Board of Guardians, at a Meeting held on Thursday, the *23rd* day of *October* 1873.

PRESENT: In the Chair— *Thomas Limott Esqr. & Subsequently*
M. A. Maher Esqr.

Other Guardians—

I. Bullin, W. Rudd,
P. Atkin, W. Mactecher, M. Murphy
E. Byrne, S. Turlough

Signed,

M. Murray
Clerk of the Union.